CLEAR THE SHELTERS is a nationwide promotion dedicated to helping local shelters find adoptable homes for the animals! Along with WETM-TV, Bethany Village is stepping up to help sponsor this event! On August 17th, adoption fees are waived at participating local shelters. (other fees may still apply)

Bethany Village is holding a ‘FILL THE BUS” event to help support the animals at the local shelter! Join us on our August 14th Summer concert event from 6-8pm, bring items for the shelter pets (dog food, cat food, toys, blankets, treats, etc.) and help fill the bus!

Adoptable pets will be there for you to visit with! Enjoy the concert and our special guests on Aug. 14th behind the colonial house during our final summer concert! If you can’t make it, you can bring donations to the Manor, or the Courtyards front office till Aug 14th!

Bethany Village—Caring for our community!

WATCH for our Day Foster animal visits coming soon!
Bethany Village offers a Caregivers Support Group session monthly for the Alzheimer’s Association. The group meets every third Thursday from 12:15-1:15 in the Courtyards Day Club Room. There is no charge for the meeting and we supply lunch. If you would like more information, please call the Home Care office at 607-378-6613.

**Events!**

- Ice cream trolley—every Wed. @ 2pm
- Ride in the country—8/2 & 8/16 @ 10:30am
- Summer concert—every Wed 6:30pm
- Shopping—every Tuesday @ 2pm
- Penelope pet visit - 8/3 & 8/17 @ 10:30am
- Happy hour—every Friday @ 3pm
- Hands & Nails 8/1 & 8/15 @ 10:30am
- Art appreciation—Mondays @ 2pm
- Live music 8/6, 8/13, 8/20 @ 10:30am
- Rosary—every Wed 10:30am
- Bingo—every Mon. Thurs., & Sat.
- Fish Fry Outing 8/16 @ 4pm
- Good Ole Gospel Music 8/22 @ 6:30pm

**TURNING VEGAN WOULD BE A BIG MISSED STEAK!**

- Clista Mochrie ----------- 1
- Angela Piersomoni ------- 3
- Marilyn Synatschk ---- 6
- Betty Hatfield ----------- 7
- Barbara Cilley ----------- 13
- Martelea Stewart -------- 13
- Marian Smith ---------- 18
- Mary Morgan ------- 18
- Irene Hanley ----------- 21
- Virginia Casil --------- 25
I was a caregiver for eight years before I discovered respite care. Even before my husband, Matt, received a dementia diagnosis, in 2011, he was becoming forgetful and needed my assistance. I didn’t know how our relationship would eventually change. We couldn’t banter anymore, and he was forgetting the names of family and friends. Because change makes him anxious, we stay home more. It’s been isolating.

I learned about respite care from an AARP staffer. The first day I dropped Matt off for four hours at Bethany Village, an adult care facility with a respite program called Day Club, I was so relieved. I went and got a massage with a gift certificate I’d been given. I’d never had time to do that before.

I know Matt is safe at Day Club because the people there are so incredibly competent and caring. He sits with a bunch of men, fellow veterans in their military caps. They have lunch, socialize.

When Matt is there, I can run errands, come home or have lunch with a friend. It’s wonderful to have four hours to myself to do what I wish, even if it’s mundane things on my own.

Just a few hours does wonders in restoring my energy and perspective. No one likes to ask for help, but getting respite time is critical to surviving as a caregiver.
The Manor at Bethany ~ Summer Fun!

Do a little more each day than you think you possibly can.

Activity Happenings

8/1 Shopping at Dollar Tree & Resident Council
8/3 Brown Bag Auction & Music: Mark Spicer
8/8 Outdoor Fun (weather permitting)
8/12 Ladies Club Tea
8/14 Skill 3 Picnic
8/15 Pet-A-Pet
8/17 Music: George Mann
8/19 Music: Larry Stamatel
8/21 Men’s Club Luncheon
8/22 Dietary Forum
8/23 Lunch at Outback
8/26 Music: Greg Jenkins
8/28 Resident Birthday Party
8/29 Outdoor Fun (weather permitting)

Join us in the Activity Room for:

- Church every Sunday
- Catholic services the 2nd & 4th Wed. /month
- Breakfast Club every other Tuesday
- Bingo 3 times a week
- Bible Study every Thursday
- Baking/Cooking every week
- Along with in room activities offered daily

Happy Birthday

Floyd R. 8/02
Beverly E. 8/08
Sandra N. 8/09
Doris B. 8/14
Walter C. 8/23
Grace G. 8/25
Roena L. 8/26
Donald D. 8/26
Bernette R. 8/29
We're searching for volunteers at the Manor...

→ Provide a visit to do a specific task like helping with a program in activities
→ Provide friendly conversation and companionship while reading, playing cards, puzzles, etc.
→ Help transport residents to and from activities
→ Assist staff with taking residents on outings

volunteer
do good, feel good

If you are interested in any of these opportunities Contact: Beth Flynn, Activities Director at 607.378.6558 or

BETHANY VILLAGE
Adding life to your years.

Bethany Village is your home.

Our care is...

Personalized, Exceptional, 
& Compassionate.

If you have wheelchairs in good condition and not being used... the Manor would be happy to take them off your hands. See Shelley in the Front Office or Tracey in Therapy. Thank you!

OUTPATIENT THERAPY SERVICES - 607-378-6502
Physical ~ Occupational ~ Speech

Bethany Village’s team of highly-skilled rehabilitation specialists provide comprehensive programs utilizing the latest treatment options designed to meet each patient’s unique need. Whether you are recovering from surgery, an injury, or any trauma to the musculoskeletal system, orthopedic rehabilitation is a vital component to get back to an active lifestyle.
Pastoral Care
Catholic Rosary every Wed. 10:30 at Courtyards in Auditorium
Church Services: Sundays
Courtyards @10:30
Manor @ 2:00
Bible Study: Tues & Thurs.
Tues: @ 10:00 Courtyards
Thurs: @2:00 Manor
Sensory church (every other week)
For more info contact:
Rev. Mary Ann Bernard
(607) 378-6701 or bernardm@bethany-village.org

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on your computer, or on your smartphone!
www.bethany-village.org

Find us on facebook to keep up on events and your family at Bethany Village!

Our Mission:
Bethany Village is your home. Our care is personalized, exceptional, and compassionate