

“MAGNA CARTA”

@ir – artists in network

From a desire, and from a deep need, a NETWORK of ARTISTS was born in Italy: a weaving of souls and energies; people who, in truth and mutual respect, feel free to express themselves, striving to live together universal values. We, creators of emotions, choose the courage to unite in order to be proactive and an active force: harmony among peoples.

A network open to all cultural orientations, made of sharing, projects and ideas, observations and proposals, where every artist can feel welcomed, understood, and motivated: “Like a family,” as Chiara Lubich would say.

The modern and effective “method” that we feel is ours is that of SHARING, in summary: “UNITY, COMMUNION, MISSION” at the service of artists who wish to be part of the NETWORK.

“Artists in network” becomes for us @ir, AIR like air; our desire is that this network may become a place where one can regain “oxygen” and bring Beauty and Hope into the world with renewed momentum.

To be a great artistic network of love and listening, sharing needs and proposing together paths and possible solutions.

@ir starts from Italian artists but is open to international participation; our mission, in fact, is a united world.

An annual gathering in a family spirit is the *Family Art*: a weekend to come together to implement our intentions and outline future projects in harmony with each member of the network, in a constructive exchange for the common good, where everyone can feel, personally, creators and promoters of visions and good practices, leaving the freedom to get to know one another through deep mutual listening without judgment, and giving everyone the opportunity to be protagonists. From this, new projects may arise (workshops, holidays, artists’ residences, events, etc.).

This meeting may take place anywhere in Italy. The place envisioned for the first gathering is Loppiano (FI), a town of the Focolare Movement which, throughout its history, has offered many inspirations and significant formation toward what we now aim to achieve with our full Being.

In summary, we are living a new spring, weaving genuine relationships to become ever more united and attentive to personal and social needs: first and foremost, to enhance talent and inspiration, that is, the primordial spark of Beauty within each person.

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The Constituent Commission of @ir