

# February

## SENIOR ADULT NEWSLETTER



### Happy Birthday!

#### February

- 02—Peggy Chipman, Tommy Mann
- 03—Margaret McGaffee, Brad Smith, Jay Wheless
- 06—Karen Beard
- 07—Mike Mills
- 10—Carlos Garcia, Alan London
- 11—Mary McLain, Curtis Volgamore
- 13—Joseph Rupp
- 14—Chuck Kirkham, Candy Mayes
- 16—Sue Behr, Dianne Fleming
- 17—Kathleen Bevell
- 18—Quentin Warren
- 20—Bettie Mitchell, Earl Schmiedekamp
- 21—Rita London
- 22—Debra Chapman, Helen Staton, Lyn Stephens
- 23—Linda Brozo
- 28—Sheri Roussel
- 29—Arleene Ponton



#### March birthdays before the next newsletter:

- 1—Sylvia Bailey, Richard Ingraham, Fay Smith
- 2—Ken Johnson
- 3—Marsha Wheless
- 4—Jo Ingraham
- 5—Virginia Martinez
- 7—Marcia Klein, Pat Murphy, Dan Smith



### Déjà vu Crew . . February Events



#### THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 8 . . 9:45 AM, rec center . .

Guest Speaker: Monica Jasso, Marketing Communications Coordinator, Corpus Christi RTA. Monica has been with the CCRTA for two years and is extremely knowledgeable of RTA services and routes.

The CCRTA is the Coastal Bend's public transportation system that covers over 800 square miles of Nueces County and various surrounding areas.

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#### THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 22 . . Tour of CCRTA facilities

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- GAME DAYS:**
- Following the program on February 8
  - February 15

### MISSION MINDERS

Please join us on Tuesday, February 13 at 11:30 AM in room 151 to hear about the ways The Women's Shelter of South Texas supports, assists & promotes healing for family members affected by violence & abuse. Their services range from immediate to long-term needs & prevention, as well as volunteer training & community education. Women's underwear, toiletries &/or financial donations will be collected at the meeting. Contact Claire Hook (852-0850) for reservations (\$7) by February 8.

### FBC YOUTH FUNDRAISER . . . Sunday, February 18

Silent Auction, 8:30 AM to 1:00 PM . . . Baked Potato Bar Lunch served after Bible Study and after 11:15 AM service  
Proceeds will help with the costs for summer youth camp.  
Donations are greatly appreciated.

### COUPLES DATE NIGHT

Friday, February 16 . . . 6:00—8:30 PM

An evening filled with fun, food and laughter. Married couple Jerry Miner and Amy Barnes will perform their unique brand of tag team comedy. Tickets available in the First@Home room. Cost: \$30 per couple. Childcare (by reservation) will be provided for birth through 5th grade (\$5/one child, \$8/2 siblings, \$10/max per family).



# FEBRUARY NEWS



## **Carita Class—DonEtta Beaty**

What a treat to have some of our members back in Carita Class—Virginia Lee, Betty Stinson and Beverly Thomason are a welcome sight. Marian Sharp has also returned to Corpus Christi and joined us. Kim took a short vacation and visited her best friend, Mary Alice, in San Antonio. They had to postpone their trip to the San Antonio Zoo because of inclement weather so Kim will be going back in a few months. Faye Medina sold her home in Portland and is looking for a place in Corpus Christi; then she won't have to travel back and forth on the Harbor Bridge. Patsy Bucey and Lucy Miller joined the church group on a visit to the Houston Museum of Natural Science. They stopped along the way for lunch in Needville before going on to Houston to view the Faberge collection. Patsy said it was an amazing treat to see the beautiful works of art and the intricate details of the eggs and other pieces.

Some of our class members who need your prayers and God's healing hand are: Dorothy Ward who is scheduled for cataract surgery. MaryAnn will be having an angiogram and meet with a neurologist, hopefully the results will guide the doctors in her recovery. Ruth Mann is still having trouble walking—she had a setback when she lost her balance and fell. The therapist will be coming to her home to start more treatments. Betty Peerman is having heart issues along with her back problems. Betty Pascal is improving, but is still a little wobbly.

While MaryAnn has been out, Lila and Dorretta have done a great job presenting the class lessons—Thank you very much ladies.

## **Agape Class—Betty Maroney**

We welcome new members Jose and Carmen Robertson to our class.

Bill Kidd has moved to assisted living at Solstice, formerly Harbor Place.

Don Patterson had back surgery on January 29 at Spine Surgery Hospital in San Antonio. We have no report on his progress.

Saundra Patterson fell on January 7 and has gradually recovered and is back in our class. She is thankful for the prayers.

Hugh White continues to work with the Prayer Life Ministry in countries such as Africa, Japan, India and the Philippines.

Betty Maroney reports a sixth great grandchild, a boy born to Erica and Marc LaHood. His name is Zeke and he weighed 6 lbs. 10 oz. Grandparents Dave and Joan Maroney are so delighted.

## **Maco Class—Trish Strobel**

Prayers: Rich has had recent diagnostic tests and will need to see a specialist for possible surgery.

Janet fell while in California and broke her hip. She has had surgery and is currently in therapy. She will remain with her daughter until she is released and able to return home.

Shirley as she has been in Houston for another injection for Macular Degeneration.

Thanks: Mamie's son (Mark) was in Boston for a business meeting during the snow storm and had trouble getting back home. We are thankful that he made it home safely.

Trish and Walt have been in Austin to celebrate his 90th birthday with family.

## **Elmore Class—Carolyn Blackmon**

The flu seems to have taken its toll on our class the past month, and it hasn't reached its peak according to the news. If you have not had your flu or pneumonia shot, please get one.

The Carita Class joined us on Sunday, January 14. We enjoyed having you and welcome you any time. Herb Arbuckle has also been visiting, and we hope you join us again.

Please continue your prayers for Carolyn Christina, Faye Creely, Dale & Ardis Eiben, Michael Garrison, Wanda Hartwick (Dr. Steve Hartwick's mother), Dr. Joe & Barbara Lewis, Ophelia Litchfield, June Littlefield, Quince Mitchell, Mark Nichols, Dr. Sim & Ruthie Reeves, Jackie Rochelle, Mildred Schroeder, Jane Scott, Mary Shockley, Betty Stinson, and Dr. Quinton Williams.

Thought for the day: "If you consistently experience God's mercy on a daily, ongoing basis, then you know that there are no second chances. There are infinite chances."

—T. D. Jakes