



PLEASANT MANOR RETIREMENT VILLAGE

Preacher's Ponderings

Our study of Ephesians is complete. The weekly gathering was a great time to explore the unifying work of Jesus Christ and challenged us to rethink how we engage in this community. For our next study we will be doing a three week look at our Confession of Faith's

article on Work, Rest and Sabbath. Following that we will begin a longer series on the Book of Hebrews. Come explore the word of God with us as the more we are, the richer the experience. The 1 hr. study takes place Thursday afternoons at 2:00 PM.

Christmas Banquets for Tenants

We have decided to try something different this year for the Christmas Banquets. The dates will remain the same, Thursday, December 3rd and Tuesday, December 8th. The part that is changing is that both nights will be open to tenants in all buildings (Brookview, Creekview, Arborview, Oakview and Garden Court). You will have a choice as to which night you'd like to attend and you will need to sign up in the main office for one night or the other. Sign-up sheets will be in the office starting November 16th. Posters will also go up with more details on November 16th.

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Dietary's Dish

Here we are with the cold weather knocking at the door. We will be looking at switching our menu cycle to the Fall/Winter menu next month. I will be working with resident council and the dietitian to get everything in place. There will be a resident choice meal once a month, so please feel free to let us know what you would like to see showcased for these meals. You can let the kitchen staff know or use our comment cards. As always we love to hear any recommendations/changes and compliments towards our menus!!

Maintenance Muse

The leaves are falling and it's cooling down, winter is just around the corner. Maintenance is gearing up and getting our equipment ready for the winter season. Please consider the temperature and the time of year, as many mornings already have frost on the sidewalks and they could become slippery. The salt will be coming out and placed by all entrances this month, feel free to put salt down if you think it might be slippery. Have a good November and stay safe.

Calendar Highlights

- November 5th** – Memorial Service in Creekview Meeting Room.
- November 5th**– Remembrance Day Service with the Legion in OV Chapel
- November 11th** – Remembrance Day
- November 11th** - Deadline for Cash donations for Shoeboxes
- November 17th** – Packing Shoeboxes for Operation Christmas Child in HP
- November 23rd** – Silvert's Clothing in the CV Link
- November 24-25** – Decorating for Christmas
- November 28-** Auxiliary Christmas Bazaar



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From the Director's Desk

In a recent meeting with Tenant Council, we all agreed that the volunteers here are marvelous. A prime example is all around us as we enjoy the last days of our gardens for this year. So many of the annuals planted around the

grounds were donated, planted and lovingly tended by our tenant volunteers. Thanks to each and every one of you! For all of you who give of your time in any capacity here at Pleasant Manor, please know that we value your contribution!



Operation Christmas Child

Drop off your cash donations to the Therapeutic Recreation Department or the Main Office by **Wednesday, November 11, 2013.** We will be packing boxes on Tuesday, November 17 at 4:00pm. Help us send children all over the world a Christmas gift!

Gayle's Greeting

I am the new Convalescent Care Coordinator at Pleasant Manor, I'm enthusiastic about joining this team and I'm enjoying getting to know you all. Convalescent Care can be following a surgery or serious illness for those who may no longer need in-hospital care but are not ready to return home safely. We provide 24-hour care to people who require specific medical and therapeutic services in a supportive environment, it helps residents recover strength, energy and functioning before returning home. The Program has been running smoothly so far, we've had a total of 7 people admitted to Convalescent Care and two very successful discharges back to these residents' home. Also during this time of change, our Director of Care, Bonita Riehl is on a medical leave. Bonita is at home recuperating and doing well. I have been asked to be the Acting Director of Care until Bonita returns from her medical leave, which I happily accepted. So, on behalf of Bonita and myself I want to thank you for the visits to my office to relay your well wishes to Bonita and in welcoming me to my new role here at Pleasant Manor.