

Wandering Spirit Beads – Workshops

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All supplies for making meditation and prayer beads are included in the cost of attending a workshop. Participants can expect to create their own design or follow a formulated pattern and use their new beads in a guided meditation prior to the conclusion of the workshop. Workshop content may vary depending on the participants, but the basic instruction includes:

- Background on using beads as a tool for meditation and/or prayer
- Choosing the appropriate semi-precious gemstone energy for desired goal(s)
- Choosing a design based on preferences and desired goal(s)
- Creating and working within sacred space
- Using beads in guided meditations and for solitary meditation and/or prayer
- Making meditation beads from bead kits
- Choosing an appropriate ready-made strand of beads

101 Prayer Bead Basics – \$40 per person flat rate

Learn how to make a strand of basic open Celtic prayer beads. Choose from a selection of stones which represent earth, air, fire, and water; as well as a pendant and beads to represent spirit on the tassel. The cost of this workshop is \$40, which includes a \$20 registration fee.

102 Prayer Beads for Experienced Beaders – \$20 plus project fee

Learn more about using prayer beads for specific goals and intentions. Choose from a wider variety of beads and select a specific project. The project will focus more on the design aspect rather than how to put the beads together, incorporating smaller seed beads, bead caps, and other accent pieces. The Prayer Bead Basics workshop is not a prerequisite to this class, but participants should have enough beading experience to be able to complete their more complex prayer beads within an hour. Participants will be contacted by the instructor at least one week prior to the workshop to determine the desired project so that bead kits can be prepared. Please provide both phone number and email address upon registration. The registration fee is \$20. Total cost for this workshop will include the registration fee plus the project fee.

PROJECTS – Unless special items are ordered, the following pricing applies to projects made during these workshops:

Open Celtic Prayer Beads

- **\$25 – Medium Strand** – 24 beads (10mm), 3 separators, optional accents, 2 terminators, tassel, and pendant.
- **\$30 – Long Strand** – 36 beads (8mm), 3 separators, optional accents, 2 terminators, tassel, and pendant.

Meditation Beads

- **\$20 – Small Strand** – 27 beads (8-10mm), 3 separators, optional accents, terminator, and tassel.
- **\$25 – Medium Strand** – 54 beads (8-10mm), 7 separators, optional accents, terminator, and tassel.
- **\$30 – Long Strand** – 108 beads (8mm), 14 separators, optional accents, terminator, and tassel.

Christian Prayer Beads

- **\$20 – Small Strand** – 27 beads (8-10mm), 3 separators, optional accents, terminator, and pendant.
- **\$25 – Medium Strand** – 54 beads (8-10mm), 7 separators, optional accents, terminator, and pendant.
- **\$30 – Long Strand** – 108 beads (8mm), 14 separators, optional accents, terminator, and pendant.

Traditional Malas

- **\$15** – 108 continuously strung, single type beads (6-8mm seeds), guru bead or terminator, and tassel. No knots.
- **\$30** – 108 continuously strung, single type beads (6-8mm gemstones), guru bead or terminator, and tassel. No knots.

Journey Beads

- **\$30** – 108 beads (8mm), 3 separators, optional accents, guru bead or terminator, and tassel.