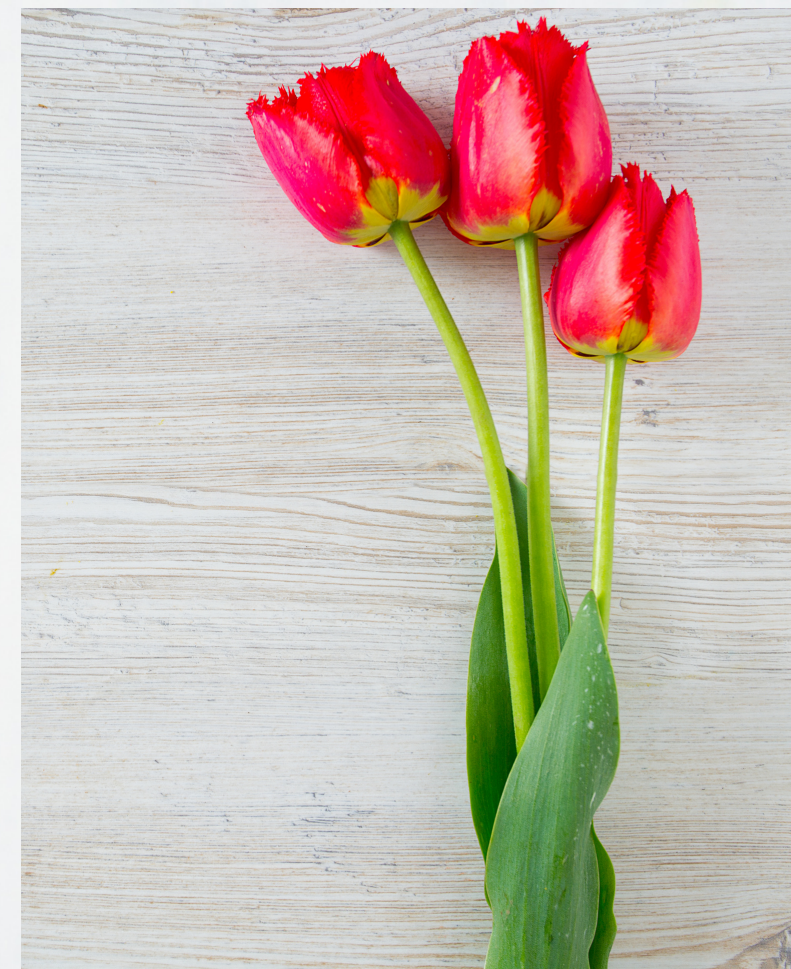


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A MOTHER'S

Love

There's no love like a mother's,
Her heart is filled with care.
With Christ as her example,
Her Savior's love she'll share.

A mother's love is endless,
Not changing for all time.
When needed by her children,
A mother's love will shine.

God bless these special mothers,
God bless them every one.
For all their tears and heartaches,
And special work they've done.

When days on earth are over,
A mother's love lives on,
Through many generations,
God's blessings on each one.

Be thankful for our mothers,
Who love with higher love,
From power God has given,
And strength from up above.

Gardening Tips

*Oh! fragrant is the breath of May
In tranquil garden closes,
And soft yet regal is her sway
Among the springtide roses.
-William Hamilton Hayne,
(1856-1929)*



**Volunteers
needed**

VOLUNTEERS

With the end of restrictions on volunteers, I am looking for suggestion of people you know who may be interested in helping out --singing, calling Bingo, or another area they would be interested in serving . Contact Lina at 204-371-1721, or stop by my office Mondays or Thursdays.

SMOKING/VAPOUR PRODUCTS

POLICY



HavenGroup apartments including Woodhaven Manor, Parkview Apartments and Cedarwood Supportive Housing, have established house rules which prevent smoking within the confines of their apartment unit, balconies and all shared common spaces. Therefore, smoking, tobacco/cannabis, and the use of electronic cigarettes, shall not be permitted in HavenGroup owned or leased complexes by tenants, employees, visitors and volunteers.

PROCEDURE

1. Smoking of tobacco, cannabis and electronic cigarettes is not permitted within HavenGroup owned/ leased apartments complexes and residential properties.
2. HavenGroup shall provide designated smoking areas in the designated locations as follows:
 - 2.1 Woodhaven Manor – tenant parking lot (south of carport)
 - 2.2 Cedarwood – edge of parking lot near the Parkview loop
 - 2.3 Parkview – edge of parking lot near the Parkview loop

THERE SHALL BE NO SMOKING WITHIN A MINIMUM DISTANCE OF TEN (10) METERS OF AN ENTRANCEWAY OR BUILDING AIR INTAKE.

3. NO PERSON SHALL SMOKE CANNABIS OR USE AN E-CIGARETTE TO VAPORIZE AN E-SUBSTANCE CONTAINING CANNABIS AT AN OUTDOOR PUBLIC PLACE, INCLUDING HAVENGROUP DESIGNATED SMOKING AREAS, SIDEWALKS AND OUTDOOR PARKING LOTS

LOCAL EVENTS

AT CLEARSPRINGS MALL

CLEARSPRING CENTRE

MAY
5-6

SPRING VENDOR FAIR

MAY
13

SOUTHEAST ARTIST SHOW & SALE

MAY
26-28

TOY, COLLECTIBLE AND CRAFT SHOW

AT THE MENNONITE MUSEUM

MAY
12

SPRING GALA 5:30-8:00PM

MAY
13

**MANITOBA 153 BIRTHDAY
CELEBRATION**

MAY
14

MOTHERS DAY LUNCH BUFFET

AT THE STEINBACH ART COUNCIL

MAY
13-JUN 23

ART EXHIBIT BY NICO NARVAEZ

FROM THE CHAPLAIN

Mother's Day is a special day for honoring a special someone. How do we adequately honor someone who has done so much for us?

Many are privileged to still have their mothers with them and can easily make a phone call, bring a card, or just come close to give a special hug. Mothers treasure gifts such as these, and the time and attention that goes along with them.

For many, though, thoughts of Mother come out of the treasures of the heart, as she is no longer here. Memories remain, though. Memories of a conversation that seems like just yesterday, memories from an old photograph she left behind, or memories evoked from a treasured object she once held dear. I wonder what stories these objects could tell, objects such as a special quilt, or a well-used set of dishes, if they could only speak! It is perhaps in the sharing of these stories, along with the thoughts that accompany them, where we best honor those memories of Mother.

In John 19, we see how Jesus, even in those last hours on the cross, took special consideration for his mother, committing her into the care of John, the disciple whom he loved. In this way Jesus also honored his mother by ensuring she would be cared for even after he was gone.

May you be blessed in whatever way you honor your mother this Mother's Day, and may you be blessed if you happen to be one of those mothers!

Peter Berg



*Starting May 1st we
will be introduced to our
new Chaplain,
Wilbert Friesen.*

*He will serve us at Cedarwood
and
Parkview on a regular basis.*

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