



## Special Events-August 2023

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| <b>2</b>  | <b>Wednesday</b> | <b>1:30</b>  | Vivian Kline will be Reading Stories in the Victoria Courtyard Lounge this afternoon.   |
| <b>3</b>  | <b>Thursday</b>  | <b>2:30</b>  | Today we will host a Computer Group looking at the My Margie Tablets. Please bring your tablet with you. If you don't have one and would like one we will have paperwork available for you at this event.   |
|           |                  | <b>7:00</b>  | We will have a game of card bingo in the Event Center this evening.   |
| <b>4</b>  | <b>Friday</b>    | <b>3:00</b>  | Residents' Meeting will be held in the Event Center. This meeting is designed to keep you informed of the latest happening here at the Marjorie P Lee Community.  |
| <b>5</b>  | <b>Saturday</b>  | <b>2:00</b>  | Diana Hoffman will be here to teach a salsa dance class in the Event Center.  |
| <b>8</b>  | <b>Tuesday</b>   | <b>10:00</b> | We will offer transportation for in person voting at your polling place located at the Knox Presbyterian Church. You will need proper identification to vote in person.   |
|           |                  | <b>3:30</b>  | We will have music this afternoon with Mike Pendell in the Chapel. Mike plays piano and sings your favorite songs.  |
| <b>9</b>  | <b>Wednesday</b> | <b>2:30</b>  | Diane Shields will be in the Event Center this afternoon to share a lecture on the life of John Glenn.  |
| <b>10</b> | <b>Thursday</b>  | <b>2:30</b>  | Do you love to sing? The Marjorie P Lee Chorus will begin rehearsals this afternoon in the Event Center. Under the direction of Janet Langhorst you will sing songs with members of the MPL community. The Chorus typically meets each Thursday afternoon rounding out the year with a concert in December. |
|           |                  | <b>6:00</b>  | We will depart for drinks, desserts and Salsa on the Square this evening. We will head to Fountain Square this evening for a drink and dessert at Graeter's as we watch and maybe participate in Salsa on the Square.   |

- 11 Friday 10:00** We are thrilled to resume our Cincinnati Ballet dance movement class. This eight week class begins today and will be each Friday until September 29. We will have an instructor from the Cincinnati Ballet lead a movement class filled with a variety of music and dance movements.
- 11:15** We will depart for a picnic at Woodland Mound Park. Debbie will be grilling up hamburgers, metts, brats and baked beans which will be served with potato salad, sodas and smore's for dessert. To attend this event please sign up in the Transportation Sign-up book located just outside the elevators in the Victoria Lobby.
- 14 Monday 10:00** Join us today for Card Making Class in the Lee Library located on the first floor across from the Chapel. Instructor Kathy Hargis brings all the supplies we need to make beautiful homemade cards to send to your family and friends.
- 3:00** Information Hour with the ERS Leadership Team will be held today in the Event Center. This meeting provides updates on Episcopal Retirement Homes organizational projects and information impacting Marjorie P. Lee.
- 15 Tuesday 6:30** Marge Howe will host this happy hour sing along with help on piano from Shirley Raut. Join us for light snacks and drinks and sing some of your favorite songs.
- 16 Wednesday 2:00** Join us today in the Event Center for an informational lecture about Crayons to Computers. They run a Keep our kids warm program and assist teachers in getting school supplies for their classrooms.
- 3:00** We had a wonderful response to Nourishing Your Mind with the Rabbi in July. We will move across the hall to the Chapel. As we welcome the Rabbi back for another thought provoking discussion group.
- 17 Thursday 7:00** We will have a game of card bingo in the Event Center this evening.
- 18 Friday 3:15** Deb & Caryl will be in the Event Center this afternoon as we reminisce about back to school the history of McGuffey Readers and more.

- 21 Monday 3:00** The Writing Our Memoirs Group will meet this afternoon in the Event Center. This group enjoys writing and sharing their stories with others.
- 23 Wednesday 2:30** Diane Shields will be in the Event Center this afternoon to share a presentation on the lives of Bess and Harry Truman.
- 5:00** We will depart for dinner at Lazlo’s Iron Skillet located out near Amelia on Ohio Pike. They bill themselves as authentic fresh and unique European and American Fare specializing in Hungarian and German dishes. The menu is available for viewing in the Transportation Sign-up Book located in the Victoria Lobby. Please sign up if you plan to join us on this dinner outing.
- 25 Friday 1:30** Join us out on the Victoria Courtyard for some homemade Ice Cream Sodas.
- 28 Monday 3:00** The Book Discussion Group will meet this afternoon in the Victoria Courtyard lounge. We will discuss *The Book of Lost Names* by Kristin Harmel. Plot: Eva Traube Abrams, a semi-retired librarian in Florida, is shelving books one morning when her eyes lock on a photograph in a newspaper nearby. She freezes; it’s an image of a book she hasn’t seen in sixty-five years, a book she recognizes as *The Book of Lost Names*. The accompanying article discusses the looting of libraries by the Nazis across Europe during World War II—an experience Eva remembers well—and the search to reunite people with the texts taken from them so long ago. The book in the photograph, an eighteenth-century religious text thought to have been taken from France in the waning days of the war, is one of the most fascinating cases. Now housed in Berlin’s Zentral- und Landesbibliothek library, it appears to contain some sort of code, but researchers don’t know where it came from—or what the code means. Only Eva holds the answer—but will she have the strength to revisit old memories and help reunite those lost during the war? As a graduate student in 1942, Eva was forced to flee Paris after the arrest of her father, a Polish Jew. Finding refuge in a small mountain town in the Free Zone, she begins forging identity documents for Jewish children fleeing to neutral Switzerland. But erasing people

comes with a price, and along with a mysterious, handsome forger named Rémy, Eva decides she must find a way to preserve the real names of the children who are too young to remember who they really are. The records they keep in The Book of Lost Names will become even more vital when the resistance cell they work for is betrayed and Rémy disappears. An engaging and evocative novel reminiscent of The Lost Girls of Paris and The Alice Network, The Book of Lost Names is a testament to the resilience of the human spirit and the power of bravery and love in the face of evil.

**5:00** We will depart this evening for a picnic in Washington Park to listen to the music of the Faux Frenchmen. We will have light sandwich wraps and a side with dessert and drinks as we enjoy live music in the park. Please sign up in the Transportation Sign-Up book if you plan to attend this event.

**29 Tuesday 1:30** Join us in the Event Center for a closing reception for the beautiful pictures Dan Wheeler has shared with us for the past year.

**30 Wednesday 1:30** Join Martha Stephens for a poetry reading this afternoon in the Victoria Courtyard Lounge.