

100 YEARS OF SERVING THE COMMUNITY



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Dear Bethany Home Community,

As March arrives, I find myself eagerly anticipating the first signs of spring—milder weather, the first peeks of crocus flowers, and perhaps even a few early tulips. With the changing season, we also prepare to “spring ahead” into Daylight Saving Time on March 9th—don’t forget to set your clocks ahead before bed on March 8th!

March also brings an important opportunity to show our love and support for Sherry Buxton at her benefit event on March 9th from 1-4 p.m. here at Bethany Home. Sherry has been a dedicated member of our Bethany Home family for 43 years, and as she bravely battles stage 4 non-small cell lung cancer, we are coming together to lift her up. We are still accepting silent auction items, and we invite everyone to join us for an afternoon filled with music by Becky McMahon, delicious food, refreshing drinks, and great company.



This month, we also observe Ash Wednesday on March 5th, marking the beginning of Lent—a season of reflection, reconciliation, and devotion to God. Lent is a time to renew our faith, embrace acts of kindness, and seek spiritual growth. It reminds us to take pause and consider the ways we can strengthen our relationships with God and with each other.

And of course, March wouldn’t be complete without St. Patrick’s Day on March 17th! Whether you have Irish roots or simply enjoy a reason to celebrate, may the day bring you joy, laughter, and perhaps a little luck!

Wishing you all a wonderful month filled with hope, renewal, and community.

Warm Regards,
Sue Westmark, RN, BSN-LNHA
Administrator
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March 2025

Day	Event	Event	Event	Event	Event	Event		
Sunday	A Activity Room E Exercise Room Mol. Mollire Room HC1 2 nd Floor Nurses Station	Monday HC2 2 nd Floor Nurses Station 3L 3 rd Floor Lounge LL Lincoln Lounge FP Front Porch	Tuesday ST 2 nd floor Sun Terrace (Patio) FR Family Dining Room C Chapel ADR Apartment Dining Room	Wednesday *Activities subject to change.* Monday-Saturday	Thursday 	Friday	Saturday	
2	10:15 Mass C 2 nd Floor: 11:15 Bearbag Toss HC2 1:30 Sing Along A Apt. 9:30 Weststreaming with Westminister Presbyterian Mol. 11:00 Rosary C	3 10:00 Mass with Divine Word College C 2 nd Floor: 11:00 Music with Lou A 3:00 Bingo A Apt. 9:30 Exercise E 11:00 Young at Heart E 10:30 Nails and Tales 3FL 3:30 Rosary C	4 Popcorn Wagon 2 nd Floor: 11:00 Chair Exercise HC1 1:30 Rosary A 3:15 Kings Cake, Masks, and Beads, Oh My! A Apt. 9:30 Shopping at Walgreens 9:30 Exercise, E 10:30 Euchre 3FL 1:30 Bingo 3FL 3:30 Rosary C	5 2:00 Music with Ron Lubbers ADR 2 nd Floor: 11:30 Resident Council A Apt. 9:30 Exercise E 10:15 Mass C 11:00 Young at Heart E 1:30 Bible Study Mol. 3:30 Rosary C 3:30 Happy Hour LL Ash Wednesday	6  2 nd Floor: 11:00 Chair Exercise HC2 1:30 Crazy 8's A 3:15 Craft: Paper Shamrock A Apt. 9:30 Exercise E 10:30 Euchre 3FL 3:30 Rosary C	7 9 AM Shopping (Wal-Mart) 11:15 St. Lukes Fabulous Fridays Music and Sack Lunch 2 nd Floor: 11:00 Yantzee A 3:15 Root Beer Float Social A Apt: 9:30 Exercise E 10:15 Mass 11:00 Body & Soul Exercise E 1:30 Ice Cream Cart 1:30 Wii Bowling E 3:30 Rosary C	8 2:15 McNulty Irish Dancers ADR 2 nd Floor: 11:00 Balloon Ball HC1/2 Apt. 9:30 Exercise E 11:00 Rosary C 1:30 Movie 3FL	
9	10:15 Mass C Apt. 9:30 Weststreaming with Westminister Presbyterian Mol. 11:00 Rosary C 1:30 Worship with Arbor Oaks Bible Church C Daylight Saving Time Begins *Move clocks ahead 1 hour*	10 10:00 Mass with Divine Word College C 2 nd Floor: 11:00 Farkle A 3:00 Bingo A Apt. 9:30 Exercise E 11:00 Young at Heart E 12:00 Happy Jose Dine-In 3FL 3:30 Rosary C	11 Popcorn Wagon 2 nd Floor: 11:00 Chair Exercise HC1 1:30 Rosary A 3:15 Ice Cream Ball A Apt. 9:30 Exercise, E 10:30 Euchre 3FL 1:30 Bingo 3FL 3:30 Rosary C	12 2 nd Floor: 11:00 Right Left Center A 1:30 Chair Volleyball A 3:15 Horse Races A Apt. 9:30 Exercise E 10:15 Mass C 11:00 Young at Heart E 1:30 Bible Study Mol. 3:30 Rosary C	13 2 nd Floor: 11:00 Chair Exercise HC2 1:30 Pot of Gold Dice Game A 3:15 Cooking Demo: Leprechaun Bait A Apt. 9:30 Exercise E 10:30 Euchre 3FL 3:30 Rosary C	14 9 AM Shopping (Wal-Mart) 2 nd Floor: 11:00 Bunco A 1:30 Science Experiments A 3:15 Music with John A Apt: 9:30 Exercise E 10:15 Mass 11:00 Body & Soul Exercise E 1:30 Wii Bowling E 3:30 Rosary C	15 2 nd Floor: 11:00 Trivia and Jokes HC1 1:30 Music Bingo A Apt. 9:30 Exercise E 11:00 Rosary C 1:30 Movie 3FL	
16	10:15 Mass C 1:30 Worship w/ Westminister & First Presbyterian C 2 nd Floor: 11:15 Trivia and Jokes HC2 Apt. 9:30 Weststreaming with Westminister Presbyterian Mol. 11:00 Rosary C	17 10:00 Mass with Divine Word College C 2 nd Floor: 11:00 St. Patrick's Day Jokes and Riddles A Apt. 9:30 Exercise E 10:30 Nails and Tales 3FL 11:00 Young at Heart E 3:30 Rosary C	18 Popcorn Wagon 2 nd Floor: 11:00 Chair Exercise HC1 1:30 Rosary A 3:15 Cooking Demo: Lucky Brownies A Apt. 9:30 Exercise E 9:30 Farway/Dollar Tree 10:30 Euchre 3FL 1:30 Bingo 3FL 3:30 Rosary C	19 2 nd Floor: 11:00 Giant Kickball and Parachute A 1:30 Sevens A 3:00 Bingo A Apt. 9:30 Exercise E 10:15 Mass C 11:00 Young at Heart E 1:30 Bible Study Mol. 3:30 Rosary C	20 2 nd Floor: 11:00 Chair Exercise HC2 12:00 Happy Jose Dine-In 3FL Apt. 9:30 Exercise E 10:30 Euchre 3FL 3:30 Rosary C First Day of Spring	21 9 AM Shopping (Wal-Mart) 11:15 St. Lukes Fabulous Fridays Music and Sack Lunch 2 nd Floor: 11:00 Yantzee A 3:15 Birthday Party A Apt. 9:30 Exercise E 10:15 Mass 11:00 Body & Soul Exercise E 1:30 Ice Cream Cart 1:30 Wii Bowling E 3:30 Rosary C	22 Apt. 9:30 Exercise E 11:00 Rosary C 1:30 Movie 3FL	
23	10:15 Mass C Apt. 9:30 Weststreaming with Westminister Presbyterian Mol. 11:00 Rosary C	24 10:00 Mass with Divine Word College C 2 nd Floor: 11:00 Music with Janet ADR 11:00 Farkle A Apt. 9:30 Exercise E 11:00 Young at Heart E 11:00 Lunch at Carolines 3:30 Rosary C	25 Popcorn Wagon 2 nd Floor: 11:00 Chair Exercise HC1 1:30 Rosary A 3:00 Bingo A Apt. 9:30 Exercise, E 10:30 Euchre 3FL 1:30 Bingo 3FL 3:30 Rosary C	26 2 nd Floor: 11:00 Put & Take A 1:30 Basketball & Boss Toss A 3:15 Card Bingo A Apt. 9:30 Exercise E 10:15 Mass C 11:00 Young at Heart E 1:15 Divine Word College 1:30 Bible Study Mol. 3:30 Rosary C	27 2 nd Floor: 11:00 Chair Exercise HC2 1:30 Oreo Faas Testing A 3:15 Craft: Spring Door Hanger A Apt. 9:30 Exercise E 10:30 Euchre 3FL 3:30 Rosary C 6:30 Dollar Bingo	28 9 AM Shopping (Wal-Mart) 2:00 Music with Older and Bolder ADR 2 nd Floor: 11:00 Bunco A 3:15 Craft: Spring Door Hanger A Apt: 9:30 Exercise E 10:15 Mass 11:00 Body & Soul Exercise E 1:30 Wii Bowling E 3:30 Rosary C	29 2 nd Floor: 11:00 Noodle Ball HC1 1:30 Sing Along A Apt. 9:30 Exercise E 11:00 Rosary C 1:30 Movie 3FL	
30	10:15 Mass C 2 nd Floor: 11:15 Noodle Ball HC2 1:30 Toss Your Card A Apt. 9:30 Weststreaming with Westminister Presbyterian Mol. 11:00 Rosary C	31 10:00 Mass with Divine Word College C 2 nd Floor: 11:00 Farkle A 3:00 Bingo A Apt. 9:30 Exercise E 10:30 Nails and Tales 3FL 11:00 Young at Heart E 1:30 Resident Council Mol. 3:30 Rosary C						

MARCH RESIDENT BIRTHDAYS



Ernest Gutierrez - March 2
 Adelene Hefel - March 8
 Rita Hodge - March 9
 Cathy O'Hare - March 14
 Carol Hofmann - March 15
 Marilyn Blanchard - March 22
 Mary Theisen - March 22
 Chris Link - March 24
 Diana Frick - March 25
 Miriam White - March 25



**MARCH STAFF
EMPLOYMENT ANNIVERSARIES**

Ginger Weidemann - March 1 (4 years) ★★
 Jammie Hyde - March 22 (1 year) ★★
 Shannon Brimeyer - March 28 (18 years) ★★
 Christy Jackson - March 29 (2 years) ★★
 Joan Reinsbach - March 31 (22 years) ★★



**MARCH WEDDING
ANNIVERSARIES**



Mike and Vi Elliott - March 5

MARCH STAFF BIRTHDAYS



Kathy Payne - March 1
 Sherri Gansemer - March 2
 Alysia Kunkel - March 3
 Sue Westmark - March 7
 Issac Strong - March 10
 Erin Buxton - March 16



Joseph Byrne
 Rose Ryan
 Patricia Beebe
 Barbara Freiburger
 Marvin & Darlene Pearson
 Walter Pregler



Why did the leprechaun go outside?

To sit on his paddy-o

JOKE

OF THE MONTH

GIFT SHOP

We have cards, snacks, pop, and a few toiletry items for sale. Bethany Home apparel and koozies are also available. The receptionist would be happy to help you at any time if you would like to look or purchase anything.

Thank You

DONATIONS TO BETHANY:
 Key West Early Childhood Center for Valentine's cards for the residents

Laura Roussell for the puzzles

OUTINGS AND SPECIAL EVENTS

- March 4: 9:30 - Shopping at Walgreens (Apartment Residents)
- March 5: Ash Wednesday
- March 7: 11:15 - St. Luke's Fabulous Fridays Music and Sack Lunch
- March 8: 2:15 - McNulty Irish Dancers
- March 9: Move clocks ahead 1 hour
- March 9: Benefit for Sherry Buxton from 1-4 pm
- March 10: 12:00 - Dine-In: Happy Joe's (Apartment Residents)
- March 17: St. Patrick's Day
- March 18: 9:30 - Shopping at Fareway and Dollar Tree (Apartment Residents)
- March 20: First Day of Spring
- March 20: 12:00 - Dine-In: Happy Joe's (Healthcare Residents)
- March 21: 11:15 - St. Luke's Fabulous Fridays Music and Sack Lunch
- March 24: 11:00 - Lunch at Caroline's (Apartment Residents)
- March 26: 1:15 - Divine Word College (Apartment Residents)



The Care Conference helps the "care team" - everyone involved in the resident's care - share information and work together to design the Care Plan. Meetings are Thursday afternoons located in the Molitore Room on first floor beginning at 1 p.m. held in 20-minute sessions. Please contact Joan Hoerner at 563-556-5233 (ext. 213) to schedule a time to join in on the conference.

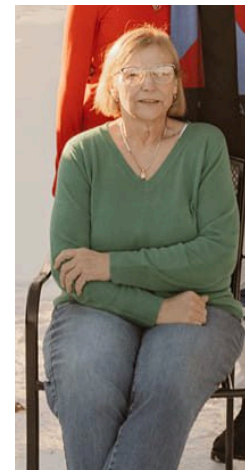
March 6
 238-M.C.
 242-C.A.
 FR-M.W.
 220-R.M.
 209-D.L.
 244-P.E.

March 13
 No Care Conference

March 20
 207-D.M.
 237-G.J.
 208-D.M.
 214-J.H.
 225-E.G.
 217-L.H.

March 27
 234-M.J.W.
 M-12-J.T.
 213-M.K.
 202-B.S.
 218-E.G.
 205-V.S.
 M-7-D.B.

HELP SUPPORT SHERRY BUXTON



Join us in celebrating and supporting Sherry Buxton, who has been a dedicated member of the Bethany Home family for 43 years as our bookkeeper. As Sherry bravely battles stage 4 non-small cell lung cancer, we are coming together to show our love and support for her and her family.

When: Sunday, March 9 from 1-4

Where: Bethany Home

What: Food, Drinks, Music, 50/50 Raffle, Silent Auction, Bake Sale. Will accept cash, Venmo, or check!

With Deepest Sympathy

**OUR SINCERE SYMPATHY TO THE
FAMILY AND FRIENDS OF:**

Mary Jo Trentz
 Marlene Kaiser

DONATIONS IN MEMORY OF:

Elizabeth Sushko in memory of Ethel Burns
 Sara Ellert-Beck in memory of Marnie Hayden