

# Care Communications

*A quarterly publication for our residents and their families, our employees, volunteers, friends and contributors*



hello  
spring!

For as the earth bringeth forth her bud, and as the garden causeth the things that are sown in it to spring forth; so the Lord GOD will cause righteousness and praise to spring forth before all the nations. [Isaiah 61:11](#)

Cross Road Retirement Community never looks prettier than when spring arrives. Everywhere you look there are flowers blooming, trees budding, and the grass is growing. As you walk around the grounds you will see ducks nesting under bushes waiting for their little ones to hatch so they can show them the pond where they will take their first swim. Now is the time that you'll see folks fishing and riding golf carts or taking an evening walk while they enjoy the extra daylight.

Also, we are looking forward to Easter and celebrating all that Christ did for us on the cross and by raising from the grave. We are thankful for a new season and for all that we have been blessed with here at Cross Road. Happy Spring and Happy Easter!



## Time to Spring Clean...

To the family members...it's time to do some spring cleaning in your loved one's room. Please take home Christmas decorations, winter clothes, coats & shoes. Bring in summer clothes & sandals. Make sure that every item is labeled. Check refrigerators for old food items and see if it needs a good cleaning. These simple things will help your resident stay healthy and more comfortable this Spring and Summer seasons! Thank you!

## Moving Forward with Patience and Kindness



It seems like a long, long time ago that we were covered in snow, ice and all the bad weather that came our way during January. We survived three week-ends of winter weather that started the year off and we haven't looked back since. I have learned that Cross Road is very resilient and operates under many different circumstances. Two years ago, on March 13<sup>th</sup> Covid overtook everyone's lives and we didn't know what the next step was. Between locking doors and isolation, we moved on and I wish I could tell you what the next steps will be that will affect our daily lives, but I couldn't come close with a guess. We will just take one day at a time and be pleased with what the good Lord gives us! I look outside and I think spring has arrived for now, but it is subject to change very quickly. Please be patient and kind during any of the changes that are brought upon us. These are two small things that make the world a better place. I hope these are two things that make Cross Road a much better place to live and visit.



Bailey visits our residents every week!

## A BIG Welcome to our new HR Director... Tammy Horne



We would like to welcome our new Human Resource Director, Tammy Horne to the Cross Road family. She has been here since February and has settled in nicely to her new position.

Tammy holds two certificates in HR, Senior Professional in HR (SPHR) and Society of Human Resources Senior Certified Professional (SHRM-SCP). She also teaches a Human Resources class at RCC.

Tammy has been married to Randy Horne for 33 years. They have one son and 3 grand-daughters. Her hobbies are crafting, line dancing and TV watching.

Tammy says that she is enjoying working here at Cross Road because "the atmosphere is relaxed and overall the employees are friendly and dedicated to doing a good job for the residents".

Be sure to stop by Tammy's office in the MAIN building and say Hello and Welcome!



## Employee of the Month

*Congratulations to:*

January— Melissa Tedder  
February— Bobby Brown  
March— Roy Harris



## Welcome New Employees

Isaiah Fletcher  
Madison Hockaday  
Tina Lassiter  
Joseph Lindsey



## Welcome New Residents

### Main and Memory Care Centers

Ann Bulla  
Rosalee Surratt  
Harvey Humble  
Ruby Bennett  
Ed Phillips  
Robert Taylor  
Mabel Wilder

### Village Apartments

Bill Beck  
Bob & Doris Wright  
Ruth Strid

### Village Residents

#### April

03 Marion Asbill  
07 Evelyn Reaves  
14 Joyce Draughn  
17 Valerie French  
24 Ruth Strid  
27 Mont Gilmore

#### May

04 Carrie Greene  
05 Janice Dortch  
09 Margaret Moon  
14 Kay Schimanski  
15 Lucille Duncan  
19 Carolyn Beane  
24 Harold Stallings  
27 Glenda Skinner  
29 Jennie Nolette  
30 Nancy Stallings  
30 Betty York

#### June

07 Sarah Brady  
10 Dorothy Lewis  
14 Helen McIntosh  
23 Rena Smail  
29 Doris Brinkley  
30 Max Skinner



### Main & Memory Care

#### April

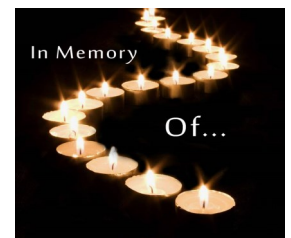
03 Gwen Poole  
06 Judy Godley  
08 Vida Long  
09 Caroline Livingston  
09 Jacksie Poe  
10 Betty Passmore  
30 Sarah Oliver  
30 Edwina Yeatts

#### May

03 Tula Schenck  
07 Annie Kern  
09 Dot Shoe  
09 Lillie Watkins  
17 Margie Sink  
17 Kaye Walker  
18 Dorothy Brower  
22 Bobbie Gibbons  
24 Bob Jones  
25 Ed Phillips  
27 Marie Caldwell

#### June

03 Robert Taylor  
04 Janet Allred  
10 Virgie Trogdon  
15 Shirley Taylor  
26 Bruce Smith  
28 Pops Smith  
30 Rebecca Surratt



Peggy Lineberry  
Jack Zombeck  
Margaret Thompson  
James Ludolf  
Charlesanna Park  
Evangeline Brown  
Joyce Freeman

## Main Assisted Living Activities

Our Assisted Living is staying busy with exercise, crafts, bus rides and plenty of baking during the winter months! Some even went outside to see the snowflakes falling! We also celebrated some milestone birthdays! Faye Hill turned 102 on March 13 and Dale Oliver celebrated her 101<sup>st</sup> birthday on March 18th! We are looking forward to spring and all the opportunities ahead! We have also opened up for volunteers and we would love to have you share your talents with our residents! Please contact Brittany at 336-610-1206 or Ashley at 336-610-1212.



Ashley Moore  
Activity Assistant



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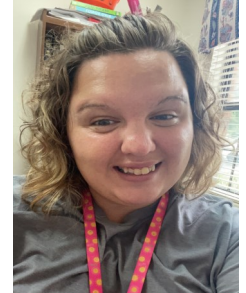
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# Memory Care Activities




Our Memory Care Center has been packed full of activities during the cold weather months! From indoor snowball fights, to planting seeds and getting ready for the coming spring months! We also celebrated our only couple in Memory Care with a special Valentine's Day meal catered to their request of steak, baked potato & salad, with brownies for dessert! Edwina & George Yeatts celebrated their 66<sup>th</sup> Valentine's Day together this year and we were happy to be a part of the celebration! We are always looking for talented volunteers to come see us in Memory care! Our residents love music of any kind, especially hymns and dance music! Please contact Brittany for more information at 336-610-1206 or activities2@cross-road.org.



Brittany Jordan  
Activity Director





### Caregiver's Support Group

Meets the 2nd Thursday of each month in the Village Clubhouse.

Questions? Call Bernie 336-629-7811





## Independent Living Apartments Activities



Happy Easter



If you have any photos of Village activities that you would like to share for our newsletter or Facebook, please send them to [admissions@cross-road.org](mailto:admissions@cross-road.org) or text them to 336-465-0006. Be sure to add an explanation of what and who the photo is about. Thank you!



Betty Page

### A Word From the Director of Village Services....

Happy Spring! Come and enjoy being part of the Cross Road Community. We offer Efficiency, one and two bedroom, Grand two bedroom, Cottages, and Lakeside Villas.

If you would like to be on our Wait List or schedule a tour, you can contact me at 336-318-1847 or email me at [dvs@cross-road.org](mailto:dvs@cross-road.org).



Karen Kidd

### Admissions and Marketing for the Assisted Livings

What a beautiful time to be at Cross Road Retirement Community! The trees are budding, the flowers are blooming and the baby ducks are hatching. We have something very unique and special here. No other facility in Randolph County has this type of rural setting for the residents to enjoy.

If you or someone you know would like to take a tour of the Assisted Livings to see for yourself what we have to offer, please contact me at 336-610-1214 or email me at [admissions@cross-road.org](mailto:admissions@cross-road.org) and I will be glad to help! Have a happy Spring!

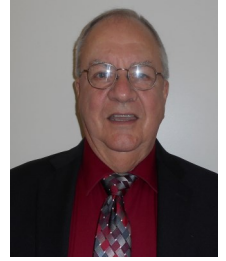


## *A Thought From The Chaplain*

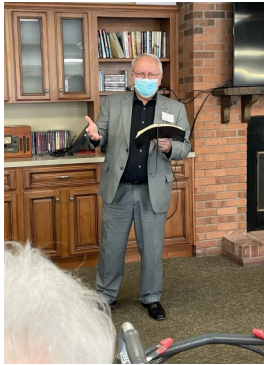
*“Now Martha said to Jesus, “Lord, if You had been here, my brother would not have died. Jesus said to her, “Did I not say to you that if you would believe you would see the glory of God?”*

*John 11:21, 40*

“If” is a small word that some people say we shouldn’t use. But I want to look at a different side of the word “If.” Did you know that the “Ifs” in your life can become your triumphs—if you will only believe God? That’s what Jesus told Martha. He said, “If you would only believe, you would see the glory of God.” God can take any situation in your life and turn it around to your good – if you’ll only trust Him and believe that He is able to do it.



**Bernie Raymond**  
Chaplain



No matter what circumstance you face in live, God can turn it around! You hear people say all the time, “If only I’d done this or that,” “If only my folks had treated me differently,” or, “If only I hadn’t been born on the wrong side of the tracks.” Probably every person on earth has some “What ifs” and “If only” in his or her life. But when you focus on the “ifs” in your life, you are hindering your own success. Instead of looking at the negative circumstances in your life all the time, why not focus on the positive circumstances? Focus on what you do have – not on what you can’t have. What are your assets? What are your talents? Make use of what you have, and commit to God what you don’t have.

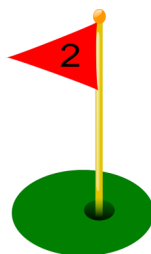
Learn to change your “ifs” to possibilities rather than to impossibilities. Learn to change the negatives to positives. Then instead of being hindered in life by the “What ifs” and eventually failing, you will find yourself succeeding. Actually, the “ifs” in your life give you a great opportunity to prove that the Word of God works. You can organize your defeat into victory.

It’s your responsibility to take the Word of God and stand on the promises of God so He can turn every “If only” and “What if” into a Victory! God can change those defeats in your life and turn them into victories! God can take any situation and turn it around. Instead of dwelling on the negative side of “if,” get on the positive side of “if” – if you will believe, you will see the glory of God!

## **8th Annual Bucket List Golf Tournament**



The 8th Annual Bucket List Golf Tournament will take place on May 26th at Pinewood Country Club in Asheboro. The tournament is played to raise money for Cross Road’s “Dream Makers” program that fulfills dreams of seniors in the Cross Road Community. For more information or to sign-up to play, contact Joe Deaton or Gene Simpson at 336-629-7811.





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Visit us at: [WWW.cross-road.org](http://WWW.cross-road.org)

## Ways You Can Help

If you would like to contribute or donate in honor or memory, please send your contribution to:  
Cross Road Retirement Community  
1302 Old Cox Rd  
Asheboro, NC 27205  
Attn: Finance Department

**Please specify if you would like this to go to a specific area such as:**

Dream Makers  
Memory Care  
Main Center  
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