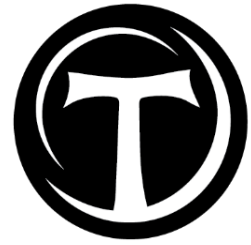


SACRED HEART PROVINCE
SISTERS OF ST. FRANCIS

NEWS BRIEF

April 8, 2022 (no fooling!)



EASTER SUNDAY:

Casa Chiara Community will host Easter Mass at 1:00 pm for sisters and a potluck supper at 4:00 pm for sisters and associates. Honey Baked Ham will be the meat. Please let Sr. Sue know, sueaf@franciscanway.org, if you will come to either Mass and/or supper, and what you'd like to bring for the meal.



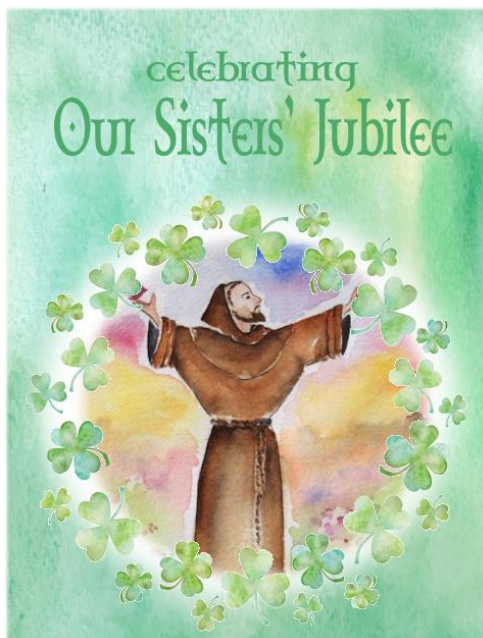
EARTHCARE:



"Earth Day is every day" and is honored in a special way on April 22" (origin of Earth Day). "Because there was no EPA, no Clean Air Act, no Clean Water Act. There were no legal or regulatory mechanisms to protect our environment. In spring 1970, Senator Gaylord Nelson created Earth Day to force this issue onto the national agenda" Internet.

ACTION: How do you wish this spring to birth with our "Earth MAMA"? Maybe a spiritual practice of contemplating beauty in creation and absorbing the great creative Love. What is springing up in you? Share with at least one person. Earthcare Committee

SHP's SISTER JUBILIARIANS:



Sisters of St. Francis

Are proud to announce the jubilees of the following women who have lived their lives as instruments of peace and following Christ in the ways of Francis, Clare, and Magdalen.

2022
Sr. Maureen Murphy, 70 years

along with delayed jubilee celebrations, due to COVID

2021
Sr. Liz Fuhr, 60 years

2020
Sr. Leandra Schaller, 40 years
Sr. Alicia Cuarón, 25 years

Please join us on
Saturday, May 7, 2022
10:00 am Mass ~ Noon Lunch

Marian Residence
1104 Toluca Ave., Alliance, NE 69301

RSVP # Guests by April 22, 2022 to Patty Raymer
PattieR@Franciscanway.org ~ 308-762-4408 x2

PRAYER REQUEST FOR THE REPOSE OF THE FOLLOWING SOUL:

Sister Ângela Vieira da Costa, of the Province of the Immaculate Heart of Mary, Brazil, died on April 2, 2022. She was born on August 30, 1925, and was professed on February 3, 1954. Sister Ângela was Provincial Minister from 1973-1984.

Sister Patricia Healy, of the Stella Niagara Health Center Community, died Wednesday, April 6, 2022. She was born in Buffalo, New York on March 14, 1930, and was professed at Stella Niagara on August 18, 1955.

PRAYER REQUEST – SPECIAL INTENTIONS:

PEACE between UKRAINE and RUSSIA, along with safety for all among them.

CHAPTER OF MATS:

Sisters and Associates are invited from the three US provinces to attend our Chapter of Mats gathering! Please save the dates **August 26-28, 2022**, at our sister province (Holy Name Province) **in Stella Niagara, NY**. A confirmation registration form will be sent to all sisters and associates in May 2022. Start looking for deals on airfare, now. 😊 For more info, contact Donna Kroll at 303-458-6270 or donnak@franciscanway.org .



SR. SARAH MANCHESTER’S SCHEDULE:

- April 22-23 (29-30) Pre-Chapter Gathering #4
- May 7 Jubilees @ MR, Recommissioning & Prayer Partners
- May 14 ZOOM Finance & Archives Report
- May 19-20 Council Meetings
- June 7-8 Council Meetings
- June 10-11 Tentative_ZOOM Pre-Chapter Gathering #5
- June 28-29 Council Meetings
- July 8-9 Pre-Chapter Planning Meeting
- July 10-16 XIII Chapter
- July 16 New/Old Council Meeting