

Spring 2013 A quarterly e-Newsletter from the Friends of Mercy Foundation

The Catherine McAuley Society

Members of the 2012/2013 Catherine McAuley Society met on April 4th for the second luncheon of the year. The ladies were presented with 3 different funding choices before voting to determine what their cumulative gift would fund. The project selected was for Patient and Family Centered Care Support. Patient and Family Centered Care is grounded in the philosophy that patients and their loved ones are recognized as part of the



healthcare team, not as outsiders as with traditional healthcare. The Catherine McAuley Society's generous gift will allow for the purchase of Sofa Sleepers and Sleeper Chairs to be placed throughout the patient rooms at both Mercy Downtown and Mercy Southwest Hospitals.

The members will gather in June for the final luncheon of the year. For more information about joining the Catherine McAuley Society, please **visit our website** or contact us at (661) 663-6700.

Additional Photos of the April luncheon are on the Friends of Mercy Facebook Page at:



Mercy Charity Golf Classic! June 14th at Stockdale Country Club

With the tournament a couple months away, planning for the 23rd Annual Mercy Charity Golf Classic is in full swing. The golf classic is the only special event from the Friends of Mercy Foundation and a



fantastic way to support the efforts of Mercy Downtown & Mercy Southwest Hospitals. We are thrilled to be moving the tournament to a Friday this year, but we will continue to feature player favorites including:

- A putting contest
- A "Throw a Club" hole
- BBQ with Board of Directors
- A few bloody mary & mimosa bars

- A "Pro for Hire" hole
- And much more!

Sign up today online or contact Erica Easton at (661) 663-6700 for more information about participating in this year's tournament.

The Legacy Circle at Mercy

The Legacy Circle at Mercy is the latest Annual Giving Club from the Friends of Mercy Foundation. This new special group is focused on the emerging leaders in our community who are interested in improving the health of our community - now and for future generations. We are currently inviting select individuals to be part of the charter year of the Legacy Circle. All members will be invited to three dinners during the year, which will feature "behind the scenes" tours and "hands-on" opportunities. At one of the dinners, members will be presented with a few projects and will vote on how to use their cumulative gift.



Visit our website for more information about joining the Legacy Circle or for information about other giving opportunities.

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