



**PLEASANT MANOR** RETIREMENT VILLAGE

**Preacher's Ponderings**

*Matthew 28:20 "And be sure of this: I am with you always, even to the end of the age."*

What an amazing promise, as we begin a new year together! No matter what trials we may face, we can be assured that Christ will never leave us!

He is with us every step of the way. God is faithful and God is in control! May you sense His strength and presence each day and may you find in Him your peace and courage to face each day's joys and challenges.

**Dietary's Dish**

I would like to say a big thank you to the Dietary team for the amazing job that they did on the Christmas Banquets! As we look forward to the New Year we hope to serve you well!! We have just completed our first cycle of the winter menu. If there are any comments or concerns with food items please let us know in the kitchen. We will be having a resident choice meal once a month, if you have any ideas please don't hesitate to tell us.



**Coming to Heritage Place!  
January 13<sup>th</sup> at 10am.**



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serving seniors with excellence, love and dignity

**Calendar Highlights**

- January 3<sup>rd</sup>** – Music with Mendelt
- January 5<sup>th</sup>** – Sing along with Irene and Friends
- January 6<sup>th</sup>** – Christmas Clean up
- January 13<sup>th</sup>** – Hands on Exotics
- January 14<sup>th</sup>** – Bus Trip – Tour of the Niagara Falls Lights
- January 20<sup>th</sup>** – Family Council – all family members of current residents are welcome to attend.



**Pleasant Manor Post**

January 2014

**From the Director's Desk**

If the last few weeks are any indication of a trend, it seems we are in for a snowy winter! I wish to acknowledge with gratitude the faithfulness of our staff during these times. Regardless of the weather, our staff brave the elements to get to Pleasant Manor so that food can be prepared and served, hallways can be cleaned, sidewalks can be cleared and personal care can be given. That dedication is clear evidence that our Pleasant Manor employees are committed to serving all of our tenants and residents with 'excellence, love and dignity'. With you, I appreciate their support.



**Enjoying Christmas Celebrations**

Those who gave thee a body, furnished it with weakness; but He who gave thee Soul, armed thee with resolution. Employ it, and thou art wise; be wise and thou art happy. *Akhenaton*

**Bonita's Bit**

The anticipation of the holidays has come and gone. Many festivities are behind us now. Each and every event was enjoyed by all who attended. A big thank you to the Recreation Department for all their creative efforts and time spent adding Christmas cheer and to the Dietary Department for the lovely meals that were made with love. We welcome the New Year with eager anticipation of all that will be in store. HP welcomed a new resident on Dec. 16th. Marie Southon is happy to be part of the HP family. We said goodbye to Lynda Edwards at the end of December. She has retired and will enjoy some months in the sunny south. We wish her well on her future endeavours. Wishing each and every one a blessed 2014!