



Associate commitment ceremonies



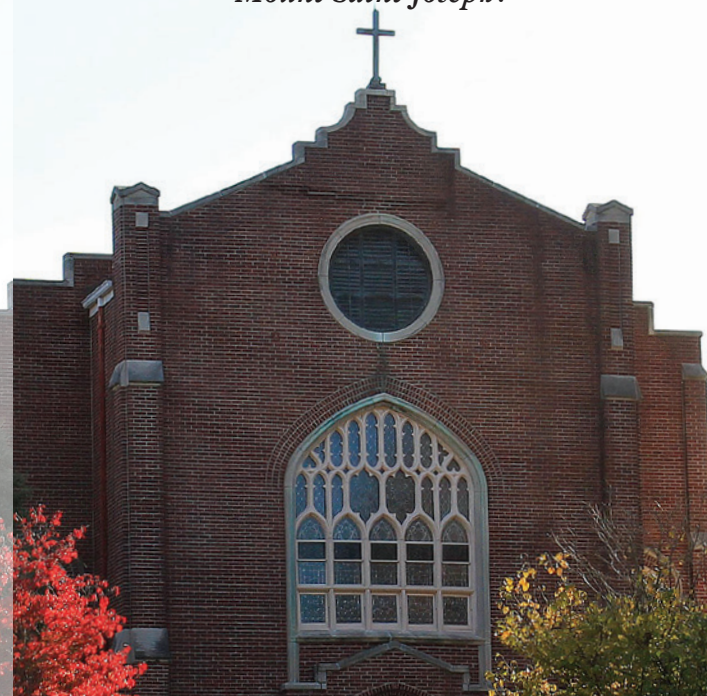
Associates and Sisters Day



Associate gatherings

Associate Mission Statement

We, the Associates of the Ursuline Sisters of Mount Saint Joseph, proclaim the Gospel of Jesus through the actions of our everyday lives. We commit ourselves to living the charism of Saint Angela in union with and in support of the Ursuline community of Mount Saint Joseph.



Join us on our journey!

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URSULINE ASSOCIATES

The Mount Saint Joseph Ursuline Associate relationship began in 1983. Today over 300 members reside throughout the United States as well as Chile and Nigeria.



Ursuline Sisters
of Mount Saint Joseph
Maple Mount, Kentucky

Who are Associates?

An Associate of the Ursuline Sisters of Mount Saint Joseph is an adult Christian woman or man who...

- wants to be affiliated with the mission and the spirit of the Ursuline community
- wants to share in the community's goals, ideals and challenges
- wishes to carry Gospel living – exemplified in the life of Saint Angela Merici, founder of the Ursulines – into her or his daily life.

What do they do?

Following a guided formation process, the new Associate is welcomed in a formal, public commitment to God in union with the Ursuline Sisters of Mount Saint Joseph.

Inspired by the history and mission of the Ursuline Sisters, Associates seek to deepen their spiritual lives and to serve the needs of others close to home and around the world.

Associates share prayer, celebration and hospitality with the Ursuline community, while spreading the spirit of Saint Angela in their workplace and environment.

How do they grow their faith?

Associates have opportunities for ongoing faith formation through:

- Reflective study and prayer
- Retreats and service activities
- Annual Associates and Sisters Day at Mount Saint Joseph (12 miles west of Owensboro, Ky.)
- Daily prayer requests are emailed to all who wish to receive them. Send prayer requests to associates.msjs@maplemount.org



Find out more at ursulinesmsj.org/associates

Associate Prayer

Loving God, let Saint Angela never cease commending us to your kindness. By always imitating her charity and prudence, may we come to a deeper understanding of the mission of Jesus. May we always reflect his presence in our lives. Amen.

