

Monthly Newsletter

February 2025



LIFE ENRICHMENT- RYLEIGH

RESIDENT CARE- KALYN

ADMINISTRATOR-KENDRA

Here's what has happened in the last month and what's to come!

Throughout the month of January, we experienced a wealth of joy and engagement within our community. We celebrated January birthdays with a delectable cake and a variety of delicious foods. Our daily bingo games, held every Monday through Friday, continued to be a favorite pastime. Furthermore, we enjoyed numerous musical performances, which were well received by all. Finally, we honored our spiritual practices through church services and morning prayers, enriching our community's sense of togetherness.

In February, we have an exciting array of activities planned. Our devotionals will continue every Monday, Wednesday, and Friday, adhering to last month's schedule. Bingo, a beloved favorite, will remain a daily staple. Tender Heart will join us each Monday to inspire our creative endeavors. Our cherished church services will be led by representatives from Vineyard Church, St. Agnes Church, and Chaplain Karen. Furthermore, we will enjoy live musical performances from Dave Britton, Laurie Middlebrook, Mike Leiter, and Dave Smith—events that consistently rank among our favorites alongside bingo. To celebrate Valentine's Day, we have organized a variety of fun activities, including Valentine's Family Feud, Name that Love Tune, heart-shaped sand art, and a Valentine's candy dice game!

As we embrace the month of February, we look forward to fostering deeper connections and creating cherished memories. Your participation and enthusiasm are what make our community vibrant and thriving. We encourage everyone to join in, share the joy, and make this month as memorable as January. Here's to another month of laughter, love, and togetherness!

Together, we can make a real difference in the lives of those who need it most. Thank you for your continued support!

Enjoy this month's newsletter!

Ryleigh Tinglan

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Community News

Welcome to our community newsletter! We are thrilled to share with you the latest developments in our mission to make a positive impact in our community.

Firstly, we would like to express our gratitude to all of our donors and volunteers who have continued to support us.

The residents in our community, here at Stone Crest Assisted Living, greatly appreciate live musical performances. We aim to enhance our monthly event calendars by inviting more talented individuals to perform. While our budget is limited, we are primarily seeking volunteers, although we remain open to all possibilities.



Volunteer Spotlight

Mike Leiter generously volunteers his time monthly at Stone Crest, delighting our residents with live musical performances. The enthusiasm and dedication Mike exudes are greatly appreciated by our residents, families, and staff.

Anticipation builds with each scheduled visit, as Mike's presence brings joy, warmth, and a sense of commitment to our community at Stone Crest. Thank you, Mike, for all that you bring and offer as a person. You are truly special.



Event News

- **Live Music**
February 4th- Dave Smith
February 13th- Dave Britton
February 18th- Laurie Middlebrook
February 26th- Mike Leiter
- **Church Service**
February 14th- St. Agnes
February 20th- Vineyard
- **Resident Council Meeting**
March
- **Tender Heart**
Mondays
- **Birthday Bash**
February 20th
- **Movie & Snack**
Fridays
- **Bingo**
ALL week!



Our objectives, principles, and distinctive qualities that define our organization

Stone Crest Assisted Living, located in Freeland, MI, is a nonprofit assisted living community dedicated to providing families with the assurance that their loved ones will receive compassionate care. Our commitment lies in offering personalized assistance tailored to individual needs, fostering an environment of love, community, and comfort—a true home for our residents. Nestled alongside the picturesque Tittabawassee River, Stone Crest stands as a hidden gem in Freeland, boasting four splendid common area rooms with river views and an expansive deck for residents to enjoy the sights of local fishermen and wildlife. The beauty of our grounds and the magnificence of our facility strike visitors upon arrival, yet for our residents, it signifies home.

Operated by Baruch Senior Ministries, a faith-based nonprofit organization established in 1997, Stone Crest Assisted Living is part of a mission to provide compassionate and affordable senior living options throughout Michigan. Baruch's support ensures that the care team at Stone Crest has access to the necessary resources to deliver exceptional and individualized care to your loved ones.

To experience the warmth and tranquility of Stone Crest Assisted Living, we invite you to schedule a visit today.

Thank you for reading!

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Monthly Reflection

God Calling

As a child growing up in a suburb of Chicago, I would run to my friend's house and call out her name while waiting at the door for her to come out and play. When I was a teenager, I would use the phone to call my friends. Today, I use my cell phone and email.

God calls us to many places – a particular family, a certain church, a place of education and a position of work. God calls us to learn how to love and give and respect others. In Genesis 12, God called Abraham to leave his country and family so God could make a great nation of him. In Exodus 3, Moses is called by God from the burning bush to lead God's people out of Egypt. In Luke 1, Mary is called by God to bear the Son of Man and in the New Testament, Jesus is called by God to give his life for our sins that we might have eternal life.

Pastor Rick Warren of Saddleback Church in California, writes that we have 5 purposes in our calling: 1. To center our lives around God. 2. To have fellowship with his family. 3. To study God's Word. 4. To give back to ministry. 5. To tell others about God's love.

In Romans 1:1 Paul writes this about his calling "Paul, a servant of Jesus Christ, called to be an apostle, and set apart for the Gospel of God."

When you reflect on your life, where has God called you to in the past, what has he called you to in the present and how might he be calling you into the future. It is a beautiful thing, God's calling on your life.

Ephesians 2:10 tells us, "For we are God's masterpiece. He has created us anew in Christ Jesus, so we can do the good things he had planned for us long ago".

As you journey through 2025, I pray you will hear God's calling on your life, you will study God's Word and you will tell others about God's love.

May your journey be beautiful!!

Chaplain Val
