WELCOME WEEK 2020
Mark your calendar now and plan to participate in these fun, time-honored Marian University traditions.

FIRST Guiding Principles
We are committed to making your FIRST-Year experience amazing. Our Welcome Week activities help you prepare for a successful year and put the "U" in MU.

**Faith | Intellectual Curiosity | Relationships | Student Services | Track to Graduation**

SCHEDULE OF ACTIVITIES
FRIDAY, AUGUST 14

8 a.m.-4:30 p.m.  New Student Move-In
Clare Hall or Doyle Hall

8 a.m.-4:30 p.m.  ID & Parking Pass Stations
Dining Commons & Campus Safety
From 2:00 p.m.-4:30 p.m., you can pick up your student ID from the Dining Commons in Clare Hall. Any other time, please see Campus Safety in Norman Center to get your ID and a parking pass.

5-7:30 p.m.  Dinner
Dining Commons, Clare Hall

5-7:30 p.m.  Signing of the Matriculation Book
Dining Commons, Clare Hall
Stop by our table in the Dining Commons to sign the Marian University Matriculation Book, along with the entire incoming class.

6:30 p.m.  New Student Convocation
Virtual
You will be emailed a convocation link to your MU email at 6:30 p.m. or watch convocation on Facebook Live at 7 p.m.

7-8 p.m.  All Hall Meeting for New Residents of
Doyle Hall & Clare Hall
Residence Halls
Meet your area coordinator, resident assistant, and other students living in your community. Get information on resources, policies, and other things you need to know while living on campus. Required for residential students.

Masks are required at all events. Social distancing is encouraged. All students should take the Campus Shield COVID-19 self assessment before attending Welcome Week events. You may be asked to show your Campus Shield badge at any given time.
First Week of Classes

SATURDAY, AUGUST 15

11 a.m.  Yoga
Franciscan Heritage Fountain
Find your zen by the beautiful Franciscan Heritage Fountain. An experience for all skill levels. BYO yoga mat. A limited number of spaces will be available.

1 p.m.-4 p.m.  FIRST Day of Service and Leadership
Alumni Hall
Come serve your community! We’ll be making tie scarves for our neighbors in preparation for the winter and cards for the Sisters of St. Francis in Oldenburg, Indiana. Email Krista Chinchilla at kchinchilla@marian.edu if you have any questions.

4 p.m.  Scavenger Hunt with Orientation Leaders
Franciscan Heritage Fountain
Meet with your Orientation Leader and partake in a campus scavenger hunt.

5-7:30 p.m.  Dinner
Dining Commons, Clare Hall

5-7:30 p.m.  Signing of the Matriculation Book
Dining Commons, Clare Hall
Stop by our table in the Dining Commons to sign the Marian University Matriculation Book, along with the entire incoming class.

7-8 p.m.  All Hall Meeting for Upper Class Residential Students
Residence Halls
Join us for an outdoor screening of Onward. Required for residential students.

9 p.m.  Outdoor Movie: Onward
Amphitheater

SUNDAY, AUGUST 16

10 a.m.-2 p.m.  Brunch
Dining Commons, Clare Hall

2 p.m.  Find Your Classrooms
Franciscan Heritage Fountain
Orientation Leaders will help you find your classrooms so you can be prepared on the first day of class! Be sure to print out or have access to your schedule.

6 p.m.  Student-Athlete Convocation
Virtual
If you are a student athlete, you are required to attend this convocation, where you will get important information about academic and athletic success.

Link: https://mu.webex.com/mu/onstage/g.php?MTID=e848ed2798540c15f377f7497da4892dc
Password: 2020
Be sure to sign in with your MU email and have your first and last name displayed.

5-7:30 p.m.  Dinner
Dining Commons, Clare Hall

7 p.m.  Mass Before Class
Amphitheater
Please join us for our first liturgy of the semester. All are welcome!

8:30 p.m.  President's Ice Cream Social
Dining Commons, Clare Hall
Enjoy fellowship and frozen treats. Hosted by Campus Ministry Council.

Questions? Email jplumlee@marian.edu

MONDAY, AUGUST 17

FIRST DAY OF CLASSES

11 a.m.-1 p.m.  First Day Photos
Franciscan Heritage Fountain
Join us for a mini photoshoot to capture your first day back to school.
Join us while the entire IT team will provide technology guidance on a myriad of items including:
- Network/Wifi setup (including media keys/port activation
- Video game console/device setup and usage
- Office 365 usage (including email basics)
- Mobile printing
- Password management
- MU Hub usage and Spectrum U
The IT team will be giving away some Marian University swag, such as USB drives to the first 200 attendees, door prizes, and an iPad for the grand prize. Don't miss this great opportunity to get Connected!

**TUESDAY, AUGUST 18**

11 a.m.-1 p.m. **Unity Center Open House**

Stop by the Unity Center to learn about how the office serves the Marian University community and to learn about our cultural clubs on campus.

2-4 p.m. **Commuter Connection**

Enjoy an interactive panel consisting of current commuter students who will answer all of your questions and share how to get the most out of your experience at Marian University.

**WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 19**

12-1 p.m. **Meet The Exchange**

Find The Exchange’s table outside the Dining Commons, tell us about yourself, and be entered to win a Starbucks gift card!

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**THURSDAY, AUGUST 20**

8:30-10 a.m. **Design Thinking Interactive Workshop**

In this hands-on workshop you’ll learn:
- The nuts and bolts of Design Thinking and Human-Centered Design
- The business case for why top organizations around the world have been adopting it
- How you can incorporate this creative problem-solving approach into your work and life

1 p.m. **All Campus Mass**

Join us for the first all-campus Mass of the school year. No classes will be held at this time.

5 p.m. **Zumba**

Join us for outdoor Zumba led by MU faculty member, Anni Hein. All skill levels welcome! Rain out location is the Evans Center Atrium.

7-9 p.m. **Campus Ministry Big Event**

Hosted by the Office of Campus Ministry. The Big Event is an opportunity for all students to enjoy music, free t-shirts, and food truck treats.

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Sign up for service opportunities here! Check back regularly - we'll be updating opportunities weekly.

Stay tuned for more events during the first few weeks of classes!