Greetings!

Welcome to the July 2018 edition of the Disability Services & Ministries E-Newsletter. Hope you are enjoying your summer!

Remember to check our [website](https://www.ccdocle.org) for more information and be sure to click on "News & Events" for more upcoming events. And don't forget to follow us on Facebook and Twitter.

**Welcome Scott Gossett**

Welcome to Scott Gossett, our new Program Administrator for Catholic Charities Disability Services. He is from Asheville, North Carolina, but has lived in the Cleveland area for 20+ years.

Scott has many years of experience working with persons with disabilities, but especially with kids who have autism. He has worked most recently with ESC of Cuyahoga County and for many years prior to that with the Achievement Centers.

We are excited to have him lead our current programs and help develop future programming and activities.

Scott just joined us full time on July 2nd so he has been spending most of his time at the Camp Happiness sites, getting to know the campers and staff.

If you'd like to reach out to welcome Scott to Catholic Charities, you can call him at 216-334-2963 or email him at jsgossett@ccdocle.org

Please note that Marilyn's new office number is 216-334-2962.

**DANCE THE NIGHT AWAY!!**

Summer Dance in Tremont! This Friday!!

**July 13, 2018**
Coordinator Special Religious Education

Employment & Training
Autumn Winfield, Director
(216) 391-4415 x21

Supported Employment
Tracee Ingram, Vocational Rehabilitation Coordinator
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Summit County
Tess Flannery
(330) 762-2961 x224

Headstart
Mary Baran

Services & Ministries

Continuing Adult Education Program

Monthly Dances

Beatitudes Program

Ministries for Persons who are D/deaf or Hard of Hearing

Ministries for Persons who are Blind or Visually Impaired

Ministries for Persons with Mental Illness

Community Respite

7-9pm / $3 at the door
2346 W. 14th St., Cleveland

Dancers, and any family/friends coming with you, must be age 16 and over. All dancers pay $3 - Staff/Caregivers are Free. Everyone gets a pop, a bag of chips AND two hours of entertainment! We also have a dance contest where you can win different prizes each month!

2018 Dance Dates: October 12; November 9; December 14. Click here to print a flyer.

Due to weather, there are times we have to cancel - for last minute updates call 216-334-2963 - we will change our voice mail; email Scott or check our website.

3rd Annual Sr. Corita Golf Outing

Fore!!!! The 3rd Annual Sr. Corita Golf Outing is almost here. The event will be held on Saturday July the 21st at Ridge Top Golf Course, 7441 Tower Rd, Medina, so you still have several days to dust off the ole clubs.

Check in and lunch start at 11:00 am sharp, with a Shot Gun Start at 12:30. Fat Cats in Tremont will provide the catering, so bring an appetite. Awards, raffles and an auction will follow dinner.

Cover charge for the event is $400 dollars for a foursome, $100 for a single and $35 per person for dinner only. Please make checks payable to St. Augustine Center (Memo Line: S.C.G.O.). Mail to the 3rd Annual Sr. Corita Golf Outing, PO Box 30534, Middleburg Heights, Ohio 44130.

If you have any questions please don’t hesitate to call or email Richard Slosar at 216 406-8184.

Sr Corita Golf Outing 2018 Flyer | 50-50 Tickets

Now back to the word "fore." Taken from the website Golf Weekly, the term dates back to 1878. Fore is short for the word "before" which is a synonym for "ahead." Golfers use this word when a bad shot has occurred and they want to send a warning to other golfers/spectators. So the next time you hear the word "Fore" look out, duck or get out of the way.

Camp Happiness Summer 2018

Only two weeks left - Camp Happiness is more than half way over. Where does the time go when you’re having fun? The zoo,
swimming, Lake Farmpark, bowling and more swimming to name a few, that's where.

Campers and staff are having a blast, lots of laughter, smiles and sunscreen. Everyone at our new Parma location has adjusted nicely and a big THANK YOU goes to Saint Frances de Sales as well as our returnee site, the Center for Pastoral Leadership in Wickliffe.

There were many new staff this year and they have all been learning more and more each day! We thank them, and the returning staff, for their hard work and dedication to the campers and to making sure they have a fun and safe summer!

Camp families please note, our annual Summer Field Day will be held on July 20th at Lincoln Park in Tremont from 9:30 -2:45. This year's theme is Christmas in July. Look for a flyer to be sent home with your camper and please RSVP at 216 334-2963 if you plan to attend. Hope to see you there.

For more pictures, check out our Facebook page!

2nd Annual
Camp Happiness Match Challenge - Extended

We have been asking for donations to the Camp Happiness Match Challenge for the last few months and we are so grateful for the $6,041.84 raised so far! What a beautiful show of generosity!

The idea of the Match Challenge is for us to raise $10,000 in order to receive an additional $10,000 from the Logsdon Family Foundation! We did it last year and I know we can do it again this year! We are just under $4,000 away. So we have extended the online Match Challenge through August! (or you can donate offline too by sending in a check)

Our fee for camp has gone up over the last couple years to $350/week and many of our camp families cannot afford to send their kids for more than a couple weeks.
Consider making a donation today to help more kids attend Camp Happiness this summer!! Donate and then share with your family and your friends!

Thank You to the Logsdon Family Foundation for once again challenging us to this $10,000 Match.

Donate Now

Saturday Program
Saturday Program begins Sept. 15!

The Continuing Adult Education Program - otherwise known as the Saturday Program - will begin on September 15, from 9:30am to 3:00pm.

The Saturday program is an educational and social program for adults with cognitive disabilities, ages 18 and over. Participants attend on Saturdays between September and May. A typical day includes time in the morning for talking and sharing; participants then attend classes in math, reading, current events and history; they break for lunch; and spend time in the afternoon creating art projects, exercising or working on the computer.

Other Saturdays we spend out in the community on field trips to local museums or restaurants or doing fun activities! Often we bring speakers in to discuss jobs, safety and health!

If this sounds like something you may be interested in, please get in touch with Scott Gossett to find out more. New participants are required to meet with us first to spend a couple hours at the program. This helps determine if the program is appropriate and if the participant wants to attend.

Cost if $88/month or $792 plus a one-time fee of $60/year. The Saturday program is Waiver Certified.

Sincerely,

Marilyn Scott & Scott Gossett
Catholic Charities Disability Services