

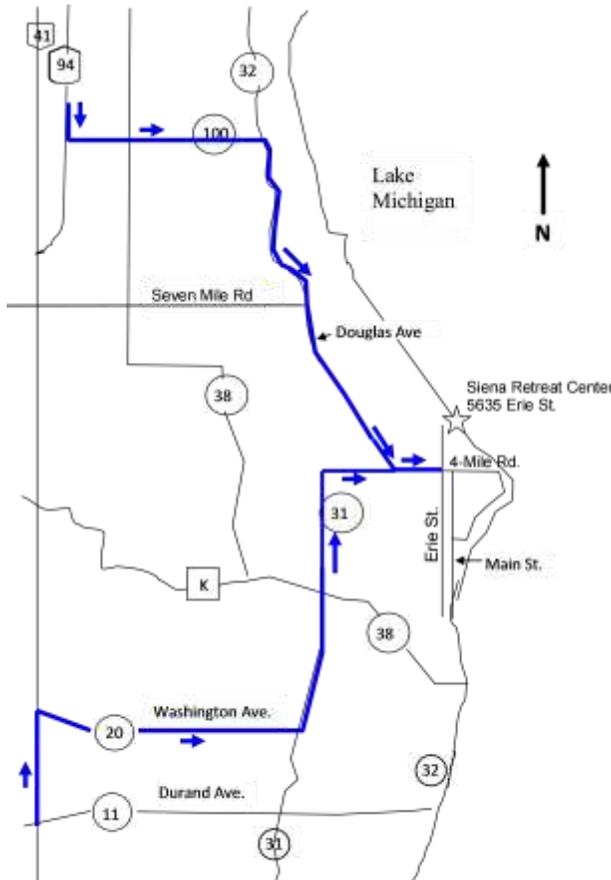
How I rush rush rush!
 Thoughts flutter and dart
 like birds.
 Slow down, thoughts.
 Come quietly with
 me,
 There is time to breathe
 and be.
 From Breathe and Be, Coombs



Common Yellowthroat

From Milwaukee Area:
 Exit I-94 at Hwy 100 (Ryan Road); LEFT on Hwy 100 to Hwy 32 (4.4 mi); RIGHT on Hwy 32 to Four Mile Road (6.5 mi. along Hwy 32); LEFT on Four Mile Road to Erie Street (1.1 mi). Turn LEFT on Erie Street to SIENA CENTER (0.7 mi). Driveway on right.

From Chicago Area:
 Exit I-94 at Hwy 20; RIGHT on Hwy 20 and continue east on Hwy 20; Hwy 20 becomes Washington Ave. Continue to Hwy 31 (about 5.5 mi); turn LEFT on Hwy 31. Continue to 4-Mile Rd (about 4.7 mi) and turn RIGHT on Four Mile Rd. Continue to Erie Street (2.6 mi) and turn LEFT on Erie Street to SIENA CENTER (0.7 mi). Driveway on right.



Bird Watching on the Siena Grounds & Eco-Spirituality

Saturday, May 4
 8:00-11:00am



5637 Erie Street
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Hairy Woodpecker

This morning of reflection—on and in nature—features bird-watching and reflections on eco-spirituality.

The month of May is an exciting time to watch birds. Our local birds, dressed in their fine breeding plumage and actively

singing, are joined by many migrants. Join us as we seek these colorful warblers, vireos, orioles, tanagers, hummingbirds, and many more species right on the Siena grounds. Bring binoculars if you have them and dress for the weather. Extra binoculars will be

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available to use if you need them.

During the reflection time, we will consider some aspects of Pope Francis' letter "On Care for Our Common Home" that we share with all creatures on this planet Earth. Our feathered friends, whether wild or domestic, are important reflections of God's creativity and loving care of all of creation.

Register by e-mailing retreats@racinedominicans.org or by calling 262-898-2590.

Advance registration not required but would be appreciated.

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Freewill offering accepted

Meet at Siena Retreat Center front lobby.



Rick Fare has been a Birder for over 35 years. A lifetime member of the Wisconsin Society for Ornithology and Bluebird Restoration Association of Wisconsin, Rick is the past president and current Education Chair for Hoy Audubon Society of Racine and Kenosha. In 2016, he received the Bronze Passenger Pigeon Award from the Wisconsin Society for Ornithology for outstanding contributions in promoting the field of ornithology.



Janet Weyker, OP, learned to love nature from growing up on a farm in Belgium, Wisconsin. Throughout her life as teacher, administrator, campus minister, pastoral associate, and most recently her work at the Racine Dominican Eco-Justice Center, nature has played an important part in her spirituality and ministry.



Baltimore Oriole



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