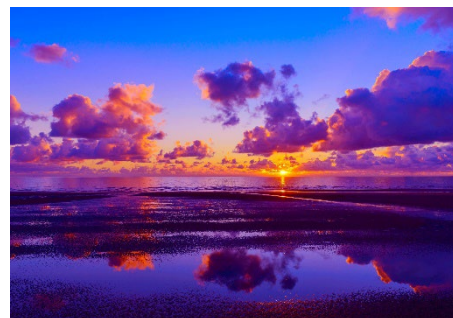




Racine Dominican Associates' Friday Night Check-In August 18, 2023

TOP 5:

- 23 Aug 2023, **Crew Meeting**-Zoom, 9:00-10:00 AM
24 Aug 2023, **Virtual Craft Circle**- Zoom, 6:30-7:30 PM
25 Aug 2023, 10:30 AM, **S. Margaret Mayce OP** gives an international update at Siena. All invited. *See flyer.*
26 Aug 2023:



- ✚ 9 AM, **Retire the Burning Bush**, Siena Chapel
- ✚ 9:30-9:45 Coffee & Conversation, 9:45-11:00 AM, **Hybrid Associate + Sister Monthly Meeting**, Lg. Conference Rm. *1st of 3 Monthly Meetings on Our Pilgrimage Together, the first 2 of 6 stages in our journey.*
- ✚ 11:30 AM, **Associate + Sister Picnic**, Patio outside Dining Room at Siena

Save These Dates:

- 29 Aug 2023, 10:30-11:15, **Tapping to Relieve Anxiety**, Green Dining Room.
01 Sep 2023, 4:30 PM. Opening of the **Season of Creation**, Siena chapel.
04 Sep 2023, **Deadline** for supporting Justice Team's & Associates' **School Supplies Drive**.
06 Sep 2023, 10:30, Crew of the **Golden Rule sailboat**, a peace promoting venture, talks and lunches at Siena Center. Associates are invited. Meal donation applies. *See flyer.*
12 Sep 2023, 6-7:30 PM CT, **Shared Formation on "Introduction & Discernment"** via Zoom.
16 Sep 2023, a **Walk to Celebrate Mother Earth**, Siena Center.
23 Sep 2023, 9-11:30 AM, **Dominicans-Always Moving**, retreat with Miriam Brown, OP.
13-15 Oct 2023, **All Associate Retreat**, Windhover. Come for one segment, a part of a day or all three days. More details to come.
28 Oct 2023, 11:30 AM-1 PM, **4th Annual Trunk & Treat**, in back of Siena, for everyone.
29 Oct 2023, 10 AM, **Tesha Urban's Ordination**, 1st Congregational Church of Wauwatosa, 10 AM. She is including the Dominican Blessing in her ceremony. Come sing it with and for her! Details to follow.

How are you **Caring for Creation** this week?

- Compost grass and yard clippings.
- Compost food scraps.
- Learn & be intentional about separating trash and recyclables.

Sing/Send **Birthday Greetings** this week to **Mare Wheeler (8/19), S. Mary Voster's Feast Day (8/22), Marilyn Lauer (8/22), Annie Brantzeg & Lena Brunson (8/26)**.

Commit to sending at least one card to a Sister AND to an Associate this week – pick them from last names starting with A, B or C in the 2023 Racine Dominican directory.

Join in the **Voices from the Holy Land Online Film Salon** on *The Truth: Lost at Sea*, 8/20/2023 2 PM CT. Register to access the film for free. Registration info attached. *See flyer.*

The NEW Racine Dominican Direction Statements for 2022-2026 from our Chapter:

As a community of Racine Dominican Sisters and Associates led by the Spirit:

We commit to being a contemplative presence as we collaborate with Earth and all peoples, responding to social injustices with voice, action, and resources, especially as expressed in *Laudato si'*.

We commit to discerning a vision of our emerging future through prayer, courageous conversation, collaboration, and action.

Our Racine Dominican Associate 2022-2023 Goals:

- ~ Grow as a holy, ever-evolving, flourishing community.
- ~ Support our Mission Partners & other ministries.
- ~ Live out our Dominican Mission together.

