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**The Joliet Franciscan Sisters  
and Associates**

**Get ready** for an exciting day featuring  
over 70 eco-conscious exhibits and vendors,  
earth-friendly activities, workshops, live demos,  
entertainment, local food and children's activities.

# BLUESTEM earth Festival 2016

May 21, 2016 | 10A.M. – 3P.M.  
**Free Admission**

University of St. Francis  
500 Wilcox Street, Joliet, IL

**Vendors & Exhibitors:** Heirloom Plants/Vegetables; Pastries;  
All Natural Farm Products; Fair Trade Crafts; Organic Foods; Beekeepers &  
Wildlife Rescue; Master Gardeners; All Natural Soaps

**NEW 2016** - Solar & Natural Energy; Upcycled Products, Green Building

**Children's Activities:** Face Painting, Blacksmith Demo & Activity,  
Visiting Owls, Recycled Crafts, Plant Pals, Vendor Activities

**NEW 2016** - "Educational Encounter with Exotic Animals"

Learn from professional handlers and pet/feed animals such as a sloth,  
hedgehog, giant sulcata tortoise, tarantula, macaw, baby lamb and more.

**Show Times: 11:30A.M. & 1:30P.M. (Show is 1 hour. Stay for the full hour or just stop in!)**

**Live Music:** Caravan of Thieves; The Running Fox Bluegrass Band

**Ice Cream Social:** (Free)

**Shredding/Collection Event:** On-site shredding from 10A.M – 1P.M.  
Residential materials only, no businesses. Lions Club will be collecting  
eyeglasses, hearing aids, pull tabs, used ink cartridges, keys, and cell phones.



*Sisters of St. Francis  
of Mary Immaculate*

