THE COURIER



OFFICIAL NEWSLETTER OF THE WISCONSIN VETERANS HOME AT KING





THANK YOU FOR YOUR DONATIONS!

Wisconsin Veterans Home received beautiful homemade afghan blankets and caps from incarcerated veterans at the Oshkosh Correctional Institute. DAV Chapter 17 members Julie and Michael Hert *(above left)* delivered the donation to the home on April 15th.

Volunteer Kevin Hinz and his cat Ally *(above right)* donated close to 50 potted vegetable seeds for Ainsworth Hall members to plant and enjoy.

THANK YOU!

Non-monetary donors to the Wisconsin Veterans Home at King from January through March.

JANUARY

American Legion Auxiliary Unit 59

Vicki Dill

Lake Kristine

Ringle Hatley VFW Post 8342

Barbara Marx

Lisa Kircher & Family

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Saviors Catholic Church

Christina Klieforth

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American Legion Auxiliary Unit 263 New London

Cathy Larson

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American Legion Auxiliary Unit 189

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St. Mary Catholic Church

Charles F. Fernandez Center

Cindy Parry

Pine River Pioneer Sunrise 4-H Club

American Legion Post 306

Green Valley 4-H

Drexel Building Supply

AMVETS & Aux. Post 7

Silver Creek Specialty Meats

Craft n Chat Group

Red Hat Ladies Group, Marshfield

FEBRUARY

American Legion Aux Unit 520, Vesper

Christine Cavallaro

3K students Rothschild Elementary

Students of Auburndale School District

Peplin VFW Memorial Post 8280

St. Paul's Christian Church

DAV Auxiliary, Manawa

Sacred Heart School, Custer

Grant Elementary School

Maple Grove Charter School

American Legion Aux. Unit 469

4imprints, Oshkosh

Connecting Consciousness

Jodi Mathe

Lori Fulmer

VFW Aux. Post 6007

Men's Group of WE Community Church

Waukau Youth Group

Omro Pharmacy

St. Paul Lutheran Church

American Red Cross Northeast Chapter

Associated Bank Kiel

Knights of Columbus Steven Point

St. Bron's Church

Walworth Veterans Services

St. Mary's School, Elm Grove

Raphael's

Deb Kettenhofen

American Legion Post 492

DC Everest School District

Krossing Creeks 4-H Club

Patriots For Warriors

Firgens Family

American Legion Aux. Unit 332

American Legion Aux. Unit 106

AMVETS Auxiliary 13

CCLS, Stevens Point

Associated Bank, West Allis

Shepherd of the Hills Lutheran Church

American Legion Auxiliary Unit 370

Greenwood Memorial VFW Post 987

St. John's Lutheran School St. Joseph's Catholic School

Community Christian School

American Legion Auxiliary Unit 360

Menasha High School Art Students

Karen Olavson

Community First Credit Union, Appleton

American Legion Aux. Unit 317

Girl Scouts of Northwestern Great Lakes

Seymour SALSA Club

The Mount Olive Confirmation Group

Associated Bank Green Bay

Girl Scout Troop 2072

St. Raphael The Archangel

Our Savior's Christian School

Jace Olson

Hope Lutheran Church, Edgar

NEW Lutheran High School, Green Bay

American Legion State of WI

American Legion Post 44

Holy Cross

Wabeno Elementary School

Julie Didier BeBark 1316

Mosinee Sportsman's Alliance

American Legion Post 391

Becky Purchatzke

Melinda Mauk-Templeton

Lang 2024 Calendars

AMVETS Aux. Unit 13

Berlin Library

NM Ladies Elks, Oshkosh

Weyauwega/Fremont Elementary School

Beatrice Rothschadl

Valley View Elementary School

Wild Rose Family Dollar

Helen Shanklin

MARCH

American Legion Aux. Unit 512

MTWC Elk's #687

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Terry Brae

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Daughters of the American Revolution

Theresa Kuehl

MOPHA Unit 164

Waukau/Eureka Community Church

State of Wisconsin DAVA

Therese & Day Thieme

Judy Eastman

VFW Dept. HQ

DAR – Plymouth Post



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The Wedding at Cana

(John 2: 3ff) "...They have no wine. Do whatever he tells you...." The intervention of Mary at this social gathering is in itself a witness to her role in the Church. In the first place, she is a mother who cannot miss a child in need. She quickly makes positive interventions, mediating between the Provider and those in need. This makes her an Intercessor and the Hope of the hopeless.

Our hearts are empty; they crave to be filled with new wine, and that wine's source is Jesus alone. Out of love, Mary takes it upon herself to approach Jesus who in His mercy is ready to bring new wine, the word incarnate. It is Jesus himself who is presented to us by our mother Mary. When Jesus turned water into wine, He is offering Himself to us as our source of nourishment on our pilgrim journey here on earth.

From the role played by our mother Mary, we realize the need for her company in our pilgrim journey. There is also that need for us to prioritize other people's needs. Out of compaction of the heart, Mother Mary teaches us the importance of intercessory prayer. Through the power of such prayers, we can turn water into wine, sorrow to joy, despair to hope, and our weaknesses to strength.

IN MEMORIAM

REMEMBERING OUR MEMBERS WHO HAVE PASSED FROM FEBRUARY 20 THROUGH JUNE 20, 2024

David Bartel
Frederick Barth
William Brouillet
Anna Capizzi
Wayne Case
Shirley Cross
Stephen Dombek
Joyce Kielman

Dennis Kinney
David Lain
Dorothy Lee
Betty Martin
Steve Morack
Ronald Rugg
Russel Schinke
Cora Schwersinske

Melvin Turney
Audrey VandeLogt
Jerome Van Deraa
Guy Wade
Gerald Weber
Dennis Wessel
Norman Young

VOLUNTEER SPOTLIGHT



Hello, my name is Sally Christie and I live right here in Waupaca. I have been married to my husband Douglas, a veteran, for 53 years this December! We have a son Ian (his name means God is Gracious), who lives in Stevens Point with his wife. My hobbies are studying the Bible, cooking, sewing, gardening, and doing all sorts of art. Prior to retiring, I was a reading specialist.

I've had many opportunities to volunteer over the years for Bread Basket, and most recently with the Back Pack Project.

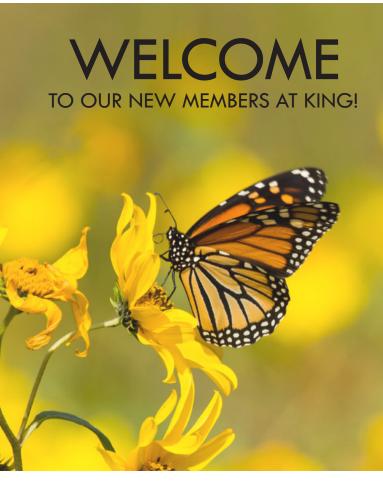
I have hosted many women's Bible Studies. Currently, I assist two home school families with the arts instruction for their children.

Through the years our family has served with mission teams on three continents and in numerous countries. I often bring back ideas for new art or sewing projects from my travels.

Both my parents were members at King. After my mom passed away, I wanted to volunteer and did for 4 years here at King, where I have

been holding art classes at Ainsworth Hall and doing the sewing as the campus seamstress.

I feel volunteering here at King challenges me in a good way! Being able to share my love of art and sewing with so many members brings me joy.



Clarissa Amundson Victor Anthony Craig Bailey Vincent Beder David Brostowitz William Buckley Daniel Cardinal Wayne Case Mary Catura Paul Eckert Michael Hermann Arlon Hopperdietzel Julie Johns Dean Johnson James Kempf Robert Kraus Mary Krokstrom Harold Krueger

Roger Kurtzweil James McKahan Paul Micklitz Robert Nelson Kay Schmitt Catherine Shallue Herman Smith Jack Snyder John Sullivan Milo Sylfest Joseph Tennessen William Unke Audrey VandeLogt Thomas Vanney Gerald Weber Debra West **James Wills** Warren Zack



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NATIONAL NURSING HOME WEEK



























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CASINO DAY









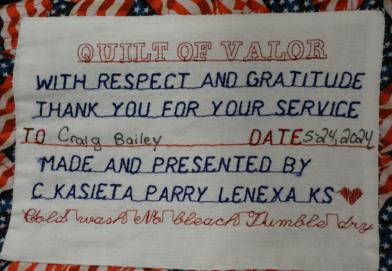




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HAPPY BIRTHDAYS

Jack Algiers James Anderson Margaret Bourne Calvin Delikowski Earl Dorow Ruth Heyder Robert Lampinen Dorothy Lee Michael Liegman Jeffery Markstrum George Mitchell James Purcell

Angus Semple Georgelene Thielen Martin Wozniak

MAY

APRIL

Roy Aaberg William Buckley Edmund Connolly Jr. George Gorham Donald Honold Suzanne Karl Michael Kloehn
Theodore Larsen
Norman Mason
Gary Merkel
David C Miller
Constance Morgan

Harold Pagel Carol Remington Jeffrey Stolz Gerald Strachota Gerald Tourdot James Van Buren

Herman Volkers Donald Waldrop Warren Zack

JUNE

Donald Alley James Augustyn George Conner Gary Dougherty Marilyn Feldmann Mary Graves James Holeman David Johnson William Keene William Unke Melfred Wethal David Winslow

JULY

Frank Adler
Richard Anderson
Robert Bascue
Beverly Bloedorn
Mary Catura
Nicholas Echeverria

Mark Garrison Beverly Gerner Roy Gray Richard Hilliard Thomas Keen James Lunde James Nix Ray Poeppel Gerald Polster Ronald Popke Gregory Senski Thomas Smith

Richard Smits David Van Toll Christine Ziaya

STARKS AND LUCE COFFEE SHOP & RANDY PLUNKETT ENTERTAINER











AMERICAN LEGION LUNCH AND BINGO TRIP











BREWERS PARTY AND CATERED MEAL



TRAIL LIFE KIDS VISIT







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AINSWORTH HALL MARCH MADNESS WINNER & WOODWORKING AND CERAMICS





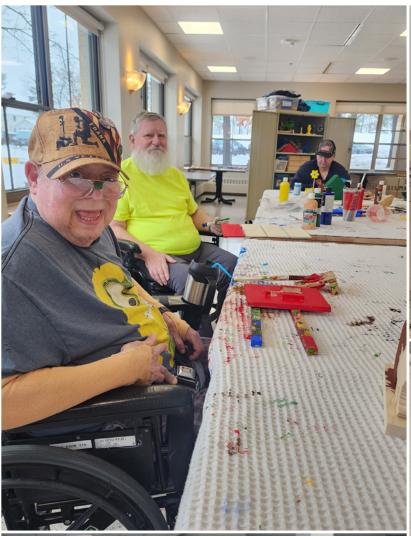




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BOONDOCKS LUNCH AND BINGO & CAT THERAPY VISITS







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