

March 2024

# Fremont Fountain View

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**Management at your service**  
“Baruch Senior Ministries  
seeks to honor God by  
serving people as they  
age.”

Administrator  
Shelley McDonald

Resident Care Manager  
Latasha Robinson

Activity Director  
Nicole Wandzilak

Director of Food Service  
Lorraine Wellman

Director of  
Housekeeping  
Sue Cotton

Director of Maintenance  
David McDonald

Chaplain  
Val Vandelaar

## A Mathematical Celebration

March 14 marks a unique celebration—Pi Day! It honors the mathematical constant pi ( $\pi$ ) because the first three digits, 3.14, match the date. It is also recognized as the International Day of Mathematics, a celebration of the universal language of numbers. In addition, this busy day also pays homage to the genius behind the theory of relativity, Albert Einstein, who was born on March 14, 1879. Ironically, the fact that Einstein’s birthday is widely celebrated might not have pleased the esteemed scientist, who once said, “It is a known fact that I was born, and that is all that is necessary.”

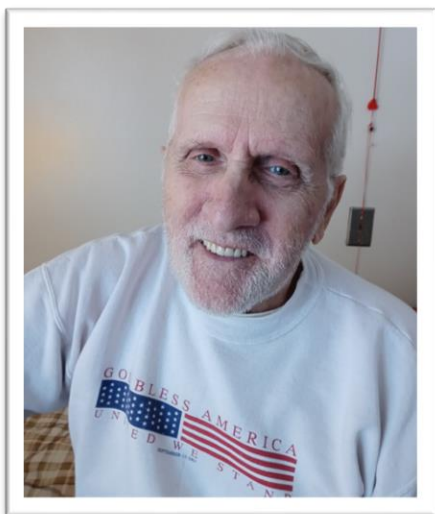
Pi, that infinite number we encounter in circles, has an inseparable bond with Einstein’s groundbreaking work. The beauty of pi lies not just in its numerical significance but in its appearance across mathematical landscapes, including the formulas that are the basis of Einstein’s theories. The theory of relativity, famously distilled into  $E=mc^2$ , unveils the intricate dance between energy, mass, and the speed of light—a mathematical waltz through the cosmos.

This trio of celebrations is a chance to marvel at how math permeates our world. From the spirals of galaxies to the curves of flower petals, mathematical principles govern the very fabric of nature. March 14 is a day to appreciate the sheer delight of numbers, which transcend cultural and language barriers. It’s a reminder that math isn’t just about calculus or algebra, endless equations to mind-bending theories; it’s about the joy of patterns, puzzles, and the universal language that connects us all. It is the basis of the wonders of the universe—the rhythm of the stars, the shapes of nature, and the logic that powers innovation.

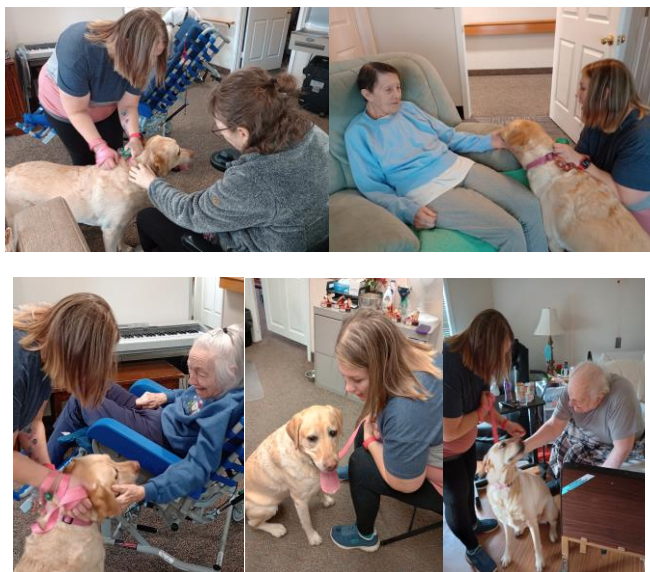
As you munch on a piece of banana cream or homemade blueberry pie to celebrate Pi Day, raise a glass and toast to Einstein’s legacy. Take a moment to reflect on how equations, formulas, and theories intertwine to unlock the secrets of the universe.

## In Loving Memory of Sherwood Breuker

Sherwood went to be with our Lord In February. He had a great sense of humor and a wonderful smile. He was an Army veteran of the Vietnam Era. He proudly wore his Army hat for every Veterans Day. He had made many friends during his time here at Fountain View and will be missed by staff and residents. Rest in peace dear friend.



A visit from Maggie. (pictured below)  
Animals bring so much joy!



## March Birthdays

### Residents:

Helen Echtinaw.....3-26-1939

### Staff:

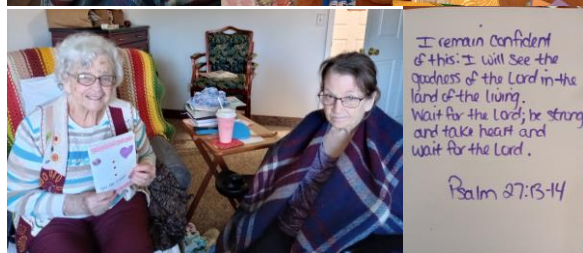
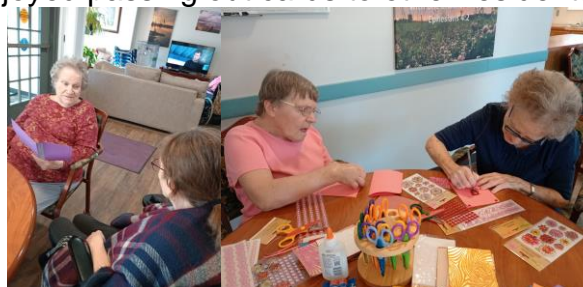
Paige Kinsey.....3-8

Stephanie Busman.....3-21



### Card Making

The residents made homemade cards to give to friends and family. One resident especially enjoyed passing out cards to other residents.





## National Chocolate Fondue Day

What better time to enjoy fruit, crackers, pretzels and marshmallows dipped in chocolate? That's right! National Chocolate Fondue Day.



## Peanut Butter Egg Fundraiser Reminder

There's still time to order! Orders and payment are due by **March 18<sup>th</sup>**



Homemade by Fountain View Staff, these are delicious! Get some delicious treats while supporting Fountain View

## Wing A Thon Fundraiser

We have a team this year participating in the wing a thon as we continue to raise money for the awning for the front entrance. If interested in becoming a sponsor, or making a monetary donation, Contact Nicole or Shelley at 231-924-5050



## Paws and Purrs

It doesn't get any cuter than March 23, when it is both Cuddly Kitten Day and National Puppy Day. The debate between cat people and dog



people rages on. At the Westminster Dog Show, dog authorities argue that they are outgoing while cat people are more aloof. Cat owners over at the Black

Diamond Cat Show say they are more intelligent and independent than their dog-owning counterparts. According to researchers, dog people are more extroverted, agreeable, and conscientious. Cat lovers are a bit less traditional and more artistic. Both parties, however, love to cuddle.



## Mardi Gras and Fat Tuesday

What a fun day we had here at Fountain View. Colorful beads, masks and hats for Mardi Gras, as well as delicious Paczkis for Fat Tuesday.

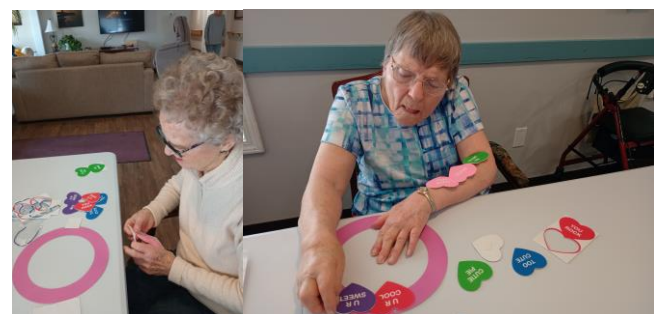


## Crafts with Nicole



## National Pizza Day

Residents and staff enjoyed pizza for lunch. Many asked for seconds. (Pictures taken after lunch)



Valentine crafts that remind us of God's love



## *Valentines Day Party*

The residents enjoyed music, snacks, and gifts from their secret Valentine. Prior to the party, we were also blessed by students from Fremont Christian who came and played games with the residents, as well as bringing Valentine cards.





## Let's Welcome our New Residents



**Anita**

Originally a Bingo volunteer, and a very sweet and helpful lady. We welcome her to our Fountain View family.



**Ike**

Originally from Grant, Ike had decided he wanted to be in Fremont. We welcome him to our Fountain view family.

## Community Easter Egg Hunt

Join us Saturday March 30<sup>th</sup> at 11:00 am for our annual community Easter Egg Hunt at Fountain View. Also expecting a visit from the Easter Bunny



## Anniversaries

### Residents:

Linda Schilhaneck.....3-3-2021

Andy Landheer.....3-4-2021

### Staff:

Katrina Glenn....3/2018 (6 years)

Lorraine Wellman....3-13-2018 (6 years)

*Happy Anniversary*

## First Time Bowling Champions

Congratulations Linda and Anita

Both ladies were first time bowling champions during the month of February



Great job ladies!