



Notable Quotable

“Truth is like the sun. You can shut it out for a time, but it ain’t goin’ away.”

~ Elvis Presley (born January 8, 1935)

January Birthdays

Residents

| NAME | DATE |
|---------------------|------|
| ASKEW, GERALDINE | 1-02 |
| HUEBNER, ANN | 1-03 |
| JENNINGS, KATHERINE | 1-05 |
| KNUDSON, VERNA | 1-06 |
| GRIFFIN, DEBORAH | 1-09 |
| EBBELER, RALPH | 1-11 |
| FORBES, ANITA | 1-12 |
| KELLER, JACK | 1-12 |
| SICKBERT, MARY | 1-18 |
| BACHMAN, SHIRLEY | 1-20 |
| ROGGOW, ROSE | 1-20 |
| KLASNER, PAT | 1-20 |
| RAWE, MARY | 1-21 |
| LEONARD, ETTA JANE | 1-21 |
| PERRY, LANA | 1-22 |
| VEVERKA, CYNTHIA | 1-22 |
| FALLON, BARBARA | 1-23 |
| HACKETHAL, MARGERY | 1-25 |
| KIRKWOOD, DORIS | 1-28 |
| MARTINEZ, CHERYL | 1-26 |
| CALLIS, MARCIA | 1-26 |

Staff

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|---------------------|------|
| POWERS, KATELYN | 1-01 |
| MAYFIELD, SUSAN | 1-02 |
| BRUMFIELD, TAHNISHA | 1-03 |
| HESTER, DEBORA | 1-04 |
| LANDUYT, JOSIE | 1-16 |
| WILLIAMS, BETH | 1-17 |
| ALFORD, DAYNA | 1-19 |
| LEONARD, SUSAN | 1-22 |
| MAROON, THOMAS | 1-23 |
| WIEGAND, CATHY | 1-29 |



Asbury Village Voice

January 2025



Celebrating January

Joyride
January 10th

Birthday Party
January 15th

Resident Meeting
January 16th

Apps & Chat with Kyle
January 23rd

Lunch Out at Santino's
January 24th

Social Hour
January 31st

Welcome New Residents!



Jeanette Vowels
116 Meadow



Marjorie Fortado
203 WP



Mary Heimer
5101 Albright



Alma Irvin
120 McKendree



Herman Singletary
234 WP



Joyce Noack
114 Meadows

Important Activity Information



Did you know that adults who actively participate in hobbies and social engagements as they age tend to report higher levels of happiness and overall well-being?

The start of a new year is here, and I can't wait to celebrate with you all on January 14th from 7-9PM in the Dining Room. The Nitpicker's Two-Man Band will be playing, and we are going to rock the night away! If you would like to bring an appetizer to share, please sign up at the front desk.

Also, for our January Calendar we were invited to attend the Harmon & Cox Family Blue Grass Concert on January 11th! The money for this event is due January 3rd, please sign up and pay by the 3rd to reserve your spot. It is \$20 per ticket.

We are thrilled to also have Bob Parish and Nancy Price present over some of their recent travels.

This will be held on January 21st at 2:30 in the BGA.

Chaplain Jackie also asked me to share that we are starting a new bible study in January. Starting January 15th we will begin a study entitled, "The Holy Spirit," by John Bevere. He is an international minister and best-selling author. His book focuses on the reality that the Holy Spirit will never leave us.

Lastly, we will be going to Fast Eddie's this month. This is a cash only facility. They do have ATMS available for credit or debit cards.

Cheers to the New Year,

Lingzi

May Your Soul Feel Its Worth

I have a favorite line in the Christmas Song, "O Holy Night." "Long lay the world in sin until He appeared, and the soul felt its worth." Those words suggest that when He appears - the God incarnate - our soul will realize its worth.

It seems most of us humans live each day, walking around feeling inadequate at best, and unworthy at worst. We manage! Of course, we do! We succeed! Of course, we do! We find glimpses of joy and pockets of peace. Of course, we do! But realizing how precious and important we are to the Savior of the world is a bigger stretch for us most of the time!

Well.... may I take this opportunity to invite you at the end of 2024 and the beginning of 2025 to know the Messiah has been born for each of us to feel our soul's worth. Jesus has appeared! Jesus has been born! The Messiah has come! The soul is invited to feel its worth. Feel the depth of the love that God gives to us! Let the true joy of our salvation drop into our guts once again. Dance with delight as peace sprinkles new freedom in our hearts. Let your hands rest into a prayer. And invite your soul to feel its worth - For the Messiah has come!

New Year Blessings,
Chaplain Jackie



You are loved. You are worthy.

Anita's Corner



Happy New Year!

Happy New Year! As we welcome 2025, I want to take a moment to reflect on the wonderful year we shared and to express my heartfelt gratitude to each and every one of you.

This past year was filled with special moments that brought joy to our Asbury Village family. From the laughter and conversations shared during community events, to the friendships formed over meals, games, and quiet moments. It has been a privilege to see our community continue to grow and thrive.

December was especially memorable, and I want to extend a special thanks to everyone who participated in making the holiday season so special. The Resident Christmas Dinners were truly a highlight, filled with warmth, festive cheer, sing-alongs, and the joy of being together. It was heartwarming to see so many of you enjoying the beautifully decorated spaces, delicious meals, and lively conversations that made the season bright. Thank you for making it such a cherished time for all!

We have had the honor of welcoming many new residents to Asbury Village, and I am delighted to see how quickly you have embraced and enriched our family with your kindness and warmth. To our long-standing residents, thank you for helping make Asbury Village such a welcoming place where friendships blossom and everyone feels at home.

As we step into the New Year, I look forward to all the wonderful experiences ahead—more shared stories, laughter, and memories yet to be made. Let us continue to celebrate life together, cherishing the connections that make our community so special.

On behalf of the entire Asbury Village team, I wish you a healthy, happy, and joyful New Year. May 2025 be filled with moments of peace, love, and new adventures!

With warmest regards,

Anita



The Advent Wreath that Blessed our Chapel this Advent Season!

Thank You!

Thank you, Mary Rawe, for providing this sacred donation. Also, thank you to Lois Voyles for providing the beautiful tablecloth!

Committees

Your Council Members – Mary Ann Forcade (President), Bonnie Fox (Vice President), Marcia Callis (Secretary), Charla Canale, Nancy Dorris, Jerry Leonard, Bob Parish, Valerie Pelot, Ollie Reszler, Arnie Saaf, Carol Sawyer, Elaine Wardein, Rita Wyatt

If you have questions or concerns, please contact one of the council members above and it will be discussed at our next meeting.

Asbury Village Board Members – Donna Bernis, Andy Bowen, James Herndon, Jack Hoelscher, Zeke Jabusch, Paul J. Jun, John Keller, Jeff Lauritzen, Mike McCormick, Rev. William Pyatt, Mary Reilly, Stephen Shwartz, Rev. Kim Stuby, Karen Wilson

Activity Committee – Kay Agard, Linda Rainey, Cecil Edwards

Suggestions for outings or activities are welcome. Feel free to contact one of these members with your ideas to be discussed at the next meeting.

Dining Room Committee – Betty Light (Chairman), Kay Fitzpatrick, Mary Henley, Rose Roggow, Mary Ann Forcade

If you have questions, concerns, suggestions or compliments regarding the dining room, please contact one of these members and it can be discussed at the next meeting.

Library Committee – Maggi Behrens, Liz Bumbacher, Irene Gulvosen, Sarah Huber, Valerie Pelot, Bernie Wickenhouser

Your Village Ambassadors – Wiseman Pollock: Nancy Dorris, Jerry & Etta Jane Leonard, JoAnn Phelps

McKendree: Linda Rainy, Martha Darr, Lorene Flowers

Villas: Shirley Bachman, Elaine Wardein, Rose Roggow, Arnie Saaf

Homes: Ruth Scanlon & Larry Peiman

Back Up Ambassador: Darlene Gulvosen



We Are Truly Thankful!

We want to say a BIG thank you to everyone who generously donated for the staff Christmas gifts! It is a blessing to work at Asbury Village and be surrounded by so many thoughtful and giving individuals.



