

# ✠ Manor Message ✠

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## The Administrator's Pen

OSM Family and Friends,

Thank You for your understanding in all that we are doing here at OSM to make you and your home safe especially during these trying times. I truly do understand that it may not be easy for you right now, but please know this, **WE** are all in this together. My prayer is that God puts HIS ability on our ability, giving us the ability we didn't have before. So just trust HIM, let go and let GOD!

Please say a special prayer for families of those who lost loved ones during these trying times.

I want to wish everyone a blessed and very **Happy & Blessed Mother's Day!** You may not be able to attend church or make your reservation at your favorite restaurant, but please do not let that stop you from having your favorite meal brought to you. I pray that your families will take the time to call, video chat, or just drive by and wish you a very special hello.

Senior Alliance will be delivering food boxes sometime during this month; we will make sure that everyone receives a box. If you do not want one, please let me know, we will make sure that someone who needs a box will get it.

I look forward to our phone conference on Friday, May 8 at 11:00 AM. Please remember to call in at 11 AM. A memo with the new conference call phone numbers was delivered to your porch on Wednesday, May 6, 2020.

**Remember: Good, Better, Best, Never Rest until your Good is Better and your Better is Best! GO MONARCHS!!!**



*Graziella Bruner*  
Administrator



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# Monarch Moments

Blessings Our Saviour's Manor,

**Wishing Everyone a Happy and Healthy Month!**



Reminder all common areas are still closed. We are still under the Governor's Stay At Home order that was issued on March 24, 2020. All trips and events during our COVID19 season have been cancelled.

Our PVM Victory Cup for June 2020 has been cancelled until next year.

Thank you again to all residents for your cooperation and understanding as we navigate through these tough times. Just a reminder to try to stay healthy by, washing your hands periodically, non- essential visitors are not allowed in our building or your apartment, and to practice social distancing.

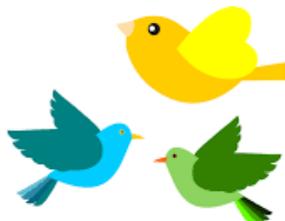
Lastly, the laundry room is still open for residents. Please use your Key FOB to gain access. The Laundry Room is open 24 hours.

**OSM Office Hours are still operating as follows:**

**Monday, Wednesday, & Fridays from 9:00 AM to 4:00 PM. OSM Office is closed on Tuesdays and Thursdays until further notice. Be blessed and Be safe.**

Please check the calendar for all of our updates.

**Have a blessed and safe month!**



## **Schwan's Delivery Schedule**

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# Inspirational Moments

By To Be Determined,  
Resident Volunteer

## A Prayer Blessing For You!



### **Number 6:24-26 (AMP)**

#### **Verse 24**

The LORD Bless You, and keep you  
(protect you, sustain you and guard you);

#### **Verse 25**

The LORD make HIS face shine upon you (with favor),  
And be gracious to you  
(surrounding you with lovingkindness);

#### **Verse 26**

The LORD lift up HIS countenance (face)  
upon you (with divine approval),  
and give you peace (a tranquil heart and life).



# Coordinator's Corner

By To Be Determined  
Service Coordinator

**Greetings!!!!!! Our Saviour's Manor Residents.**

## Stimulus Check Scams

As the IRS gears up to send coronavirus stimulus payments to millions of Americans, scammers are jumping into action.

The Federal Trade Commission has already received more than 14,000 complaints about COVID-19-related schemes, and the IRS is warning that everyone -- but especially seniors -- needs to be on the lookout for criminals preying on their confusion about economic impact payments.

Scams can take many forms, from thieves calling or emailing and telling you to provide your bank information to fake checks that purport to be from the IRS. But no matter the form, there are a few key ways to protect yourself from falling victim to a dishonest actor.

### Know how the IRS communicates

The first key thing to understand is that the IRS is not going to call or email you and ask for personal information.

If someone sends you an email or calls your home or cell phone and says they need your Social Security number, bank details, or other personal data in order for you to get your stimulus check, they're almost certainly a scammer, and you should not engage.

You should also avoid opening email attachments or clicking on website links from unfamiliar or suspicious-looking sources. The attachment could be a virus, and the link could take you to a phishing site set up to look like the real thing but really run by a scammer aiming to get your data.

Don't be fooled because a phone number comes up on your caller ID identifying the caller as the IRS either. Numbers can be spoofed. If you get a call purporting to be from a government official or your bank, err on the side of caution and hang up. If you think it *might* have been a legitimate call, you can always look up the telephone number of the institution yourself on their official website and call them back to find out.

**Never pay money to get money and scrutinize paper checks carefully.**

Sources: Christy Bieber at the fool.com

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To Be Determined

*Remember you are fearfully and wonderfully made. - Psalm 139:14*



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## **UPCOMING PVM FUTURE EVENTS**

### **PVM Friends & Family is extended until June 15<sup>th</sup>**

You can bring your check or money orders  
To the office, so we can make sure it goes in  
The appropriate Friends and Family envelope.

### **PVM Victory Cup – Cancelled until 2021 - GO MONARCHS!**



### **PVM 17<sup>th</sup> Gala Diamond Ball in November Celebrating 75 years of PVM**





## It's Your Life. Live It Well.

By Tom Wyllie,  
Director of Wellness

### Remaining Socially Connected While Staying Physically Distant

As I write this column, there is just about two weeks left in Governor Whitmer's "Stay Home. Stay Safe." order, issued based on what experts such as Dr. Fauci, Director of the National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Disease believe is the best way we know right now to reduce our exposure to the coronavirus. However, just because we need to be physically distant from each other, doesn't mean we can't remain socially connected with our family, friends, neighbors and loved ones.

I think it's safe to say that there's at least once piece of technology that we all share, and that's the telephone. I encourage you to use it and use it often. Just the other day, a volunteer that I work with at PVM called me out of the blue just to see how I was doing. It felt good to know she was thinking about me. A few days before that, a Village Board member called me and left a message on my voicemail. She said there was no need to call back. She had just called to say hi and make sure I was doing ok. Again, it felt good to know that somebody, particularly somebody who isn't a family member, was thinking about me during this crisis. So pull out your phonebook and make some calls and not just to your family, but to that person you've been meaning to call but until now just haven't gotten around to it.

If you happen to have some additional technology available to you such as a computer, smartphone or tablet and you have internet access then you have a window to the world through which you can connect with others more than you probably ever thought possible. And you can do so all without leaving the relative safety of your home.

Zoom, for example, is all the rage right now. It's a web-based video conferencing service that people across the globe are using to connect with each other in creative and inventive ways. My kids, who are grown, have been using it to play a weekly game of trivia with each other and their friends like they used to when the bars were open. This past Easter I know of people who used it to have Easter dinner with each other and I know of many families who used it for their Passover Seder. It's fairly easy to use and right now it's free, so if you'd like to check it out go to <https://zoom.us>.

Of course social media is also very popular. [Facebook](#), [Instagram](#), and [Twitter](#) seem to be the most popular. A lot of people are sharing stories, pictures and videos, some of which are very moving and sad; some are motivating and inspiring; and some are silly and entertaining. If you have an account of your own on any of these platforms, you can share your own stories, pictures, and videos and can share and exchange comments on what you see. One important thing to keep in mind, however, is that it's not very wise to believe everything you see, hear and read on the internet.

Being cooped up inside all day can start to drive you a little crazy even if you do regularly talk on the phone to your family and post to social media like a pro. Thanks to a few clever museums, aquariums and zoos, however, those of you with a computer, smartphone or tablet and internet access can 'leave your house' without leaving your house by going on a virtual tour or field trip.

For example, you can tour many of the exhibits at the Smithsonian Natural History Museum by going here: <https://naturalhistory.si.edu/visit/virtual-tour>. You can watch sharks swim around at the Aquarium of the Pacific here: [http://www.aquariumofpacific.org/exhibits/webcams/webcam\\_shark\\_lagoon](http://www.aquariumofpacific.org/exhibits/webcams/webcam_shark_lagoon). And, you can check out the giraffes at the Houston zoo by going to: <https://www.houstonzoo.org/explore/webcams/giraffe-feeding-platform>.

One thing you'll need to at least initially bring with you when you take these tours is your patience. It may take you a little while to figure out what to click and how to maneuver through these virtual experiences. I know it did for me, but don't give up. It won't be too long before you'll master the necessary skills and open up hours of fun and wonder.

So as you can see, though we may currently need to stay physically distant from each other during this crisis, there's no need for us to socially disconnect from each other or from the world. Stay safe and stay well!

# **Mission, Vision & Values**

Just as water from a wellspring is pure and clear, we want our Vision, Mission and Values to be rock solid and easily seen.

## *Vision*

**Changed Lives. Strong Families. Transformed Communities.**

A ripple is caused by making a splash. Many of our clients believe they can make no positive impact at all. By engaging with the individual to build self-esteem and dip into their own God-given potential, a splash of hope ripples through the individual and the family. We believe this ripple cannot only reach distant shores, but its lasting effect can transform whole communities.

## *Mission*

**Motivated by Christ's love, we engage people as they experience and embrace their God-given potential.**

At the source is God's love. We seek to release and be a channel of the love that Jesus, by his example, poured out in abundance. It's a love that puts the good of neighbor above personal interests and engages those on the "outside," as he did with a woman he met at a well. Because of this meeting, her life, her family and community were transformed.

## *Values*

Our values are the things we must live out — things we must not only believe but be. These values help direct our actions and drive our behavior.

- ❖ **Christ-centered**
- ❖ **Excellence**
- ❖ **Integrity**
- ❖ **Life**

*Our Vision* Changed lives. Strong families. Transformed communities.





*Hope flows through us.*



# Giving Matters.

By Paul J. Miller, CFRE,  
President, PVM Foundation

## Friends & Family 2020! Extended until June 15

Join us in the annual **Friends & Family 2020** fundraising campaign! Friends & Family is an opportunity for residents to raise funds for projects that will enhance and enrich their lives.

### Want to Learn More?

Attend your Village Kick-Off Party or look for flyers and posters to learn more about your Village's individual fundraising goal and project. You can also visit [pvmfoundation.org/FF2020](http://pvmfoundation.org/FF2020). Please encourage everyone you know to make a gift to support your Village's much-needed project and, remember, *every gift matters!*

### To Make a Gift

- Please come to the office for a donation envelope and mail it to PVM Foundation:
  - 26200 Lahser Road, Suite 300, Southfield, MI 48033.
- Go online at [pvmfoundation.org/OSM](http://pvmfoundation.org/OSM) to support Our Saviour's Manor
- Call the PVM Foundation at 248-281-2040

For more information, please contact your Village Administrator or the PVM Foundation at 248-281-2040. Best of luck to ALL the Villages for a successful Friends & Family Campaign!

Extended  
until  
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June 15

PRESBYTERIAN VILLAGES OF MICHIGAN FOUNDATION

2015 FRIENDS & family

Help PVM Villages raise funds for projects and programs to enhance the lives of seniors.

Your gift today will change the lives of seniors for years to come!

TO MAKE A GIFT:  
See your Administrator for your Village's fundraising goal and project, or call the PVM Foundation at 248.281.2040 or visit [www.pvmfoundation.org](http://www.pvmfoundation.org).

Your gift can be MATCHED!  
Match guidelines apply.

April 1-30



# Mayor's Message

By William Wild,  
Mayor, City of Westland

## ***Budget Crisis Amidst COVID-19***

Economists from the University of Michigan say the Coronavirus pandemic may lead to higher unemployment rates than the Great Recession, providing evidence that supports an aggressive federal financial response. More help will be necessary for small businesses and state and local governments

The sharp decline in economic activity from the Coronavirus crisis will soon bring about a free fall in state and local government revenues. As sales taxes dry up, incomes shrink and state income tax payments are postponed, state and local governments will face painful choices. The just-passed stimulus bill (the CARES Act) includes \$150 billion in direct aid to state and local governments, of which \$3.87 billion is allocated to Michigan, and Wayne County would receive \$305 million.

The problem is, this legislation requires these funds be spent on new costs directly related to the pandemic, such as providing emergency treatment facilities. This ties the hands of state and local elected leaders who are not able to use the stimulus funds to pay for basic services already budgeted, such as education, police and firefighters, or road maintenance.

Michigan's Fiscal Year 2020 budget is \$58.4 billion and right now the Department of Treasury, Management and Budget (DTMB) is estimating the revenue loss will be between \$1 and \$3 billion with an additional revenue shortfall projected between \$1 and \$4 billion for Fiscal Year 2021.

Unlike the federal government, which can run big deficits, states have to balance their budgets and are limited in what they can cut. Almost 40% of the budget already comes from federal funding with big strings attached for areas like roads, schools and health care, and another 18% is in other restricted funds.

The only two funds that legislators have discretion over are the School Aid Fund (roughly \$14 billion) for K-12 schools and the General Fund (estimated to be \$11 billion), which accounts for funding for local governments, parks, state police, veterans affairs, the environment, the safety net and prisons. The projected losses would be devastating to these two funds, totaling only \$25 billion in annual revenues.

When the State's budget falls short, the impact trickles down to counties and municipalities. There is a dire need to address some of the shortcomings for local governments within the federal stimulus efforts.

This week, the important Coronavirus Community Relief Act (H.R. 6467) was presented which would provide \$250 billion in funding to all local governments with fewer than 500,000 residents. This bill creates a necessary path to receive direct federal aid for the 99.82 percent of municipalities that were shut out of the CARES Act.

In addition to providing a separate \$250 billion fund, this bill makes three significant improvements on the CARES Act:

- \* Allows units of local government to use allocated funds to cover losses. This change from the CARES Act will help local communities deal with revenue shortfalls that will happen as a result of the COVID-19 crisis.
- \* Provides the necessary flexibility on how allocated funds can be used. If one city needs more funds than it is allocated while another city does not need all of its allocated funds, funds can be reallocated among cities within a state to ensure funds are put to their best use.
- \* Changes the rule regarding when a city, town, or village must certify in order to receive funds. Instead of placing a burdensome "shot clock" by which cities, towns, and villages must apply, this legislation allows more time for an applicant to request funds. Smaller cities and towns are facing unprecedented challenges and could be facing layoffs. In this environment, a "shot clock" to apply puts unneeded pressure on smaller communities in crisis.

-If you must care for them while you're sick, wash your hands frequently





# Notes From The Parish Nurse



By Carolyn Kimbrough,

Parish Nurse, Lutheran Church of Our Saviour|The Village of Our Saviour's Manor

## Hello Residents!

Well we finally got our wish. Spring is here and summer is fast approaching. We've had many challenges these last few weeks, but let us not forget, the steady force we have available in our lives, who is reliable and dependable.

He is the almighty GOD, and he has an open line that we can communicate to, which is by prayer. Simply by bowing our knees, or just putting our hands together in solemn prayer, we can reach him, beyond the environment and universe.

When we are DOWN to nothing...GOD is up to something! Thank GOD for our physical and spiritual strength and nourishment! Not only what we need and yearn for each day, but for allowing us one more day on His earth.

This is the month we recognize Heart Disease and Physical Fitness/Sports month. Heart disease is the #1 killer among women over 25. Men are no longer in this category by themselves. The percentages of women who die suddenly is rising, and have no previous symptoms. That is the reason education is so important.

It is important that women as well as men, watch what they eat, exercise at least 3 days per week, for 20 minutes. Walking is an excellent way to start, getting your heart rate up and being a little winded, lets you know you are doing targeted exercise.

**NOTE:** If you have not exercised in the past year, be sure to speak with your doctor before you start your program.

### *"The Second 10 Commandments"*

#### Commandment #3 Exercise they Spirit.

Be sure there's balance in your life. 1) time alone, 2) time with one other person, 3) time with two or more other people (group activities).



***"Do not be conformed to this world, but be transformed by the renewal of your mind, that by testing you, discern what is the will of God, what is good and acceptable and perfect".***

Romans 12:2 (ESV)



# The Senior Advocate.

*By Lynn Alexander,  
Vice President of Public Affairs*

## **In the Shelter Of Each Other**

“It is in the shelter of each other that the people live.” - Irish proverb

This quote is extremely appropriate for these times we are in. As we are all sheltering in place it becomes all the more apparent how important connection is for us as human beings. We miss our children, grandchildren and all loved ones and friends more than we could have even imagined before. They are the lifeblood of our lives. The PVM staff feels that way about all of you. Your cards of appreciation have inspired us all.

This all seems so counterintuitive as we have always encouraged you to be engaged, get involved, and come together for fun, wellness and connection. Now we are insisting that you shelter in place. You have been doing a great job of this; and it is working! We are flattening the curve of this terrible disease known as COVID-19 or the Coronavirus. Please remember that you are not only protecting yourself but everyone else as well. And also remember that your administrators and staff are available to help you when needed. Also, our Wellness teams have created some very creative ways to stay engaged remotely. Check in with them. They are just a phone call away.

We appreciate very much your cooperation and support. Once we get through this we will celebrate in a very big way. We are one day closer to having this behind us. Better days are ahead!



# Mike's Maintenance Tips

By Michael Hooton,  
Maintenance Technician

## Keep Your Home Safe from Germs

With the importance of staying healthy during this time so important, it is important to practice good cleaning habits. Cleaning and disinfecting high-touch surfaces in your home regularly is an important precaution to lower the risk of infection.

Common high-touch surfaces include: door handles, tables, chairs, handrails, kitchen and bathroom surfaces, toilets, light switches, mobile phones, computers, tablets, keyboards, and remote controls,

When cleaning and disinfecting, it's important not to wipe cleaning solutions off as soon as you've applied it to a surface. Many disinfectant products, such as wipes and sprays, need to stay wet on a surface for several minutes in order to be effective.

Always read the directions to make sure you're using the products as recommended and to avoid damaging sensitive items such as mobile phones and other electronic devices.

-Consider using wipe able covers for electronics.

Just a reminder, the trash rooms remain open 24/7. The laundry room is open 24 hours as well. But you must use your key fob to unlock the door. All common areas are closed.

A few reminders:

- *Please report all maintenance repairs to the office. (734-595-4663)*
- *Please make sure the dryer lint cleaner is being emptied after each use.*



*Dial 1 -734-740-4777 for after hour maintenance emergencies*



# Katelyn's Column

By Katelyn DeHart,  
Administrative Assistant

## *7 Days of Inspiration*

### *Day 1*

**Within you, there is a true calm,  
That can weather any storm.**

### *Day 2*

**Hope and faith are even more powerful together.**

### *Day 3*

**You are a blessing and you are blessed.**

### *Day 4*

**Kindness never goes out of style.**

### *Day 5*

**You are someone that can get things done!**

### *Day 6*

**Life is spectacular, and so are you!**

### *Day 7*

**You make bad day's better and good days great!**

# Events for May 2020

# Happy Birthday!!!



**Samuel Warren- 5/02**

**Mary Bennett- 5/23**

**Phyllis Johnson- 5/26**

## MAY 2020

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
May is observed as 27 Mystery Month National Barbecue Month National Bike Month National Photograph Month National Salad Month	28 Governor Whitmer's COVID 19 "Stay at Home" Order still in effect. As we receive the updates, we will keep you informed. PLEASE STAY HOME and STAY SAFE!	29 <b>Offices Closed</b>	30 All activities, functions and meetings have been cancelled until further notice. Once the Governor's orders changes, we will adjust our calendar.	31 <b>Offices Closed</b>	01 Governor Whitmer's COVID 19 "Stay at Home" Order still in effect.	02 Happy Birthday Samuel Warren!
Weekly Celebrations 03 Week 1- Nurses Week 2- Wildflower Week Week 3- National Police Week Week 4- Emergency Medical Services Week	04 	05 Cinco De Mayo <b>Offices Closed</b>	06 National Nurses Day Focus: HOPE Food for Seniors	07 <b>Offices Closed</b>	08 	09
Mothers Day 10 	11	12 <b>Offices Closed</b>	13	14 <b>Offices Closed</b>	15 Governor Whitmer's COVID 19 "Stay at Home" Order ends at midnight. Please watch or listen to the news this date may change. As we receive updates we will keep you informed. PLEASE STAY HOME and STAY	16 Happy Birthday Mary Bennett!
17	18	19 <b>Offices Closed</b>	20	21 <b>Offices Closed</b>	22	23 Think Positive Be Positive 
24	25 Memorial Day <b>Offices Closed</b> 	26 <b>Offices Closed</b> Happy Birthday Phyllis Johnson! 	27 Keep Calm and Trust God 	28 <b>Offices Closed</b>	29 Start Your Day with a Smile! 	30
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# May Recipe

## CREAM OF BROCCOLI SOUP



### INGREDIENTS

#### FILLING:

- 10 ounces fresh or frozen chopped broccoli
- 3/4 cup finely chopped onion
- 2 cups shredded cheddar cheese
- 2 teaspoons salt
- 1 teaspoon white pepper
- 1 teaspoon garlic powder
- 1 cup milk
- 1 cup light cream
- 1/4 cup (1/2 stick) butter
- 1/2 cup cold water
- 1/3 cup all-purpose white flour

### INSTRUCTIONS

1. In a large pan, bring 6 cups of water to a boil.
2. Add broccoli and onions; boil for 10 to 12 minutes.
3. Add cheese, salt, pepper, and garlic powder.
4. Cook over medium heat, stirring constantly, until cheese melts.
  5. Add milk, cream, and butter.Heat to boiling, stirring constantly.
6. In a bowl, combine cold water and flour and mix until smooth.
  7. Add slowly to the hot soup, stirring rapidly.
8. Continue to cook, stirring constantly, until the soup is the consistency of heavy cream.

Serve hot.

***ENJOY***

# Monthly Word Search

## Who am I?

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| witty      | unique        | strong      | spontaneous   |
| positive   | passionate    | optimistic  | musical       |
| loyal      | loving        | loved       | lovable       |
| kind       | joyful        | intelligent | inspiring     |
| insightful | independent   | incredible  | imaginative   |
| hopeful    | honest        | happy       | grateful      |
| gracious   | gorgeous      | genuine     | generous      |
| funny      | fun           | friendly    | fearless      |
| fabulous   | extraordinary | excited     | energetic     |
| dynamic    | determined    | daring      | creative      |
| courageous | considerate   | confident   | compassionate |
| clever     | caring        | brilliant   | brave         |
| beautiful  | ambitious     | adventurous | amazing       |

## May Observances & Fun Facts:

### May is observed as:

- Mystery Month
- National Barbecue Month
- National Bike Month
- National Photograph Month
- National Salad Month

### Weekly Celebrations

- Week 1– Nurses Week
- Week 2- Wildflower Week
- Week 3- National Police Week
- Week 4- Emergency Medical Services Week

### May Flower and Birthstone



Flower = Lily of the Valley



Gem= Emerald



## FREE NOTARY Services

Provided To All of Our OSM Residents

Please Visit The Office And See Mrs. Graziella Bruner For More Details.



## OSM Local Sponsors:

313-671-5555



**Paulette Styles**

### Helpful Resources

#### Transportation

Nankin Transit (Serving Westland) (734) 729-2710  
Smart ADA (313) 223-2100

#### Senior Agencies

The Senior Alliance (Wayne/Westland) (734) 722-2830

#### CareSync Solutions

Home Healthcare Services (248-773-4550)



## Become a Fan of OSM on Facebook

How to Become a Fan:

- 1) Visit [www.facebook.com](http://www.facebook.com) and log-in your account. If you do not have an account, click "Sign Up" button to create one.
- 2) In the Facebook search toolbar, type in "The Village of Our Saviour's Manor" or go to [facebook.com/The Village of Our Saviour's Manor](http://facebook.com/TheVillageofOurSaviour'sManor)
- 3) Click on the "Like" button to become a fan of OSM

Those already active on Facebook explore our new page and invite our friends and family to "Like" us!

## The Village of Our Saviour's Manor



## OSM Classifieds:



### **OSM Gifted Hands:**

These wonderful volunteers use their sewing skills and talents to make items such as blankets, pillows, dolls and even giant teddy bears. All items are given away to organizations such as the Westland Goodfellows. If you can use a sewing machine or stuff a pillow and would like to volunteer and be a part of OSM Gifted Hands, please see Ms. Louis Rush or Ms. Alice Finley.



### **OSM Compassionate Hearts:**

If you have a heart for people, we're looking for volunteers to join OSM Compassionate Hearts. Headed by our Head Resident Volunteer, Compassionate Hearts are a group of residents that volunteer to visit their fellow neighbors while hospitalized or in rehab. You will be surprised what a friendly face, a warm hug, prayer and a loving smile and will do for someone.



### **OSM Growing Hands:**

Do you like to garden and get your hands dirty? Well come and join are gardening volunteers, OSM Growing Hands. This group volunteers to work in and care for our new garden. We're praying that OSM Growing Hands garden will produce enough vegetables to help feed those in our community. If you have a green thumb and would like to volunteer please see Ms. Gloria Jefferson.



### **OSM Caring Hands:**

We are in need of volunteers for our homeless project. Please see Ms. Margo Taylor if you're looking to join OSM Caring Hands. This group volunteers to crochet blankets and create pillows using plastic grocery bags known as plarn. We are also in the process of raising funds to be able to purchase items to make toiletry bags to pass out to the homeless. Let's not forget our fellow man and reach out to those less fortunate than ourselves.



### **OSM Fisherman:**

Love to fish? This is the group for you! Headed by Mr. David Brown, OSM Fishermen is a group of residents that enjoy being at the lake and casting their rods. If you ever wanted to try your hands at fishing, please come and join this group.

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Guided by our  
Christian heritage,  
we serve seniors of  
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# Village Staff

**Graziella Bruner**  
*Administrator*

**Michael Hooton**  
*Maintenance Tech*

**Katelyn DeHart**  
*Administrative Assistant*

**To Be Determined**  
*Service Coordinator*

**Kesha Akridge**  
*Director of Housing*

**Carolyn Kimbrough**  
*Parish Nurse*

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*Thank you for what you did!*

Employee Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Person Recognizing Employee: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

\*\* Please turn this card into Village Administrator for a chance to win a prize \*\*

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