

## Luther Manor Continuing Precautions Related to COVID-19 September 25, 2020 4:22 pm

Good Evening from Luther Manor. The safety of our residents and staff remain our top priority and we will continue with our protocols, precautions and daily screening of staff and all Health Care Center and Assisted Living Residents. All visitor restrictions remain in place. This now includes outside visits only added for our Courtyard residents (by appointment only). Outside visits for our Health Care Center Residents begin on Monday, October 5th.

Thank you for your support, partnerships and commitment to our residents and staff as the pandemic continues to evolve. Please continue to connect with your loved ones as often as you can. Don't forget our Sharing God's Love team is here to help! Just email <a href="mailto:SharingGodsLove@LutherManor.org">SharingGodsLove@LutherManor.org</a> to get started.

## **Shout Outs of Thanks!**

• Thank you to Mimi Tugaoen from Honolulu, Hawaii, by means of Arvada, CO! Your letters were wonderful, poetry touching and stories captivating! We talk a lot with our staff about smiling through our eyes, since wearing a mask started months ago and with this we could see the enjoyment in our residents' eyes as we went through your letters with them. Thank you, we know those took a lot of time and energy to put together!

## **Campus Happenings**

• As we scheduled our first round of "Safer Visits" for our Assisted Living - Courtyards and River Oaks residents we had some timing conflicts that moved a handful of Courtyard visits up this week. As you can imagine they were a bit emotional, yet it was so great to see the reunions. As we continue with these please remember the protocols and attestations that need to be signed by all visitors. These are essential for us to do the best we can to keep COVID out of Luther Manor. Also remember space and times are limited to ensure adequate cleaning, so please do not try to schedule your second or third visit until all the residents are able to experience their first visits.

Personalized care plans including the outside visits for our Health Care Center residents are being created by our Social Workers this coming week. Our Health Care Center Life Enrichment Coordinator, Kathy Jastromski will be the scheduler for these resident visits. If you do not know how to get ahold of Kathy to arrange your visit, please let me know and I will connect you. As we mentioned previously, inside visits will be held at a later date.

Remember if a case of COVID occurs, we'll have to stop the visits per CMS quidelines until the health department clears us to reopen.



Thank you once again for partnering with us for your loved one's care needs, your understanding and for remembering that we're all in this together.

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