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Message from Margaret

As I look out at the Olive Glen gardens on this beautiful spring morning, I feel such gratitude for all the thought and prayerful support that we continue to receive from our Christian Science community.

"A grateful heart a garden is, where there is always room. For every lovely, God-like grace, To come to perfect bloom." Christian Science Hymnal Page 3

The Administration, Board of Directors, and staff are continually working to better meet the needs of our community. As part of our on-going progress Olive Glen applied for and has been accepted into the Medicare/Medi-Cal programs. This allows us to serve those who need to rely on Medicare to cover the cost of Christian Science nursing care or to apply for Medi-Cal if no other financial resources are available. These two programs can make a significant difference when requiring skilled Christian Science nursing care.



In order to be compliant with the Medicare/Medi-Cal programs we have had to make several safety upgrades at both Courtyard and Hilltop buildings. These include:

- Two emergency generators
- Two fire panels connected to the alarm company
- Two buildings retrofitted with a fire sprinkler system
- Fireproofing Courtyard's knotty pine woodwork and all window treatments
- Changing to quick-release doorknobs throughout all buildings
- Illuminated emergency exit signs
- A separate out-patient room

The estimated expense for these upgrades is \$250,000. Our Board has given much prayerful thought to the idea of sufficiency. At a recent meeting, one of the members read a 1947 article by Ivimy Gwalter entitled "Our God-given Sufficiency." Included in the article are two favorite citations of mine, one from II Corinthians 9:8, "And God is able to make all grace abound toward you, that ye, always having all sufficiency in all things, may abound to every good work," and the other from Science and Health, page 10, "All this is accomplished by the grace of God—the effect of God understood."

We know that supply and demand are in perfect balance, spiritually, and that Divine Love meets the human need—always. We are enormously grateful for the continued financial support from churches and individuals as the evidence of this supply, and for your prayerful support for this work in all ways.

For your convenience we have set up an online donation page. We are now accepting recurring and one-time donations. Go to our website at www.oliveglen.org and click on the "Donate" button or call the office for assistance at 916-486-1161

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Ministry Found



M i c h e l e Boschert, who o r i g i n a l l y planned to be a medical nurse, was introduced

to Christian Science through a significant healing her mother experienced after reading the chapter on Prayer in Science & Health. During college when she began her own study of Christian Science, Michele was healed of multiple allergies by affirming that she could only be sensitive to good. After having a family and class instruction Michele began to pray to find a job where she might be of service. This led to the ministry in Christian Science nursing that began in 1983 with training at Arden Wood. Michele has been a Christian Science nurse at Olive Glen for fifteen years.





Spring Tea

Olive Glen held its annual spring tea on March 6. For the past several years the food preparation has all been done by the staff rather than catered. Everything was beautiful and delicious! Jane Mattson provided a background of lovely harp music. Chris Cheney in his tux and white gloves and John Best-Jarvis in his formal attire were there to serve. Many thanks to all the chefs, servers, organizers, and set-up/take-down crew. It was an awesome team effort and a joy visiting with everyone!

Message From The Board

The Board of Directors would like to invite anyone who may be interested in serving on Olive Glen's board to call the office at 916-486-1161 and have your name placed on the list of those interested.

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Mark your Calendar - Upcoming Event

The **Annual Meeting** will be held in the Fall on **September 26th, 2015**

The speaker will be James H. Meyer CS



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Olive Glen Yearly Activities

Annual fishing trip

Fireworks - Fourth of July, dessert at the Wardlaws'

Music programs and singing

Daily volunteer readers and walkers

Transportation to all Sunday and Wednesday church services

Japanese garden tour and lunch with Boonie Lang

Weekly craft projects with Lori Proo

Concerts, lectures and local talks

Principia Christmas Sing at Olive Glen

Cooking projects

Downtown Reading Room

Olive Glen Christmas party at Marilyn Best's house

Trip to Apple Hill

The Annual Meeting