

CROSS ROAD Retirement Community

Fall/Holiday 2021
October/November/December

Care Communications

A quarterly publication for our residents and their families, our employees, volunteers, friends and contributors



Remembering Christmas 2021
and wishing everyone a
Happy New Year for 2022!



Happy New Year!



Happy New Year! What a year it has been! We entered this year not knowing what it would hold, and I think we're ending the year still not understanding everything that has happened. We celebrated our 38th anniversary here at Cross Road Retirement Community in October with a cookout. In November, we celebrated with our Village residents for Thanksgiving with a wonderful meal at Cross Road Baptist Church Christian Living Center. Thanks to all the residents who provided desserts! We had enough to feed pie to all the Assisted Living residents after lunch that day. We had an Elvis sighting in Memory Care when he performed for residents and staff. It was a great time for all! The campus was beautifully decorated for Christmas during December, we had carolers that stopped in, and I even saw Mr. & Mrs. Claus checking in on our residents. I hope you have enjoyed your Christmas and took time to celebrate the birth of our Savior! We have a new year coming and I don't know what to expect but Cross Road will try our best to be ready for it!



COVID Update...

As COVID prolongs its visit in our community, Cross Road Retirement Community is committed to making the best of a bad situation while keeping our residents as safe as possible! We are allowing visitors in to see their loved ones without an appointment. We ask them to wear a mask, have their temperature checked and answer a questionnaire upon arrival. Then they must go straight to their resident's room and not roam the building or visit with other residents.

Residents are able to go out with family members to enjoy such things as church services, shopping, or restaurants. They are now eating in the dining room together and enjoying activities in the Activity Room. No volunteers are able to participate at this time, however, all of the activity team members are working

diligently to make sure our residents are entertained and have lots to smile about!

The entire management team works closely with local and state authorities to ensure that we are following mandated rules established to protect those who reside in congregate living facilities such as here at Cross Road.

We look forward to the day when we can say good-bye to COVID, but until then, we'll keep working to ensure that Cross Road is a happy, healthy place to live, work and visit!

For I know the thoughts that I think toward you, saith the Lord, thoughts of peace, and not of evil, to give you an expected end. Jeremiah 29:11



Employee of the Month

October— Lyndon Brown
 November— Latisha Parson
 December— Juanita Poole



Employee of the Year



Congratulation to Heather Jones who was voted Employee of the Year! Heather is a “Supervisor in Charge” in our Main Center.
 Thank you, Heather for a job well done!

Welcome New Employees

Karen Rich
 Caitlyn Laxton
 Hannah Hillard
 Jenny Sisk
 Sharon Rex
 Shanna Clackler
 James Bunch

Welcome New Residents

Main and Memory Care Centers

Pattie Craven
 Jerry Dowd

Village Apartments

Dorothy Key

Village Residents

January

09 Dottie Watson
 23 Susan Parker
 24 Pam Edney
 27 Farris Albright
 31 Carl Stout

February

01 Jerri White
 03 Ed Smith
 06 Henry Bures
 16 Pamela Walker
 21 Rita Betts
 28 Barbara Presnell

March

02 Virginia Paschall
 06 Ruth Gill
 08 Barbara Martin
 11 Alton Bell
 11 Sandra Jones
 12 Mary Phillips
 18 Linda Kennedy
 22 Virginia Russell
 24 Tony Asbill

Main & Memory Care

January

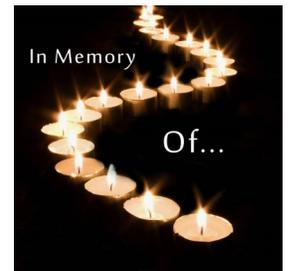
01 Jacob Zombeck
 06 Bonnie Bouldin
 10 Joyce Freeman
 21 Anne Lambert
 31 Judy Fox

February

10 Lula Mae Bowman
 12 Hazel Ridge
 20 George Yeatts
 23 Richard Wheatcraft
 27 Billy Essick
 27 Gladys Hinshaw

March

04 Sue Jarrett
 06 Peggy Lineberry
 07 Donsy Hames
 07 Doris Cox
 13 Hattie Garner
 13 Faye Hill
 18 Nona Clodfelter
 18 Dale Oliver
 18 Bonnie Stern
 24 Patricia Cox
 26 Evangeline Brown
 31 Dianne Wright



Jackie Landon
 Tommy Beane
 Nellie Crews
 Neil Arrington

Main Assisted Living Activities

All through October, November and December, there has always been something fun to do in the Main Assisted Living. Arts, crafts, games, devotions, ice cream and bus rides! But most of all, we just enjoy being together! We can't wait to see what all we are going to do in 2022!



Susanne Allen
Activity Director

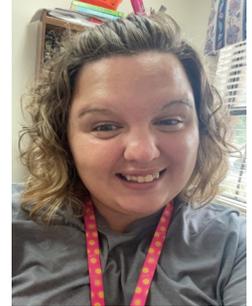


Memory Care Activities



Memory Care is such a happy place! We enjoy all kinds of adventures...such as motorcycle rides, hay-rides, and visits from Santa. But we also enjoy the “everyday” kind of activities like painting, singing, or watching a movie.

One of our favorite things is the sight, smell, and taste of homemade goodies! We had a home-cooked meal for Thanksgiving and everything was so delicious! Christmas is always a special time where the Memory Care Center is decorated, carols play throughout the building and staff wear funny hats to make the residents smile! Yes, MC is certainly a happy place!!



Brittany Jordan



Caregiver's Support Group
 Meets the 2nd Thursday of each month in the Village Clubhouse.
 Questions? Call Bernie 336-629-7811



Independent Living Apartments Activities



Happy New Year 2022 from the Village residents!



Susanne Allen
Activity Director



Betty Page

A Word From the Director of Village Services....

Happy New Year from everyone in the Village at Cross Road Retirement Community!

If you would like a tour of our apartments, villas, or cottages, you can contact me at 336-318-1847 or email me at dvs@cross-road.org.



Karen Kidd

Admissions and Marketing for the Assisted Livings

Happy New Year! I hope everyone had a wonderful Christmas and you're ready to see what 2022 has in store. I certainly hope this year will be kinder to us than 2021 was! Some of my New Year resolutions for Cross Road includes...filling every bed in the Main and Memory Care, seeing our volunteers come back and our residents enjoying a full calendar of activities!

Here's to hoping that COVID goes away forever and happy days will be here again!!! You can contact me at 336-610-1214 or email me at admissions@cross-road.org.

A Thought From the Chaplain



Bernie Raymond
Chaplain

“Draw near to God, and He will draw near to you...” James 4:8

Have you ever arrived early to church on a Sunday morning and watched the different people as they entered the building? It’s interesting to watch how some folks choose a seat in the back of the room, while others head straight for the front as soon as they come into the building. Why do you think that is? Because they want to get as close as they can to what is happening at the front of the building.

It seems the farther away you get from whatever is happening, the more distractions there are, and the more you miss. But the closer you get to an event or happening, the fewer distractions there are, and the more you get out of it. The same is true in following God. Some have a hard time living for God, because they stay at the back of the building, just inside the door.

You see, when you’re not living close to God, it’s easy for the devil to wave flags, tap you on the shoulder, or do whatever else he can to distract you. But the closer you move toward God, the more difficult it is for the enemy to get you tangled up in other things that can cause you to miss out on God’s blessings.

As the year of 2021 comes to an end and 2022 begins, I think this would be a great goal for us to strive for, and that is to get as close as we can to the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. So we should desire to live as close to God as we can. Every day we ought to be getting closer to His throne, pressing into the plan He has for our lives and delighting ourselves in the Lord.

Pray with me, “Lord, help us to do more, be more, and to draw closer to You in this coming new year. In Jesus’ name we pray, Amen.”

Snap Shots from our 38th Anniversary Celebration





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