

Rose Ferron Foundation of Rhode Island P. O. Box 3441 Woonsocket, Rhode Island 02895

PRESS RELEASE

Woonsocket, September 02, 2017 Rose Ferron Foundation of Rhode Island Presents –

You are cordially invited to the first "Little Rose Fundraiser," at Savini's Pomodoro Italian Kitchen & Bar with Hosts Mitch & Roger Savini, 476 Rathbun St., Woonsocket, RI 02895, on Saturday, October 28, 2017, 11am – 4pm.

The Rose Ferron Foundation of Rhode Island continues to honor Marie-Rose Ferron during this year of the 81st Anniversary of her death, a well-known, documented, bedridden Mystic, Stigmatist and Ecstatic of Woonsocket with a large U.S., Canada and International following. Many found consolation and healing through her prayers and sacrifices during her lifetime (1902-1936) and still find great comfort today by praying her Novena, being inspired by her piety and virtues, and visiting her Precious Blood Cemetery gravesite.

The event includes: A family style chicken dinner, viewing of the 1989 EWTN interview by Mother Angelica with Jeanne Savard Bonin, Canadian nurse, teacher and author of "A Stigmatist – Marie-Rose Ferron"; an informal talk on Little Rose by David P. Ethier, President, Rose Ferron Foundation of Rhode Island; testimonies by devotées of healings attributed to Little Rose; displays of her habit, clothing, 'mementos' and personal belongings; and, a visit to Precious Blood Cemetery gravesite. We will be doing the same as at least 1,000 people who visit her grave every year – experiencing tremendous solace and healings in their needs.

The proceeds are going towards a permanent home in Woonsocket for: 'The Chapel of Thorns,' (designed and built by her cousin, Rose Myette, under the direction of Little Rose); an extensive collection of Little Rose's 'mementos'; an office to greet visitors who stopover to the center; a book nook; a place for quiet reflection; to help Little Rose be better known and loved in Woonsocket, Rhode Island and in the world!

Tickets are \$25.00/per person available the first week of September at: Savini's Pomodoro Italian Kitchen & Bar, 476 Rathbun St., Woonsocket Timeless Antiques, 91 Main St., Woonsocket Scituate Chiropractic Center, 6 Village Plaza Way, North Scituate Burrillville Chiropractic Center, 1991 Victory Hwy., Glendale Carmella's Coiffures, 643 St Paul St., North Smithfield

If unable to attend, individual donations are gratefully accepted to support purchase of our new home. The Foundation is hoping for devotées from Rhode Island, Massachusetts, and Connecticut, the event offering a great opportunity to strengthen participation within wider community.

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