

The DePaul family has always worked hard to make a difference for our people and our communities. In these unprecedented times, we are forever grateful for the countless acts of humanity that raise our spirits and make each day brighter. We hope you'll join us in celebrating the good that we see at DePaul, as we navigate this journey together.

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Shining Stars

Not all heroes wear capes! The DePaul family has always worked hard to make a difference for our people and our communities. Congratulations to all of our Shining Stars for continuously going above and beyond!



The Employees at Kensington Square

"For pulling together during these crucial times and keeping strength and solace through these times of uncertainty. Stay strong, we will get through this."



Karen Syracuse

Rochester Administration

"Karen took the time to drive needed items that we obtained through our Wegmans representative, including toilet paper and bread, to Batavia for our Erie County sites to pick up. Above and beyond for sure! Thank you, Karen!"

DePaul Cares



The DePaul family have been showing that they care with compassion and creativity! Pictured above, seniors at Twelve Oaks in Mt. Airy, North Carolina all pitched in to send out some important and compassionate messages. Pictured below, staff at Westwood Commons in North Chili, New York, showed off their pride by participating in an "everyday heroes" photo shoot.



It Takes a Village



DePaul is overwhelmed with gratitude for the many selfless and random acts of kindness being shared with staff and residents. Pictured top row are donations of puzzles and food from a local grocery store at Wexford House in Denver, North Carolina, and a staff member at Glenwell in Cheektowaga, New York with a bouquet of flowers from the Glenwell courtyard. Pictured bottom row, residents at Wexford House and Pee Dee Gardens in Florence, South Carolina received cards from community members, and Chef's Catering donated meals to staff at Halstead Square in Rochester, New York.

Keeping Everyone Protected



Many kind and generous sewers and crafters have reached out during this time of need to see if DePaul can use fabric masks made by caring hands. Thank you to our staff, residents, individuals and others who have donated time to make and collect masks and assisted in obtaining other protective gear to keep staff, residents and their surrounding communities safe:

- Trish A. (RVA)
- Kadie Tower (RVA)
- Joann Kanicsar and Brenda Adam (Westwood Commons)
- Joyce Fuhrman (RVA)
- Maria Lynn Hatch

- Denise Borchert (Glenwell)
- Cheryl Winkelman (Glenwell)
- Donna Guy (Glenwell)
- Debra Wernle and Jim Laird
- United Way's Mighty Networks platform

Sunshine for the Soul



Nothing lifts the spirits like some sunshine for the soul! DePaul seniors are ready for spring! Pictured above are residents volunteering to get the porch ready for the season at Westwood Commons in North Chili, New York, enjoying some peace and quiet on the porch at Wexford House in Denver, North Carolina, painting a bird house at Wheatfield Commons in North Tonawanda, New York, and soaking up the sun in the courtyard at Glenwell in Cheektowaga, New York.

Gratitude Abounds



Our sincerest thanks to the United Way for a donation from its Crisis Fund to assist obtaining meal deliveries for residents, as well as to the Finger Lakes Performing Provider System, Inc. for donating 15 laptops to DePaul for use by clients. On behalf of DePaul clients and staff, we are sincerely thankful for these and many other generous donations which assist us in continuing to make a difference in the lives of those we serve.

Stay tuned for more good news...

