

Rev. Vincent Russo

Presents a Workshop on



Stregheria



Italian Witchcraft



Tues - June 9, 2009
7 PM

What is Italian Witchcraft or Stregheria, traditionally and today?

What kinds of daily practices would a Strega learn and do?

What does Strega magic involve? Who are the gods, and how are they worshipped?

Are there any similarities between Stregheria and Wicca?

We will explore the nature of contemporary Streghe, and the areas of intersection and distinction from Pagan and Wiccan practice in our community today.

Rev. Vincent Russo (Vinnie) is a well known Boston area Witch. He is a Stregone-Mago of La Vecchia Religione (The Old Religion) and has been studying Sicilian-American Craft since 1997. Vinnie is honored to have learned his "Strega-craft" directly from Rev. Leo Martello and Rev. Lori Bruno.

He is also an elder of the Chthonioi line of Alexandrian Wicca. Vinnie is a Priest of the Craft who follows the Old Ways. He seeks to find new ways to bring the Old Gods into the daily life of modern day practitioners.

Vinnie has been reading Tarot for over 20 years and is the owner of one of the oldest occult shops in New England, Arsenic & Old Lace (<http://www.arsenic.com>). He founded the first Pagan Community Center in New England and is well known for teaching classes on psychic development, Tarot, magic, and Witchcraft.

ADMISSION = \$5 - \$15 sliding scale, proceeds going to purchase food cards for the needy. No one turned away for lack of funds.

Refreshments will be served



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