# **Resident Birthdays**



**Irene Cady Marion Schlipp Elaine Harrison Lorraine Lidstrom Kelly Weaver Dorothy Hunter Sharon Koch Gordon Hillstad** 

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### From the Desk of the Campus Director

Hello All! It's your Executive Director here with a few updates for the month. A friendly reminder if you have a vehicle yourself or if you have loved ones coming to visit that Winter Parking restrictions start November 1<sup>st</sup> – March 31<sup>st</sup>. There will be no parking on any city streets in Cambridge from 2am-7am. Failure to move your vehicle during those times will result in a \$20 ticket through the City.

I also want to take the time to talk about the Community Update Meetings. If you have never attended one of the community update meetings, I suggest that you come and check out what one is all about. This is a time for you to find out new updates and to talk about things that are going on in each department. The next resident meeting will be held on November 7<sup>th</sup> at 1 pm in the Cambridge Room.

Lastly, a little Fun Fact: Walker Methodist Levande will be open for 5 years on November 7<sup>th</sup> and Happy early Veterans Day to all our vets out there!

Sincerely,

Jaclyn Duren, LALD Executive Director



## **Event Photos**





Kathy with brother Merle (plays guitar in the band)









#### The Neighberz Band

















### **Event Photos**

Guatemala Show & Share with The Westfalls











Crafting with Becky











# Chaplain's Pen

#### Chaplain's Pen – November 2022

#### A Time for Reflecting, Healing, & Renewing

The past two and a half years have held much in the way of difficult situations. COVID, of course, has kept us all on our toes, and even beyond that, we have faced contentious political divides, civil unrest, and economic instability, in addition to the individual challenges life has dealt to us and our families.

Many of us feel as though we have survived these tumultuous years by the skin of our teeth, white-knuckling through anxiety, grief, confusion, and fear. But white-knuckling is no way to live, and there comes a time when we need to allow ourselves a space to acknowledge what we have been through and find the strength to move forward.

In that vein, I would like to highlight an upcoming service meant to offer us a space to do just that. On Thursday, November 3, 2022, at 11 am in the Cambridge Room, Chaplain Malcolm Anderson and I will offer a Service of Reflecting, Healing, and Renewing – a quiet, thoughtful time in which we can look back on the experience of the past few years, recognize the resilience that has kept us going until now and will help us move forward, and find the courage for what comes next. Chaplain Malcolm and I hope that you will join us for this time if you are able; we believe it will be a meaningful way to find our strength individually and as a community to move forward and face tomorrow together.

Rev. Erin Hurley Robinson, Staff Chaplain & Team Wellness Chaplain

# **From the Foundation**

If you have a team member you would like to recognize for excellent service, ask the concierge for a Partners in Excellence brochure. With a \$25 donation to the Foundation, your favorite team member will be honored at a team meeting with a pin, and invited to lunch with Scott Riddle. What a great way to say thank you! Money donated through the Partners in Excellence program stays within our community. See your Executive Director or Concierge for a brochure.



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### Months' Happenings & Special Events



Come for " A service of Reflecting, Healing and Renewing" with Chaplain Erin & Malcolm Anderson on Thursday, Nov. 3rd at 11AM in the Cam**bridge Room** 

Community Update Meeting: Monday, November 7th at 1:00 PM in the Cambridge Room

**Come for Creative Movement** with COMPAS artist Karla **Nweje Wednesday's** in the Cambridge Room 1:00-2:30PM **FINALE Wednesday, November** 9th!!



**Culinary Meeting:** Tues. November 8th at 1:00 PM In the Cambridge Room

**November Resident Birthday Party!** Wednesday, November 16th with entertainment by Les Blake In the Main Dining Room **Everyone is welcome!!** 

Come for Avent Devotionals with Chaplain Erin Wednesday's beginning November 30th at 2:15 in the Cambridge Room

