



Woodhaven Newsletter

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“He is not here.

He has Risen,
just as He said.”

MATTHEW 28:6

May the miracle of Easter bring you
peace and joy. May your Easter basket
be filled with hope, happiness, and love
this season and always.

From my family to yours:

Happy Easter!

With love and blessings from,

Helen 

WELCOME

A warm welcome to all of our new tenants!
We are so glad that you are here!

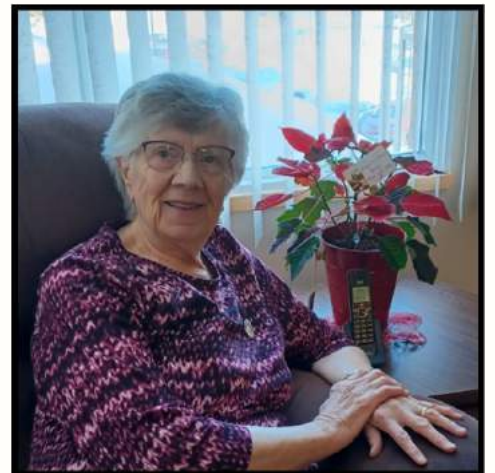
John & Joyce Dyck - 415

Peggy Friesen - 313

Peter Martens - 104



We offer our most sincere condolences to the families and friends of Peter Doerksen and Betty Thiessen. They will both be greatly missed by everyone here at Woodhaven.



**Come down to the
basement games
room for Men's
billiards on Friday
March 8th at
2:30pm**



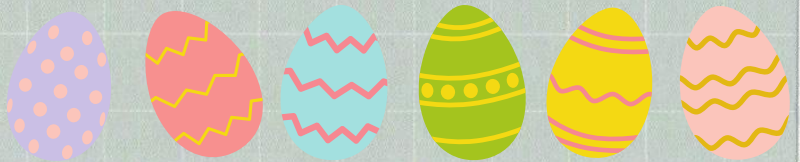
**Please call Helen at
204-346-1501 to book
an appointment for
Havencare services!
Cleaning,
companionship,
shopping and more!**

**Come and try a new
game! Shut the Box
is fun, and easy to
learn. Check it out
on Friday March 1st
at 2:30pm**



Closed

**The Admin/TRC office
will be closed on
Friday March 29th
& Monday April 1st
for Easter.**



**Dig a little deeper
into the book of
James. Bible study
with SBC student
Torasia is back in
March at 2:30pm on
the 12th and 19th. All
are welcome!**



Come and play
Crokinole on
Monday March
8th at 2:30pm



Sign up for a painting
tutorial with Esther.
Friday, March 22nd
at 2:30pm. Cost is \$5
and all supplies will
be provided.



Pearl Buhler will
be hosting a Bake
Sale during Coffee
& Connect on
Tuesday March
26th.



We have added a new
exercise class to the
calendar! For those who
are looking for something a
bit more challenging and
faster paced, we now have
an advanced exercise DVD.

All movements are still
done seated, but at a faster
pace than the usual DVD,
and with the option to use
dumbbells if you wish. Check
it out on **Tuesdays, from
9:00am-9:30am in the
basement MPR.** Mondays &
Wednesdays will be the
usual DVD in the upstairs
lounge, and Fridays will still
be upstairs with Helen.



Please note that as of **Monday April 1st**, the cost for Havencare services will increase to \$25 per hour. If you require shopping or medication pick up, there will also be an additional \$5 charge. Please see Helen if you have questions.



REMHINDER

A friendly reminder that your rent is due on the first of every month. If you are unable to make your rent payment by the due date, please contact the Finance office right away. For further information, please review the Arrears Policy in your lease agreement, or come to the Admin office if you need a new copy. Thank you.

March is “Fraud Prevention Month”



Fraud Prevention Month is an annual campaign that seeks to help you recognize, reject and report fraud and scams. Fraud has evolved over the years, from telemarketing and mail to social media and Artificial Intelligence scams. You can help to protect yourself by staying educated, getting to know the different types of scams and by always reporting fraud.

According to police in Manitoba, a scam which seems to be popular right now involves a criminal making a phone call to an elderly person and pretending to be a relative in need of financial assistance. The criminal will often say they have been arrested and need bail money. The caller then convinces the senior to pay a sum of money to an individual who will be swinging by their residence to collect the cash. The senior is made to believe that the money is necessary for their loved one to be released from prison.

On **Tuesday March 12th at 9:30am**, Constable Dennis Redekop from the Steinbach RCMP will be here to offer a fraud and scam prevention presentation. Please join us!



Movie Matinee



When a tragedy strikes close to home, four police officers struggle with their faith and their roles as husbands and fathers. Together they make a decision that will change all of their lives.

**Monday, March 18th at 2:30pm
in the basement MPR**



Please sign up to be included. No cost to attend. Drinks and popcorn will be available for purchase - so be sure to bring your spare change if you would like to have some!

Ladies! You are cordially invited to the:

Women of Woodhaven Tea Party



To recognize International Women's Day, we will be having a tea party to honour and celebrate the Women of Woodhaven! Come for food and fellowship on:

**Friday, March 8th at 2:30pm
in the Main floor Multipurpose Room**

Please feel free to dress up and/or wear a hat, if you would like to! Please bring a cup and saucer if you have one, and a small snack to share (finger sandwiches, dainties etc.) Coffee & tea will be provided. Please sign up to be included. I hope to see you there!





Thank you to everyone who came out for the love themed

“Show & Tell” last month! It was so wonderful to see everyone’s special keepsakes!





These ladies did a wonderful job on their cherry blossom paintings last month! We all followed the same tutorial, but each one was unique!





March Birthdays:

Anna Wall - 16

Gladys Penner - 19

Mary Giesbrecht - 24

Sarah Penner - 30

**Join us for a Birthday party on
Monday, March 25th at 2:30pm**



From the Chaplain's Desk

How do we meet with God?

In the Old Testament, people seeking God's Presence would go to the Tabernacle, a tent-like structure easily moved where ever the Children of Israel traveled. Inside the Tabernacle was a most sacred room, the Holy of Holies, containing the Ark of the Testimony with the Mercy Seat on top, representing God's Presence. Only the High Priest was allowed to enter there, and he could only do that once each year when he went in to make atonement for the sins of the people.


When King Solomon began to reign, he had an elaborate Temple built in Jerusalem, a solid structure of timber and stone, and beautifully decorated with gold. This Temple also had the Holy of Holies where only the High Priest could go in once a year to make atonement for the sins of the people.

When Jesus came and made that once-for-all sacrifice for us upon the cross, the curtain closing the way into the most Holy Place was torn open, indicating that we are all now welcome to enter into the presence of God through our response of repentance and faith in Jesus. No longer need we rely on the priest to make atonement for our sins, as Jesus has provided atonement through his death.

What a privilege it is for us, as Hebrews 4:16 encourages, to "approach the throne of grace with confidence, so that we may receive mercy and find grace to help us in our time of need."

May God bless you as we together celebrate Good Friday and Easter this year.

Peter Berg, Chaplain





EASTER WORDSEARCH



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PALM

PASSION
PRAYER
RISEN
SAVIOR
WORSHIP