



## Racine Dominican Associates' Friday Night Check-In October 6, 2023

### TOP 5:

- 11 Oct 2023, 9-10 AM. **CREW** via Zoom. Every Wednesday. For ALL of us.
- 11 Oct 2023. 6-7 PM CT, **Inter-Community Book Study on Being Wise** via Zoom. Every Wednesday. For ALL of us.
- 13 Oct 2023, 10:30-11:15 AM, Large Conf. Room, **Presentation on the Holy Land** by Associate Linda Jackson. For ALL of us – in person only.
- 13-15 Oct 2023, **All Associate Retreat**, Windhover. Come for one segment, a part of a day or all three days. Deepen Associate relationships through games, campfires, s'mores, walking meditation, great food, sacred circle. *No charge*. See flyer for schedule.
- 14 Oct 2023, 9:30 AM, **Monthly Meeting**, Siena Large Conf. Room, *3<sup>rd</sup> meeting on Our Pilgrimage Together*, hybrid. **S. Lisa Kane** will join us on Zoom to talk about her pilgrimage this summer to Dominican lands. For ALL of us!

### Save These Dates:

- 28 Oct 2023, 11:30 AM-1 PM, **4<sup>th</sup> Annual Trunk & Treat**, in back of Siena, for everyone. Please see instructions flyer. Let us know about your ghoulish participation **by 10/20/23**.
- 29 Oct 2023, 10 AM, **Tesha Urban's Ordination**, 1<sup>st</sup> Congregational Church of Wauwatosa, 1511 Church Street, Wauwatosa, WI 53213. The service includes singing the Dominican Blessing. Come sing it with and for her!
- 05 Nov 2023, 9 AM. **Sunday Liturgy + Remembering Service**, Siena Chapel. For ALL of us.
- 11 Nov 2023, **Monthly Meeting**, Siena Large Conf. Room. Conversation Circles with Associates: Sisters on "Associate Negotiables & Non-Negotiables." Also, Justice Café.

### Wish List for the Associate Office:

- Expo Dry Erase Markers, Poster Board Easel

Sing/Send **Birthday Greetings** this week to **S. Evelyn Lins** (10/7), **S. Bev Hebel** (10/8), **S. Ruthanne Reed** (10/8), **S. Celia Evers** (10/12), **S. Dorothy Ann Greiber** (10/12), **Kelli Sand** (10/12), **S. Rose Stietz** (10/14), **Joan Brown** (10/16).

### Care for Creation This Week, on gardens:

- Leave the leaves lie where they fall (unless a fall hazard) to nourish the soil.
- Let the garden go to seed. Do not rip out plants. See if/how they volunteer back!
- Add leaves and compost to garden areas.

**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.*

