

If you own one  
of these - a  
Nativity Set (also  
called a creche) -  
JOIN US!



We are  
"Friends of the  
Creche"

[www.friendsofthecreche.org](http://www.friendsofthecreche.org)



#### Friends of the Creche:

- ◆ Publishes a quarterly magazine
- ◆ Has annual meetings and a biennial convention,
- ◆ Gives you a chance to meet other people who share your interest
- ◆ Publishes a list of permanent and seasonal exhibits of creches
- ◆ Lists publications of interest to all friends of the creche

You get all this as a  
member of Friends of  
the Creche!

Yes, please enroll me as a member of *Friends of the Creche*

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State/Province: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip code/Postal Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ email: \_\_\_\_\_

Check box if you do not wish to be listed in our directory

Membership year runs from January through December. Membership dues are \$35.00 (US) for postal addresses in the U.S.A. and \$40.00 (US) for postal addresses outside the U.S.A.

Make checks payable to *Friends of the Creche* and mail to: Friends of the Creche, Marilyn Gillespie,  
7564 S 2020 E, South Weber, UT 84405 Rates listed are valid through December 2016

## Annual Meeting – November 12, 2016

### Mepkin Abbey Creche Festival At Mepkin Abbey, Monck's Corner, South Carolina



#### Speakers:

**Rev. Gueric Heckel**, Monk of Mepkin Abbey,  
Founder and Director of the Mepkin Abbey Creche Festival

**Rev. Johann Roten**, Director of Research, Arts and Special Projects,  
University of Dayton, Dayton, Ohio

**Program:** The morning features the speakers, business meeting and lunch. Then we shall bus over to beautiful Mepkin Abbey. Cost of the meeting will include bus transportation to and from the Abbey.

Watch for further details in the Creche Herald.

Google Mepkin Abbey for more scenes of the Abbey.

## Friends of the Creche and the Creche Tradition

If you own just one Nativity Set, you are already a collector!

Friends of the Creche is a national group - linked to similar international groups - that treasures the creche and creche traditions.

Meet fellow collectors, learn about different nativity traditions, and share your interests.

Friends of the Creche is a nonsectarian, nonprofit organization for all those who collect, exhibit, study, create, or simply treasure Christmas Nativity scenes.

For further information visit our website at  
[www.friendsofthecreche.org](http://www.friendsofthecreche.org)

Join us today - one membership fee covers two family members at the same address!