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ST. MARY-OF-THE-WOODS

Virtual, in-person Taizé prayer set for July 8

Join the Sisters of Providence of Providence of Saint Mary-of-the-Woods for song, quiet contemplation and inspiring readings during the ecumenical Taizé Prayer service from 7 to 8 p.m. July 8.

Persons of all faith traditions are invited to these prayer services, which take place on the second Tuesday of each month. The hour-long service includes prayer, beautiful music and time for silence and spoken and silent reflection.

Join us in person in the Church of the Immaculate Conception at Saint Mary-

of-the-Woods or find the livestream link at *Taize.SistersofProvidence.org*.

For more information, visit *Taize.SistersofProvidence.org* or call 812-535-2952.

Woods nursing program earns reaccreditation

Saint Mary-of-the-Woods College's graduate nursing program has been awarded a full 10-year reaccreditation by the Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education, the maximum term granted by the accrediting body.

This recognition follows a comprehensive on-site evaluation and affirms the program's excellence in preparing advanced practice

nurses.

The reaccreditation applies to both the Master of Science in Nursing and the Post-Master's Family Nurse Practitioner certificate programs. These offerings have been instrumental in addressing the growing demand for skilled, compassionate primary care providers since their launches in 2018 and 2019, respectively.

The CCNE is a nationally recognized accrediting agency, acknowledged by the U.S. Secretary of Education, that ensures the quality and integrity of nursing programs. Its rigorous standards evaluate areas such as program mission and governance, institutional support, curriculum design, teaching practices and student outcomes.