

SPRING/SUMMER 2015

So Many Things to Celebrate!



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Dear Friends:

This year marks the 30th anniversary of The Hermitage and, quite coincidentally, the 80th Birthday of our founder, Fr. Justin! We have so many things to be grateful for and want to celebrate this important milestone.

Inside, you will find an invitation to join us for a celebration we're planning in late Summer, (August 29th) and hope you can join us to commemorate, celebrate and collaborate on forging our success for another 30 years!

We are EXPANDING!

We are so grateful for receiving a generous grant which will allow us to transform and expand our meeting space here at the Hermitage. For many years we've had space which we desperately needed for increasing demands, and soon we will have a spacious and inviting new meeting room on the lower level.

As I mention in our last newsletter, printing and postage costs have become an ever increasing challenge to organizations such as ours, yet we have so much more we want to share with you beyond the limits of these four pages. For those who are "connected to the internet" we will be publishing an expanded version of this newsletter and mail it to all our friends.

Most importantly, "Save the Date" for August 29th. It promises to be a memorable and joyous evening with Fr. Justin and so many wonderful friends and supporters of The Hermitage!

Join our Legacy Garden!

If you have visited the beautiful grounds here at The Hermitage, you may have noticed we are blessed with majestic trees throughout our many acres. Over the years, many supporters have "claimed" a tree and asked that we memorialize a loved one on its trunk.



Every week, when our meditation group gathers, we lovingly image all those names who are placed throughout our grounds.

If you would like to remember someone special, we kindly ask a \$50.00 donation. Contact Lulu at 317-545-0742 or email: Lulu@HermitageIndy.org to reserve yours today!

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Come Celebrate with Us!



August 29, 2015

5:30 to 11:00 PM

Primo Banquet Center

2615 E. National Avenue

Indianapolis, IN

Join us as we celebrate the 30th Anniversary of The Hermitage AND the 80th birthday of Fr. Justin Belitz.

We want to gather friends and family to thank God for the many blessings we have received over these eventful many years, and to congratulate Fr. Justin to be with us 30 more! With your help, we hope to make this a fun filled evening with dancing, food and laughter. There will be a “special appearance” of an accordion playing Franciscan Friar, not to mention Polish polkas and delicious food and drink.

REGISTRATION MUST ARRIVE BY AUGUST 3

A donation of \$60.00 per person is requested . Please mail your registration and payment to The Hermitage, or if it's more convenient, give us a call (317-545-0742) and we can take your registration over the phone!

We have teamed up with “EventBrite” which allows you to register and submit payment from your computer! Just go to: HermitageIndy.eventbrite.com for a quick and easy signup. (There is a small nominal fee for this)

WEEKEND HIGHLIGHTS

Friday, Aug. 28: 7-9 PM Open House at the Hermitage (Coffee, Tea, Dessert)

Saturday, Aug 29: 5:30-7:30 Cash Bar and Reception, Silent Auction begins

7:00-8:30 Buffet Banquet

8:30-9:00 Fr. Justin remarks

9:00-11:00 Polka, Waltzes and More!

Help Make our Silent Auction the Best Ever!

Our Anniversary/ Birthday celebration will feature a Silent Auction. We hope to feature unique, valuable and memorable gifts which will help raise much needed funds to further the legacy of the Hermitage. If you have anything you'd like to donate, we would appreciate your generosity! It can be as simple as a gift card, a gift basket, a unique or antique item of some value, tickets to a cultural or sporting event, etc. Let your imagination go wild! Donations are needed to later than August 19th. (Call us at 317-545-0742 for more details.)

Liz Wilson and Susan Boatright are the chairs of this event during the celebration. Liz can be contacted at 317-428-8351 (Elizabeth.a.Wilson@wellsfargo.com) and Susan can be contacted at 317-507-2009 (seboatright@gmail.com)

Thank you!

Registration Form

Come Celebrate with US!

RSVP to our Celebration on August 29th!

Please return this form by **August 3**. You may also register by calling us at: 317-545-0742 or register online at: HermitageIndy.eventbrite.com

Name(s): _____

Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Credit Card: _____

Expiration: _____ 3 digit Security Code: _____

_____ Number in your party (\$60/person) I will be attending the Open House on Friday, Aug, 28 Yes No

I would also like to make a tax-deductible donation to The Hermitage to help continue its programs: Amount: _____

I cannot attend but would like to support someone who might otherwise be unable to attend: Amount: _____

Please send to : Lulu Kinnett, The Hermitage, 3650 E. 46th Street, Indianapolis, IN 46205



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Silva Coming to Omaha, Nebraska this Summer

Your mind is your greatest resource! Tapping into its unlimited potential can help you develop genius ability. The Silva Method of Meditation has been validated scientifically and teaches skills of physical and mental relaxation, coupled with visualization. With these tools, you can create positive results in your life.

Award-winning Silva instructor **Justin Belitz, OFM** will explain how this program can help you achieve goals, no matter how difficult they may seem. You can take control of your life by taking control of your mind!

Silva graduates the world over have found that amazing things happen when they meditate regularly using the Silva Method.

The Silva Life System Workshop :

The Silva Life System will be held Sat/Sun, July 18-19, 2015, with a free introductory lecture, Monday, July 13 at 7:30PM

Workshop Location: AmericInn Hotel and Suites, 9720 W. Dodge Road, Omaha, NB

Register now as this is a favorite and sure to fill up fast! Call Karen Marx (402) 672-2810 or email Karen at: kpazmarx@gmail.com