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Front Desk & Reception

Open daily, 9:00 am-5:00 pm 804-741-8624

Cozy Corner Gift Shop

Monday, Wednesday, & Friday 1:00 to 3:00 pm, 1st Floor Managed by our SMW Volunteers

New Functional Pathways Rehab Services

Physical, Occupational, & Speech Therapy, 1st Floor Phone: (804) 741-0612 Patti Jo Keeler, LPTA

Beauty/Barber Salon

Tuesday, Wednesday,
Friday, & Saturday
6:00 am to 12:00 pm, 3rd Floor
Phone: (804) 658-2066

John Sanyour

New Nail Technician

1st & 3rd Thursday 10:00 am—2:00 pm, 3rd Floor In the Beauty/Barber Salon Phone: (804) 869-0540 Itzel Melendez

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National Bird Feeding Month was established in 1994 by John Porter, a man who so cared about the health and welfare of the birds that he read a resolution into the Congressional record. "I would like to recognize February, one of the most difficult months in the United States for wild birds, as National Bird Feeding Month."

Nothing says spring like the singing voices of our favorite wild birds. One-third of the American population feeds birds in their backyards, making sure to fill their feeders to greet these travelers home. Small birds are often running low on resources, and large birds aren't always able to get the food they need to prosper when they arrive to early. Let's help our Fine feathered friends during National Bird Feeding Month.





Celebrating

Black Music Artist's

Of the 60's & 70's

in the Lobby

Every Friday

Morning at 11 am

TRANSPORTATION SCHEDULE

Monday, 2/3

10:00 Van to Ollie's

11:00 Lunch Bunch to Wendy's (Sign-up) 1:30 Van to Kroger

Wednesday, 2/5

8:45 Van to Mass 9:00 Van to Kroger 11:00 Van to Publix 1:00 Van to Walmart

Friday, 2/7

8:45 Van to Mass 10:00 Van to Target 1:30 Van to Marshall's & Shoe Carnival

Monday, 2/10

9:00 Van to Dollar Tree 11:00 Van to TJ Maxx 1:30 Van to Kroger

Wednesday, 2/12

8:45 Van to Mass 9:00 Van to Kroger 11:00 Van to Publix 1:00 Van to Walmart

Friday, 2/14

8:45 Van to Mass 10:00 Van to Target

1:30 Van to Goochland Goodwill Thrift Store

Monday, 2/17

9:00 Van to Food Lion 10:45 Lunch Bunch to Capriccio's Italian Restaurant (Sign-up) 1:30 Van to Kroger

Wednesday, 2/19

8:45 Van to Mass 9:00 Kroger 11:00 Change of Scenery Drive to University of Richmond Campus 1:00 Van to Walmart

Friday, 2/21

8:45 Van to Mass 10:00 Van to Target 12:15 Van to Cultural Art Center Show: The Wizard of Oz (sign-up)

Monday, 2/24

9:00 Van to Wegman's 10:45 Lunch Bunch to Cook-Out Burgers & Shakes (Sign-up) 1:30 Van to Kroger

Wednesday 2/26

8:45 Van to Mass 9:00 Van to Kroger 11:00 Van to Libbie Mkt 1:00 Van to Walmart

Friday 2/28 8:45 Van to Mass 10:00 Van to Target 12:30 Van to Ukrop's 2:00 Van to Dairy Queen (Sian-up)

All Sign-up Sheets Posted One-Week Prior (2nd Floor near the Art Studio)

February BIRTHDAYS!

ALL are welcome to join us in celebrating February Birthdays in the Community Room on Wednesday, February 26th at 1 pm Special Guest: Brad Spivey will performing!

2/5	Susan Gidley	Rm 324
2/6	Jane Gibbs	Rm 320
2/10	Elizabeth Plash	al Rm 216
2/13	Valerie Blake	Rm 313
2/16	Anna Martin	Rm 215
2/17	Kenneth Branu	m Rm 129
2/17	Melanie LeBlar	nc Rm 116C
2/19	Jasper Hunter	Rm 207
2/26	Marlene McKe	lvy Rm 103

Happy Birthday to All of You from all of us at St. Mary's Woods!!!



Age is a matter of mind. If you don't mind, it doesn't matter!

Some Spiritual Nuggets:

From our Pastoral Counselor—Sarah **Francis**

"Oh, the deep, deep love of Jesus" Hymn by Samuel Trevor Francis

(Born in 1835)

As we celebrate Valentine's Day this month, there is no greater love than the deep deep love that Jesus has for each one of us. The lyrics of this hymn let you experience how great the love of Jesus is for you. Imagine a mighty ocean wave taking you over, pulling you under. Jesus love is overwhelming. It's underneath me and all around me. I cannot escape it. When life here is finished, this deep love will lift me up to glory, up to Je-

No doubt, Francis was thinking of Romans 8:38-39 when he wrote this hymn. "And I am convinced that nothing can ever separate us from God's love. Neither death nor life, neither angels nor demons, neither our fears for today nor our worries about tomorrow-not even the powers of hell can separate us from God's love. No power in the sky above or in the earth below-indeed, nothing in all creation will ever be able to separate us from the love of God that is revealed in Christ Jesus our Lord."

May these words encourage you today!

Religious Services

SUNDAY

Worship Service is held in the Chapel twice a month on 1st & 3rd Sundays. Doc & Angie lead us in the Word/Worship.

MONDAY

Bible Study is held at 2:30 pm every Monday in our Chapel with Pastoral Counselor, Sarah Francis

TUESDAY

Adoration is the first and third Tuesday of each month at 10:15 am in the Chapel

WEDNESDAY

Van to Mass at St Mary's Church departs at 8:45 am Resident Prayer Group is at 6:30 pm in the Chapel

THURSDAY

Mass is held in the Chapel at 10:00am Worship Service is held in the Chapel at 11:15 am Rosary is held in the Chapel at 1:30 pm

FRIDAY

Van to Mass at St Mary's Church departs at 8:45 am Stations of the Cross is held the 1st Friday of the month at 3 pm in the Chapel Confession is held on the 3rd Friday of the month at 2 pm in the Chapel Chaplet of Divine Mercy is held the 2nd & 4th Friday of the month at 3 pm in the Chapel

SATURDAY

Rosary is held every Saturday morning in the Chapel at 11:00 am

Mass is held every Saturday evening in the Community Room at 4:00 pm



Lunch Bunch—Capriccio's Italian Restaurant, Monday
2/17 @10:45 am (Sign-up by Art Studio 2nd Floor)
Lunch Bunch—Cook-Out Burgers & Shakes, Monday,
2/24 @10:45 am (Sign-up by Art Studio 2nd Floor)
Good Food—Good Friends—Good Times!



Sign Up Sheet Posted
One-Week Prior

#OurHearts

Join us on National #WearRedDay. Support heart disease prevention and make heart health a part of your self-care routine in 2025!



National Wear Red Day[®] February 7, 2025



Cozy Corner Gift Shop Please see Ralph Pupo Rm #302 rfplcp@comcast.net

We LOVE Saturday &
Sundays
Open- Board Games
In The Life Enrichment
Room

Invite a Friend To play a game!





February Movie Schedule:

Monday Night Inspirational Movie: 2/3 6 PM "Bonhoeffer" (Popcorn/Beverages) (LER)

Monday Night Inspirational

Movie: 2/17 PM "Gifted Hands the Ben Carson story"

(Popcorn/Beverages) (LER)

Matinee Movie Celebrating Black History: Wednesday, 2/26 2 PM "42 The Jackie Robinson story. (TL)

Matinee Movie Celebrating Black History: Thursday, 2/27 "Pursuit of Happiness" (TL)





Quotes about Birds

"I would like to paint the way a bird sings." — Claude Monet

"No bird soars too high if he soars with his own wings." — William Blake

"A heart without dreams is like a bird without feathers."

— Suzy Kassem

"A bird does not sing because it has an answer, it sings because it has a song." — Maya Angelou





If you would like to utilize the SMW's Van to get to medical appointments as of January 1st, all medical appointments should be made as follows:

Monday 8 am-10 am (example: 8 am, 8:30 am, 9 am, 9:30 am, 10 am).

Or **Wednesday** 11 am—1 pm

Making appointments at these times

Allows enough time for the van driver

to get you to your appointment and

back. If

You have any questions, please contact the front desk.

February Happenings

Chair YOGA (New Time)
Thursdays @10:30 am (CR)

(New) Coffee & Daily Chronicles w/Barry 2nd & 4th Wednesdays @3 pm (L)

Music Entertainers: The Encore Dancers
Wednesday, 2/5 @1pm (CR)

National Wear RED Day Heart Disease Awareness
Friday, 2/7

Musician Guest: Tom the Flutist Friday, 2/7 @2 pm (CR)

Mary Stella Performs Saturday, 2/8 @3:30 pm (L)

Super Bowl Par-tay! Sunday, 2/9 @5:00 pm (CR)

Resident Council
Tuesday, 2/11 @2:30 (CR)

Caring Canines
Wednesday, 2/12 @2:30 pm (L)

Sweetheart Happy Hour Thursday, 2/12 @4:30 pm (CR)

Valentine's Day Tea Party Friday, 2/14 @3:30 pm (CR) *Please bring a tea cup with you*

Joe Loschiavo Piano Concert Tuesday, 2/18 @2 pm (CR)

Therapeutic Harp—Cindy Jennings Friday, 2/21 @2 pm (CH)

> Sing-A-Long with Diane Tuesday, 2/256:30 pm

Spaghetti Dinner (Space is Limited)
Thursday, 2/27 4:30 or 5:30 pm (CR) Call the Front
Desk to RSVP a seat!

SWEETHEAR

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THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 13

4:30 P.M. •

Join us for fun drinks, charcuterie snacks, and Erin's Chocolate-Covered Strawberries!

Free event • Guests welcome!

RSVP to kelly.manshack@stmaryswoods.com or call the front desk at 804-658-2085.





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We are so happy to have our entire Powerback Physical Therapy Team partners with Functional Pathways as of 2/1 to enhance the rehabilitation care we offer to our residents. Functional Pathways is renowned for its commitment to high-quality, compassionate care and innovative therapy approaches. Their experienced team of physical, occupational, and speech therapists will collaborate closely with St. Mary's Woods Retirement Community to ensure that each resident receives therapy services tailored to their individual needs. We look forward to the positive impact that Functional Pathways will bring to our community and to continuing to provide the highest standard of care to our residents.







You Are Invited To SMW's

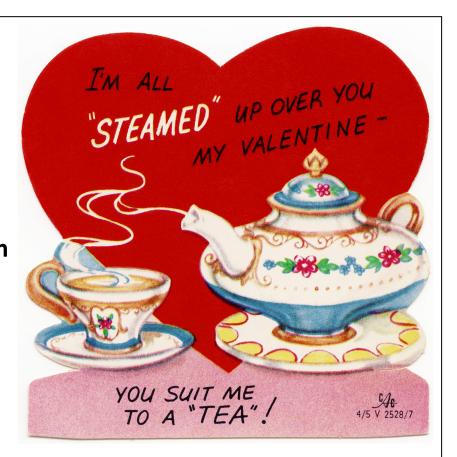
Valentine's Tea

Friday, February 14th
At 3:30 pm
In the Community Room

*Please bring a special
Tea cup to use*

*Special Music
*Wonderful Tea

*Light Tea Accompaniments



SENIOR NAIL SERVICES

CARING FOR OUR SENIORS: PRIORITIZING SAFETY AND COMFORT

At Nails of Eden, we understand the unique needs of our elderly clients. Our mobile senior services are designed with care and compassion, ensuring a safe and enjoyable experience. Here's what we prioritize:

Sanitation and Cleanliness:

We adhere to strict hygiene protocols to ensure a clean environment and services.

Safety with Chemicals:

Our products are chosen with consideration for your health and medications.

Gentle Care:

Our team is trained to provide loving and attentive care throughout your service.

Inclusive Services:

We offer specialized treatments, such as deep cleaning pedicures, to ensure all areas are thoroughly cared for.

Your comfort and well-being are our top priorities. Thank you for trusting us with your nail care!

BOOK NOW



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First & Third Thursdays 10am-2pm 3rd Floor in the Salon





-Manicure Services -

•	Basic	Manicure		\$35.00
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• Spa Manicure \$55.00

Pedicure Services-

•	Basic Pedicure		\$55.00
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- Spa Pedicure \$75.00
- Deep Clean Add on \$15.00

Add-ons

- Gel polish \$15.00
- Nail Thinning \$20.00
- French Tip \$10.00

SUPER BOWL PAR-TAY!

Sunday, February 9th
In the Community Room
5:00 pm

(Kick-off is 6:30 pm)

*FOOD & FUN

Come Cheer for your Team!!









St. Mary's Woods is thrilled to have
Gloria Francis joining our team as the Life
Enrichment Assistant. Many of you have
met Gloria already. Please welcome her
here the next time you see her!



Valentine's Tree

Write an encouraging word about someone at SMW's (Hang it on the Tree)

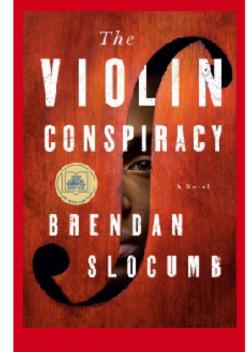
(The Tree is In the Lobby)



Come Join Our Monthly Book Club! w/Phil Ford in the Library

The Violin Conspiracy







Mobile Library Book Club

Monday

February 24th

2:30 PM





CHARLES M. SCHULZ

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"It's great to find that one special person you want to annoy for the rest

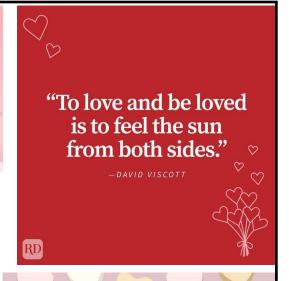
> of your life." RITA RUDNER



"Sisterly love brings wealth

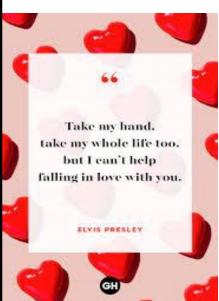
that no money buys." - Emily Dickinson

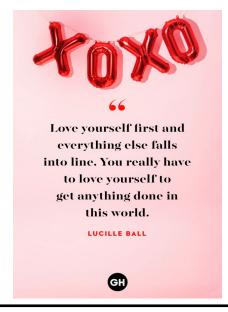
















Join us for a delicious meal complete with a hearty pasta, fresh salad, and sweet dessert! You'll experience the wonderful dining that our residents enjoy every day.

Thursday, February 27

Two seating times: 4:30 p.m. or 5:30 p.m.

St. Mary's Woods Dining Room

COMPLIMENTARY | RSVP TODAY | SPACE IS LIMITED

Email Kelly (kelly.manshack@stmaryswoods.com) or call the front desk.





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