



As the crisp autumn air fills our days and the vibrant colors of fall remind us of nature's beauty, we are reminded that Thanksgiving is just around the corner. It's a season that calls us to pause, reflect, and give thanks for the many blessings we share.

Here at Knollwood Pointe, we are so thankful for each and every one of you—our wonderful residents and the families who support them. The sense of community, warmth, and kindness you bring into our halls is what makes this place a true home. As we gather around the table this

Thanksgiving, we want to extend our deepest gratitude for being a part of our family.

Our Thanksgiving feast will take place on November 21 at 12 o'clock in the afternoon, and we invite you to share this meal with us. It will be a time of good food, warm company, and cherished memories. We know that gathering around the table brings a sense of togetherness, and we look forward to sharing this precious time with all of you.

Warmest Regards, Kendrick Wells Executive Director

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Our community will be partnering with Helping Hands Ministry for our annual Food Drive. The Food Drive started on October 23rd and will conclude on November 21st at our Friends Giving luncheon. We will only be accepting nonperishable foods. This will be our second year working with Helping Hands Ministry. Last year, our community put a Thanksgiving meal on the tables of 19 families in our local area. Together we can make a difference...one can...one family....at a time. Please RSVP no later than November 15th.







MEMORY CARE

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Thanksgiving Dinner: A Tradition of Gratitude

Thanksgiving dinner dates back to 1621 when the Pilgrims at Plymouth Colony celebrated a successful harvest with the Wampanoag people. The original feast lasted three days and featured venison, wild fowl, fish, and native crops like corn and squash.

Over time, turkey became the centerpiece of the meal due to its availability and size.

Other dishes like stuffing, cranberry sauce, and pumpkin

spread.
In 1863, President Lincoln declared Thanksgiving a national holiday. Since then, it has symbolized gratitude, unity, and family gatherings. Today, while regional dishes and family traditions vary, the spirit of Thanksgiving remains the same—celebrating abundance, gratitude, and togetherness.
Happy Thanksgiving from

pie were added, creating the traditional Thanksgiving

"Many people will walk in and out of your life, but only true friends will leave footprints in your heart." —Eleanor Roosevelt

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					All Saints' Day	Dias De Los Muertos 2
				 Thursdays are "Fun Fall 	9:00 Devotion	8:30 Morning News & Coffee
				Facts" Spirit Days	9:30 Hymn Singalong	9:30 Courtyard Stroll
				 Wear your favorite Red 	10:00 Snack Shack	10:00 Snack Shack
				or Orange Shirt or	10:30 Dice-rcise	10:30 Bingo
				Accessories	1:00 Bus Outing	1:00 Courtyard Gathering
					2:00 Snack Shack	2:00 Snack Shack
					2:30 Friday Fun Day: Assorted	2:30 Cognitive Stimulation
					Games	Station Activity Sheets
					3:30 Color Me Wonderful	3:30 Afternoon Movie
3	National Blood Pressure Day 4	Election Day 5	National Nacho Day	6 National Merlot Day 7	8	9
8:30 Morning News & Coffee	9:00 Upper Body Stretches	9:00 Lower Body Stretches	9:00 Devotion	9:00 Devotion	9:00 Devotion	8:30 Morning News & Coffee
9:30 Church Service with	9:30 Autumn Jazz Cafe Music	9:30 Campfire Singalong	9:30 Hymn Singalong	9:30 Hymn Singalong	9:30 Hymn Singalong	9:30 Courtyard Stroll
Theodore Church of God	10:00 Snack Shack	10:00 Snack Shack	10:00 Praise & Fitness with	10:00 Snack Shack	10:00 Snack Shack	10:00 Snack Shack
10:00 Snack Shack	10:30 Name 30 Orange Items	10:30 "Pick Your Poison"	Christina Boyd	10:30 Fun Fall Facts	10:30 Dice-rcise	10:30 Bingo
1:00 Courtyard Gathering	2:00 Courtyard Gathering	2:00 Snack Shack	10:30 Snack Shack & Facts	2:00 Snack Shack	1:00 Bus Outing	1:00 Courtyard Gathering
2:00 Snack Shack	2:30 Crackling Fireplace:	2:30 Autumn Tree Craft	2:00 Courtyard Gathering	2:30 Arts & Crafts	2:00 Snack Shack	2:00 Snack Shack
2:30 Cognitive Stimulation	Autumn Sensory Nail Spa	3:00 Words Within Words	2:30 Bingo	3:00 Sit N Stay Fit	2:30 Friday Fun Day: Assorted	2:30 Cognitive Stimulation
Station Activity Sheets	3:00 Color Me Wonderful	3:30 Election Coverage	3:00 UNO with Friends	3:30 Brother Allen	Games	Station Activity Sheets
3:30 Afternoon Movie	3:30 Monday Matinee	=	3:30 Independent Activities		3:30 Color Me Wonderful	3:30 Afternoon Movie
	Veterans Day 11	12	Caregiver Appreciation Day	13 National Pickle Day 14		16
8:30 Morning News & Coffee	9:00 Upper Body Stretches	9:00 Lower Body Stretches	9:00 Devotion	9:00 Devotion	9:00 Devotion	8:30 Morning News & Coffee
9:30 Church Service with	9:30 Autumn Jazz Cafe Music	9:30 Campfire Singalong	9:30 Hymn Singalong	9:30 Hymn Singalong	9:30 Hymn Singalong	9:30 Courtyard Stroll
Theodore Church of God	10:00 Snack Shack	10:00 Snack Shack	10:00 Praise & Fitness with	10:00 Snack Shack	10:00 Burns Middle School Choir	10:00 Snack Shack
10:00 Snack Shack	10:30 Name 30 5-Letter Words	10:30 Ball Toss	Christina Boyd	10:30 Fun Fall Facts	1:00 Kraze Frozen Yogurt	10:30 Bingo
1:00 Courtyard Gathering	2:00 Courtyard Gathering	2:00 Snack Shack	10:30 Snack Shack & Facts	2:00 Snack Shack	Shoppe	1:00 Courtyard Gathering
2:00 Snack Shack	2:30 Snack Shack	2:30 Arts & Crafts	2:00 Courtyard Gathering	2:30 Wooden Turkey Painting	2:00 Snack Shack	2:00 Snack Shack
2:30 Cognitive Stimulation	3:00 Color Me Wonderful	3:00 Words Within Words	2:30 Bingo	3:00 Sit N Stay Fit	2:30 Friday Fun Day: Assorted	2:30 Cognitive Stimulation
Station Activity Sheets	3:30 Monday Matinee	3:30 The Ed Sullivan Show	3:00 UNO with Friends	3:30 Brother Allen	Games	Station Activity Sheets
3:30 Afternoon Movie		(Pluto TV)	3:30 Independent Activities		3:30 Color Me Wonderful	3:30 Afternoon Movie
17	18	National Play Monopoly Day 19		20 21	National Go for a Ride Day 22	23
8:30 Morning News & Coffee	9:00 Upper Body Stretches	9:00 Lower Body Stretches	9:00 Devotion	9:00 Devotion	9:00 Devotion	8:30 Morning News & Coffee
9:30 Church Service with	9:30 Autumn Jazz Cafe Music	9:30 Campfire Singalong	9:30 Hymn Singalong	9:30 Hymn Singalong	9:30 Hymn Singalong	9:30 Courtyard Stroll
Theodore Church of God	10:00 Snack Shack	10:00 Snack Shack	10:00 Praise & Fitness with	10:00 Snack Shack	10:00 Snack Shack	10:00 Snack Shack
10:00 Snack Shack	10:30 3 Letters Word Game	10:30 Monopoly	Christina Boyd	10:30 Fun Fall Facts	10:30 Dice-rcise	10:30 Bingo
1:00 Courtyard Gathering	2:00 Courtyard Gathering	2:00 Snack Shack	10:30 Snack Shack & Facts	12:00 Friendsgiving Food Drive	1:00 Bus Outing	1:00 Courtyard Gathering
2:00 Snack Shack	2:30 Crackling Fireplace:	2:30 Arts & Crafts	2:00 Courtyard Gathering	Luncheon	2:00 Snack Shack	2:00 Snack Shack
2:30 Cognitive Stimulation	Autumn Sensory Nail Spa	3:00 Words Within Words	2:30 Bingo	2:00 Arts & Crafts	2:30 Friday Fun Day: Assorted	2:30 Cognitive Stimulation
Station Activity Sheets	3:00 Color Me Wonderful	3:30 Diners, Drive-Ins, & Dives	3:00 Worship with Joyce	3:00 Sit N Stay Fit	Games	Station Activity Sheets
3:30 Afternoon Movie	3:30 Monday Matinee	(Max)	3:30 Independent Activities	3:30 Brother Allen	3:30 Color Me Wonderful	3:30 Afternoon Movie
	National Parfait Day 25		National Jukebox Day	27 Thanksgiving 28		30
8:30 Morning News & Coffee	9:00 Upper Body Stretches	9:00 Lower Body Stretches	9:00 Devotion	9:00 Macy's Thanksgiving Day	9:00 Devotion	8:30 Morning News & Coffee
9:30 Church Service with	9:30 Autumn Jazz Cafe Music	9:30 Campfire Singalong	9:30 Hymn Singalong	Parade	9:30 Hymn Singalong	9:30 Courtyard Stroll
Theodore Church of God	10:00 Snack Shack	10:00 Snack Shack	10:00 Praise & Fitness with	9:30 Tabletop Activities	10:00 Snack Shack	10:00 Snack Shack
10:00 Snack Shack	10:30 True OR False	10:30 "Pick Your Poison"	Christina Boyd	10:00 Snack Shack	10:30 Dice-rcise	10:30 Bingo
1:00 Courtyard Gathering	2:00 Courtyard Gathering	2:00 Wizard of Oz themed	10:30 Snack Shack & Facts	10:30 Fun Fall Facts	1:00 Bus Outing	1:00 Courtyard Gathering
2:00 Snack Shack	2:30 Crackling Fireplace:	Farmer's Market Social	2:00 Courtyard Gathering	2:00 Snack Shack	2:00 Snack Shack	2:00 Auburn Tigers vs.
2:30 Cognitive Stimulation	Autumn Sensory Nail Spa	2:30 Matinee featuring "The	2:30 Bingo	2:30 Arts & Crafts	2:30 Friday Fun Day: Assorted	Alabama Crimson Tide
Station Activity Sheets	3:00 Color Me Wonderful	Wiz" (YouTube)	3:00 UNO with Friends	3:00 Sit N Stay Fit	Games	Iron Bowl Tailgate Party!
3:30 Afternoon Movie	3:30 Monday Matinee	3:00 Tabletop Activities	3:30 Independent Activities	3:30 Brother Allen	3:30 Color Me Wonderful	
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Resident Spotlight: Edith Paquet



Edith Paquet: A Life of Service, Faith, & Friendship

Born on February 10, 1938, in the close-knit community of Semmes, Alabama, Edith Margaret Kelly Paquet grew up with two older brothers. In 1956, she graduated from Semmes High School, setting the foundation for a life marked by dedication, faith, and service.

After high school, Edith embarked on an adventure to Washington, D.C., where she held a clerical position with the FBI for several years. Though she enjoyed her time in the nation's capital, her heart remained in Alabama. Eventually, Edith returned home, settling first in Mobile and later in Theodore.

For over 30 years, Edith worked with unwavering dedication in the Mobile County School Board's Health Services Department, retiring in 1999. Her faith was the cornerstone of her life. As a longtime member of the First Baptist Church of Theodore, she found great joy in Bible study and church involvement. Edith's spirituality was a source of strength, especially after the loss of her beloved daughter, Rhonda.

Beyond work and church, Edith pursued a variety of interests. She was a talented pianist, a devoted reader, and a lover of mystery-solving TV shows like *Murder, She Wrote* and *Matlock*. She also collected over 300 pairs of salt and pepper shakers from around the world.

In February, Edith became part of the Knollwood Pointe community, where she has thrived. Recently, she was reunited with her best friend of many years, Jackie, who also joined the Knollwood Pointe family.

Edith's life is a testament to faith, friendship, and service. She continues to inspire those around her with her grace, wisdom, and humor.

November Birthdays











