



DISCOVER WHAT'S HAPPENING
**Maryville Retreat Center in Holly,
Michigan**
May 2026

From the Desk of the Director

As spring turns to summer over the next month, we look forward to the warm weather and new growth of plants, wildflowers and trees. The birds and geese are nurturing their young, and we trust in all the new life God has in store for us.

We have some wonderful offerings coming up: Time for Healing with Fr. Jason, Encountering God Through Art, and the start of our Summer Evenings at Maryville. We encourage everyone to bring their family and friends and gather with us for an evening of prayer, dinner, campfires and family-friendly games.

Spring and summer at Maryville are the perfect time for directed or self-directed retreats. It's a wonderful opportunity to pray the rosary along the lake trail or walk the outdoor Stations of the Cross while listening to the birds and enjoying God's creation.

Whatever form of spiritual renewal you're seeking over the coming months, we welcome you to come spend time with us and renew your spirit.



Blessings,
Nick Osantoski
Director, Maryville Retreat Center

Upcoming Programs and Events at Maryville

Explore the full schedule on our website or see what's coming up below. There's truly something for everyone this season at Maryville.

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Summer Evenings at Maryville
Tuesday, June 2, 30 and August 4
6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.

Join us as we celebrate the joy of the summer season. Enjoy a festive dinner, campfire, games and s'mores for a night that's perfect for the entire family.



Time for Healing

Tuesday, June 9

10 a.m.

Led by Father Jason Brooks of the Regnum Christi healing ministry, this event offers an inspirational talk, Adoration, Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament and a Healing Mass.



Encountering God Through Art

Friday, June 19 at 4:00 p.m. – Sunday, June 21 at 2:00 p.m.

Explore prayer through Scripture and creative reflection. Connect with God through art while exploring various mediums, including clay, ink and watercolors.



Faith and Family Under the Sky

Saturday, August 22

4:00 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.

Join families, parish communities, young adults and friends for a relaxed summer evening of outdoor Eucharist, fellowship and fun.



Mondays at Maryville

Open from 8:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Take a break from the busyness of life and embrace a peaceful day just for you.



Personalized Spiritual Direction

Sr. Judy Blizzard offers compassionate guidance for your spiritual journey—whether seeking discernment, healing or a listening presence.

Nourish Your Mind, Body and Spirit



The Quiet Courage of Wildflowers

This month's reflection finds spiritual wisdom in an unexpected place: the wildflowers along our trails.

Book a Private Retreat!



Plan Your Next Private Retreat At Maryville

Whether you are planning a personal retreat, group gathering, or spiritual experience, Maryville offers peaceful surroundings, comfortable accommodations and dedicated hospitality to support your time away.

For inquiries or to schedule a visit, please email us at Info@MaryvilleRetreatCenter.org or call [248-634-5566](tel:248-634-5566).

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