Christian Corner By Selah Ulmer

It was Halloween season, which meant that scariness was being celebrated. Scary movies, spooky decorations and creepy costumes are common to see and many people seek out opportunities to be scared. In the midst of all of the manufactured fear of the season, it would be easy to focus on the many earthly things that cause fear. But as I think about what is truly scary, I realize that there is one thing that is worse than anything else.

The truth is, the scariest thing in the universe is the idea of being separated from God. The idea of going through life without Him and then spending eternity separated from Him sends shivers down my spine. And it should! Separation from Him is truly terrifying. But the best news is that through Christ, we don't ever have to fear this! When we believe in Jesus, His love and presence with us here on earth and in eternity are guaranteed. And because we have that guarantee, we don't have to fear anything else because we know that no matter what happens in life, God will be with us in it. In Christ, we are invited to live a fearless life.

It is not always easy to live this way. There are many things in life that cause me worry and fear. But 1 John 4:18 says that "perfect love casts out all fear." 2 Timothy 1:7 says "God has not given us a spirit of fear, but a spirit of power, love and self-discipline." When I am afraid of anything, I can run to God and ask Him to help me through it. And He does! Through His love, what used to scare me will be cast out of my life and replaced by peace. God has more for us than a life that is dictated by fear. He wants us to live life fearlessly.





Notes from NURSING

It's the season to be Thankful. And WE, your nursing team are thankful for each and everyone of you! We are thankful for kindness, honesty and patience you have shown us. We are thankful for the trust you have in us and the cares we provide. We are thankful for the teamwork within our department and we are thankful for the sense of family that exuberates throughout the building. To keep with the season for thankfulness the nursing department will be putting up a Thanksgiving Turkey, you can pick a feather up from the front desk and add what you are thankful for, then we will add the feather to the turkey!

Hsign up activities 11/19 Morning Story 11:00am 11/5 Dutchman Store 9am 11/7 Scenic Drive 1:45pm 11/5 Hy-Vee 9am 11/12 Aldi 9:15am 11/5 Voting 10:30am 11/6 Podiatrist 1:00pm 11/7 Holiday Fair 9:15am 11/19 Dollar Tree 9:15am

The Summit Pointe Family is intentionally enhancing the lives of everyone.



For your comfort and convenience, our dining room operates with open seating, Please feel free to sit wherever you like and enjoy your meal!

Open seating allows all tenants the opportunity to get to know eachother. it also allows new tenants to feel welcomed when moving to Summit Pointe.

11/21 Simply Sweets and Treats 9:15am 11/12 CR Comm Concert 6:15pm11/26 Fareway 9:15am 11/14 Mistletoe Market 9:15am 11/26 Riverside Casino 11:00am

What's Happening in Life Enrichment

LIFE ENRICHMENT

Happy Fall! With the upcoming unpredictable fall and winter weather I would like to remind you of the possibility of canceled outings. We will always check the weather conditions to be sure that the tenants and staff stay safe. Thank you for your flexibility and understanding. I would also like to remind you that EVERY activity is open to EVERY tenant.

If you are a History Buff be sure to attend the 1pm Friday activity in the library. Knowledge is power!

What is Happy Hands you ask? Relaxing hand massages with lavender scented lotion and calming spa music. Come and let us pamper you.

Marci's Memorables will be doing a presentation on Elizabeth Hopkins at 2pm on Tuesday, November 5th in the Fireside lounge.

Monday Mystery??? Come to the Fireside Lounge at 5:30pm to find out what Stephanie has in store for you.

Join us for the last day trip of the year. On Tuesday, November 5th we will venture to Cantril, Iowa with a stop at the Dutchman's Store. The bus will depart at 9:00am.

If you have not voted in this year's election yet, it's not too late! Sign up to head to the polls on Tuesday, November 5th at 10:30am.

Bundle up and get some fresh air with a Morning Stroll on our walking path. This takes place on Wednesday mornings at 9am. Not a morning person? That's okay! You can join the Afternoon Walking & Talking crew at 3:30pm on Fridays. What a great way to walk off those Happy Hour treats! Maybe you could challenge yourself and do both.

We have a nondenominational Church Service on Wednesday mornings at 9:30am. All faiths are welcome to join. We have heard some beautiful singing coming from the Fireside lounge.

Musical Memories will focus on 3 male country singers this month. Come and find out about Kenny Rogers, Conway Twitty and Willie Nelson. Join Suz on Thursday afternoons at 3:15pm in the Fireside lounge.

We have a NEW educational cultural art class beginning this month. You don't need to be an artist to enjoy this opportunity! Art Joy Connect will be here on Wednesday, November 13th at 1:30pm in the Fireside lounge. Please come and find out what this is all about!!

Armchair Travels with Floyd Sandford will be a program on Hiking Hadrian's Trail. This will take place on Thursday, November 14th at 1:30pm in the Fireside lounge. If you have not joined Floyd before you are un for a treat.

Eat the most of these: whole, unprocessed, non-starchy vegetables. Non-starchy vegetables like lettuce, cucumbers, broccoli, tomatoes, and green beans have a lot of fiber and very little carbohydrate, which results in a smaller impact on your blood glucose. Remember, these should make up half your plate according to the Plate Method!

Eat some of these: whole, minimally processed carbohydrate foods. These are your starchy carbohydrates, and include fruits like apples, blueberries, strawberries and cantaloupe; whole intact grains like brown rice, whole wheat bread, whole grain pasta and oatmeal; starchy vegetables like corn, green peas, sweet potatoes, pumpkin and plantains; and beans and lentils like black beans, kidney beans, chickpeas and green lentils. If you're using the Plate Method, foods in this category should make up about a quarter of your plate.

Try to eat less of these: refined, highly processed carbohydrate foods and those with added sugar. These include sugary drinks like soda, sweet tea and juice, refined grains like white bread, white rice and sugary cereal, and sweets and snack foods like cake, cookies, candy and chips.



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There are three main types of carbohydrates in food-starches, sugar, and fiber. As you'll see on the nutrition labels for the food you buy, the term "total carbohydrate" refers to all three of these types. The goal is to choose carbs that are nutrient-dense, which means they are rich in fiber, vitamins and minerals, and low in added sugars, sodium, and unhealthy fats. When choosing carbohydrate foods:

For your health









How to Eat Healthy

What does it mean to eat healthy? The answer is a little different for everybody, but it's a delicious journey to find out what works best for you. Here's where you can start to navigate nutrition and the science-backed facts about food.

Healthy Eating Can Be Delicious!

Healthy eating for prediabetes and diabetes not only helps to manage your blood glucose (blood sugar), but it also helps you have a better relationship with food. Intentional food choices like eating more non-starchy veggies, opting for lean meats or plant-based proteins, choosing quality carbohydrates, and low-fat versions of cheeses and dressings, will all help you meet your health goals—and they'll taste great too! It is not about one food, or one meal, it's about healthy eating over time. Food nourishes you so you stay healthy, but our food choices are also impacted by our memories, culture, and community

Understanding Carbs

Find your balance.

You've heard it all. From carb-free to low-carb, to whole and empty carbs, it's hard to know what it all means.

Get smart on carbs.

When you eat or drink foods that have carbohydrate—also known as carbs—your body breaks those carbs down into glucose (a type of sugar), which then raises the level of glucose in your blood. Your body uses that glucose for fuel to keep you going throughout the day. This is what you probably know of as your "blood glucose" or "blood sugar." When it comes to managing diabetes, the carbs you eat play an important role. After your body breaks down those carbs into glucose, your pancreas releases insulin to help your cells absorb that glucose.

When someone's blood glucose is too high, it is called hyperglycemia. There are a few causes for "highs," including not having enough insulin in your body to process the glucose in the blood or the cells in your body not effectively reacting to the insulin that is released, leaving extra glucose in the blood. A low blood glucose is known as hypoglycemia. "Lows" can sometimes be caused by not consuming enough carbohydrates, or an imbalance in medications. In short, the carbs we consume impact our blood glucose—so balance is key!



We're excited to announce a special promotion for our community : refer a friend to live here, and youll receive \$1,000 off of 1 month's rent! It's a winwin share the joy of our amzaing community with friends, and enjhoy a fantastic reward. Thank you for being a valued part of our family!

Notes from MAINTENANCE

Boilers are turned on, make sure your windows are shut and locked this will help keep the cold out and the heat in!

We will be making our way through the building to add covers to the air conditioner units. All AC units should be covered by the 24th of November.









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Notes from CULINARY

- Introducing our delectable new breakfast pancakes, bursting with flavor in every bite! Choose from mouthwatering options, a different topping each day. Chocolate chip, strawberry, peach, blueberry and apple. Each fluffy pancake is crafted to perfection, offering a delightful morning treat that will brighten your day.
- We are also excited to announce the launch of our new seasonal menu, featuring fresh and delicious options to enhance your dining experience. Come taste the flavors of the Fall and Winter season! We listen to your feedback and have adjusted our recipes by removing the spice to better suit everyone's tastes. We're committed to ensuring your dining experience is enjoyable and
- comfortable. Your input helps us continuously improve so thank you for sharing your thoughts with us! Bon appetit!









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