

# 100 YEARS OF SERVING THE COMMUNITY



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Dear Bethany Home Community,

I hope this message finds you all staying warm and safe in the midst of this chilly weather. While some may relish the snow and cold, I must admit, I'm eagerly awaiting the arrival of warmer days. With Groundhog Day just around the corner on February 2, we'll soon find out if spring is on the horizon, and I'm keeping my fingers crossed!

Speaking of spring, the official first day of this beautiful season is on March 19. It might seem far away now, but together, we can make it through these winter days and look forward to the blossoms of spring.

A quick reminder for our residents, please don't forget to bring your updated insurance cards into the front office. This helps us ensure that you have the best care possible.

And last but certainly not least, let's not forget that February brings us the warmth of Valentine's Day. A day to celebrate love and affection with those who matter most. Happy Valentine's Day in advance to all of you! We have some special events planned for our residents, and you're welcome to join in on the fun. Just keep an eye on our activities listed below and on our website.

Thank you for being part of our Bethany Home family. Stay safe, stay warm, and let's look forward to brighter and warmer days ahead.

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## February 2024

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<p>A Activity Room E Exercise Room Mol. Moltore Room HC1 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor Nurses Station HC2 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor Nurses Station C Chapel</p>	<p>3L 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor Lounge LL Lincoln Lounge FP Front Porch ADR Apartment Dining Room FR Family Dining Room Lib. Library ST 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor Sun Terrace (patio)</p>					
<p>4 <b>Apt.</b> 9:30 Lwestreaming with Westminster Presbyterian Mol. 10:15 Mass w/ Fr. Mescher C 11:00 Rosary C</p>	<p>5 <b>2<sup>nd</sup> Floor:</b> 9-10 Gift Shop Cart 11:00 Rosary A 3:00 Bingo A <b>Apt.9:30</b> Exercise E 10:30 Nails and Tales 3FL 11:00 Young at Heart E 1:00 Bridge 3FL 3:30 Rosary C</p>	<p>6 <b>2<sup>nd</sup> Floor:</b> 11:00 Chair Exercise HC1 11:00 Noodle Ball HC2 1:30 Giant Kickball A 3-15 Are You Smarter Than a 5<sup>th</sup> Grader Trivia A <b>Apt:</b> 9:30 Exercise E 9:30 Shopping at Walgreens 10:30 Euchre 3FL 3:30 Rosary C</p>	<p>7 <b>2<sup>nd</sup> Floor:</b> 11:00 Rosary A 1:30 Farkle A 3:15 Cooking Demo: Puppy Love Chow A <b>Apt:</b> 9:30 Exercise E 10:15 Mass C 11:00 Young at Heart E 2:30 Bingo ADR 3:30 Rosary C</p>	<p>8 <b>10:15 Mass with Fr. Mescher C</b> <b>2<sup>nd</sup> Floor:</b> 11:00 Fly Ball HC1 11:00 Chair Exercise HC2 1:30 Put and Take A 3:15 Craft: Valentine Door Decor. A <b>Apt:</b> 9:30 Exercise E 10:30 Euchre 3FL 1:30 Bridge 3FL 3:30 Rosary C 4:00 Happy Hour LL</p>	<p>9 9 AM Shopping (Wal-Mart) <b>2<sup>nd</sup> Floor:</b> 11:00 Resident Council A 1:30 The Uzzle Game A 3:15 Ice Cream Ball A <b>Apt:</b> 9:30 Exercise E 10:15 Mass C 11:00 Body &amp; Soul Exercise E 1:30 Will Bowling E 1:30 Ice Cream Cart 3:30 Rosary C <b>Groundhog Day</b></p>	<p>10 <b>2<sup>nd</sup> Floor:</b> 11:00 Trivia &amp; Jokes HC1 1:30 Sing Along A <b>Apt:</b> 9:30 Exercise E 11:00 Rosary C 1:30 Movie 3FL</p>
<p>11 <b>1:30 Worship with Arbor Oaks Bible Church C</b> <b>Apt.</b> 9:30 Lwestreaming with Westminster Presbyterian Mol. 10:15 Mass w/ Fr. Mescher C 11:00 Rosary C</p>	<p>12 <b>2<sup>nd</sup> Floor:</b> 9-10 Gift Shop Cart 11:00 Rosary A 3:00 Bingo A <b>Apt.9:30</b> Exercise E 11:00 Young at Heart E 1:00 Bridge 3FL 2:30 Worship with Ambassadors for Christ C 3:30 Rosary C</p>	<p>13 <b>2<sup>nd</sup> Floor:</b> 11:00 Chair Exercise HC1 11:00 Boss Toss HC2 1:30 Move &amp; Groove Mari Gras Game A 3:15 Kings Cake, Masks, and Beads, oh my!! A <b>Apt:</b> 9:30 Exercise E 10:30 Euchre 3FL 1:30 Kings Cake, Masks, and Beads, oh my!! LL 3:30 Rosary C <b>Fat Tuesday</b></p>	<p>14 <b>10:15 Mass w/Fr. Mescher C</b> <b>2<sup>nd</sup> Floor:</b> 1:30 Valentine Games A 3:15 Kissing Booth Valentine's Day Party A <b>Apt:</b> 9:30 Exercise E 10:15 Mass C 11:00 Young at Heart E 12:30-1:30 Kissing Booth LL 2:30 Bingo ADR 3:30 Rosary C <b>Ash Wednesday</b> <b>Valentine's Day</b></p>	<p>15 <b>2<sup>nd</sup> Floor:</b> 11:00 Boss Toss HC1 11:00 Chair Exercise HC2 1:30 Toss Your Card A 3:15 Science Experiments A <b>Apt:</b> 9:30 Exercise E 10:30 Euchre 3FL 1:30 Bridge 3FL 3:30 Rosary C 4:00 Happy Hour LL</p>	<p>16 9 AM Shopping (Wal-Mart) <b>11:15 Music and Sack Lunch at St. Lukes</b> <b>2<sup>nd</sup> Floor:</b> 11:00 Bunco A 3:15 Root Beer Float Social A <b>Apt:</b> 9:30 Exercise E 10:15 Mass C 11:00 Body &amp; Soul Exercise E 1:30 Will Bowling E 3:30 Rosary C</p>	<p>17 <b>2<sup>nd</sup> Floor:</b> 11:00 Trivia &amp; Jokes HC1 1:30 Music Bingo A <b>Apt.</b> 9:30 Exercise E 11:00 Rosary C 1:30 Movie 3FL</p>
<p>18 <b>1:30 Worship &amp; Communion with Westminster Presbyterian C</b> <b>Apt.</b> 9:30 Lwestreaming with Westminster Presbyterian Mol. 10:15 Mass w/ Fr. Mescher C 11:00 Rosary C</p>	<p>19 <b>2<sup>nd</sup> Floor:</b> 9-10 Gift Shop Cart 11:00 Rosary A 3:00 Bingo A <b>Apt.9:30</b> Exercise E 10:30 Nails and Tales 3FL 11:00 Young at Heart E 1:00 Bridge 3FL 1:30 Resident Council Mol. 3:30 Rosary C <b>President's Day</b></p>	<p>20 <b>2:00 Music with Becky ADR</b> <b>2<sup>nd</sup> Floor:</b> 11:00 Chair Exercise HC1 11:00 Ballon Ball HC2 <b>Apt:</b> 9:30 Exercise E 10:30 Euchre 3FL 1:30 Bible Study MOL. 3:30 Rosary C 6:30 Dollar Bingo 3FL <b>Popcorn Wagon</b></p>	<p>21 <b>2<sup>nd</sup> Floor:</b> 11:00 Chair Volleyball A 12:00 Happy Joes Dine-In A 1:30 Farkle A 3:15 Make Your Point A <b>Apt:</b> 9:30 Exercise E 10:15 Mass C 11:00 Young at Heart E 2:30 Bingo ADR 3:30 Rosary C <b>Ash Wednesday</b> <b>Valentine's Day</b></p>	<p>22 <b>10:15 Mass with Fr. Mescher C</b> <b>2<sup>nd</sup> Floor:</b> 11:00 Ballon Ball HC1 11:00 Chair Exercise HC2 1:30 Sevens A 3:15 Cooking Demo: Personal Fruit Pizza A <b>Apt:</b> 9:30 Exercise E 10:30 Euchre 3FL 1:30 Bridge 3FL 3:30 Rosary C 4:00 Happy Hour LL</p>	<p>23 9 AM Shopping (Wal-Mart) <b>2:00 Music with Older and Bolder ADR</b> <b>2<sup>nd</sup> Floor:</b> 11:00 Sing Along with Amy Dolan A <b>Apt:</b> 9:30 Exercise E 10:15 Mass C 11:00 Body &amp; Soul Exercise E 1:30 Will Bowling E 3:30 Rosary C</p>	<p>24 <b>2<sup>nd</sup> Floor:</b> 11:00 Trivia &amp; Jokes HC2 1:30 Card Bingo A <b>Apt.</b> 9:30 Exercise E 11:00 Rosary C 1:30 Movie 3FL</p>
<p>25 <b>1:30 Worship with Presbyterian Church C</b> <b>Apt.</b> 9:30 Lwestreaming with Westminster Presbyterian Mol. 10:15 Mass w/ Fr. Mescher C 11:00 Rosary C</p>	<p>26 <b>2:00 Music with Janet ADR</b> <b>2<sup>nd</sup> Floor:</b> 9-10 Gift Shop Cart 11:00 Rosary A <b>Apt.9:30</b> Exercise E 11:00 Young at Heart E 1:00 Bridge 3FL 3:30 Rosary C</p>	<p>27 <b>2<sup>nd</sup> Floor:</b> 11:00 Chair Exercise HC1 11:00 Beanbag Toss HC2 1:30 Giant Ring Toss A 3:00 Bingo A <b>Apt:</b> 9:30 Exercise E 10:30 Euchre 3FL 1:30 Bible Study MOL. 3:30 Rosary C <b>Popcorn Wagon</b></p>	<p>28 <b>2<sup>nd</sup> Floor:</b> 11:00 Sevens A 1:30 Farkle A 3:15 Birthday Party A <b>Apt:</b> 9:30 Exercise E 10:15 Mass C 11:00 Young at Heart E 2:30 Bingo ADR 3:30 Rosary C</p>	<p>29 <b>10:15 Mass with Fr. Mescher C</b> <b>2<sup>nd</sup> Floor:</b> 11:00 Beanbag Toss HC1 11:00 Chair Exercise HC2 1:30 Leap Day Craft A 3:15 Leap Frog Derby A <b>Apt:</b> 9:30 Exercise E 10:30 Euchre 3FL 1:30 Bridge 3FL 3:30 Rosary C 4:00 Happy Hour LL</p>	<p>*All participants are encouraged to wear a mask. * *Activities subject to change.*  *Mail Delivery* Monday-Saturday</p>	<p>1:1 Visits and Small Group activities will be done daily from 9-10:30 and 1:00-4:00. Activities include playing a variety of different card and dice games, doing arts and crafts, listening to virtual concerts, mass, and rosary, exercises, etc.</p>



**JANUARY RESIDENT BIRTHDAYS**

- Doris Hingtgen - February 14
- Bill Brittain - February 15
- Coke Schultz - February 16
- Kathy Mess - February 23
- Jeffrey Zimmerman - February 24
- Lois Nilles - February 26
- Marge Dolan - February 26



**JANUARY STAFF BIRTHDAYS**

- Pat Wernimont - February 3
- Jason Wilcox - February 5
- Vada Klinkhammer - February 6
- Ginger Weidemann - February 6
- Lexie Birch - February 7
- Molly Leisen - February 7
- Jennifer Ungs - February 11
- Preeti Chugh - February 14
- Missy Miller - February 17
- Nicole Middleman - February 18
- Heather White - February 22
- Jill Kirkpatrick - February 26
- Debra Jackson - February 27



**JANUARY STAFF EMPLOYMENT ANNIVERSARIES**

- Bobbi Jo Freiburger - February 2 (3 years)
- Arianna Fiedler - February 3 (2 years)
- Robyn St. Joan - February 6 (12 years)
- Sherri Gansemer - February 8 (2 years)
- Brianna Brillhart - February 9 (1 year)
- Tatiana Hedgman - February 10 (1 year)
- Beckie Atkinson - February 13 (21 years)
- Sierra Gaul - February 14 (4 years)
- Issac Strong - February 15 (1 year)
- Tina Kohl - February 20 (28 years)
- Carissa Downs - February 22 (3 years)
- Vada Klinkhammer - February 25 (4 years)
- Olivia Dryer - February 27 (7 years)
- Stephanie Lohberg - February 27 (1 year)
- Venessa Kimbriel - February 27 (1 year)



Help us welcome our newest resident!

Eileen Grutz **WELCOME**

THANK YOU TO THOSE WHO SUPPORTED BETHANY HOME DURING OUR CENTENNIAL YEAR!

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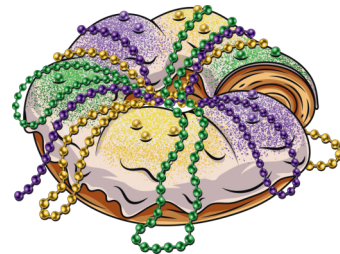
- Dennis & Ann Tressel
- Union-Hoermann Press
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- Marsha Wilfong
- Clement Wallerer

**HOLIDAYS AND SPECIAL PROGRAMMING**

February 2: Groundhog Day

February 6: 9:30 a.m. - Shopping at Walgreen's (Apartment Residents)

February 9: 12 p.m. - Happy Joe's Dine-In (Apartment Residents)



February 13: Fat Tuesday/Mardi Gras  
Come celebrate Fat Tuesday/Mardi Gras with us by enjoying the traditional New Orleans' Kings Cake! See Calendar for times and locations.

February 14: Ash Wednesday

Please note that we will be taking second floor residents to mass on this day instead of Thursday this week.



February 14: Valentine's Day

Kissing Booth! Come support the Alzheimer's Association and in return receive a kiss from Dana. See Calendar for times and locations.

February 16: 11:15 a.m. - Music and Sack Lunch at St. Lukes (All Residents)

February 19: Presidents Day

February 21: 12 p.m. - Happy Joe's Dine-In (Healthcare Residents)



**CARE CONFERENCE SCHEDULE**

February 1  
236-L.H.  
254-L.N.  
230-M.N.  
241-M.M.  
224-M.D.  
211-S.S.B.

February 8  
203-B.B.  
202-B.S.  
M-3-J.S.  
M-1-A.H.  
239-M.S.  
M-10-R.K.  
226-E.O.

February 15  
M-7-D.B.  
237-M.H.  
M-11-R.A.  
245-L.G.  
201-S.M.  
247-C.L.  
219-M.H.

February 22  
229-B.V.  
240-C.S.  
246-P.S.  
210-R.H.  
221-D.T.

February 29  
No Care Conference

**JOKE OF THE MONTH**

A woman was taking a nap on Valentine's Day afternoon. After she awoke, she told her husband, "I just dreamed that you gave me a gorgeous and expensive diamond necklace for Valentine's Day! What do you think it means?"

"You'll know tonight," he said.

That evening, her husband came home with a small package for her. Thrilled, she opened it and found a book titled "The Meaning of Dreams."

*With Deepest Sympathy*

Our Sincere Sympathy to the Family and Friends of:  
Gloria Hein & Charles "Chuck" Sieverding

Donations In Memory of:

- Norm & Gloria Hein from Marilyn Conklin
- Corrine Miller from Sandra Stepanek
- Nancy Wonderlich from Sharon Snitker