

# MARYWOOD FRANCISCAN SPIRITUALITY CENTER



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## *Roots and Ripples*

Renewal

The Presence  
of the Holy

Contemplative  
Prayer

The Beauty  
of Nature

Sacred  
Space



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"The pessimist complains about the wind. The optimist expects it to change. The leader adjusts the sails."

**John Maxwell**



Greetings! As you receive our third issue of Roots & Ripples for 2021. You might be sweltering in the heat of August or experiencing the cool night breeze of the approaching Fall. Either way, I invite you to peruse the pages noting our programs and events, new and old. The change of seasons has inspired some rather unique and new offerings along with our tried and true programs. I/we believe there is something for everyone! If not a program, know that we are here to assist you in "walking your journey with the Holy One." I can't help but quote Friedrich Nietzsche: "Notice that autumn is more the season of the soul than of nature."

After a year of adjusting events, etc. due to the pandemic, we are pleased to be able to offer Women's Christmas again in January. For our new readers, the back page of our publication has the information details and dates.

Also, this is the issue acknowledging our donors from July 1, 2020 – June 30, 2021. We are very blessed and grateful for the many people who choose Marywood as one of their charitable donation sites. Know all of you are remembered in prayer.

May you be able to take some time to be still and observe the leaves turning before your eyes.

*Sr. Elizabeth Amman, OP*



**FINDING GOD EVERYWHERE**

**Thursday, September 2**

**9:30 – 11:30 a.m. (VIA ZOOM)**

**September 4, Saturday**

**9:30 – 11:30 a.m.**

**(ON – SITE)**

**PRESENTER:**

**Sr. Marla Lang, FSPA**

The fall season is now with us, a new consciousness is emerging,

patterns are shifting, We wonder about our actions and sometimes feel that we are not completely here, feeling a kind of loss of appetite for life. What's moving US toward our everywhere God and ME in praising, reverencing and serving God? Suggested offering: \$20. Register by August 31.



**USING A PALETTE KNIFE IN PAINTING WITH WATERCOLORS**

**Monday, September 6**

**9 a.m.– 3:00 p.m. (ON – SITE)**



**PRESENTER: Sr. Karen Kappell, FSPA**

Keeping strong colors in watercolors can be a challenge and, in this class, we will learn one way of creating bold and vibrant watercolor paintings. Using a palette knife, as well as a brush, we will creatively work on distribution of color with watercolor media, practice palette knife techniques, and then apply them to a painting. Bring paints, palette knives, brushes, 300# watercolor paper or stretched watercolor paper and photos of large, light valued flowers. Suggested offering: \$40. Bring lunch. Limit of eight. Register by August 30.

**TO REGISTER...**

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For information on Marywood's retreat accommodations and opportunities for spiritual direction, please visit

[www.marywoodsc.org](http://www.marywoodsc.org)

**WATERCOLOR: WATER PAPER TRANSFORMED**

**Tuesday, September 7**

**9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. (ON – SITE)**

**PRESENTER: Sr. Karen Kappell, FSPA**

Imagine tiny threads of color vibrating from the paint source. They produce a beautiful delicate effect as a background for watercolor paintings. Bring watercolor supplies, a stretched 1/2 sheet of stretched water-



color paper, photos of leaves or fall grasses, and a spray bottle with a soft mister. Other supplies will be provided. Suggested Offering: \$40. Bring lunch. Limit of eight. Register by August 30.

**LET'S GO RIDE A BIKE  
(Weather Permitting)**

**Wednesday, September 8 (rain date Sept. 9)**

**9:30 a.m. – 2:30 p.m.**

**FACILITATOR: Pat Pintens**

“Let’s go fly a kite” they sang enthusiastically in the movie *Mary Poppins*. Let’s ride enthusiastically too. We’ll gather at the intersection of County Highways M and N south of Marywood, begin our ride with a short prayer and stop for lunch (Dutch treat) and reflection in Sayner before returning. Bring a bike, water, etc. Suggested offering: \$10. Register by Friday, September 3.

*Plan on September 9 for a rain date.*



**MIXED MEDIA: WATERMEDIA AND SOFT PASTEL IN LANDSCAPE**

**Wednesday, September 8**

**9:00 a.m.– 3:00 p.m. (ON – SITE)**

**PRESENTER: Sr. Karen Kappell, FSPA**

Using gouache mixed with fluid acrylics or watercolors, we will create an underpainting of a landscape that will be developed further with dry pastels. Bring landscape photos that have dramatic skies and articulated foregrounds (not silhouetted), watercolor supplies, and a half sheet (11” by 15”) of watercolor paper. Other materials will be provided. Suggested offering: \$40. Bring lunch. Limit of eight. Register by August 30.

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## ICON RETREAT/WORKSHOP

**Gabriel the Archangel**

**September 12-18, 2021**

**7:00 p.m. Sunday - 1:00 p.m. Saturday**

**Facilitator: Barb Lawless**

Icon writing/painting is a meaningful prayer practice and an art form with a rich, inspirational history. At this workshop, each participant will write/paint an icon of Gabriel the Archangel. No painting experience is needed. All materials and supplies are provided. By the end of the week, participants will have a beautifully completed icon varnished and ready to display. The \$650 resident fee includes a private room in a shared cabin and all meals. \$475 for commuters includes one meal a day. *Register by Friday, September 3. Include a \$100 deposit with registration.*



**“If you only read the books  
that everyone else is reading,  
you can only think what every-  
one else is thinking.”**

**— Haruki Murakami**

## BOOK GROUP: *BRAIDING SWEETGRASS*

**Tuesday, September 21**

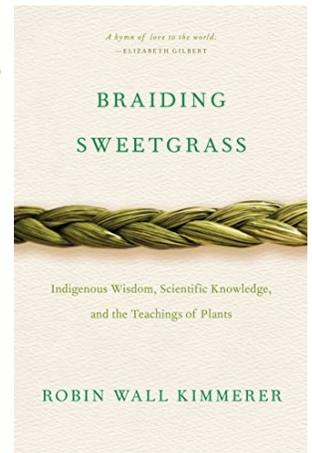
**6-8:00 p.m. (VIA ZOOM)**

**FACILITATORS: Staff from the Franciscan Spirituality Center, Marywood Franciscan Spirituality Center and Prairiewoods Spirituality Center**

Drawing on her life as an indigenous scientist, and as a woman, author Robin Wall Kimmerer shows how other living beings—asters and goldenrod, strawberries and squash, salamanders, algae, and sweetgrass—offer us gifts and lessons, even if we've forgotten how to hear their voices. In reflections that range from the creation of Turtle Island to the forces that threaten its flourishing today, she circles toward a central argument: that the awakening of ecological consciousness requires the acknowledgment and celebration of our reciprocal relationship with the rest of the living world.

Please join staff from the Franciscan Spirituality Center, Marywood Franciscan Spirituality Center and Prairiewoods Spirituality Center for an evening of discussion and reflection. All are welcome!

Suggested offering: \$5 (please purchase book on your own) Register by Friday, September 17. at 319-395-6700 x202 or [www.prairiewoods.org](http://www.prairiewoods.org)



**THE LIFE OF HENRI NOUWEN:  
AN INTRODUCTION**

**Tuesday, September 21**

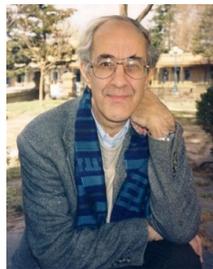
**9:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m. (ON – SITE)**

**Thursday, September 23**

**6 – 8:00 p.m. (VIA ZOOM)**

**FACILITATOR: Grant Van Lishout**

Henri Nouwen (d.1996) was a well-known priest, pastor, professor, theologian, and author whose spiritual writings have touched the lives of millions of people. This program is an introduction to his life, the profound impact he had on our spiritual lives and how we see and treat each other. Suggested offering: \$20. Register by noon September 10.



**AUTUMN WISDOM**

**Wednesday, September 22**

**9:30 – 11:30 a.m. (ON – SITE)**

**6:30 – 8:00 p.m. (VIA ZOOM)**

**PRESENTER: Pat Pintens**

Let's begin autumn, "the richest season of the soul" (Angie Weiland-Crosby) by looking and listening for the wise lessons she teaches us, e.g., how she embraces change even as "she is falling to pieces". (AWC). Bring some autumn wisdom with you. Suggested offering: \$20. Register by Friday, September 17.



***"Owning our story and loving ourselves through that process is the bravest thing we'll ever do."***

**- Brené Brown**

**WALK WITH THE LORD**

**Wednesday, September 29**

**1 – 3:30 p.m. (ON – SITE)**

**FACILITATOR: Pat Pintens**

Walking is good for both the body and the soul. To "walk with the Lord" is an expression of holiness (wholeness) in the Old Testament. (Gen. 6: 9-10) John Muir wrote: "I only went out for a walk and finally concluded to stay out till sundown, for going out, I found, was really going in." So put on some comfortable clothes and shoes and let's go walking. Bring water, a walking stick, etc. Suggested offering: \$10. Register by Thursday, September 23.



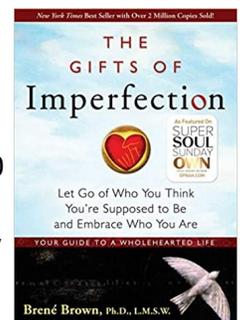
**THE GIFTS OF IMPERFECTION by Brené Brown**

**October 3, 10, 17, 24, and 31**

**2:00 – 3:15 p.m. (VIA ZOOM)**

**FACILITATORS: ANDREA FLUEGEL, Pastor at Prince of Peace Lutheran Church, Eagle River, WI and GRANT VAN LISHOUT**

This book study will actually change your outlook on life. Brown explores the psychology of releasing our definitions of an "imperfect" life and embracing living authentically. What transforms this book from words on a page to effective daily practices are the ten guideposts to wholehearted living. They not only help us understand the practices that will allow us to change our lives, they also walk us through the unattainable expectations that get in the way. Suggested offering: \$50 for five sessions. You will need to purchase your own book, currently \$6.96 on Amazon. Register by noon Monday, September 30.



## **SPIRITUALITY OF ST. THÉRÈSE OF LISIEUX**

**Friday, October 1**

**9:30 a.m. – 11:00 a.m. (VIA ZOOM)**

**PRESENTER: Sr. Mary Ellen Green, OP**

St. Thérèse of Lisieux, also known as the “Little Flower”, lived her life in childlike simplicity. By surrendering herself completely to the everlasting love of God, she learned to do all things – no matter if big or small, with great love. Suggested offering: \$20. Register by Mon., September 27.



## **COLLAGE PAINTING WITH HAND-DYED PAPERS AND WATERCOLORS**

**Monday, October 4**

**9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. (ON – SITE)**



**PRESENTER: Sr. Karen Kappell, FSPA**

After we have created and dried wonderful colored papers with bleeding tissue, we will tear and glue them onto a

landscape underpainting. This combination painting will be enhanced with more painting and other dry media. Bring watercolors, Elmer’s glue, watercolor paint supplies, and a half sheet (11” by 15”) of watercolor paper. All other materials will be provided. Suggested offering: \$40. Bring lunch. Limit of eight. Register by September 27.

## **COLLAGE PAINTING WITH HAND-DYED PAPERS AND WATERCOLORS**

**Tuesday, October 5**

**9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. (ON – SITE)**

**PRESENTER: Sr. Karen Kappell, FSPA**

Using the same materials and techniques as above, we will create a collage painting that has a floral composition. One added technique we will be using is blocking out. Suggested offering: \$40. Bring lunch. Limit of eight. Register by September 27.

## **WATERCOLOR: PAINTING USING JAPANESE MASA PAPER**

**Wednesday, October 6**

**9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. (ON – SITE)**

**PRESENTER: Sr. Karen Kappell, FSPA**

Masa Paper fractures color into a beautiful network of lines similar to those used in batik. We will use the paper to create a painting of leaves or flowers. Bring a half sheet of stretched cold-pressed watercolor paper on which to mount the masa paper. Also bring photos of the above subjects, paints and brushes. Masa paper will be provided. Suggested Offering: \$40. Bring lunch. Limit of eight. Register by September 27.

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### PRAYING WITH CHILDREN

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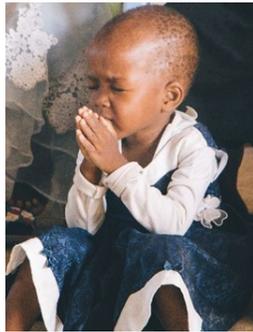
6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. (VIA ZOOM)

Saturday, October 16

10a.m. – noon (ON – SITE)

**FACILITATOR: Grant Van Lishout**

Children have an innocence, curiosity, and wonder about life. As guardians and caregivers, we have a responsibility to nurture the prayer life of our children, which is different from that of adults. This program is geared towards parents, grandparents, aunts, and uncles who care for the spiritual nurturing of their elementary-aged children who wish to discover ways they can pray with them.



Suggested offering: \$20. Register by noon October 3.

### LIFE AND DEATH GO TOGETHER

Thursday, October 28

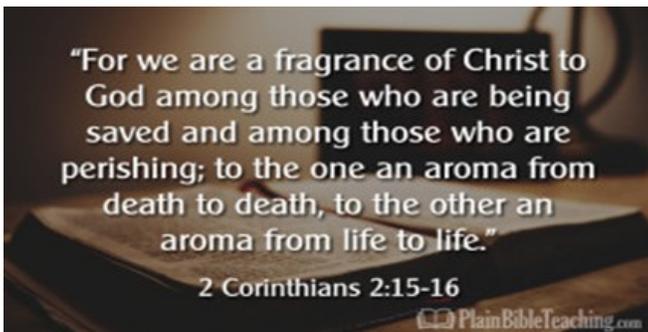
9:30 – 11:30 a.m. (VIA ZOOM)

Saturday, October 30

9:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m. (ON – SITE)

**PRESENTER: Sr. Marla Lang, FSPA**

Nature shows us moments of life and moments of powerlessness and death. Every Christian will meet the Risen Lord sometime in her or his life as All Saints and All Souls Day give evidence. How do we grow into finding God “in all things?” Suggested offering: \$20. Register by October 26.



### TRASNA: THE CROSSING PLACE

Tuesday, November 2

9:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m. (ON – SITE)

6:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m. (VIA ZOOM)

**PRESENTERS: Sr. Mary Ellen Green, OP and Pat Pintens**

*Trasna*, a Gaelic word, is best translated as the crossing place: a place of choosing which way to go, how to proceed or move forward.

*Trasna* means not only the physical act of a crossroads but also the spiritual transition from an old way of living to a



new way. We'll explore the *trasna* points in our lives and in our larger world. Suggested offering: \$20. Register by Tuesday, October 26.

#### Leaving a Legacy

Thank you for supporting Marywood. Please consider including us in your will. A bequest established today guarantees a vital lifeline for our future. Another opportunity available at this time is a Charitable IRA Distribution. Because the charitable rollover completely avoids the donor's tax return, the donor can get both the standard deduction and the charitable contribution deduction. As you reflect on various gift options, it is best to consult a financial advisor.

**HAND-MAKING OF CHRISTMAS CARDS**

**Tuesday, November 2**

**9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. (ON – SITE)**

**PRESENTER: Sr. Karen Kappell, FSPA**

Using water-media and printing techniques we will create cards that add a special personal touch to our Christmas greeting. Working with supplied watercolor paper, and watermedia sprays, we will create large sheets with a free formed pattern, then cut and develop smaller sections of this paper into cards followed by a variety of stamping techniques. Bring inks, Christmas stamps, watercolor supplies and brushes. Suggested offering: \$40.00. Bring lunch. Limit of nine. Register by October 25.

**IRIS FOLDING CARDS**

**Wednesday, November 3**

**9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. (ON – SITE)**

**PRESENTER: Sr. Karen Kappell, FSPA**

Iris folding is a delightful fun and relaxing paper craft activity easily done by anyone. Using Christmas templates, we will create designs out of lightweight paper. These designs will be placed on card stock to make hand-made cards. Once learned, this project can be easily continued at home during your leisure. Several Christmas templates and patterned papers will be provided. Bring sharp scissors, lightweight wrapping paper (small sheets are fine), and transparent Scotch tape. Suggested offering: \$40.00. Bring lunch. Limit of nine. Register by October 25.



**CANTICLE OF ST. FRANCIS RETREAT**

**Friday, Nov. 5 , 5:00 p.m.— Sunday, Nov. 7, 11:00 a.m.**

**PRESENTER: Pat Pintens**

“Be praised” St. Francis cries out in his canticle, naming the sun, moon, stars, wind, water, earth, and all living creatures as “brothers and sisters.” This retreat will give us time to pray with our “brothers and



sisters” and learn more about their ways and the wisdom they offer us. Suggested offering: \$260 for a private room in a shared cabin, commuters \$150. Beginning and ending meals provided. Register by October 27. Include a \$100 deposit with registration.

**CREATING SANCTUARY**

**Monday, November 15**

**1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. (ON – SITE)**

**Wednesday, November 17**

**9:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m. (VIA ZOOM)**

**FACILITATOR: Grant Van Lishout**

There is a wonderful and safe feeling being in a sanctuary, where we are here and the activeness and worries of life are out there. Might there be a way we can take the essence of sanctuary with us in our day to day happenings? This program will help us find our inner sanctuary in order to bring it out into the world in which we live and share the peace and love of sanctuary with others. Suggested offering: \$20. Register by noon October 29.



**WAGING PEACE: LESSONS FROM MATTIE STEPANEK**

**Monday, November 29**

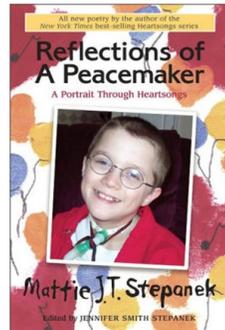
**9:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m. (ON – SITE)**

**6:30 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. (VIA ZOOM)**

**PRESENTER: Pat Pintens**

“Waging peace” may sound less peaceful than “peacemaker,” yet young “peacemaker” Mattie Stepanek relentlessly waged peace, especially in his poetry. We’ll share his peacemaking poems and insights from his book Reflections of a Peacemaker.

Suggested offering: \$20. Register by Friday, November 26.



**ADVENT AND THE ART OF LISTENING TO ONE’S SELF**

**Friday, December 3**

**9:30 a.m.– 11:30 a.m. (VIA ZOOM)**

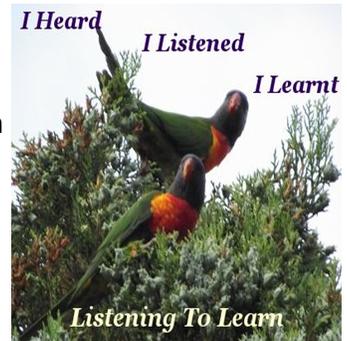
**Saturday, December 4**

**9:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m. (ON – SITE)**

**PRESENTER: Sr. Marla Lang, FSPA**

Advent invites us to deeper listening, to getting in touch with the special persons in our lives. Good listening opens doors to others, even to ourselves, to a sermon! We will explore

some helpful approaches to good listening in a variety of settings. Suggested offering: \$20. Register by December 2.



**WHAT IS SPIRITUAL DIRECTION AND IS IT FOR ME?**

**Thursday, December 2**

**6:30 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. (VIA ZOOM)**

**FACILITATOR: Sr. Elizabeth Amman, OP**

Have you ever wondered how God is working in your life? Have you ever wanted to talk to someone about God in your life? Do you wonder if God is “really” active in your life? If you can answer “yes” to any of these questions, spiritual direction/guidance may be for you. Participate in this introductory session and get your questions answered about this practice of “holy listening.”

Suggested offering: \$20. Register by Friday, November 26.



**HOLDING ON, LETTING GO**

**Monday, December 6**

**9:30 – 11:30 a.m. (VIA ZOOM)**

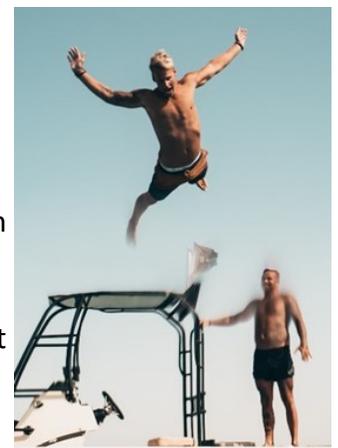
**Monday, December 13**

**9:30 – 11:30 a.m. (ON – SITE)**

**FACILITATOR: Grant Van Lishout**

When something or someone has served its purpose, it is time to let go. Letting go is difficult, but it also makes room for new. This program will challenge us to look at all we hold onto in life and ask, “What is worth letting go of?” The Spirit just might have something better to fill it.

Suggested offering: \$20. Register by noon December 3.



MARYWOOD FRANCISCAN SPIRITUALITY CENTER

PROGRAMS AND RETREATS: SEPTEMBER— DECEMBER, 2021

**PRAYING MARY’S MAGNIFICAT (ADVENT DAY OF REFLECTION)**

**Wednesday, December 8**

**10:00 a.m. – 2:30 p.m.**

**(Hybrid: ON SITE/VIA ZOOM)**

**PRESENTER: Pat Pintens**



The opening verse of *Mary’s Magnificat*, once translated as “My soul magnifies the Lord ...” is now translated, “ My being proclaims the greatness of the Lord.” During this Advent Day of Reflection, we will explore how Mary’s prayer makes clearer (enlarges) our understand-

ing of God’s greatness and how we are invited to participate in that divine expansion. Suggested offering: \$25. On site participants: bring a bag lunch. Register by Thursday, December 2.

**PRAYING WITH WINTER SKIES**

**Tuesday, December 14**

**9:30 a.m.– 11:30 a.m. (ON – SITE)**

**6:30 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. (VIA ZOOM)**

**PRESENTER: Pat Pintens**

“I wonder as I wander out under the sky ..” is a beautiful, haunting ballad from the Appalachian region. Winter skies can set us to wondering about many things. What would happen if we were to begin praying those skies,



whether they be an early morning sky or “a midnight clear” sky? Let’s find out. Suggested offering: \$20. Register by Thursday, Dec. 9.

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Our patron, St. Francis of Assisi, reminds us that, "it is in giving that we receive."  
 Our hope is that your generous support of the Marywood mission may bring you  
 as much joy as it brings us. Thank you!

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Carole Rose		Pat Vernier	
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# WOMEN'S CHRISTMAS

Women's Christmas (*Nollaig na mBan*) is one of Ireland's biggest traditions. On this day, women traditionally get a much-needed rest after catering to everyone during the holiday festivities. Marywood is celebrating the Feast of the Epiphany and the tradition of Women's Christmas in three special gatherings. Come celebrate the blessings of the past year and receive blessings for the year to come. Reservations are required. Choose one of the three days and register by December 17. Suggested offering (\$45) includes gathering, meal, and blessing circle. Please include the offering with your registration.

To register: 715-385-3750 x1 or [marywood.center@gmail.com](mailto:marywood.center@gmail.com) or go to our website at [www.marywoodsc.org](http://www.marywoodsc.org).

Credit cards are accepted (2.75% processing fee).



Tuesday, January 4  
Thursday, January 6  
Saturday, January 8