

**Orleans Travel Bureau With the Medina Sandstone Society presents:**

## **ST. PATRICK'S FRIARY & DECORATOR HOUSE TOUR**

**Thursday June 15, 2023 One-Day Bus Trip**



A towering 3 1/2 story Medina Sandstone masonry building in the Gothic Revival style. This building features a central entry pavilion which is topped with a tall hipped roof.

The building features random-coursed rock-faced stone walls with several narrow windows with prominent stone sills and headers. At one time, this monastery was part of a larger complex of buildings and served the adjacent St. Patrick's Roman Catholic Church, which was a typical basilica-type church.

Also on the property were school buildings and a hall, thought to be constructed circa 1891 by C.K. Porter and Son.

Day's Schedule of events:

8:15 am leave Ablion, NY Top's Grocery parking lot Rt. 31  
8:35 am Leave Medina, NY Tops' Grocery Parking lot Rt. 31A  
9:45 am Arrive St. Patrick's Friary (Franciscan Monastery),  
102 Seymore St.  
Buffalo NY, (716-856-5790)

10:00am - 12:00pm Escorted smaller tour groups  
**Sponsored by the JR League of Buffalo 2023 Decorator's Show House.**  
**Please! Enjoy the gardens and grounds while you wait!**

12:10 depart for lunch at the Pearl Street Grill, 76 Pearl St, Buffalo

12:30 lunch includes beverage (bar service is \$), cake rolls & butter, tax & tip

**Menu choice: Pot Roast with smashed potatoes and mushroom gravy**  
**Beer battered Fish Fry with Pub Fries & Tartar sauce**  
**Char-grilled chicken Breast on mixed greens with bacon, jack cheese & tomato**

1:45 depart for Alethea's Chocolate, 8301 Main St. Williamsville, NY

2:15 Shopping time!!! Tasting & tour of all Aletha's has to offer!!

3:30 Depart for home

4:15 Arrive Medina

4:40 Arrive Albion

**Cost \$100 per person...Sorry, no Credit Cards...Contact Mitzy at Orleans Travel 585-739-2788**