

COVID19

The Sisters of St. Francis and our sponsored ministries located on our campus are committed to protecting the health and well-being of all members of our campus, including the Sisters and other individuals who live and work on campus, our Associates, and employees, staff and students. To that end, we offer the following summary of preventive measures and guidelines that have been adopted across campus.

- The Sisters of St. Francis Motherhouse campus is **closed** to Visitors.
- The University remains open but Campus is **closed** to Outside Visitors.
- Our Lady Queen of Peace Chapel is **closed** for all regularly scheduled events. Funerals for Sisters of St. Francis will continue when necessary and are **PRIVATE**. Celebrations of Mass at Our Lady of Queen of Peace Chapel are temporarily suspended through Easter per the direction Bishop Daniel Thomas, in union with the Bishops of Ohio.
- Lourdes University - Face to face courses will be offered on-line through the end of the spring semester, 2020. The Lourdes Dining Hall is closed for in-restaurant dining, per Governor DeWine's order.
- Franciscan Center is not accepting outside rentals until the earliest June 1st. No already scheduled event can exceed 50 people in attendance. Events that do not exceed 50 attendees/visitors and do not include outside attendance may continue.
- All Good Things Art & Gifts is closed until further notice. On-line orders will be processed and mailed. Contact: allgoodthings@sistersosf.org
- Sophia Center continues to remain open to serve clients by appointment.
- Sylvania Franciscan Village: Effective March 18, 2020, all Sylvania Franciscan Village events are canceled until further notice.
- Rosary Care Center and Our Lady of Grace Hall: Consistent with the joint Order from Governor DeWine and the Ohio Department of Health, visitors are not permitted to enter Rosary Care Center or Our Lady of Grace Hall except medically necessary personnel (who will be screened prior to entry), and in end of life situations.

We appreciate your ongoing cooperation and patience during this challenging time. We will continue to provide updates as the situation progresses. Please contact Jeni Belt at 419.351.2111, jbelt@sistersosf.org or tbockstahler@sistersosf.org with questions. Thank you.

