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May Happenings:

Friday, May 2, 11am	Kentucky Derby Horse Table Race CV 5 <i>CV 5 Dining Room</i>
Friday, May 2, 1pm	Scenic Drive and Ice Cream CV 2/MOH 3
Monday, May 5, 11am	Guac Demo MOH 2/4 <i>MOH Dining Room</i>
Monday, May 5, 2pm	Cinco de Mayo Social Hour MOH 3 <i>MOH Dining Room</i>
Tuesday, May 6, 2pm	Walk to Starbucks Outing CV 4
Friday, May 9, 11am	Olive Garden Outing MOH 2/4
Tuesday, May 20, 9am	Como Zoo Outing CV 4
Thursday, May 22, 3pm	Ice Cream Social TCU/CV3 <i>Dining Room</i>
Tuesday, May 27,	Monthly Birthday Party CV 2 <i>West Dining Room</i>
Tuesday, May 27, 3pm	Monthly Birthday Party Facility Wide <i>Lund Chapel</i>
Wednesday, May 28, 1:30pm	Bowling Outing CV3/5
Thursday, May 29, 1:15pm	Adele's Frozen Custard Outing MOH 2/4

May Birthdays:

Mount Olivet Careview Home Residents:

5 / Margaret H	23 / Robert H
7 / James W	23 / Kenneth A
9 / Linda W	25 / Phillip W
14 / Joe M	28 / Mae R
17 / Claire L	28 / Louise B
17 / Kraig K	28 / Elizabeth K
18 / Nancy B	29 / Susanne P
20 / Glenice A	29 / Gretchen E
22 / Dale C	

Mount Olivet Home Residents:

1 / Patricia	11 / Dana F
4 / Ruth F	23 / David G
5 / Robertha C	28 / John B
11 / Marianne H	30 / Sally B





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Raptor Center Visit

Residents at Mount Olivet Careview Home were treated to a captivating experience thanks to a special visit from the University of Minnesota Raptor Center. The 45-minute educational program brought the wonders of the wild indoors, featuring three stunning ambassador raptors: a sharp-eyed hawk, a mysterious owl, and the star of the show, a majestic bald eagle. With feathers ruffling just feet away, residents were thrilled to witness these magnificent birds up close, learning about their behaviors, habitats, and the important role they play in our ecosystem. It was a morning of awe, education, and unforgettable encounters.



The Mount Olivet Homes Therapeutic Recreation Department will be hosting an Open House in honor of Mother's Day on Saturday, May 10, from 10-11:30 in the Lund Chapel. Family Members and Friends are invited to escort their special Resident Mother's, Grandmothers, Aunts, and Friends to the Chapel to celebrate this day with light refreshments and entertainment.

Bring your love and smiles as you escort and accompany your special resident for a morning filled with joy, laughter, and light refreshments. Delight in sweet treats and uplifting entertainment as we celebrate the wonderful women who make life so beautiful.



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National Long Term Care Week – May 12-16

May 12 through the 16 will be a fun filled week of special activities as Mount Olivet Careview Home celebrates National Long Term Care Week.



Monday, May 12

- Memory Care Residents on CV 2 will enjoy walks and wheels around the block with staff from the Nursing, Environmental Services, and Therapeutic Recreation departments as escorts at 11am.
- Memory Care Residents on MOH 3 will enjoy walks around the block at 2pm.
- Family members are also invited to escort their loved one on the walk at the designated times.

Tuesday, May 13

- Popcorn Pick Me Up with the Social Services Department in the Corner Café on first floor from 3-4pm. Everyone is invited to stop by for a bag of popcorn and visit with our Social Workers.

Wednesday, May 14

- Residents will enjoy facility wide BINGO in the Lund Chapel at 3pm hosted by the Therapeutic Recreation Department.

Thursday, May 15

- Facility wide grill out and residents will enjoy grilled hamburgers for lunch fresh off the grills on the Careview patio, and prepared by the HR department, TR department, Culinary, Environmental Services and Maintenance departments.

Friday, May 16

- Ice Cream Truck visits from 1:30-3pm outside the Careview entrance under the portico. Everyone is invited to enjoy an ice cream treat. Escorts will be provided by all departments for our Residents. Family members are also encouraged to bring their loved ones and enjoy a treat from the good old days!

A Special Thank You

Mount Olivet Careview Home residents and staff would like to extend appreciation to Trudy Taaffe, daughter of Mount Olivet Home resident June M. for her generous donation which allowed us to bring in an ice cream truck for residents and staff to enjoy during the celebration of National Long Term Care Week. Thank you, Trudy for your kindness and donation!



Mount Olivet Careview Home is pleased to welcome **Besty Omboka, RN** as the Nurse Manager for Mount Olivet Home 3rd Floor Memory Care. Betsy has worked as an RN for 3 years with a blend of hospital and out of hospital experiences. Betsy has enjoyed her nursing career and has a passion to make a difference in the lives of those that she has the privilege to meet with daily. Betsy is looking forward to getting to know the residents and families on 3rd floor. Welcome to the Mount Olivet Team Betsy!



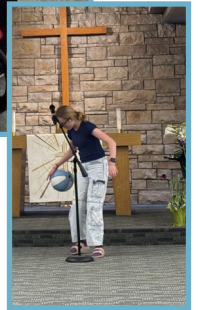
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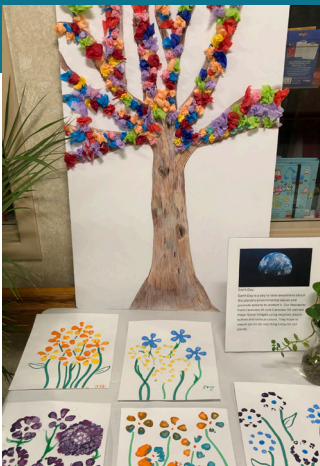


Adopt a Grandparent Program

Students from Mount Olivet Church participating in the Adopt a Grandparent Program made two special visits to our residents during April. On Monday, April 7, they joined residents in the Lund Chapel for a creative afternoon of painting and planting. Residents decorated flower pots and planted cheerful blooms to brighten their rooms. Then, on Monday, April 21, the students returned to showcase their talents in a fun and lively talent show, which brought lots of smiles and joy to everyone in attendance. The Adopt a Grandparent visits will take a summer break and resume in September. A heartfelt thank you to all the wonderful students who brought so much happiness and energy to our community!



Earth Day 2025



Residents of Mount Olivet Careview Home celebrated Earth Day 2025 by creating beautiful, heartfelt artwork. Earth Day was first observed in 1970, sparked by a U.S. senator from Wisconsin who organized a nationwide demonstration to raise awareness about environmental issues. The movement gained momentum with rallies held across the country, eventually leading to the creation of the Environmental Protection Agency later that year. By 1990, Earth Day had grown into a global event, observed in more than 140 countries.

A heartfelt thank you to our Mount Olivet residents for recognizing the importance of caring for our planet and contributing their creativity to this meaningful celebration.



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Celebrating Easter at Mount Olivet

Residents celebrated the Easter season with a joyful lineup of festivities, from colorful egg decorating and creative Easter crafts to upbeat “Minute to Win It” games and cheerful Easter sing-alongs. The atmosphere was full of laughter, creativity, and community spirit.

The Lund Chapel came alive on Easter Sunday, filled with residents and their families who gathered together for a heartfelt worship service.

With smiles all around, residents warmly embraced the Easter holiday and the refreshing arrival of spring.



Edina Senior Singers



Residents of Mount Olivet were treated to a delightful concert by the Edina Senior Singers. This spirited group had the audience tapping their toes and singing along to beloved classics, including a rousing rendition of Take Me Out to the Ballgame in celebration of the Twins’ home opener. A few of the performers noted how impressed they were with the residents’ enthusiasm and participation, calling it a “wonderful audience.” We look forward to welcoming the Edina Senior Singers back for another memorable performance.

