



Racine Dominican Associates

# Friday Night Check In

June 2, 2023

## BIRTHDAYS

June 3<sup>rd</sup>

S. Rose Marie  
Dischler

June 4<sup>th</sup>

Marge Smith

June 5<sup>th</sup>

S. Carol Wester  
Jacqui Loughan

June 6<sup>th</sup>

S. Jeanne Burg

June 11<sup>th</sup>

S. Anne Morehouse

## 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.



## 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. **“On the Other Side of Plastics,” via Zoom.** 03 Jun 2023, 9-11:15 AM. (Flyer)
2. **Deadline for meal reservations for June Assembly, Jubilee.** 05 Jun 2023, 5 PM.
3. **The Lakota Way book study via Zoom, Chapter 7 “Truth.”** 06 June, 6-7 PM CDT.
4. **CREW, via Zoom.** For ALL Racine Dominicans. 07 Jun 2023, 9 – 10:15 AM.
5. **Reservation deadline for June Assembly overnight stays at Siena.** 08 Jun 2023, 5 PM.

## NEWS AND NOTES

### How Are YOU Caring for Creation this week?

- 25 Sisters & Associates have signed on The Mileage Awareness Pilot, which started yesterday, June 1. You can still sign up on the Racine Dominican website.
- Use waxed paper or sustainable food/produce bags and wappers.
- Plant perennial ground covers, not grass seed (cuts down on mowing too!)

*Bakers, please? We need two more folks to make/bring cookies, candy, bars or brownies for the Associate Commitment reception on June 24th at 4:15 PM outside of the Siena Chapel. Please let Mare or Catherine know ASAP if you can help.*

## SAVE THE DATE!

- 08 Jun 2023, 6:30-7:30 PM CDT, Virtual Craft Circle via Zoom.
- 22 Jun 2023, 11 AM-11:45 AM, Summer Enrichment Series #2: “Discovering the Spiritual in Pop Music,” presented by Laura Boor (Adrian Associate).
- 22 Jun 2023, 5 PM. Deadline for getting Sisters Jubilee/Associate Anniversary cards & gifts to the Associate Office.
- 21-24 Jun 2023, Racine Dominican Community June Assembly, Siena Center. Associates, please attend on Jun 23 (8 AM – 3 PM) and Jun 24 (8 AM- 4:40 PM).
- 24 Jun 2023, 1-2:30 PM June Monthly Associate Meeting, Hybrid (in person & via Zoom). Details to follow.
- 24 Jun 2023, 3:30 PM, Enduring Commitment Ceremony, Siena Chapel, with reception to follow in narthex.
- 24 Jun 2023, Hoe-Down Supper & Party, by the Sheriffs of 5119 Worsley Lane (Gundlachs). We will lasso you if you are not there by 5:30 PM sharp! RSVP to Catherine this week.
- 25 Jun 2023, Sisters’ Jubilee Celebration, Siena Center. Details to follow.
- 29 Jun 2023. 9-11:15 AM & 2-4 PM CDT. Dr. Niamh Brennan presents in person on “Being Human in an Emerging Universe,” Siena Auditorium. (Flyer)
- 29 Jun 2023, 6:30-7:30 PM CDT, Virtual Craft Circle via Zoom.
- 30 Jun 2023, Associate Annual Reflections due in the Associate Office.



Meals during June Assembly. There will be no charge to Associates for the picnic supper with Sisters on Friday evening, June 23 or for the Jubilee celebration noon meal on Sunday, June 25. Thank an Executive for this generosity. **You still need to make a meal reservation for Assembly meals by June 5<sup>th</sup>.**

Do you want to stay overnight at Siena during Assembly? No charge. Let the Associate Office know by June 8, 2023. So far, we have 3 Associate guests.

## 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.*