



Drop-in Programs at the Franciscan Spiritual Center

We always schedule some programs that are free, donation-based, or drop-in. Check often for current opportunities. If you're on our mailing list, you will receive notices of these events along with an opportunity to RSVP. Use these opportunities to build community and to support your spiritual practice.

Centering Prayer

Vicki Hess Smith of Contemplative Outreach of Portland facilitates a Centering Prayer group that meets in our offices on every second and fourth Wednesday of the month, from 9:30am – 11:30am.

Summer 2026 dates include:

Wed, June 10 ~ Wed, June 24 ~ Wed, July 8 ~ Wed, July 22 ~ Wed, Aug 12 ~ Wed, Aug 26

Location: Our offices, San Damiano room.

Begins: 9:30am.

Lectio Divina

Sister Celeste Clavel, OSF facilitates a Lectio Divina group that meets in our offices on every third Wednesday of the month, from 10am – 11:30am.

Summer 2026 dates include:

Wed, June 17 ~ Wed, July 15 ~ Wed, Aug 19

Location: Our offices, San Damiano room.

Begins: 10am.

First Friday Taize Service

To mark key moments together from the liturgical calendar, we gather for a First Friday evening of a simple supper, a Taize service, and (when space is available) a walking labyrinth. We meet between 6-8pm.

Upcoming dates include:

Fri, Dec 4, 2026 (Advent) ~ Fri, Feb 5, 2027 (Lent) ~ Fri, March 26, 2027 (Good Friday) ~ Fri, May 7, 2027 (Pentecost)

Location: Our offices, San Damiano room.

Begins: 6pm.

We hope to welcome you soon!
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