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Village News

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Happy Mother's Day!

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National
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Care
Week

May 9-15, 2021

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**Dress Up Days For
Staff & Residents
During National
Nursing Home Week**

Monday:

Spring ~ Wear Floral Prints
& Pastels

Tuesday:

Winter ~ Christmas & Winter
Apparel

Wednesday:

Autumn ~ Plaid & Fall Colors

Thursday:

Summer ~ Hawaiian Shirts

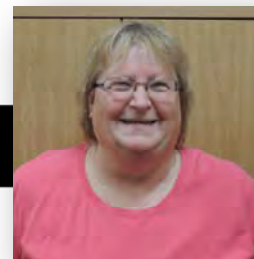
Friday:

Team Spirit ~ Favorite Team
Attire

Reminder: Assisted Living Residents & Families
Please remember to sign in and out of the log book by
the mail boxes when you leave the building. Thanks!



SPRING CLEANING: Please check your
cupboards for Newton Village table service...
plates, saucers, bowls, cups, glasses and
silverware. We have misplaced several pieces
since the beginning of the pandemic.
Please check your cupboards and return back to
culinary department. Thank you! Chef Norberto



CONGRATULATIONS
Karen Erickson
Overnight Care Attendant

She is an original Newton Village employee
that began working here when the doors were
first opened. Thank you for your service!

*May 2021 Lease Signing Special: Newton Village will pay up to *\$500 of your moving costs!*

Village Leadership Team

Executive Director/Administrator: Angela Adam, MHA, LNHA
 Heath Center Director of Nursing: Sarah Coy, RN
 Health Center MDS Coordinator: Pam Thompson, RN
 Community Liaison/Social Worker: Andrea Smith BSW
 Assisted Living RN Coordinator: Leanne Schwickerath, RN BSN
 Environmental Services Director: Brandon Taylor
 Business Office Manager: Traci Jackson
 Payroll/Benefits Coordinator: Reda Daniels
 Culinary Director: Norberto Horrach
 Chaplain: Pastor Dan Jordan, Rev. Dr.
 Life Enrichment Coordinator: Michele Jansen
 Pro-Rehab Therapy Director: Laura Essen, COTA/L



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Peter Cottontail Visit



Spring Mixed Media



Kite Flying



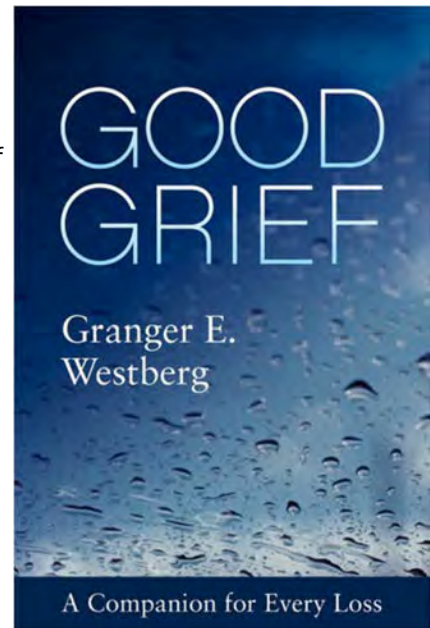
Antiques



May is a beautiful month of blossoms, Mother's Day, and graduations. It is also the month that we remember those who have passed on before us. Decoration Day or Memorial Day as it is now called was and is important to my parents and family. My folks have been faithful to get make sure that the gravestones of their parents, grandparents, spouses, and children were cleaned and decorated with beautiful potted flowers. Even Covid did not stop my 90 year old mom from getting it done last year.

Since we were unable last year, we will have a memorial service this year in each Newton Village neighborhood for our residents who have passed from 2019-2021. This is to remember them and to remember the people who continue to live with their loss. We will announce their names, have pictures, flowers, shared memories, Scripture, songs and prayer. I hope that you plan to participate in the Memorial Service connected to your living area.

Living with loss is unique to each person. The late chaplain, Rev. Granger Westberg, wrote the short booklet, *Good Grief*, from his experiences. It has helped many people realize the value and process for their sorrow. I have these available and will gladly share one with you at your request.



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