### May 2024

# Hyde Park–Living Joy



#### Important Dates

#### May 5<sup>th</sup>

Cinco De Mayo <u>May 7<sup>th</sup></u> Living Joy Mother's Day Tea 12- 1:30p <u>May 8<sup>th</sup></u> Hyde Park Assisted Mother's Day Tea 12- 1:30p <u>May 9<sup>th</sup></u> Hyde Park Memory Mother's Day Tea 12- 1:30p

Chaplin Val

<u>May 12<sup>th</sup></u> Mother's Day <u>May 13<sup>th</sup></u> Flushing United Methodist Church 1pm Hyde Park Assisted <u>May 15<sup>th</sup></u> Flint Court St. Senior Citizens Hyde Park Assisted

> 1:30 May 23<sup>rd</sup> Chaplin Val

May 27<sup>th</sup> Memorial Day Flushing Area Caregiver Support Group Presented by: Alzheimer's Association Greater Michigan Chapter

Location: Flushing Senior Center 106 Elm Str. Flushing, MI 48433

When: Thursday May 2, at 2pm



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#### Chaplain Thoughts

Above all,.....Love

Therefore, as God's chosen people, holy and dearly loved, clothe yourselves with compassion, kindness, humility, gentleness and patience. 13 Bear with each other and forgive one another if any of you has a grievance against someone. Forgive as the Lord forgave you. 14 And over all these virtues put on love, which binds them all together in perfect unity. Colossians 3:12-14

John and Lori, my brother and sister-in-law, were exhausted from a long road trip from the east coast out to Arizona. They experienced long hours, heavy traffic, and lots of irritated drivers. Then they saw the trailer below. Who would have thought they'd see something like that!

The truck belongs to Nussbaum Transportation. Like Baruch Senior Ministries, they are a company committed to sharing the love of God.

A few years ago, they felt led to the theme "Love, above all." An employee named Saige wondered, "what if we put (that) on a chalkboard and invite employees to be vulnerable with their struggles? And not only be vulnerable but commit to putting love above that struggle?" The result was a semitrailer with the picture of the board. The words on the truck all were written by Nussbaum employees.

We all have barriers that affect how we receive and give love. God loves us fully, having removed all barriers between God and us. But what barriers may we have that prevent us from loving others fully? If you were invited to put a word on that board, what would your word be? Ask God to remove that barrier. And as "God's chosen people, holy and dearly loved," let us put on Love above all.

# **Resident Birthdays**

Sue K. 17<sup>th</sup> Kathy G. 26<sup>th</sup> Candace O. 28<sup>th</sup>



## **!SEEKING!**

We are always accepting donations for:

- Puzzles
- Bingo Prizes
- Craft Supplies
- Nail Polish
- Nail Care Supplies

If you are able to donate or have any questions you may contact Nina at (810) 659-3000 or by email at <u>nina.coleman@baruchsls.org</u>

We are always looking for volunteers at each of our communities. Volunteers are needed for companionship, reading to the residents, hosting a craft or game with the residents. Please contact Nina Coleman @ 810-659-3000 if you are interested in volunteering at any of our communities.

# Caregiver Birthdays

Sparkle R. 1<sup>st</sup> Casandra B. 4<sup>th</sup> April H. 4<sup>th</sup> Kristy C. 10<sup>th</sup> Kisha S. 24<sup>th</sup> Shelley L. 26<sup>th</sup> Sara A. 28<sup>th</sup> Hyde Park- Living Joy 1525 E. Pierson Rd. Flushing, MI 48433 810-659-8507

Postage Information

#### Shirley Temple Party Punch

- Ice cubes
- Maraschino cherries (stems removed)
- 12 oz bottle Grenadine
- 6 cups orange juice (no pulp), chilled
- 2 liter bottle lemon lime soda (sprite)
- 2 liter bottle ginger ale chilled

Drop 1 maraschino cherry into each slot of 2 ice cube trays, then fill with water and freeze. Add the ice to a punch bowl. Pour grenadine over ice. Pour orange juice, lemon lime soda, and ginger ale on top. Give it a gentle stir to combine. Garnish with just a few orange slices and maraschino cherries. Ladle into cups or glasses and enjoy!

