



UPCOMING EVENTS



NOVEMBER 1 | CAREGIVERS APPRECIATION MONTH

National Family Caregivers Month (NFCM) is a time to recognize and honor family caregivers across the country. It offers an opportunity to raise awareness of caregiving issues, educate communities, and increase support for caregivers.



NOVEMBER 2 | WELLNESS LECTURE SERIES

Join Parkway Place's Melanie Lewis for a lecture on Bone health and the things you can do to prevent falls!



NOVEMBER 5 | DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME ENDS

Daylight saving time is the practice of advancing clocks during warmer months so that darkness falls at a later clock time. Don't forget to set your clock 1 hour backwards before bed on November 4th!



NOVEMBER 7 | ELECTION DAY

The 2023 United States elections are scheduled to be held in large part on Tuesday, November 7, 2023. The off-year elections include gubernatorial and state legislative elections in a few states, as well as numerous citizens initiatives, mayoral races, and a variety of other local offices on the ballot.



NOVEMBER 10 | VETERANS DAY CELEBRATION

Veterans Day is a federal holiday in the United States observed annually on November 11, for honoring military veterans of the United States Armed Forces. Join Parkway Place on November 10th for a celebration honoring Veterans and Spouses at 11:00am in the Brimhurst.



NOVEMBER 24 | THANKSGIVING CELEBRATION

Prayers of thanks and special thanksgiving ceremonies are common among most religions after harvests and at other times of the year. The Thanksgiving holiday's history in North America is rooted in English traditions dating from the Protestant Reformation.

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Parkway Place Independent Living

NOVEMBER 2023

COMMUNITY NEWS

Inspiring Happiness.



“Parkway Place gives me a purpose. I love to help all my friends and neighbors. I’m praying every day for Parkway Place”

PARKWAY PLACE

IS A BLESSING!

Janet McGuire was born in El Paso, Texas and is the oldest of three. She stayed in El Paso until she went to college at Texas Tech in Lubbock, Texas. She graduated with a Bachelor's degree in elementary Education. She went on to teach in the Lubbock public school system for three years. She met her husband and got married on February 9, 1962. They moved on to Abilene for 2 years where they had their son, Bryce. After Abilene, they moved to Dallas for 2 years, then to Houston in 1965. Janet went on to work in retail merchandising and managed a store in the Galleria. After a 17 year marriage that ended in divorce, Janet credits her neighbor, Joyce, for bringing her back to the Lord. Janet, then, went back into the education field, and taught in HISD for 7 years. She then went on to receive a Masters in Education from University of Houston Clear Lake with the intention of becoming a school principal. But, the Lord had a different path. She went to work for Scholastic and sold textbooks until retirement. “I love Parkway Place. I have no family in Houston so Parkway Place is my family”

JANET MCGUIRE
Resident since 2022



With Thanksgiving right around the corner, you may have started to make your holiday plans. Thanksgiving traditions usually include watching football or the annual Macy's Thanksgiving Day Parade but make sure to plan some activities that bring everyone together. Remember to make your senior loved one comfortable this Thanksgiving with a few simple tips: enjoy your time by cooking together, ask them to help with the kids, Take a break and get outside. Thanksgiving is a special time to show family and friends how much you appreciate them. Focus on some old memories to share during dinner and take turns sharing what you are thankful for.

Writer's Corner

The eclipse came and went
But we're still here.
Thankful for friends
Both far and near.



“THE ECLIPSE”
A POEM BY NELLEN BRUNSON

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Residents Stretching Their Minds During Cognitive Calisthenics!

RESIDENT BIRTHDAY CORNER!

11/1 Joan Chance
 11/3 Betty Beard
 11/12 Mary Kay Jax
 11/12 Ann Maresh
 11/16 Jerry Ballard
 11/16 Marlene Edwards



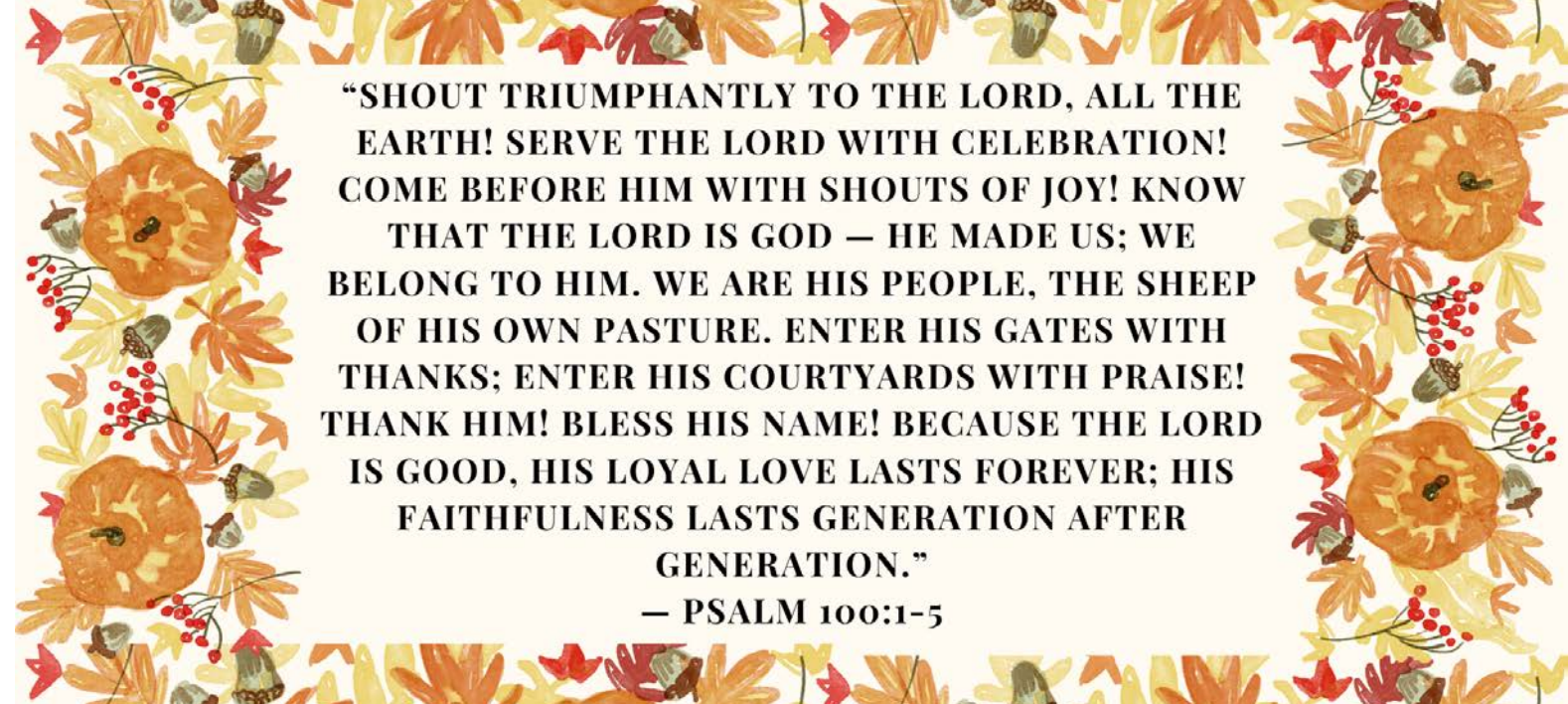
11/20 Pat Adams
 11/21 Charlene Onstot
 11/24 Betty Bough
 11/26 Pat Glozer
 11/27 Bryant Wilkinson
 11/27 Carol Adams

ASSOCIATE OF THE MONTH

Parkway Place is honoring Renee Copley, Independent Living Sales Counselor, as associate of the month! Renee completed her first year of service at Parkway Place on September 6th. Renee is wonderful with making everyone feel warm and welcome. She feels blessed to be able to surround herself with seniors and calls this ministry her life's calling. Around the community she cares about First Impressions and making sure we are providing the best place for our seniors to call home. She stays connected with residents and associates and is always ready to offer a helping hand when others need it. What an amazing blessing you are to us Renee! Congratulations, Renee, October's associate of the month!



Residents Love Being Active At Parkway Place!



“SHOUT TRIUMPHANTLY TO THE LORD, ALL THE EARTH! SERVE THE LORD WITH CELEBRATION! COME BEFORE HIM WITH SHOUTS OF JOY! KNOW THAT THE LORD IS GOD — HE MADE US; WE BELONG TO HIM. WE ARE HIS PEOPLE, THE SHEEP OF HIS OWN PASTURE. ENTER HIS GATES WITH THANKS; ENTER HIS COURTYARDS WITH PRAISE! THANK HIM! BLESS HIS NAME! BECAUSE THE LORD IS GOOD, HIS LOYAL LOVE LASTS FOREVER; HIS FAITHFULNESS LASTS GENERATION AFTER GENERATION.”

— PSALM 100:1-5



Birds of a Feather Flock Together!

Friends make the best neighbors! For each qualified referral who moves in, you'll receive a one-time \$1,500 credit towards your monthly fee.

Please see the marketing team for more details.

Searching For November!

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To the brave men and women who served in the U.S. Armed Forces, we honor you and your families this Veterans Day and every day. There are 9.2 million veterans age 65 and older, who are beyond deserving of recognition and appreciation for their service. Here are several purposeful ways to celebrate this special time with a veteran: accompany them to a parade or a luncheon, enjoy a special family gathering at home, seek out a veteran at home, or visit a senior veteran in senior housing. If time and distance don't allow you to spend time with a veteran loved one in person, consider reaching out in other ways: phone calls, letters, care packages, cards, photos, emails, or facetime.



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 GHOSTS
 DECORATE
 SCARECROW
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