

# Aikido of Pittsburgh

Presents a

## New Years Intensive



**Saturday, January 5<sup>th</sup>, 2019**

10am to 2:00pm – Intensive training and Party

Cost for the Intensive training? \$0.00

Cost for the party? \$0.00

Usher in the New Year with some great training followed by a party in your honor. Aikido of Pittsburgh is starting its **25<sup>th</sup> year** at the Etna dojo and would like to thank all its members, friends and family for their support in the past and in the future.

### Intensive Training

- Training will be in 30 minute sessions
- Each session will be taught by one of the Senior Students
- Training topics/techniques are *their choice*
- We will have a few 15-20 minute breaks throughout

### Party

- You, your family and friends are all welcome to attend
- The dojo will provide the food and drinks

**RSVP:** Please let us know if you are planning on attending by emailing the dojo contact address at [contact@aikidopittsburgh.org](mailto:contact@aikidopittsburgh.org). Please include your name.

**Shihan Ruriko Masutani** founded Aikido of Pittsburgh in 1968 by after she emigrated from Japan. Shihan Masutani began practicing Aikido in her native Japan as a child in the early 1950's under the guidance of her father. After moving to the United States and finally settling in Pittsburgh, Shihan Masutani continued training and began teaching seminars up and down the east coast. She has been teaching Aikido in Pittsburgh for over 41 years. She passed away in May 2018.

**The Etna Dojo** was opened in 1994 by Aikido of Pittsburgh. Aikido of Pittsburgh is an independent, unaffiliated martial arts school offering classes in traditional Aikido, and welcomes all who desire to train in Aikido in a dynamic and non-aggressive environment.