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“ADOPT-A-FLOWERBED”
Volunteers Needed

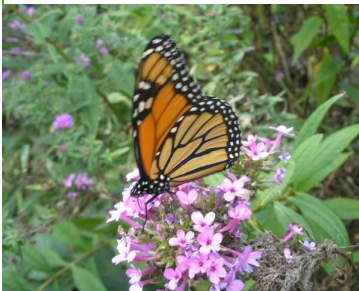


As thoughts turn to spring and warmer weather, consider participating in our **Adopt-a-Flowerbed** program. Perfect for volunteers of all ages, enjoy the fresh air while beautifying areas throughout Allentown. Plant flowers, water, weed, remove litter, pinch back spent blooms and lovingly maintain assigned flowerbeds.

In 2012 students of DeSales University undertook clean-up and planting activities at Allentown's **Fellowship East Park** located at 2nd & Hamilton Streets. Working with Edge of the Woods Native Plant Nursery, the park's flowerbeds now contain native plants to ensure the beauty of the park year-round, blooms from spring to fall as well as food and habitat for birds and butterflies.

Native plants such as Purple Coneflowers, Smooth Phlox, Small Brown-eyed Susans, aromatic Asters, Golden Groundsel, Northern Sea Oats, Prairie Dropseed, Red Chokeberry, Red-twig Dogwoods and Copper Iris were planted throughout the park. For additional color, ornamentals such as roses and yellow, purple and red Chrysanthemums were placed at park entranceways.

To sign-up contact us today!
Donations for purchase of flowers or bedding plants are welcome.



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