



Racine Dominican Associates

Friday Night Check In

July 21, 2023

BIRTHDAYS

July 31st
Laura Sumner Coon

REMINDERS

Monthly Calendar
The Monthly Calendar is available in the Members Section of the Website. Forgot your RD login? Call us!

Please Join Us

A reminder that all of our Associate events provide opportunities, not requirements, for connection, caring, commitment and community.

These events are being created by you and for you!

This newsletter was created by the Racine Dominican Associate Office



WE WANT TO HEAR FROM YOU!

We love our Dominican Associates and we want to hear from you. Please contact Mare or Catherine with questions, needs or ideas!

FRIDAY NIGHT TOP FIVE

1. 26 July, 2023, **Crew Meeting-Zoom**, 9:00-10:00 AM
2. 02 Aug 2023, **Crew Meeting-Zoom**, 9:00-10:00 AM
3. 05 Aug 2023, **Racine Dominicans at the State Fair**. See flyer.
4. 09 Aug 2023, **Crew Meeting-Zoom**, 9:00-10:00 AM
5. 10 Aug 2023, **Summer Enrichment Series #4: "Tapping to Relieve Anxiety"** presented by Mare Wheeler (Racine Dominican Associate), 11:00 AM CT Zoom.

A friendly reminder that there will not be Virtual Craft Zoom sessions or a Monthly Meeting in July.

HOW ARE YOU CARING FOR CREATION?

- Lessen your A/C by one degree, e.g. from 72 degrees to 73 degrees.
- Just like your parents used to say, turn off unused lights. "We are not lighting up Main Street, you know!"
- Unsubscribe from unwanted catalogs you get in the mail to cut down on paper waste.

SAVE THE DATE FOR OCTOBER 13-15!

As requested- we are planning our All Associate Retreat at Windhover, Friday, October 13 thru Sunday, October 15, 2023. Come for one day, a part of a day or all three days. More details to come but please mark your calendar!

SAVE THE DATE

- 10 Aug 2023, Virtual Craft Circle-Zoom, 6:30-7:30 PM
- 16 Aug 2023, Crew Meeting-Zoom, 9:00-10:00 AM
- 23 Aug 2023, Crew Meeting-Zoom, 9:00-10:00 AM
- 24 Aug 2023, Virtual Craft Circle- Zoom, 6:30-7:30 PM
- 26 Aug 2023, 9:00-9:30 Coffee & Conversation, 9:30-11:00 AM, Hybrid Associate + Sister Monthly Meeting, Large Conference Room.
- 26 Aug 2023, 11:30 AM, Associate + Sister Picnic, Outdoor Patio.

NEWS AND NOTES

Carol Wesley is preaching this Sunday, July 23, 2023 at Christ Church Cathedral in St. Louis. Support women preaching by tuning into the live stream at 8 AM or 10:30 AM CT:
<https://www.christchurchcathedral.us/worship/sunday-worship/>

Vera Olson would love some sweet RD connection! She is shut-in at home, and her computer is on the fritz. Please send her a card or give her a call.

Racine Dominicans at the WI State Fair! Come support Ss. Janet and Mary Ann Weyker as they display and teach about their wool work at the State Fair on August 5, 2023. Call the Associate Office if you would like to car pool. Car poolers must be able to walk independently over uneven terrain. Cream puffs, here we come!

Commit to attending at least **TWO** community activities of the August-October **Joyful Opportunities**. See flyer.

Picnickers unite! Join us for our Associate + Sister August Picnic... your reservation for the noon meal is DUE by Tuesday, August 15. Turn in your \$15.00 meal donation on the day of the picnic. RSVP Associate office at 262-898-4098.

Hey sweet Associate bakers! We are furnishing desserts for our August 26 Associate + Sister Picnic. Please call/email the Associate office to let us know what goodie you are sharing.

Associates, please pick up your 2023-24 Commissioning Materials from the Associate Office or ask for a mailing. Postage is \$1.83. We are grateful for your postage donations.

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.

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.