



Upcoming Events

April, 2018

Presenting the 2018 Father James Bacik Easter Lecture Series
“The Easter Season of Joy Deserves as Much Attention as the Lenten Season of Penance.”

Thursdays, April 5, 12 and 19, 5:30 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.

Franciscan Center

Join theologian Father James Bacik in examining the *Acts of the Apostles* for guidance on dealing with contemporary issues.

Thursday, April 5:

The Jerusalem Church: Guidance for a more fruitful pluralism.

Thursday, April 12:

The Council of Jerusalem: Guidance for more inclusive communities.

Thursday, April 19:

Pentecost: Guidance for improving communications.

Tickets: \$25 for the whole Easter season series.

\$10 with pre-registration or \$15 at the door; Clergy and students attend free.

Register at www.sylvaniafranciscanvillage.org. For more information, contact Elizabeth Reiter at ereiter@sistersosf.org or 419-824-3515.



Fr. Jim Bacik

All Good Things Art & Gifts Shop Presents:

Make and Take Handmade Spring Cards

Friday, April 6, 1:00 p.m.—3:00 p.m.

Regina Hall Conference Room

With Sister Roselynn Humbert

Cost \$10 | *RSVP required: 419-824-3749 or allgoodthings@sistersosf.org*



Make and Take Memory Wire Bracelets

Friday, April 13, 1:00 p.m.—3:00 p.m.

St. Joe’s Hall

Cost \$10 | *RSVP required: 419-824-3749 or allgoodthings@sistersosf.org*

An Evening with Author & Peace Activist Father John Dear

“They Will Inherit the Earth: Peace & Nonviolence in a Time of Climate Change”

Tuesday, April 10 at 7:00 p.m.

Franciscan Center

A free community lecture followed by a book signing by the author. Donations welcome.

Join author Rev. John Dear for an evening of reading and reflections from his new book, *They Will Inherit the Earth*, followed by a book signing.

Rev. Dear is a longtime activist, priest, author and Nobel Peace Prize nominee. His newest landmark work connects active nonviolence and solidarity with Creation.

No reservations needed. For more information, contact Sophia Lloyd, Director of the Sylvania Franciscan Village, at slloyd@sistersosf.org or call 419-824-3533.



Sylvania Franciscan Village Member Organizations:

Sisters of St. Francis of Sylvania, Ohio

Lourdes University

Sylvania Franciscan Ministries





Upcoming Events, continued

The Sylvania Franciscan Village & Lourdes Lifelong Learning Present:

TED Talks on Tuesday

“Ten Ways to Have a Better Conversation”

Tuesday, April 10, Noon – 1:00 p.m.

Franciscan Center Board Room

Radio Host Celeste Headlee has learned a lot about how to have a great conversation—and how most of us don’t converse very well. In this insightful talk, she shares ten useful rules for having better conversations.

This is a free event. No reservations required. Contact Dr. Megeath at 419-824-3707 or lifelong@lourdes.edu.



“Love the Earth Day”

Saturday, April 14, 1:00 p.m.—5:00 p.m.

Appold Planetarium

Free planetarium shows & hands-on activities for the whole family

Celebrate Earth by learning about our planet with fun hands-on activities designed by the National Informal STEM Education Network in collaboration with NASA. Partnering local organizations include the Toledo Zoo, Imagination Station, Metroparks Toledo and Keep Toledo/Lucas County Beautiful.

Located in and around the Appold Planetarium at Lourdes University (Located in Mother Adelaide Hall), 6832 Convent Blvd., Sylvania, OH.

For more information, contact Dr. Megeath at plantarium@lourdes.edu or 419-517-8897.



Sylvania Franciscan Village Presents a Wellness Lunch:

Therapeutic Horticulture with Mary Machon

Tuesday, April 17, Noon—1:00 p.m.

Regina Conference Room.

No charge, no rsvp. Contact Sophia Lloyd at 419-824-3533 or slloyd@sistersosf.org



Mini Pilgrimage

Thursday, April 19, 10 a.m. - Noon

Friday, April 20, 10 a.m.—Noon

Madonna Hall

Satiate both spiritual and physical hunger with a walk through campus and a delicious lunch. Enjoy a guided tour by Sr. Joan Jurski as she transports us to the lives of Saints Francis and Clare.

Cost: \$20. RSVP to Sr. Joan Jurski at jjurski@sistersosf.org or call 419-824-3528.



Science Alliance for Valuing the Environment, Inc. (S.A.V.E.) Presents:

Our Sustainable Future—Ready or Not, Here We Come!

Tuesday, April 24, 7:30 p.m.—9:00 p.m.

Franciscan Center Theater

Presented by John Krochmalny, Co-founder, Northwest State Community College’s “Education for Sustainability” and S.A.V.E. Board Member.

This is a free event. Contact: S.A.V.E. at save@lourdes.edu or 419-824-3691.