

2026-2027

Epiphany Sages Newsletter
May 2026

Mission Statement

Epiphany Sages is a ministry for senior members dedicated to support one another and the community through spiritual, social, and service activities

Core Team

Pat Bland, Chair (28)
Ellen Wells, Vice Chair (26)
Jim Bryant, Treasurer (28)
Betty Prater, Secretary (26)
Steve Jochim (27)
Sally Price (27)
Marcey Lesak (26)
Lucy Hagman (26)

Committee Chairs

Hospitality: Lucy Hagman, Marcey Lesak

Membership: Sally Price

Newsletter: Pat Trimble

Program: Ellen Wells

Social: Suzanne Mosley & Nancy Quarles

Spirituality: Steve Jochim

Sunshine: Pat Pearson

Core Team Meetings

The Wednesday before the General Membership meeting at 10:00 am in Area "E" of the Community Center. Any member is welcome to attend.

General Membership Meetings

All General Membership Meetings will be on the 3rd Sunday of the Month after the 11:30am liturgy in the Community Center

No meetings in June (Father's Day), and December (Sages Annual Christmas Party)

Next Core Team Meeting

May 13, 2026
10:00 a.m.



Sages

**PLEASE WEAR YOUR EPIPHANY NAME
BADGE TO THE GENERAL MEETINGS!**

Core Team Minutes

April 15, 2026

The meeting was called to order at 10:03 a.m. by Chair, Pat Bland. Steve Jochim opened the meeting with a prayer.

Members Present: Chair-Pat Bland, Vice Chair- Ellen Wells, Jim Bryant-Treasurer, Betty Prater-Secretary, Steve Jochim, Suzanne Mosley, Nancy Quarles, Sally Price, Lucy Hagman, Marcey Lesak, and Pat Pearson.

OFFICERS' REPORTS

Report from the Chair

Pat Bland reported that Ronnie Simms with the Health and Wellness Committee wants our help in designing a survey that would let them know what the needs and interests are for the Epiphany Sages when it comes to Health and Wellness. Teri Holland will begin a 30 minute balance and exercise class every Thursday at 9:30 am in the Community Center. The April speaker Dawn Mari McMillion, author of Love Beyond the Bucket List, will be introduced by Donna Williams. Tom Hayes is an authorized AARP Safe Driving Instructor, and is interested in providing a Sages sponsored safe driving class at Epiphany beginning 8/1 in the Community Center. Many insurance providers offer up to 40%

off to those having AARP drivers training. Pat also reported that Bill Foreman has requested the Sages plan a day trip to the Garden of Gethsemane at St. Patrick's in Maysville, KY which opens on May 12th, 2026. All present unanimously agreed to do this, and the time of the visit and the transportation options will be discussed

Secretary: Betty Prater

Betty Prater noted that the March newsletter was sent by Pat Trimble to Fr. Toan and been forwarded to all members with email addresses. Multiple copies had been printed and located in the Connector for those Sages that do not have email.

Treasurer: Jim Bryant

Jim Bryant provided a copy of the budget report for March 2026. This report was presented to the Core Team, and noted that the total Sages income in March was \$203.00, and the total expenses were \$243.32.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Hospitality: Lucy Hagman/Marcey Lesak

Lucy Hagman reported that a Spring Salad Lunch was being prepared for the April meeting.

The Sages are seeking help with Hospitality, from a new committee head to dishwashers and help setting and cleaning up after each meeting.

Programs: Ellen Wells

The May Sages Meeting will have Ms. Erin Ray from Chase Bank who will speak and advise the Sages of ways to avoid scams and attempts to fraud us. Lauren Just will speak to the Sages at the July 19th meeting, and she will entertain us with her story about setting

up the Persimmon Ridge Golf Course in Shelby County.

Social: Suzanne Mosley & Nancy Quarles

Suzanne and Nancy reported that a meeting will be held at the end of the May Sages Meeting to hand out luggage tags for the bus trip scheduled in June to Pigeon Forge.

Suzanne also reported that a tour of the Forum, including a lunch, is planned on Thursday, May 7th.

Membership: Sally Price

No report.

Sunshine: Pat Pearson

Two cards were sent out this past month.

Spiritual: Steve Jochim

Steve Jochim reported that Sages retreat is scheduled for October 3, 2026 from 9-12 in the Lighthouse. The retreat leader will be Agnes Kovacs from St. Meinrad School of Theology. She will be speaking about "Finding God in Daily Living."

Newsletter & Communication: Pat Trimble

Articles for the newsletter should be sent to Pat by the last week of the month. We need to ask our members if they are currently receiving their newsletter by email. If not, they will need to notify the Epiphany office to be placed on the list.

The Core Team Meeting was adjourned at 11:00 A.M.

SAVE THE DATE

May 7, Thursday, 12:00-1:30 pm	Forum Lunch & Tour
May 13, Wednesday, 10:00 am	Core Team Meeting
May 17, Sunday 12:45	May meeting
May 17, Sunday 2:00 pm	Bus Trip Meeting
Pigeon Forge Bus Trip	June 8-12, 2026
No Meeting in June due to Father's Day	

THE FORUM AT BROOKSIDE VISIT May 7, 2026

The Sages will be visiting the "*Forum at Brookside*" on **Thursday, May 7th, 12:00-1:30 pm**. The visit includes a delicious chef prepared lunch at 12:00. Following the lunch there will be a guided tour of the facility. **All Epiphany members** are invited to attend. Call Suzanne Mosley at 502-974-1820 to reserve a spot. It's not too early to plan ahead for your next move. Come join us for lunch and a tour.

PIGEON FORGE AND SMOKEY MOUNTAINS June 8-12, 2026

Important meeting for the bus people on **Sunday, May 17th**, following the Sages General Meeting. We will meet about 2:00 pm in the Community Center. We will be passing out name and luggage tags, also the itinerary. Please try to attend this important meeting.



Happy Birthday Sages (May)

05/05 Gould, Carmen
05/07 Schroering, Allen
05/09 Pearson, Pat
05/10 Elsasser, Virginia
05/11 Thibodeaux, Ollie
05/13 Jacobs, Mary Kaye
05/14 Zapata, Donna
05/20 Hall, Regina
05/20 Klose, Hans

05/21 Brennan, John
05/22 Korson, Pat
05/23 Barnett, Gary
05/23 Brennan, Marion
05/28 Johnson-Dean, Rosemary
05/28 Wagner, Alberta
05/29 Brown, Steve
05/30 Aulenbach, Nancy
05/30 Potter, Sharon



In Memoriam

Please remember
Bonnie Chreste
and her family in your prayers



THE FORUM AT
BROOKSIDE
SENIOR LIVING

The Forum at Brookside

Please Join us for a delicious chef prepared lunch!

Explore the possibilities of Senior Living to help you be prepared if anything shifts or changes in your world. Knowledge is power and will help you stay in control of your future.

Tours will be offered after lunch.

RSVP to Suzanne Mosley at 502-974-1820

Hosted By
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Thursday
May 7, 2026
12:00 - 1:30 PM

To learn more or arrange a personalized tour,
please call (502) 245-3048.



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