



Racine Dominican Associates Friday Night Check-In

September 27, 2024

In This Next Week!

September 28, 2024, 10 AM-Noon, **"A Dominican Charism Retreat."** Formation for Dominican Associate Life.

October 2, 2024, 9-10 AM Every Wednesday, **Crew** via Zoom, *For ALL of us*

October 2, 2024, 5 PM-6 PM. **Dominican Inter-Community Book Study.**

October 3, 2024, 6:30-7:30 PM, **Virtual Craft Circle** via Zoom. A most relaxing time for all!

October 4, 2024, 4:30 PM, **Closing service of Season of Creation**, Siena chapel, *For ALL of us*

And Then

October 8, 2024, 6-7:30 PM CT, **"The Life, Spirit & Mission of St. Dominic,"** Formation for Dominican Associate Life.

October 12, 2024, 08:30 **Coffee and Kringle**, followed by **Our Monthly Meeting**, 9-10 AM, with Michael Brichta from Great Lakes Community Conservation Corps (GLCCC), presenter. THEN

Art and Craft Fair on Saturday, October 12

By Sister request, we are planning a **"Show and Sell" of Sisters' and Associates' arts and crafts** on Saturday, October 12, 2024, after our monthly meeting. It will be in the Green Dining Room from 10:15 – 11:30 AM. We will serve apple cider and Fall treats. We will also holiday wrap your purchases so you don't have to! Are you an Artist or Crafter with creations to display and/or sell? Let Catherine Gundlach (cell 262-994-4091) know right away.

Voices from the Holy Land News

Associate Lea Koesterer let us know of a new Voices from the Holy Land film salon. Register at [Tinyurl.com/VFHL-October2024](https://tinyurl.com/VFHL-October2024). Registration gets you the link for the film and the link for the discussion. Watch the film, and discuss it on October 20, 2024 at 2 PM CT.

Siena is Getting Very Spooky on October 26!

Join us on Saturday, October 26, as we celebrate **"Halloween in the House,"** in the Green Dining Room at Siena. Set up is at 10:00, followed by a Ghoulish parade through the 1st floor DSR at 10:30. Then at 11 AM get ready to scare all fearless Sisters & Associates! **Reserve your table NOW with Catherine!**

As Of September 1

You must pay for your Associate meal reservation for the Sisters' Dining Room at the time of registration. Meal scholarships are *always* available if also reserved in advance.

Care for Creation This Week:

- + Change your furnace filters for cleaner air.
- + Have a wood-burning fireplace? Time to call the sweep to prevent creosote fires.
- + Identify air leaks around windows & doors. Install sealants & weather stripping

Our Racine Dominican Direction Statements for 2022-2026:

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 Goals:

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

