



Mardi Gras 2017 — Sisters of Jesus Crucified Host Sisters of St. Joseph



The Sisters of Jesus Crucified and the Vietnamese sisters who live among them warmly welcomed us to another festive Mardi Gras celebration. As the pictures demonstrate, they supplied ample props to immerse all present in the spirit of the evening. After being greeted, we proceeded to chapel for prayer created by Terry Jardin, CSJ, and Alice Kirby, CSJ. The closing part of the prayer aptly captured the spirit of the evening:

Tonight we celebrate the abundance of life: the delight of hearing, seeing, smelling, tasting, touching, dancing, laughing. May the beads and treats, the music and song, the joy of being together, awake in us an appreciation of the gift of being alive today. And may these gifts expand our hearts and make room for more light, more love, and more hope to strengthen us for the spiritual journey ahead! ☸

Two Invitations from Regis College



March 14, 2017

Celebrate National Catholic Sisters Week

A mini-resource fair will highlight The Literacy Connection, The Women's Table, Casserly House, and Bethany Hill Place as well as Bakhita House, founded by several congregations of Catholic sisters in the Boston Area. The event will take place in the Upper Student Center.

The schedule is as follows:

11:30 - Lunch with the Mission Committee

12:00 – 12:45 pm: Each Ministry will have a table in the foyer outside the dining hall. Participants will have the opportunity to meet with students and discuss each ministry.

1:00 – 2:00 pm: Moderated forum. Each ministry will tell the story of how, why and when the ministry started; how it has changed over the years; how the population served has changed over time; how immigration advocacy is affected, and how the Regis Community can support these ministries.

March 20, 2017

Celebrate the Feast of St. Joseph

Sisters of St. Joseph Boston and Associates are Invited
to Join the Regis College Community in Prayer
to Celebrate the Feast of St. Joseph

Monday, March 20, 2017

12:00 pm

St. Joseph's Chapel, Colledge Hall

This prayer service will be led by Sr. Carmela Abbruzzese, CSJ and Sr. Mary Rita Grady, CSJ

For both events RSVP to : Marylou.jackson@regiscollege.edu

PARKING: When you arrive on campus, please follow signs to the Student Center and Lot E.

You will be greeted by a police officer. Explain why you are there and you will be directed to a parking space.



Dates to Remember

MARCH 11, SAT., 8:30AM-2:00PM SAT., CONGREGATION GATHERING — Motherhouse
— 2:15PM ELECTION OF CHAPTER STEERING COMMITTEE BY VOTING PARTICIPANTS

MARCH 11, SAT., 4:00PM — VIGIL LITURGY FOR SUNDAY — Fontbonne Convent

MARCH 12, SUN., 2:00PM — CEREMONY OF TRANSFER FOR SR. ROSEMARY MULVIHILL

— see 2/26/17 email invite

MARCH 19, SUN., 9:30AM — SUNDAY LITURGY/SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT — Fontbonne Convent

MARCH 19, SUN., 11:00AM — ST. JOSEPH DAY CELEBRATION — Motherhouse — Lunch to follow

— RSVP to Leanne Nassise by March 10, 2017

MARCH 20, MON., 11:00AM — ST JOSEPH DAY LITURGY — see 2/26/17 email invite

MARCH 24-25, FRI.-SAT., AGING IN GRACE IN MID-LIFE AND LATER YEARS — details on website

MARCH 26, SUN., 9:30AM — SUNDAY LITURGY — Fontbonne Convent — all welcome

APRIL 1, SAT., 9:30AM-12:00PM — ANTI-TRAFFICKING SYMPOSIUM — Motherhouse

Hosted by LCWR Boston Unit Anti-Trafficking Coalition

LOOKING AHEAD...

APRIL 13, 14, 15 — PASCHAL TRIDUUM — details to follow

APRIL 19, WED., 5:30PM — LIVING THE DREAM DINNER — Seaport Hotel

APRIL 20, THURS., 7:00PM — TAIZÉ PRAYER — Motherhouse

MAY 17, WED., 5:00PM — A PLACE AT THE WOMEN'S TABLE — Motherhouse

— details at <https://thewomenstable.org/>

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*Long deeply for God.
Be constant, wisely eager
to receive God's love.*

*Maxims in Haiku #42, Frances Agnes Blake, CSJ
Based on Maxims of the Little Institute*

SISTER JULIA BREEN, CSJ

Sister Eucherius

Date of Birth: September 10, 1923

Date of Death: February 18, 2017

In the 75th year of her Religious Life.

SISTER MARIA GRANDE, CSJ

Sister Clemento

Date of Birth: September 26, 1912

Date of Death: February 22, 2017

In the 85th year of her Religious Life.

Membership: 266

Reflections can be viewed at:
<http://www.csjboston.org/news-and-events/in-memoriam/>