

# Radiant Care Tabor Manor

## Tabor Times

*April 2022*

### Resident Highlight—Myrna Nichol

First floor residents and staff have been enjoying a beautiful artwork display by Tabor Resident, Myrna Nichol. Recently, Myrna started colouring, something she had never been interested in before but has truly been enjoying. She brings art to life with her vivid colours and combinations. Fellow residents and staff take a moment to enjoy Myrna's art, with many people picking out a favourite 'masterpiece'. Myrna's artwork not only brings pleasure to her when she is creating her art, when it is displayed, joy is brought to others as we take a moment to admire and reflect on her work. One resident shared "her work is better than Picasso". Thank you for sharing your beautiful work with Tabor Manor Myrna!

#### *WE REMEMBER...*

Helen Martens  
Jurgen Wegener  
Anthony Welgan

#### *WE WELCOME...*

Patricia Roach  
John Brown  
Mary Anne Hildebrand  
Adina Braul

#### *WE CELEBRATE THE BIRTHDAYS OF...*

Keith Moyer  
Raymond Wood  
Helen Dubiel  
James "Jim" Burt  
Mollie Morris  
Giovanna Garofalo  
Mona Bartleet  
Richard Snyder  
Nettie Vanleeuwen  
Evelyn Street  
Adina Braul  
Giuseppina 'Josie' Cecchetti  
Erna Werner



## Recreation Notes—Norma Restivo

We have lots of fun stuff happening this month, so keep your eyes on the calendar and check-in with Rec staff.

We welcome new employee Julie Ostrom to our team. Julie is excited to be part of Radiant Care and is looking forward to getting to know everyone.



Tabor Manor is a fragrance free home and we ask that you please keep this in mind when bringing in flowers, especially with Easter right around the corner. Certain types of flowers have very strong scents and Easter lilies are one of them. We ask that you do not bring this type of flower into the home.



## Paska and Easter

Paska is an Easter bread tradition and particularly spread in countries with predominant Eastern Orthodox religious or cultural connections to the ancient Byzantine Empire. Paska is made milk, butter, eggs, flour and sugar. Some recipes also call for lemon and orange in the mixture. Some people like icing on top of their bread with colored sprinkles! How do you like yours?



## Toolbox Talk— Rick Green

April showers bring May flowers. Maintenance will be getting the gardens and yard cleaned up and ready for the Spring season.

Remember if you have any issues pertaining to maintenance, please let nursing know and we will be happy to fix it.



## Biblically Based—Jim Evans

### Be Patient!

One day, I impatiently sat behind a slow moving car that just wouldn't speed up (I hate to admit, they were obeying the speed limit). Frustrated, I tried to pass them numerous times. Finally, when I was about to 'gun it' around them, I realized there was a police car sitting up ahead tracking the traffic! My impatience almost cost me a speeding ticket! Have you ever had experiences where your impatience almost penalized you?

Most people are now long impatient with the COVID-19 scenario. We are frustrated with how long it has taken, and how much longer it will last. As frustrated as we may be, we cannot let impatience dictate our attitudes, feelings and behaviours at any time. Impatience will cloud our ability to discern what's best, and can lead us to make hasty and even wrong decisions (like my traffic experience above).

Patience is one of the hardest things to learn for Christians too! The Bible encourages and requires patience by those who trust in the Lord Jesus Christ. It is evidence of that very trust in Him, and the recognition that He is in control, and works all things for our good, and in His timing. (Rom. 8:28; 2 Peter 3:9)

Scripture says; 'Therefore, since we are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses, let us also lay aside every weight, and sin which clings so closely, and **let us run with endurance the race that is set before us...**' (Hebrews 12:1)

The word for patience in Scripture can also mean "endurance" as in this verse. It means that a Christian runs their race in life patiently by persevering through difficulties. Biblically, patience is persevering towards a goal, enduring trials, or expectantly waiting for a promise to be fulfilled.

We then are to live our lives trusting in God's sovereign control, plan and purposes for the world, and for us too. We cannot exhibit faithless impatience with God, or others. Rather than looking impatiently around us for things to unfold, we should be; 'looking to Jesus, the founder and perfecter of our faith, **who for the joy that was set before him endured the cross**, despising the shame, and is seated at the right hand of the throne of God.' (Hebrews 12:2) Jesus set us the perfect example of patient endurance...no matter what!

Let's Remember...

**Patiently Look To Jesus and He Will Bless You With his Peace!**