



SALEM MESSENGER



Salem Lutheran Homes and Rehabilitation Center

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March 2017

March...

- 1st & 15th Communion Worship 9:30 AM
- 4th Bingo 3 PM
- 7th Book Club 2 PM—Every Tuesday
- 8th Trivia 3 PM
- 11th Craig Kruse 3 PM
- 15th Kimballton Bingo 3 PM
- 17th St. Patrick's Day Celebration 3 PM
- 18th Wii Bowling 3 PM
- 19th Annual Board Meeting 2 PM
- 20th Birthday Party Brayton Lutheran Church 3 PM
- 22nd Catholic Mass 10 AM
- 22nd Trivia 3 PM
- 21st Goldenairs 3:00 PM

Do you know how to play cribbage? Salem has a group of residents that would love to play and need help remembering the rules! Contact Donna McClain at (712) 764-4209.

Resident Birthdays in March...

- 08-** Esther Andersen **17-** Patricia Dvoark
- 16-** Paul Christensen **22-** Mary Nichols

Employee Birthdays in March...

- 01-** Katrina Parker **18-** Tiffany Swagel
- 14-** Ashley McCuthcheon **19-** Mandy Rath
- 18-** Carolyn Rudolph **25-** Donita Nowatzke

Employee Anniversaries in March....

- 06-** Melissa Akers 5 yrs
- 13-** Josie Young 3 yrs
- 25-** Donald Norris 9 yrs



Volunteer & Donor

CELEBRATION MEAL

InFaith Foundation will be
★ joining us to share donor ★
and volunteer stories

Please join us to celebrate YOU on **April 19th** at 6:00PM, inside the Elk Horn Lutheran Church. We will be serving a chicken salad croissant and wrap buffet. Please let myself, Katrina Parker, know if you can or cannot make the event so we can plan the meal accordingly. I also ask permission to share your 'Salem Story'. Salem appreciates all types of generosity and looks forward in celebrating your history with us. Please plan on attending even if you haven't been able to be around lately, we still appreciate you and the impact you have made for Salem's residents and future.

- Katrina Parker
Resource Development

Welcome New Residents

Melvin Andersen, Lucille Winther, & Betty Keeton

In Loving Memory...

**Murriel Petersen, Gertrude Krauel,
& Thomas Vonnahme**

Welcome back...

Steve Stevens

Veteran of the month...

Salems Kings & Queens



Veteran
Clifford Fries



Bob & Julia
Don & Imo



Salem's NEW faces...



Stephanie Schlegelmilch
Director of Staff Development

Chris Retzlaff
Director of Maintenance

Jill Harper

Interim Director of Nursing

"I retired a year ago but missed it so much I thought I would travel from Kentucky to help serve Salem. This has been the best nursing facility I have ever worked at."

Jill doesn't slow down, so she is hard to take a picture of!



Interested in part-time or full-time careers in the healthcare industry? You can search our opportunities at Www.good-sam.com/careers and search by facility- #2380

Staff Penny Power Drive for NEW health grade TV's -raised

\$391.94



Salem Association of Churches

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| Bethany-Kimballton | Trinity-Avoca | Monroe Methodist |
| Brayton | United-Shelby | Immanuel-Harlan |
| Bethlehem-Jacksonville | Exira | Immanuel -Kimballton |
| Ebenezer-Audubon | Elk Horn | St.Paul's-Atlantic |
| St. Paul's-Irwin | Holy Trinity, | Atlantic |
| First United Methodist- | Harlan | |

Salem Lutheran Board of Directors

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| Nick Nicotero, President | John Jones |
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| Leroy Larsen | Keith Menter |

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| Tom Cannon , President | Kay Johannsen |
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Management Team 712-764-4201 (Ph. Ext. Number)

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| Natasha Urinko Administrator | (205) |
| Deb Anthofer, Human Resource | (201) |
| Jill Harper Interim Director of Nursing | (202) |
| Stephanie Schlegelmilch Director of Staff Development | (204) |
| Melissa Akers, MDS Coordinator | (218) |
| Chris Retzlaff, Director of Maintenance | (210) |
| Barb Kriley, Director of Housekeeping & Laundry | (227) |
| Beth Larsen, Memory Care Coordinator | (229) |
| Pam Larsen, Director of Dietary Services | (208) |
| Donna McClain, Director of Activities | (209) |
| Kathy Soetmelk, Director of Social Services & Admission | (219) |
| Sarah Kunik, Health Information Management | (221) |
| Roylene Bald , Office Manager | (200) |
| Jessica Hoegh- Accounts Payable & Receivable | (224) |
| Katrina Parker, Director of Resource Development & Marketing kriggs2@good-sam.com | (220) |
| Pastoral Services | |
| Pastor Sam Jacobs, Chaplain | (226) |

Donations...

Immanuel Lutheran Church Women- Harlan

\$300 towards resident activities

Immanuel Lutheran Church- Kimballton \$90- Resident Assistance

Elk Horn Lutheran Church \$600— Resident Assistance

Baked Potato Buffet- Healthgrade TVs & Wall Mounts

\$544 Several People \$15 Rick & Roylene Bald \$30 Rolly & Peggy Hansen

\$10 Coleen Hines \$20 Brent & Jill Madsen \$15 Donna Gude

\$25 Barbara Jacobsen \$10 Gary & Barb Kriley \$20 Joni Griffin

\$30 Jo Block \$25 Merlyn & Jeanette Knudsen

\$10 Carol Petersen \$25 Henry & Doris Jones \$5 Breanne Gessert

Bake Sale—Health grade TVs & Wall Mounts

\$5 Keith Heilesen \$15 Monte & Emily Hoegh \$20 Brent & Jill Madsen

\$20 Michael & Melissa Akers \$20 Mandy Rath \$20 Sarah Kunik

\$25 Michael & Lisa Haas \$50 James & Deb Bieker \$10 Rick & Roylene Bald

\$25 Jessica Hoegh \$10 June Haas \$455 Several People

Expansion In Honor

\$15 Mandy Rath \$200 James & Jane Grabill in honor of Marilyn

Salem Lutheran Homes

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Memorials

Priscilla Hansen: \$25 Dick & Sonja Switzer; \$25; Terry & Neta Sander; \$5 JoAnne Greving; \$5 Carol Peterson; \$30 Roger & Mary Klopp; \$15 Allan & Reta Larsen; \$10 Sonya & Merlin Mikkelsen; \$10 Grace Martens; \$25 Barbara Jacobsen; \$10 Alice & Jon Sorensen; \$10 Lyle & Wava Petersen; \$50 John & Bonnie Zitterquen; \$25 Dan Hoegh & Allison Berryhill; \$25 James & Deb Bieker; \$25 Tom & Suzanne VanBackern; \$25 Joel & Karen Jacobsen; \$10 Rosa Clemens; \$25 Amy Hallam 'Jacobsen'; \$20 Donna Gude; \$10 John & Doris Jones; \$50 Mark Jacobsen; \$20 Rodney & Zola Sornson; **Charleen Knudsen:** \$10 St. Pauls Lutheran Church Women **Floyd Jensen:** \$10 Mr. & Mrs. John Haas **Betty Andersen:** \$10 Nadine Jacobsen **Murriel Petersen:** \$30 Jo Block; \$20 Calvin & Phyllis Hoegh; \$20 JoAnne Potts; \$10 Terry & Neta Sander; \$10 John & Doris Jones ; \$10 Darrell & Lenore Frederiksen; \$10 Doug & Wanda Smith; \$15 Nadine Jacobsen; \$20 Brian & Magda Esbeck; \$25 Merlyn & Jeanette Knudsen; \$20 Bruce & Calla Poldberg; \$10 Vaughn Christensen; \$15 Lyle & Dorothy Nelson; \$10 Shirley Esbeck; \$10 June Haas; \$10 Lucille Winther **Edwin Larsen:** \$20 James & Deb Bieker **Dotty Johnson:** \$10 John & Doris Jones **Howard Mathiasen:** \$10 John & Doris Jones; \$10 Doug & Wanda Smith; \$10 June Haas **Maxine Heilesen:** \$20 Leroy & Phyllis Larsen **Ron Levine:** \$10 June Haas