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### **Our Mission**

Through Christian love and excellence we are dedicated to providing a fulfilling lifestyle and promoting independence to those we serve.

### **Our Vision**

A world where all people thrive and live with purpose.

### **Our Values**

We believe in the immeasurable value of every person. Empowered by Christ's love. we joyfully serve with humility, integrity, compassion, and respect.

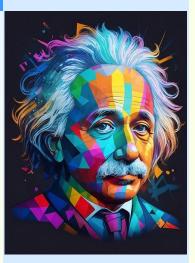
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# March 2024

### Note From Carrie

Director of Resident Services, Carrie Brindley

Spring is in the air and that means the beginning of Spring Training. Major League Baseball teams from across the nation are training for the upcoming season and evaluating the talent of the players with the hope of assembling a roster capable of success. For baseball fans it is the time of year with endless possibilities. Can my team win it all? Is this our year? If professional baseball can teach us anything it is that there is no shortcut to immediate success. It takes hard work, commitment, talent, and teamwork. The teams that work the hardest, have a commitment to being the best, have the talent to achieve their objectives, and who work together and support each other are the teams that win championships. We have spent the last several years assembling our team at Fellowship Square and what a team it is! We work hard, we are committed to achieving success, we are talented professionals who are always striving to get better, and we function as a team. Our "All Star" team is comprised of seasoned professionals who know what it takes to be successful. In an era in sports where the elite players are commanding annual salaries of \$30 million and it seems to be more of a business than a children's game played by grown men and women, we can take comfort in knowing that there are still committed professionals that do what they love not for the accolades and awards, but because they are provided with a daily opportunity to make a difference in the lives of others. Professional athletes are idolized by many, but the real heroes are those who work hard and who choose to do so in service to others. These individuals are ones who make Fellowship Square Surprise a home. Well, this is our year. We have the talent on our roster and we are training for success. Can we win it all ... you bet ... but only if we work hard, are committed to each other, and work together to achieve our objective. Play ball!!!

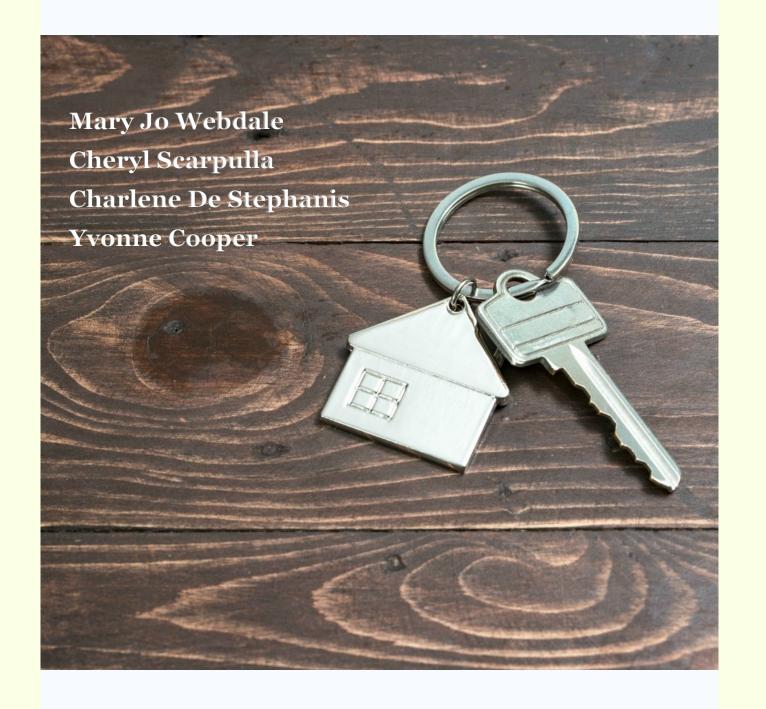


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"I am enough of an artist to draw freely upon my imagination. Imagination is more important than knowledge. Knowledge is limited. Imagination encircles the world."

~ Albert Einstein

### New Residents Welcome Home ~ We're So Glad You're Here!



## Special Events in March

 $3/1 \sim$  Activity Chat with Barb  $3/1 \sim$  Entertainment Hour with Tim Hern 3/4, 3/11, 3/18, 3/25 ~ Ladderball 3/4 ~ *New!* Brain Games 3/5, 3/19 ~ Line Dancing 3/5, 3/7, 3/12, 3/14, 3/19, 3/21~ *New!* Knowledge Café'-Lost Art 3/6, 3/13, 3.20, 3/27 ~ Griefshare with Chaplain Dan 3/6 ~ Entertainment Hour with Trumpeter, Dan Reed & Pianist, Jim Whitaker  $3/7 \sim$  Southwest Mobility Walker/Wheelchair Service  $3/7 \sim$  1st Floor Block Party  $3/7 \sim$  New Resident Mixer & Orientation 3/7, 3/14, 3/21, 3/28 ~ New! Arthritis Ability Class 3/8 ~ Reception for Floyd Ellison's Sixty Years of Ordained & Music Ministry  $3/8 \sim \text{Outing-PopStroke}$ 3/8 ~ Trivia Ťime  $3/11 \sim$  Price is Right 3/12 ~ Earrings for You 3/12 ~ Meet & Greet with Heavenly Soles Podiatry  $3/13 \sim$  Mary Kay Cosmetics  $3/13 \sim Courtyard Croquet$ 3/13 ~ Humana Insurance Benefits Seminar  $3/13 \sim$  Stroke of Genius Happy Hour 3/14 ~ Resident Artisan Craft Sale 3/15 ~ Women's Bible Study Resumes-Finding Your Promised Land 3/14,  $3/28 \sim$  Art in Action with Liz Bercovich 3/14 ~ 2nd Floor Block Party 3/14 ~ Pi Party Bingo 3/15 ~ Outing-Desert Diamond Casino 3/15 ~ Reminiscing Today About Back in the Day 3/18 ~ Digital Sound Solutions: Hearing Aide Cleaning  $3/18 \sim$  Avon with Michelle 3/18 ~ Concert with Women's Chorale, Sonoran Sounds 3/19 ~ Voting Transportation—Surprise City Hall Only  $3/22 \sim$  Hole in One Challenge  $3/20 \sim$  Entertainment Hour with Cimarron Sidekicks 3/21 ~ 3rd Floor Block Party  $3/21 \sim$  Resident Meeting with Carrie 3/22 ~ R.O.M.E.O. Outing-Buffalo Wild Wings 3/22 ~ Birdie Brigade Badminton Challenge 3/25 ~ Horse Races 3/26 ~ New! Family Feud  $3/26 \sim$  Nutrition as We Age with Edith from Functional Pathways  $3/27 \sim$  March Birthday Celebration  $3/27 \sim$  Entertainment Hour with T.A. Burrows  $3/28 \sim$  Snap Jewelry with Ilene 3/28 ~ Baseball Challenge 3/29 ~ Good Friday Service 3/29 ~ Brain-Boosting Smoothie Bar 3/29 ~ Jeopardy Trivia

### Chaplain Chats ~ Campus Chaplain, Dan Brookey

Testimony. A word we typically associate with judicial circumstances and court cases. In fact, when I looked up the word testimony in the Dictionary of Jesus and the Gospels it directed me to the term witness. A witness is a person who knows the truth and can testify before a court of law, declaring what has been seen or heard. The definition continues by saying the witness theme occupies a place of considerable importance in the Bible. Witnesses throughout the Bible can certify facts. Unfortunately, they can also prove to be false or malicious witnesses; these are frequently condemned in biblical literature. The Gospels speak of witness as themes of testimony and confession. In the Fourth Gospel, witness is a central theme. Within the book of John there are several witnesses that capture the essence of Jesus Christ as Lord and Savior. These include John the Baptist, the disciples, the Scriptures, the mighty works of Christ, and the Father. All offer testimony on behalf of Christ. This evidence, unfortunately, fails to convince opponents unless it is accompanied by the inward witness of the Holy Spirit. When the Holy Spirit comes, he drives home the truth. The last day of this month is Easter. Within the Easter narrative lies all the thoughts, people, places and circumstances of Jesus as the risen savior. Proverbs 12:17a "A truthful witness gives honest testimony." Through the Holy Spirit we have the assurance of the gift of everlasting life. We know that Jesus' life, death, burial, resurrection, and ascension affords this union and sacred reunion with Christ in his second coming. Until then, we are reminded of John's words in 1 John 5:9-13 which speaks of our faith in Jesus as the Son of God. "We accept human testimony, but God's testimony is greater because it is the testimony of God, which he has given about his Son. Whoever believes in the Son of God accepts this testimony. Whoever does not believe God has made him out to be a liar, because they have not believed the testimony God has given about his Son. And this is the testimony: God has given us eternal life, and this life is in his Son. Whoever has the Son has life; whoever does not have the Son of God does not have life. I write these things to you who believe in the name of the Son of God so that you may know that you have eternal life." Praise God! This Easter, our testimony, by the leading of the Holy Spirit, should be to witness of the love of God and His sacrifice on the cross for the remission of sin and the gift of everlasting life. May you have a Happy Easter.

~Chaplain Dan

## Look Who's Having a Birthday!

**Marty Oldham** 3/1 **RoseMarie Ísbell** 3/2 **James Mahurin** 3/3 **Shirley Valdez** 3/5 Vicky Nolte 3/6 **Bob Martinez** 3/7**Louise Shauver** 3/10 **Charlie Toon** 3/11 **Doris Stevenson** 3/12 **Chuck Gaspadarek** 3/13 **Connie Forrest** 3/14 **Nora Bires** 3/16 **Anna Mae Graham** 3/16 **Katrina Crawford** 3/16 **Paul Trostel** 3/17 **Barbara Edmonson** 3/17 **June Roszel** 3/21 **Cari Riggle** 3/23**Al Tyson** 3/24 **Evilee Meacham** 3/24 **John Sparks** 3/24 **Sandy Selby** 3/25 **Leone Walters** 3/25 **Neal Pierce** 3/25 **Charlene De Stephanis** 3/26 **Fred Koerwitz** 3/26 **Floyd Ellison** 3/28 **Phyllis Wiley** 3/28**Kirby Baden** 3/29 John Di Girolamo 3/29 **Raoul Molinar** 3/30 **Margaret Jones** 3/31



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