

The Timberline



Monthly Newsletter of **TIMBERCREST Senior Living Community**
 May 2019



Spring Gala: Cherry Blossom Festival

The annual Timbercrest Spring Gala is here, **Tuesday, May 7**, beginning over the lunch hour in the Timbercrest Dining Rooms at **11:45 a.m.** (Rose Garden) and **12:15 p.m.** (Courtyard). The day's menu features special Japanese items. Seating for the Noon meal will be posted outside the dining rooms. Requested seating arrangements (with guests) will be honored as much as possible. RSVP by May 3 to the Receptionist.

Social Hour after lunch in the Hub and Sun Room includes Japanese games, Sudoku, a photo station and comfortable conversation before the afternoon program. Pictures will be taken from 1:00-2:00 p.m.

A musical program of Traditional and Classical Japanese Music will be performed by Elaina Robbins & Daniel Quinn at **2:00 p.m.** in the Assembly Room.

Elaina is an accomplished vocalist and Associate Professor of Vocal Music at Purdue Fort Wayne School of Music. She studied at the University of Southern California and has degrees from the University of Michigan School of Music, Theater and Dance. She lives in Fort Wayne.

Classical guitarist Daniel Quinn will accompany Elaina. Quinn is instructor of classical guitar at both Holy Cross and St. Mary's Colleges in South Bend. He has a degree in Classical Guitar Performance from Indiana University and studied at Tokyo College of Music.

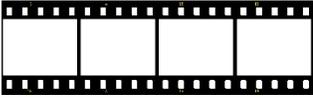
What to wear? For all, Japanese clothing (kimonos, katas, etc.) are fun and acceptable. If you don't have those, jacket and tie for men is recommended; for women, floral prints (especially cherry-blossom-looking) are very appropriate. Whatever you may have that is "dressy" is also appropriate.

Buddy Walk

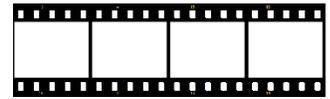
The annual Buddy Walk begins **Wednesday, May 1**. Over 60 residents and staff are participating in this program of goodwill and fellowship. Buddies will get their information packets in Campus Mail April 30 (staff will get them from their supervisors).

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Timbercrest Film Committee Presents May Films



Friday, May 10: *Snow Falling on Cedars*

7:00 p.m., Assembly Room

2:07 hours with captions

Fog as thick and palpable as cotton hangs suspended over San Pedro Island. On the bay, a flickering lantern signals distress from a crippled fishing boat, while elsewhere a freighter lurches blindly through the chalky mist. By morning, sea and sky are clear, but the tranquil village of fishermen and berry farmers is forever changed. For one man has lost his life, and another—a childhood friend—has been charged with taking it. An investigation is launched. The trial begins.

Friday, May 24: *Green Book*

7:00 p.m., Assembly Room

2:10 hours - w/captions

In 1962 Tony "Tony Lip" Vallelonga, a tough bouncer, is looking for work when his nightclub is closed for renovations. The most promising offer turns out to be the driver for the African-American classical pianist Don Shirley for a concert tour into the Deep South states. Although hardly enthused at working for a black man, Tony accepts the job, and they begin their trek armed with *The Negro Motorist Green Book*, a travel guide for safe travel through America's racial segregation. Together, the snobbishly erudite pianist and the crudely practical bouncer can barely get along with their clashing attitudes to life and ideals. However, as the disparate pair witness and endure America's appalling injustices on the road, they find a newfound respect for each other's talents and start to face them together. In doing so, they would nurture a friendship and understanding that would change both their lives.



Celebration of Ordination

A reception honoring Chaplain Laura Stone will be **Saturday, May 4, from 2-4 p.m.** in the Assembly Room. A program of stories and singing is planned 2:30-3:00 p.m. The occasion is Laura's ordination into the ministry of the Church of the Brethren. The whole Timbercrest family is invited to drop by to give well-wishes and enjoy ice cream and cookies. Cards only, please. The volunteer chaplains and women's spirituality group are hosting this event.

Laura's ordination will take place **Sunday, May 5**, in the Manchester Church of the Brethren during the **9:30 a.m.** worship service.

NewsTalk at Timbercrest

For many years retired M.U. history professor David Waas led NewsTalk at the North Manchester Shepherd's Center. Now David shares his insights on today's news in NewsTalk at Timbercrest, **Fridays, May 3 and 17 at 2:00 p.m.** in the Assembly Room. The series continues the first and third Friday monthly.

Sewing Sisters: Stitch On ☺

The Sewing Sisters are busy making lap robes, comforters and other items for the benefit of others. Join them **Monday, May 6, at 1:00 p.m.** in the Quilt Room on A Street. Contact Mary Ritchey, 982-2112.

Card Making

Make wedding cards for friends or family on **Monday, May 6, at 2:00 p.m.** in the Craft Room. Sign up in the Notebooks at the Dining Rooms so there are enough supplies. Contact Marianne Shenefield, 982-3959.

Shopping Trip to Thrift Shop

Visit the North Manchester Fellowship of Churches' Thrift Shop **Tuesday, May 14**, departing from the Hub at **1:30 p.m.** The group will return in time for supper. Shoppers are responsible for their own purchases. Sign up in the Notebooks at the Dining Rooms. Questions? Brian Daniels, 982-3940.

Knit and Crochet for Fun!

Learn to knit or crochet in small-group and individual settings on **Wednesdays, May 1 and 15 at 1:30 p.m.** in G Wing Lounge. Yarn and needles are provided or bring your own. All levels of experience are welcome, especially beginners. Contact Marianne Shenefield with questions, 982-3959.

Visitation Committee

“Let us consider how we may spur one another on to love and good deeds, not giving up meeting together... but encouraging one another – and all the more as you see the day approaching.” *Hebrews 10:24-25*

The Visitation Committee is a group of people who visit residents in Health Care. If you would like to join this group, come to their meeting **Thursday, May 2, at 11:00 a.m.** in the Guest Dining Room (lower level, near Recreation Room). Talk to Lois Davis, 982-4230, for more information.

Grief Support Group

“Early in your grief, and sometimes even later too, it’s not uncommon for you to feel that your loss is everywhere around you, every place you turn, every direction you look...” ~ *When Mourning Dawns*

Connect with others who are grieving on the winding road of loss. Join the Grief Support Group, **Thursday, May 9, at 2:30 pm**, in B Lounge. Questions (or just want to talk), contact Laura Stone, 982-3938.

Praying with Scripture: *Lectio Divina*

Lectio Divina (Holy Reading) is praying with Scripture. Texts are read slowly, paying attention to how God may be speaking to hearts and minds, trusting the Holy Spirit to speak through the text; we listen with silent and waiting hearts. The goal is to enter into and renew a personal friendship with Christ. Praying with Scripture is open to everyone, whether you have come regularly or are new to the process. The group meets **Thursday, May 9, at 10:45 a.m.**, in the Chapel. Contact Larry Fourman, (574)354-1171.

Walmart, Here We Come!

The monthly Walmart outing is **Thursday, May 9**, departing from the Hub at **1:30 p.m.** Sign up in the Notebooks at the Dining Rooms.

If you are unable to go, you can submit a detailed shopping list *in Campus Mail only*. (Please do not leave lists with the Receptionist, on Brian’s desk, send by email, etc.... the risk of being lost or forgotten is very high.☺) A detailed shopping list includes: quantities, flavors, colors, price-range (if desired), sizes, brands, substitutions, etc. Also, leave a phone number where you can be reached by the shopper in case there are questions. You will receive a bill for your purchases after delivery.

Helpful Abbreviations

A new member of the Timbercrest family has pointed out that there are some abbreviations used at Timbercrest that maybe someone new may not know... here are some common ones used regularly. If you can think of others, feel free to let Brian Daniels know. ☺

- AR = Assembly Room
- CC = Chestnut Court
- CW = Crestwood
- CY = Courtyard, usually referring to the Courtyard Dining Room
- FS = Food Service
- GDR = Guest Dining Room
- HC = Health Care
- HL = Hickory Lane
- HT = Hawthorn Trail
- NHH = Neighborhood Homes
- OD = Oak Drive
- P/S = Program and Services
- Res. = “Residential” – usually referring to apartments in the Manor
- RG = Rose Garden – usually referring to the Rose Garden Dining Room
- Sherman Drive = the drive to the main entrance off East Street
- SL = Spruce Lane
- TC = Timbercrest
- Timbercrest Drive = the drive entering the north side of campus, connecting Neighborhood Homes
- WW = Willow Way

Mother's Day Program for Everyone!

Glenn Hall will present a program of music on **Friday, May 10, at 2:00 p.m.** in the Assembly Room. The occasion is Mother's Day, but everyone is invited – mothers, daughters, sisters, grandmothers – and even men! ☺ Glenn is executive director of Kosciusko Home Care and Hospice Service and pastor of Harvest Community Church, Pierceton. He has a broad range of experience in medical and health care fields, and has degrees in business administration and accounting from Temple Baptist University and International Business College.

Glenn is an accomplished musician and his family is well known in the area. He and Alicia Evans directed the River City Gospel Chorus for many years.

Timbercrest Food Service staff member (and friend to all) Kathy Rose is making special cakes to serve as refreshments following the program.

Book Club

The Timbercrest Book Club meets **Monday, May 13, at 2:00 p.m.** in the Guest Dining Room (west basement). Contact Marianne Shenefield, 982-3959, for details.



EvenSong

Join others in the Timbercrest family for EvenSong, **Wednesdays, 4:00-4:30 p.m.** in the Chapel

May 1	Bekah Houff with M.U. R.O.B.O.T. (Radically Obedient Brethren Outreach Team) <i>Acceptance John 8:2-11</i>
May 8	Seth Hendricks <i>For the Beauty of the Earth</i>
May 15	Mark Eastway <i>Old-Time Gospel Songs</i>
May 22	Eileen Flory, viola da gamba Dwight Beery, piano <i>Music to Stir the Soul</i>
May 29	To be announced

Historical Society Remembers Gus Grissom

Author Ray E. Boomhower offers a program entitled *Fire in the Spacecraft: Gus Grissom and the Apollo 1 Disaster* at the **Monday, May 13**, meeting of the North Manchester Historical Society **at 6:30 p.m.** in the Assembly Room.

Boomhower is Senior Editor of the Indiana Historical Society Press. He is from Mishawaka. During his career, Boomhower wrote several books and won multiple awards for his writing.

The program will detail the unfortunate death of Gus Grissom and two other astronauts who were on Apollo I. The Apollo I incident upset the nation and resulted in NASA completing extensive redesigns to ensure the safety of astronauts. NASA and the country remember the Apollo I incident every January in an annual Day of Remembrance.

Knit for Kids

Ann Rehrig leads the Knit for Kids group making mittens, hats, scarves and blankets for children in the developing world. The group meets monthly to gather what they've made to be sent to World Vision for distribution. Join them **Tuesday, May 14, at 1:30 p.m.** in the Education Room (west basement).

Storyteller Visits Health Care/Crestwood

The monthly visit from storyteller Sharon Dillman is **Tuesday, May 14, at 2:00 p.m.** in the Health Care Family Room. Sharon interprets different characters from history and literature, often adding a twist that brings the story home to her audience. She is a retired teacher from North Miami Elementary School, and she and her family have a large farming operation in the Gilead area. Though the program is in Health Care, everyone is welcome. Questions? Contact Jenny Taylor, 982-3934.

Men's Breakfast in Health Care

Men in Health Care and Crestwood will have a homemade breakfast on **Tuesday, May 14, at 7:30 a.m.** in the Health Care Activity Room. Brian Daniels will be fixing three types of quiche along with cinnamon rolls and fresh fruit. To RSVP, contact Jenny Taylor or Deja Lung in Health Care. Volunteers to help are always welcome. Contact Brian Daniels, 982-3940 if you're interested.

All-Resident Meeting: Don't Miss Out

The quarterly All-Resident Meeting is **Thursday, May 16, at 9:30 a.m.** in the Assembly Room. This meeting is one of many ways the Timbercrest community stays informed and participates in the important work that goes on here. Reports from the Resident Council and Administration will be given. There is always time for questions and answers with CEO Stan Noffsinger and other staff.

Art Classes with Professor Oke

Express yourself through various artistic media through the monthly Art Class, **Monday, May 20, at 2:00 p.m.** in the Snack Shop. Sign up in the Notebooks at the Dining Rooms so enough supplies can be provided. There is no charge for the class. Questions? Contact Marianne Shenefield, 982-3959.

Make Ceramics, Make Friends

Paint plain greenware and see how beautiful it becomes at the weekly ceramics group, every **Monday and Wednesday at 1:30 p.m.** in the Craft Room (west basement). Questions? Marianne Shenefield, 982-3959.

Nineties Club: Birds with Dianne Wichern

Dianne Wichern has been a bird-fancier for a long time and will share photos and stories of her bird watching with the Nineties Club **Thursday, May 16, at 2:30 p.m.** in the Assembly Room. Dianne is a retired teacher from Fort Wayne now residing on Hawthorn Trail. She is active in Kiwanis and the North Manchester United Methodist Church. She and husband Ron can be seen tripping around campus in the warm months in their bright red golf-cart. Everyone 90 and older (and spouses) is welcome to attend these meetings.

Technology Users Group Meets Stan Noffsinger

The Technology Users Group (TUG) meets **Monday, May 20, at 10:15 a.m.** in the Conference Room located near the Recreation Room. Timbercrest CEO Stan Noffsinger will share information about plans for technology updates at Timbercrest. There

will be time for questions and feedback from residents. All users of technology are all invited!

TUG will take a summer break and not meet in June or July. The next TUG meeting will be Monday, August 19, at 10:15 a.m. in the Conference Room.

Supper Out: Texas Roadhouse

May Supper Out is to Warsaw's recently opened Texas Roadhouse **Tuesday, May 21, departing from the Hub at 4:30 p.m.** This Western-themed steakhouse is known for delicious hand-cut steaks, fall-off-the-bone ribs, made-from-scratch sides and impossibly delicious rolls. For a complete menu: www.texasroadhouse.com/menu

Meal cost and gratuity are on your own. Sign up in the Notebooks at the Dining Rooms. Questions? Contact Rhonda Nettrouer, 982-3925.

Seniors for Peace

Jan Rhoades will talk about the immigrant-rights movement at Seniors for Peace **Thursday, May 23, at 10:00 a.m.** in the Chapel. Jan will discuss the challenges and efforts to bring justice to those

involved. The immigrant situation impacts both local actions and national issues. Her presentation will focus on immigration from Mexico and Central America from 1980 to the present.

Webb's Presentation on Diabetes Care

Harry Webb, pharmacist and owner of Webb's Family Pharmacy, will discuss diabetes care on **Friday, May 24, at 2:00 p.m.** in the Assembly Room. Webb's program will feature pharmaceutical treatments and habits that can help those who suffer with this condition. Family members and caregivers are also welcome.

Mid-Week Break in the Snack Shop

Come for a nibble and good fellowship in the Snack Shop each **Wednesday from 2:00-3:00 p.m.**

May features these yummy treats:

May 1	Finger Snacks
May 8	Veggies and Dip
May 15	Hawaiian Bread and Spinach Dip
May 22	Oreo Sundaes
May 29	Popcorn Parlor

Game Night

Game Night is **Tuesday, May 28, 6:15 p.m.**, in the Recreation Room. Bring a favorite table game to share or play a friendly game of pool or table tennis with a friend. Timbercrest also provides some table games.

Light refreshments will be served. Questions? Contact Rhonda Nettrouer, 982-3925.

Memoir Writing with Jane Starner

Jane Starner helps bring life to life-stories through the Memoir Writing group each **Thursday at 1:30 p.m.** in the Guest Dining Room. While some have come regularly since the group formed in November, new participants are always welcome. Jane provides starter topics and encourages ways for participants to write out their story. Stories are your own – a gift for yourself and your family. Questions? Contact Jane, 1(423)298-4569.

Tour Instrumental Machine & Development (IMD)

Instrumental Machine and Development (IMD), Warsaw, manufactures of sterilization trays and accessories for operating rooms. Take a tour of IMD **Thursday, May 30**, departing from the Hub at **9:15 a.m.** There is no cost for the hour-long tour. Open-toed shoes are not permitted.

After the tour, lunch will be at the American Table Restaurant. The menu features American foods: the complete menu is at: www.facebook.com/American-Table-Restaurant

Meal cost and gratuity are your responsibility. Sign up in the Notebooks at the Dining Rooms. Questions? Call Rhonda Nettrouer, 982-3925.



BINGO! Have fun and win fabulous prizes at Bingo **Wednesdays and Fridays at 11:00 a.m.** in the Assembly Room!

Coffee Out

Join Marianne Shenefield for Coffee Out **Friday, May 31**, departing from the Hub at **8:45 a.m.** Nordmann's Nook in town is the destination. Nordmann's features a wide selection of baked sweets, from cookies to pies, and coffee. Purchases are on your own. Sign up in the Notebooks at the Dining Rooms.

Wing Dinners Continue

The McCombs Family will host D Wing for a dinner party **Saturday, May 18, at 4:30 p.m.** in D Wing Lounge. The menu includes homemade Beef and Noodles with Mashed Potatoes, Corn, Croissant Rolls, Sweet Tea and Lemonade. Kelli McCombs will contact residents of D Wing for RSVP by May 10.

Weekly Shopping Trips

Mondays and Thursdays transportation is provided for shopping in various places around North Manchester, departing from the Hub at **9:30 a.m.** Monday shopping is at Dollar General, New Market and The Hardware. Thursday shopping goes to CVS and Manchester Marketplace and "taxi service" to other destinations.

- There will be no shopping on **Monday, May 27**, due to Memorial Day.

Unable to go with the shopper? Leave a detailed shopping list in Marianne Shenefield's office at the Hub. Forms are provided or you may use your own paper. Also, leave a phone number where you can be reached by in case there are questions. Items can be paid for when you pick them up in Marianne's office.

See the special notice about prescription drug deliveries under "Notices" on page 8 of your *Timberline*.

Churches Host Pastor Lunches

The following congregations host lunch with their pastors and members and friends in April. Sign up in the Notebooks at the Dining Rooms to RSVP.

- ✘ *Eel River Community Church of the Brethren*, **Thursday, May 2, Noon**, in the Snack Shop; contact Carolyn Bollinger, 982-2722.
- ✘ *Manchester Church of the Brethren*, **Wednesday, May 8, Noon**, in the Assembly Room; contact Ernie Barr, 982-7862.
- ✘ *United Methodists Lunch*, **Wednesday, May 15, Noon**, in the Snack Shop; for all United Methodists from area congregations' contact Dianne Wichern, 982-0026.
- ✘ *Lutheran Lunch*, **Wednesday, May 22, 11:30 a.m.**, in the Snack Shop; contact Darlene Shear, 578-4443.

Peace Corner

In *The Wounded Healer*, Henri Nouwen writes:

“A Christian community is a healing community, not because wounds are cured and pains are alleviated, but because wounds and pains become openings or occasion for a new vision. Mutual confession then becomes a mutual deepening of hope and shared weakness becomes a reminder to one and all of coming strength... Community rises where the sharing of pain takes place, not as a stifling form of self-complaint, but as a recognition of God’s saving promises.”

As a community, many at Timbercrest experience great joys to share: children’s weddings, new grandchildren, trips, gifts and cookies sent by family. We learn new things at art classes, in dining rooms, at Fellowship Hour, or just sitting in the sun listening to God and the birds.

Nouwen suggests that Timbercrest might also be a healing community if we learned ways to share our griefs and pains. Others understand your pain, and many have shared similar sorrows. As he states, sharing those things with one another can be “a recognition of God’s saving promises” – right here at Timbercrest.

We are a true Christian community when we see one another’s need and bring healing to each other.

Notices

Welcome to the Family!

Gloria Garber moved to M-1 from her home in North Manchester on April 2. Gloria grew up in Elkhart and spent 40 years in Washington, DC, doing secretarial work for a number of private and governmental employers. She has been in the Church of the Brethren all her life and attends the Manchester Church. Gloria is the daughter of Timbercrest resident Anne Garber.

Bud Bushell moved to M-4 from his home in Columbia City on March 31. He grew up in Rhode

Island, served in the Air Force for 20 years—posted all over the world—and then worked for Ingersoll Rand as supervisor of their computer room. He loves listening to music (rock and roll and country). Bud attends the Church of the Brethren in Columbia City.

More complete life stories of Timbercrest residents, plus photos, can be found in binders on the desk across from the Timbercrest library.

Many thanks to Eileen Flory who compiles these monthly introductions of new residents and Marie Willoughby who helps with The Timbercrest Story albums at the Timbercrest library.

May Fitness Challenge

MoveWell Assessor Cathy Vasil has challenged Timbercrest to monthly fitness activities. For May, the goal is to walk three or four times a week. This should be an intentional walk (not just to the dining room and back). Keep track of your walking to check your progress!

Newspaper Delivery by Mail

More and more local papers are being delivered by mail rather than by carrier – not only to Timbercrest, but to communities throughout the nation. These papers are working with the U.S. Postal Service to have same-day service, i.e. that the paper arrives in the mail the day the edition is released.

This same-day service has had mixed results. Even larger papers, like the *Indianapolis Star* and the *Wall Street Journal*, do not arrive every day, on time. Our

observation is that smaller papers, like the *Peru Tribune*, have a mixed success rate, also.

The Timbercrest Post Office is not responsible for delays in delivery. Mail is in all resident mail boxes by 10:30 a.m. and if your newspaper hasn’t arrived by then, it is likely that it didn’t come in the day’s mail. Complaints and concerns should be directed to the newspaper offices. Most newspaper contact information is available in every edition of the paper.



Thanking Birthday Hosts

Birthday Dinners in May are hosted by Manchester Missionary Church (May 9) and New Paris Church of the Brethren (May 21). Invitations to May birthday honorees have been sent. Stop by and thank these volunteers for their time and gift of hospitality on behalf of Timbercrest.

May Chapel Speakers

Devotions in the Chapel are offered daily at 8:15 a.m. (except Wednesdays for EvenSong)
Audio of Chapel services can be heard in real time on Channel 2.

Bold indicates **Sundays**
Italics indicate *EvenSong*

May 1	<i>EvenSong</i>
May 2	Rosanna McFadden
May 3	Martha Cory
May 5	Deanna Beckner
May 6	Tom Craig
May 7	Kent Harting
<i>May 8</i>	<i>EvenSong</i>
May 9	Conrad Thompson
May 10	Torin Eikler
May 12	Al Hohl Mother's Day
May 13	Kim Ebersole
May 14	Brian Flory
<i>May 15</i>	<i>EvenSong</i>
May 16	Joel Kline
May 17	Gene Roop
May 19	Laura Stone
May 20	
May 21	Betty Kelsey
<i>May 22</i>	<i>EvenSong</i>
May 23	Russ Reahard
May 24	Eric Smith
May 26	Carol Pfeiffer
May 27	Cliff Kindy Memorial Day
May 28	Guy Studenbaker
<i>May 29</i>	<i>EvenSong</i>
May 30	Dana Hood
May 31	Travis Hartman

Dining Room Reservations

Family and guests are always welcome in Timbercrest Dining Rooms. Please make reservations at least 24-hours in advance through the Timbercrest Receptionist (not through the Dining Room hostess or server). Advance reservations insure there will be enough for regular Timbercrest diners and for guests coming in. The Food Service staff appreciate everyone's cooperation so the best possible service can be provided.

A Few Guidelines about Prescription Medicine Deliveries

CVS Pharmacy recently canceled its service of delivering medications to Timbercrest (and to Peabody). Some have asked how medications can be brought to Timbercrest for those who may not drive any longer. Several members of the Management Team have consulted and the following will serve as guidelines for us:

- If a resident wants to pick up their prescription at CVS, they can go during the usual taxi-shopping time on Thursday mornings at 9:30 a.m.
- Our understanding from CVS is that the best course of delivery is for the resident to pick-up/sign for medications on their own (or family/legal POA).
- The shopper/taxi driver will not pick up prescriptions. All prescriptions now require a signature of a responsible party.
- If a resident would like to go at time other than shopping/taxi time, Transportation Coordinator Kelli McCombs (or other staff) can provide the resident with our "Friendly Lift" list. These are volunteer drivers willing to take someone to CVS. Remuneration of the driver is expected and negotiated between resident at volunteer. Staff will not make special trips to CVS just for prescription medications.
- Residents who want delivery of medications may switch to Webb's Pharmacy (which will make deliveries):
- Webb's delivery is free for pick-up at the Hub from 4:00-4:30 daily. They will deliver to a resident's apartment for a \$2 charge.

Shop Your Neighborhood Market

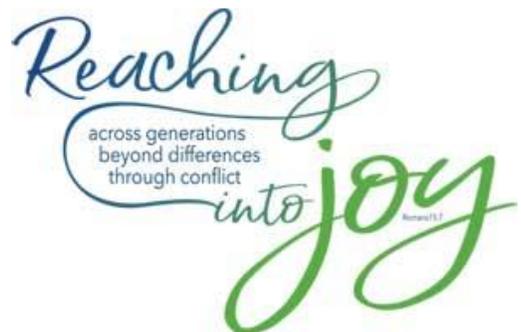
Shopping the Neighborhood Market benefits Timbercrest programs! Plus, each year a donation to the Charitable Assistance Fund is made from Market proceeds. The market carries Lafiya Program items and Fair-trade goods. There are gift and convenience items, greeting cards, snacks and supplies in the Market. Come, see what's new.

Medicare and Insurance Updates

Help keep Timbercrest files up-to-date. If you had a change in health insurance coverage during the past year or new coverage, bring new insurance cards to the Receptionist so a copy can be placed in your file. Correct information helps Timbercrest provide quicker service should the need arise.

NOAC 2019: Reaching Into Joy

A Timbercrest Coach will be going to the 2019 National Older Adults Conference (NOAC). Details about NOAC are at www.brethren.org/NOAC. Open registration begins May 1. The conference is **September 2-6, 2019**, at Lake Junaluska, North Carolina. Seats for non-resident riders will be made available after we know how many Timbercrest participants will be available.



Northern Indiana District Sponsors Bus to NOAC

A bus from the Northern Indiana District of the Church of the Brethren will be going to the 2019 National Older Adults in Lake Junaluska, North Carolina. The cost of the round-trip bus ride is \$200 and there are 56 seats available. Registration forms and itineraries are available from Brian Daniels and Laura Stone. Registration is due by August 1 but early registration is encouraged for both the bus and hotels. Contact the district office for questions, 574-773-3149; or rachel.nidcob@gmail.com In addition to bus fare, two nights in motels are also about \$75 per room per night. *A coach from Timbercrest is still planned, making the trip in one day.*

Out and About in the Community

Shepherd's Center Notes

- ✓ The North Manchester Shepherd's Center now meets in the Blocher Room of the North Manchester Public Library, 405 N. Market St. Current Events (CE) begins at **9:00 a.m.** and Adventures in Learning (AIL) follows. Medtalk begins at **8:30 a.m.**, followed by CE.
- ✓ Please carpool with other Shepherd's Center members for Current Events and MedTalk. Due to limited participation, we won't be taking the coach any longer. Here is the schedule for May:
 - **May 1, 9:00 a.m.** – CE: David Waas, retired M.U. History professor
AIL: Ed and Martha Miller, *Iceland Travels*
 - **May 8, 8:30 a.m.** – MedTalk: W. Thomas Smith, Dean, M.U. Pharmacy Programs
CE: David Waas
 - **May 15, 9:00 a.m.** – No Shepherd's Center due to Library Book Sale
 - **May 22, 9:00 a.m.** – CE: David Waas
AIL: Mystery Guest
- ✓ The Shepherd's Center takes a recess June through August.

Fiesta at Manchester University

Enjoy a fiesta of music with Manchester University music ensembles **Friday, May 3, at 7:30 p.m.** in Cordier Auditorium. The program features M.U.'s Symphonic Band, Jazz Band and Percussion Ensemble. Conductors are Scott Humphries and Terry McKee and several student conductors. Admission is \$5 per person. No Timbercrest transportation is provided for this program.

Manchester Symphony: *1812 Overture* Featured

Tchaikovsky's *1812 Overture* is the featured number at the **Sunday, May 5**, program of the Manchester Symphony Orchestra, at **3:00 p.m.** in Cordier Auditorium. Also to be performed will be *Vaňhal Concerto for Two Bassoons in F Major*, with MSO's bassoonists Erich Zummack and Freddie Lapierre. Admission is \$15 per person; patron members are admitted free by showing your membership card. Sign up for transportation in the Notebooks at the Dining Rooms (departing from the Hub at 2:30 p.m.).

Farmer's Market Opens

The North Manchester Farmer's Market begins the summer season **Saturday, May 4, from 8:00 a.m. to Noon** in the parking lot of Riverbidge Electric at the corner of Wayne St. and E. Main St. The market is open every Saturday morning and Wednesdays from 4:00-6:00 p.m. through October 26.

Community Dinner at UMC

A dinner for the community is served at the United Methodist Church, 306 E. Sycamore St., on **Friday, May 10, 4:30-7:00 p.m.** The menu includes baked steak, mashed potatoes with gravy, green beans, salad, dessert and drinks. Adult tickets are \$8 at the door. Carry-out is available.

Melody Makers of Indiana at Warsaw PAC

Melody Makers of Indiana, a program of the Indiana Extension Homemakers, will perform at Warsaw High School Performing Arts Center, **Sunday, May 19, at 4:00 p.m.** Tickets for the event are \$5 in advance (through Brian Daniels) or \$10 at the door. Contact Brian if you are interested.