



Luther Manor Weekly Happenings and Updates

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Campus Updates

- Following up regarding the notification yesterday that two of our staff members tested positive for COVID-19, all staff and residents who were in close contact with these individuals were tested and the results are **NEGATIVE**. One remaining staff member is being tested today and all affected staff and residents will be retested on Monday, 12/6. Residents will be monitored for symptoms for the next two weeks.
- Many of our residents were able to go out and about to enjoy family Thanksgiving gatherings last week. We have many of our residents that either could not or decided to join their neighbor families for a second family meal. Below, our Terrace Independent Living Residents are seen enjoying a Thanksgiving feast in our Park Terrace Dining Room:)



- With the Christmas holidays approaching, what we experience as joy in the birth of Jesus can also be a time of sadness for those who are experiencing a change in their own health or the recent passing of a loved one. To bring some additional cheer to all and a decorative touch to our grounds, Terrace residents are



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participating in a Patio and Window Christmas Spirit Decorating contest! If you are supporting a loved one, offer to decorate together. Reminder if your loved one lives in the Health Care Center, extension cords and patch cords are not allowed, per CMS guidelines.

I was lucky enough to help decorate a couple of our common area trees last week and recruited a few residents as they were walking by. It was great to chat about beloved traditions with our residents' families. If you get a chance to start a new decorating tradition, I have a feeling you will get just as much out of it as your loved ones!



- **IT'S NOT TOO LATE TO CONTRIBUTION TO THE TEAM APPRECIATION FUND IN APPRECIATION OF OUR AMAZING STAFF.**

Whatever the amount of your gift, the TEAM Fund is a means to show your appreciation for the fine work provided all year long by our many Luther Manor employees. Although contributions can be made year-round, making one for this year's "thank you" will be accepted via the attached link until **Monday, December 6th**. Click on the link and select "TEAM APPRECIATION FUND".

<https://www.luthermanor.org/donate/>

Since March of 2020, our Luther Manor's employees have grown, changed, adjusted and powered on - over and over again! Having worked with them through those early and hectic days of COVID-19, they proved they are more than essential in the face of this most significant ongoing event of our lifetimes. Our staff has demonstrated that Luther Manor's mission to Share God's Love by Enriching the Lives of Older Adults is more important than ever. They make Luther Manor a community and a home for those at greatest risk of COVID. We know this gratitude is also felt by our residents and their family members. Our employees have gone far above and beyond the call of duty and have done so



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for almost two years of COVID-19. With this in mind, **we ask that you consider a meaningful monetary gift to the annual TEAM Appreciation Fund.**

You may be aware that Luther Manor, consistent with the Senior Living industry, has a no-gifting policy. The TEAM Appreciation Fund creates a mechanism for those wishing to show employees their gratitude. **Each and every employee will receive a year-end monetary gift using the money raised through the TEAM Fund.** It's a great way to recognize the wonderful care and kind service your loved ones receive. It is a way to say, "Thanks for all you do."

We are truly blessed to serve in an environment where care, compassion and kindness are at the heart of what we do. It is a privilege and an honor. We are committed to doing better every day in fulfilling our vision of Leading the Way in Abundant Living for All who Trust Us to Care.

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