

Rotary This Week!



Utica, NY, USA

May 1, 2023

Rev. Carol and spiritual wellness

Rev. Carol Jubenville will bring a sense of spiritual wellness to this week's program on Thursday, May 4. The meeting starts at noon in the Mid-York Library System headquarters, 1600 Lincoln Ave., Utica.

A long-time advocate for the senior population, Carol has served as an executive director and Methodist pastor to senior housing. She has an extensive background in business administration, program development, grant-writing, capital campaigns, planned giving and public speaking. Her expertise in working with the elderly population has put her in demand as a consultant and guest pastor to many organizations who are striving to improve the quality of life for their senior population.

In 2019, Rev. Jubenville founded a consulting business, Divine Development and Leadership Group (DDLG), and is currently spearheading "a new and exciting ecumenical video series," The Journey -- Shepherding God's People. "This program is designed to reach those in their third chapter of life, home-bound or separated from their faith communities," she explains.

Each month, participants can download a video that includes up to 15 minutes of moments of worship, led by Rev. Jubenville and Father John Buehler, along with 3



bible studies. All are offered as a spiritual wellness program for providers, churches and individuals.

A retired Methodist pastor and graduate of Wesley Theological Seminary, Rev. Jubenville served as associate pastor of New Hartford United Methodist Church for 15 years, is a past chaplain to Utica Fire Department, and is a Paul Harris Fellow and former Rotarian.

Notre Dame students return this week

Isiah Sexton and **Maggie Trinkaus**, both juniors at Notre Dame High School, return for Thursday's program as part of the Outstanding Educators Program. It's Maggie's turn to address the club.

Maggie says that through NJROTC she was honored to be chosen to attend Leadership Academy and Sail Train-

ing in Newport, Rhode Island in the summer between her sophomore and junior years. She is captain of her varsity soccer, basketball, and softball teams, and also has been recognized as a Scholar Athlete.

She plans to study nursing in college and go on to become a pediatric nurse practitioner.

Deadline for next newsletter (5/8) is Sunday, May 7 at noon; submit to news@uticarotaryclub.org.

Editor Robert Stronach





Volunteer for the Rotary water station

Rotarian Drew DeBlasiis is charging the Rotary water station for the Boilermaker Road Race on Sunday, July 9. He is looking for volunteers to help hand out water to runners as they pass the Parkway Rec Center. Contact him at: ddeblasiis1@mtb.com or (315) 955-4628.

Also, volunteers are required to register with the Boilermaker. Below are instructions for registering.

Go to Boilermaker.com. Find and click on Volunteer. Scroll on page and find Returning Volunteer and click where indicated. You will be on RunSignUp.

Or click on the link below to go directly there.

<https://runsignup.com/Race/Volunteer/NY/Utica/Boilermaker>

Scroll down to find your committee (WS-Utica Rotary). Then click on Volunteer.

(If your committee is password protected, the password is: boilermaker)

If you have used RunSignUp in the past, sign in as a Registered User. If you are new to RunSignUp, fill out the New User form.

In both areas fill out all the information

Click on Continue and complete the information on the next page. Click Submit.

Your Coordinator will be notified that you have registered.

Calendar of Events

- 5/4 Program | Rev. Carol Jubenville
Noon | Mid-York Library
- 5/13 Service | Adopt-a-Highway Cleanup
9 am | Route 12 arterial
- 5/19 Board Meeting|
Noon | Greater Utica Chamber

RIP at 104

I just learned that long-time club member Martin Brown passed away a few days ago at age 104. Marty was an avid Rotary skier and made his final runs on the slopes at age 94!

-- Dave Jones

Adopt-a-Highway cleanup on arterial

The biannual Adopt-a-Highway Cleanup will be on Saturday, May 13, from 9 to 11 a.m. Our area is the east side of Route 12 (arterial) between Court Street and Burrstone Road. High-visibility vests and hard hats (required by the DOT) will be provided as well as grabbers. Please wear gloves and closed-toe shoes/boots.

We will meet at 9 a.m. in the McQuade & Bannigan parking lot by the railroad tracks, next to the arterial. The more people we have, the faster we can finish! To volunteer, please email PP Stephen Turnbull at stephen@t5insurance.com.



Club President Tina Pavlot didn't let vacationing in Sedona, Arizona stop her from being ever Rotary-minded, causing her to stop for this photo op last week.

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SERVICE ABOVE SELF *Gala*



- Red carpet
- LIVE music by Soul Injection
- Seated dinner on Stanley stage
- 1 hour of cocktail open bar



When:

Friday June 9th 6-10pm

Where:

The Stanley Theatre
259 Genesee Street
Utica, NY 13502



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- Seats 8

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