# **PITTSBURGH RELIGIOUS**

Promoting awareness of an invitation to discernment of religious life. Networking to build a culture of vocations.

## **CONVENT CRAWL REGISTRATION**

**Complete the following form and mail it to:** Sister Marlene Kline Sisters of St. Francis of the Neumann Communities 146 Hawthorne Road Pittsburgh, PA 15209

Or email your registration information to: prvc.info@gmail.com

#### Please register by

Summer Crawl: Monday, June 2, 2014 Fall Crawl: Monday, Oct. 6, 2014

NAME	AGE	
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# WHAT IS A CONVENT CRAWL?

A Convent Crawl is an opportunity for single women ages 18 - 40 to visit with Catholic sisters in their houses and convents. During this 24-hour experience you will:

- Discover firsthand how sisters' communities and ministries are making a positive impact in the world today.
- Join sisters for prayer.
- Get to know sisters and ask them questions.

# WHAT DOES IT COST?

It is absolutely free! We invite you to bring a bag of non-perishable food for those in need.

# WHERE DO WE START

Summer Crawl: Benedictine Sisters of Pittsburgh, 6 p.m. Fall Crawl: Sisters of Mercy of the Americas, 6 p.m. We will provide transportation to all locations.

## WHAT DO I NEED TO BRING?

An overnight bag, a curious spirit and an open heart.

## HOW DO I SIGN UP?

Email us at prvc.info@gmail.com or call 412.821.2200, ext. 430.



## WHO ARE CATHOLIC SISTERS?

Western Pennsylvania is home to 17 congregations of women religious. Catholic sisters come in different "brands." They belong to a variety of religious communities or orders that each take on the characteristics of their founders and their founding traditions. All share similarities as Catholic sisters, yet have differences based on their origins and development.

Catholic sisters serve in many different ways. They are teachers in schools, universities and other settings. They do health care ministries through direct patient care and in administrative roles. Some sisters pray around the clock for all of us. Others work in social service agencies or parishes, as campus ministers or counselors, or foreign missions. Many sisters have special devotion to reaching out to persons who are poor or underserved. They witness through service, prayer and presence

Catholic sisters are real people, too. They enjoy a good time, and they are generally characterized by happy spirits and peace of mind. They trust in the Lord and work wholeheartedly to serve God's people, especially those in need.

# WHAT IS THE PRVC?

The Pittsburgh Religious Vocation Council (PRVC) is a collaborative effort of various women's and men's religious communities in the Pittsburgh area.

For more information, visit: www.sites.google.com/site/prvcinfo





Curious about convents? Nebby about nuns?



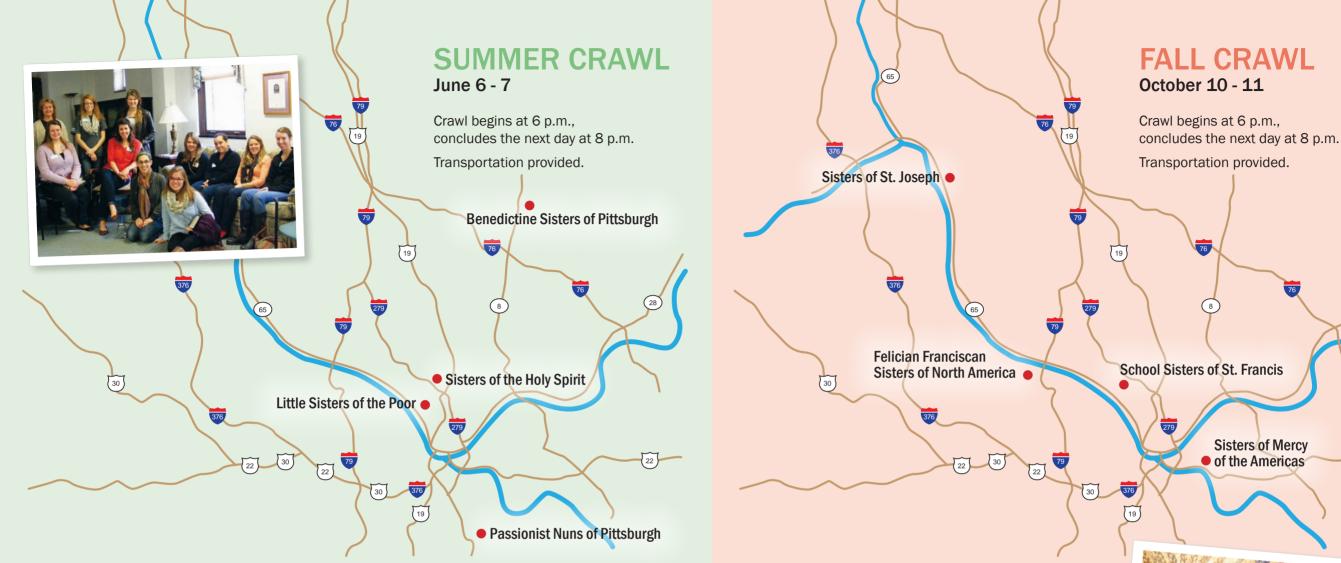
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2014 SUMMER CRAWL Friday, June 6 - Saturday, June 7

2014 FALL CRAWL Friday, Oct. 10 - Saturday, Oct. 11

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### **START**

**FINISH** 

- Benedictine Sisters of Pittsburgh 3526 Bakerstown Rd., Bakerstown, Pa. 15007
- Sisters of the Holy Spirit 5246 Clarwin Ave., Pittsburgh, Pa. 15229 overnight
- Little Sisters of the Poor 1028 Benton Ave., Pittsburgh, Pa. 15212 lunch and panel discussion
- Passionist Nuns of Pittsburgh 2715 Churchview Ave., Pittsburgh, Pa. 15227 dinner and panel discussion

#### **ENJOY A PANEL DISCUSSION WITH:**

Sisters of the Divine Redeemer Sisters of St. Francis of the Providence of God

Sisters of Charity of Seton Hill

Sisters of Mercy of the Americas



#### **START**

- Sisters of Mercy of the Americas Convent of Mercy 3333 Fifth Ave., Pittsburgh, Pa. 15213
- Felician Franciscan Sisters of North America 1500 Woodcrest Ave, Coraopolis, Pa. 15108 overnight
- School Sisters of St. Francis 934 Forest Ave., Bellevue, Pa. 15202 lunch and panel discussion
- Sisters of St. Joseph 1020 W. State St., Baden, Pa. 15005 dinner and panel discussion

FINISH



#### **ENJOY A PANEL DISCUSSION WITH:**

Sisters of Charity of Nazareth Sisters of St. Francis of the Neumann

Communities Sisters of the Holy Family of Nazareth

Sisters of Divine Providence