

# The Mercy St. Francis Garden Club

Mercy Community at Winton Woods

JUNE 2009

## The Purpose of The Garden Club

*To work with management to help preserve and maintain our historical building and surrounding campus.*

## Program Information

Steering committee will meet at 1:00 p.m. on the third Monday of each month in the library at the seminary to plan programs and submit a written report to management for consultation and/or approval. All members are encouraged to attend. Your input is important.

## STEERING COMMITTEE

*Fr. David Turnbull #203 (Chaplin)*

*Richard Eisele #109*

*Ruth Waltermann #114 (Treasurer)*

*Alice Hillenbrand # 005*

*Ruth Lemon #200 (Secretary)*

*Wilma Hemsath #001*

*Norman Noe #300*

## Garden Club Members

Gerry & Don Cepluch #317

Sue Crosset 1545 Arbor Trail

Jessie Doxsey #110

Ensaf Eisele #109

Rosabel Fitch #304

Mary Florey #316

Jean Frank #107

Rose Hayes #204

Edie Harper 1483 Fieldcrest Court

Marge Holtman #101

Ann Moertl #115

John Morbach #314

Sr. Grace Pleiman #315

Ginny Rust #120

Joan Sherman #106

Fr. David Turnbull #203

Kate Rust #108

Ralph Uciferi 1491 Fieldcrest Court

Chris Wilkins #008

Betty Jenkins #318

Fr. Gil Wohler #310

Naomi Disco #011

Dr. Citas Perez 1448 Fieldcrest Court

Ellie Woods #218

Jean Fern #111

Harriet Burt #118

Cliff & Marian Findley #003

Earnestine Brown #102

Grace Sears #219

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## OLD BUSINESS

1. This is our third newsletter and its purpose is to communicate with everyone so that you all are informed about our services and upcoming events.
2. Second "Clean Up Day" was a great success. We made good progress on cleaning up the lake and driveway.
3. Gardens are planted.
4. Front - in the circle many flowers were planted: 10 rose bushes, 4 azaleas, and 150 begonias.
5. Mail room – both sides and patio window boxes. 50 impatiences, 50 petunias and other mixes.
6. Community Vegetable Garden has 25 tomato plants, 50 feet of green beans, cucumbers, squash, peppers and onions.
7. Peace Garden is greatly improved. Thank you to Sue Crosset & Margaret Artmayer.

## NEW BUSINESS

1. On May 23, 2009 at 8:00 am, two large trees on the lake were removed. Thank you to Nurse Bernadette who generously donated \$400.00 to have this service done.
2. Work on finishing driveway and lake clean up.
3. Residents on Springdale Road thanked us for the beautiful sound of the ringing bell every Sunday morning at 10:45 am.
4. Garden Club **Monthly Member Award** goes to **Wanda Wells** (#207). Wanda planted or assisted with all of the above planting. We appreciate you Wanda. Thank you for all that you do.

## PRAYER FOR SENILITY

**God grant me the Senility to forget the people I never liked anyway, the good fortune to run into the ones I do, and the eyesight to tell the difference.**

## A LITTLE HUMOR

A concerned husband went to a doctor to talk about his wife. He says to the doctor, "Doctor, I think my wife is deaf because she never hears me the first time and always asks me to repeat things."

"Well," the doctor replied, "go home and tonight stand about fifteen feet from her and say something to her. If she doesn't reply, move about five feet closer and say it again. Keep doing this so that we'll get an idea about the severity of her deafness."

Sure enough, the husband goes home and does exactly as instructed. He starts off about fifteen feet from his wife in the kitchen, as she is chopping some vegetables and says, "Honey, what's for dinner?" He hears no response.

He moves about five feet closer and asks again. No reply. He moves five feet closer. Still no reply.

He gets fed up and moves right behind her, about an inch away, and asks again, "Honey, what's for dinner?" She replies, "For the fourth time, vegetable stew!"

