

NEWS ITEMS

February 11 Community Day

Our Community Day on Saturday, February 11, will begin in Aquinas at 9:15 a.m. Breakfast will be served in the Dining Room prior to that from 8:00-9:00 a.m. Dinner will run from Noon-1:15 p.m.

Our guest speaker for the day is Sr. Carol Zinn, SSJ. The title of her talk is: "Together, Birthing Anew: The Transformation of Religious Life, Today and Tomorrow." Her presentation will include her facilitation of conversation among us to assist us with our futuring.

The day will close at 4:00 p.m. with the opportunity for attendance at the weekend Eucharistic Liturgy at 4:30 p.m. On January 23, Sr. Ann Clennon will be sending out the procedure for you to reserve accommodations in Siena and sign up for meals.

Car Repairs and Maintenance for **Those Living Outside Sacred Heart Convent**

A reminder: If you have been in a car accident and there is damage to the car, you are to immediately call NETWORK, as they will advise you where to take the car for repairs or will have it towed if needed. In addition, if it is during workweek hours, please call Lucas Propstmilik at the Motherhouse so he can file an insurance claim to Christian Brothers if necessary. If it is after workweek hours or on a weekend, please call Sr. Bernice Juip and/or your council contact person. One of these sisters will contact Lucas when he is back in the office to follow through with an insurance claim. Please, do not ask Lucas or any of the maintenance staff at Sacred Heart Convent to provide maintenance on your vehicle or bring it the repair shop. Their responsibilities are specific to the fleet cars here at Sacred Heart Convent. Your attention to this is appreciated.

Changes in Mission List since December 8, 2016

Sr. Maira Barry: email, smbarry@spdom.org

Delete entries for Sr. Janice Greenwood, Sr. Mary Rose Schleeper and Sr. Doris Taylor

DATES TO REMEMBER

2017

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| Feb. 11 | Community Day (See letter from Leadership and news item.) |
| Feb. 15 | Due to Sr. Rebecca Ann: Springfield Dominican Sisters Ministry Subsidy Grant Applications (See news item in Dec. 8, 2016 mailing.) |
| Mar. 15 | Due to Sr. Beth Murphy: Tagline/Logo Survey (See "Community Dialogue and Survey.") |
| Apr. 30 | Due to Sr. Kathlyn Mulcahy: Carbon Footprint Accountability (See news item in Dec. 8, 2016 mailing and in the Sept. 2016 mailing.) |
| May 7 | Associate Commitment Day |
| June 15-17 | General Assembly (1/2 day on the 17th) (See letter from Leadership.) |
| June 18-24 | Retreat: "Gifts of the Universe: Promise and Hope," Director: Sr. Sharon Zayac OP |
| June 18-24 | Retreat: Individually Directed Retreat, Director: Fr. Terry Johnson |
| June 29-July 3 | Communal Study Days (See Nov. 19, 2016 letter from leadership and Dec. 2016 news item.) |

- July 16-22 Retreat: "Table Fellowship of Jesus in the New Testament – What Does It Mean?"
Director: Fr. Bill Burton OFM
- July 16-22 Retreat: Small Group Retreat, "Weaving Your Story," Director: Sr. Anita Cleary OP
- August 19 Associate Day of Reflection
- Nov. 5-11 Retreat (Please note this was originally scheduled for Nov. 12-18)
"Free Falling into the Mystery of the Presence of God,"
Director: Fr. John Mark Etensohm OMI

2018

- Feb. 10 Community Day
- June 14-16 General Assembly (1/2 day on the 16th)
- June 17-23 Retreat
- July 15-21 Retreat
- Nov. 11-17 Retreat

2019

- Feb. 9 Community Day
- Apr. 22-28 General Chapter 2019 (See letter from Leadership.)