

MARIA
monday minutes
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Summer Semester at Maria

Summer is a great time to take a few classes to lighten your load for the upcoming 2019-20 academic year. It's not too late to register for classes! If you have already met with your advisor, you can register for courses on [MyMaria](#).

Monday Minutes will be taking a break over the summer months. If there are news or events items that you would like shared with the community during this time, please email communication@mariacollege.edu.

HAPPENING THIS WEEK

May 13 . Mass

Please join the Maria Community for Mass led by Fr. Mark Reamer at 10:30AM in Marian Hall, Fitzgerald Court. All are welcome.

May 13-17 . Bike2Work

Looking for a good reason to save on gas and get some exercise? Join the Maria College team for Bike2Work week. [Click here to register](#). Questions? Please contact [Mark Wahl](#).

May 16 . White Tea Ceremony

The Maria nursing students will participate in the White Tea pinning ceremony on Thursday at 3PM in the tent behind Marian Hall. [Learn more](#) about the historical and traditional significance of this event.

May 19 . Commencement

Congratulations Class of 2019! The Commencement Ceremony will take place at

the Empire State Plaza Convention Center in Albany. [Click here](#) for directions, a map of the plaza and for day-of instructions. We are honored to have [Marilyn Lacey, RSM](#), founder and executive director of Mercy Beyond Borders, as our keynote speaker.

MARIA NEWS



Tutoring Center Summer Hours

MAY 20 - AUG 9 | Mary Beth O'Brien Tutoring Center

Weekday Hours:

Monday-Thursday: 10AM-6PM

Friday: 10AM-1PM

College Weekend Hours:

JUN 1-2, 15-16, 29-30

JUL 13-14, 27-28

AUG 3-4

Saturday & Sunday: 10AM-4PM



May: Mental Health Awareness Month

Did you know that there is free and confidential counseling services available to Maria students? Our goal is to promote an emotionally healthy campus environment and community. Personal awareness and understanding are the first steps to improve our own mental health and for those we care about. Visit the [Counseling Services webpage](#) for resources available to you. Make an appointment by emailing counseling@mariacollege.edu or visiting us [online](#).



Be Safe: A Message from Health & Wellness

The Health and Wellness Committee would like to congratulate all graduates and remind you to be safe during this exciting season. Please exercise caution and do not get behind the wheel when impaired or in a car with an impaired driver. For any additional information about this message or a list of community resources, please email Jillian at jmertzlufft@mariacollege.edu.

UPCOMING EVENTS

MAY 31 . Women's Coffee Club

MAY 31, JUN 28, JUL 26, 10AM-11AM | McAuley 103B

The Women's Coffee Club will continue through the



summer on the last Friday for every month. Please join as we talk about topics related to the Sisters of Mercy critical concern of women. Coffee and tea are provided. Brought to you by the Mercy and Justice Committee.

SUPPORT SERVICES

Associate Dean of Students, Title IX Coordinator

[Andrew Ledoux](#)

Frank E. O'Brien, Jr. SSC

Walk-in Hours:

Thursday - 4:30PM-5:30PM

Counseling Services

Kim Noakes, MEd, MHC

Marian Hall, Rm 108

Tue-Thu: 10AM-6PM

Fri: 10AM-3PM

[Schedule an appointment](#)

Maria Market Food Pantry

Main Building Basement

No walk-in hours during

the summer. See staff

member in Frank E.

O'Brien, Jr. SSC for access.

Pastoral Care

Sr. Chris Connolly

Tuesday & Thursday

10AM-3PM

[Schedule an appointment](#)

Mary Beth O'Brien Tutoring Center

Mon-Thu: 10AM-6PM

Fri: 10AM-1PM

College Weekends: 10AM-4PM

[Register with WOnline](#)

Accessibility Services

Frank E. O'Brien, Jr.

Student Support

Center

[Schedule an appointment](#)



MERCY REFLECTION

"Put your whole confidence in God. He never will let you want necessities for yourself or children."

Letter to Angela Dunne, December 20, 1837

MISSION & VALUES

Maria is a Catholic college sponsored by the Sisters of

Mercy and animated by the Mercy charism. It provides career-relevant, opportunity education in the context of the Catholic Intellectual Tradition to all who can benefit from it. Maria is committed to outstanding and holistic student support services, financial sustainability, and the purposive use of evidence to drive institutional renewal and student success. Maria seeks to foster graduates who recognize and respect the dignity of every human person, and who will transform their knowledge and skills into caring and compassionate service to others.



Do you have an announcement to make, an event to promote, or a reminder for the Maria community? Use the Monday Minutes to have your message delivered by Monday morning.

[Click here to submit your news/events.](#)

