

What's Up at the Heights?

St. Jude Parish Students Visit Assisi Heights

On Friday July 12, students and staff from St. Jude Parish in Mahtomedi, Minnesota, arrived at Assisi Heights. They started with a bag lunch picnic, and then enjoyed a brief tour of the facilities. The highlight of this visit was the presentation of one of the relics from our chapel, that of St. Jude, which was gifted to the Parish.



Presenting the relic to St. Jude Parish

Volunteers on a Mission!

Garlic Mustard is an invasive species that has affected many areas, including Assisi Heights. In June, 2019, we sought volunteers to pick garlic mustard to help prevent the spread. There were three groups totaling 24 volunteers who worked

48.5 hours. Seventy-eight, 55 gallon bags were collected. Pictured here is one group and their harvest.



The Holy Spirit 3rd Graders invited their pen pals for lunch: **Sister Mary Goergen, Sister Claren Sellner, and Sister Mary Margaret Dapporn.** The students showered their affections on these three lucky Sisters. They completed a craft project together and then ate pizza!



Attention to Details!

Sue Davis hosts a card-making class once a month for the Sisters residing at Assisi Heights. The Sisters' love this class.....see how intent they are in the photos below? The volunteers that helped with this class were Rosemary Van Houton and Jan Schmidt, along with her granddaughter, Ella.



Ella LOVES the Sisters!



Twins Celebrate Birthday - No, you aren't seeing double! Sister Avis Schons, and her twin sister Alice, celebrated their 80th birthday together on June 27 at Assisi Heights.



And Speaking of Twins....

Another season, another road trip to a MN Twins Game! (It sure looks like Sister Marisa is ready to go, or is that a new cap?!)



Assisi Heights Hosts Feathered and Furred Visitors

Pearl, the miniature horse, visited the Sisters on June 13. The Sisters truly enjoy the attention of such gentle creatures. (Check out her socks and tennis shoes!)



A Petting Zoo was set up at Assisi Heights on June 29. In addition to the Sisters, Assisi Heights' volunteers and staff brought their children and grandchildren to participate in this event.





MAYO Film Crew Donates Bench

On August 6, a film crew, actors and producers, arrived at Assisi Heights to spend the day shooting several scenes for an upcoming Mayo Heritage Film about Edith Graham Mayo. As a result, they donated one of their 'props' - a wooden bench. It is now located on the west side of the property, along the sidewalk between the Sisters' Entrance and the Chapel. You are encouraged to make use of it and enjoy the spectacular views!