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**Labyrinth Liturgy
of Light**

in Chartres

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Historic liturgies on Easter Eve sometimes included labyrinth dances. Joyous movements of the clergy as they celebrated the resurrection of Christ using song and symbol were recorded in medieval documents.

This Easter at around 10:00 PM a Liturgy of Light took place in the Chartres Cathedral. Rather than reproducing a medieval service, this prayer on the labyrinth which concluded at the altar was a modern celebration of the joy of knowing and worshipping the Risen Christ.









Thanks to the bishop, the cathedral of Chartres, and the Community of Chemin Neuf for the meaningful time of prayer we shared during this Easter celebration of God's profound and wondrous light and love.

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Lea · April 9, 2013 at 21:10 · · Reply

This is so beautiful Jill... I am very moved by this...Thank you so for sharing this with us.



LK Warren · April 9, 2013 at 21:13 · · Reply

This is absolutely incredible and breathtaking. What an experience!



Monet Lion · April 10, 2013 at 04:15 · · Reply

I'm overjoyed to see these photos of this wonderful Easter celebration on the labyrinth! How rare and sacred!



Jacquelyn · April 10, 2013 at 21:19 · · Reply

Thank you for sharing this, Jill. Joyce forwarded it to me. We are lucky to live in an age when we can walk in the footsteps of our millennial forebears. God Bless, Jacquelyn

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