

JULY 2019

Hermitage Northern Virginia

ENRICHING LIFE'S JOURNEY

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"I believe in America because we have great dreams, and because we have the opportunity to make those dreams come true." – Wendell L. Wilkie

MUSICAL ENTERTAINMENT

Thursday July 4th at 10:30am join Potomac Harmony Chorus in the Auditorium.

Sunday July 7th join Guitarist/Singer Alex Young at 4:00 pm in the Lobby.

Friday July 12th Pianist Jerry Roman at 6:00 pm in the Lobby.

Sunday July 14th join Saxophonist Keith Wilson in the Lobby at 6:15 pm

Friday July 19th join Old Dominion Trio band in the Lobby at 6:15 pm.

Sunday July 21st join the Rocking Chair Singers in the Lobby at 4:00 pm.

Friday July 26th at 6:15 pm join Jazz Singer Yvonne Johnson in the Lobby.

Sunday July 28th join Keyboardist & Singer Gurda in the Lobby at 6:15 pm.

PRESENTATIONS

Monday July 1st at 1:30 pm in the Lobby, join Jerry Grossman for a presentation on

Monday July 8th at 1:30 pm join Ambassador Cindy Courville for a presentation in the Lobby.

Monday July 22nd join Jack French for a presentation in the Lobby at 1:30 pm.

Monday July 29th join Former vice Mayor and retired Capitol Hill Police for a presentation at 1:30 pm.in the Lobby.

PAPARAZZI JEWELRY

Saturday July 6th join Shelly Whiting from Paparazzi Jewelry as she sells her stock of elegant earrings, necklaces, etc., for \$5.00 in the Breezeway for 11:00am – 4:00 pm.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Wednesday July 24th Residents who celebrate their birthday in July, can enjoy a luncheon in the Dining Room at 12:00 noon. Residents whose name is on the list can bring their spouse along to enjoy this moment with them.

Janice Horner	3	Vincent Haynes	7
Joyce Tarnapol	9	Margaret Bixler,	11
Charles Fisher	12	John Phillips	17
Evelyn Mattavous	20	Isabel Steiner	23
Doris Baum	23	Josef Hasenbeck	25
Joseph Broadhurst	26	Jacqueline Laclede	26
Constance MacDonald	27	James Oden	28
Robert Long	29	Jeanne Monk	29

LUNCH BUNCH

Wednesday June 19th the bus leaves at 11:00 am for a Lunch Bunch trip to **P.F. Chang's**. They serve delicious Asian Cuisine & Chinese foods for Groups of any size at reasonable prices. Interested in going, please sign up in the trip folder at the Reception desk.

MOVIE - POMS

Friday June 5th at 6:00 pm in the Lobby join us for the movie "**POMS**." Martha is an introverted woman who moves to a retirement community that has shuffleboard, golf, bowling and other activities. Martha and her new friend decide to form a cheerleading squad with their fellow residents.

LUNCH CRUISE

Friday July 12th the bus leaves at 10:30 am for our Annual Spirit of Washington Lunch Cruise. Residents who has purchase their ticket for this wonderful trip are asked to be in the Lobby 15 minutes before the bus departs.



“For everything there is a season, and a time for every matter under heaven...a time to keep, and a time to throw away;”

Ecclesiastes 3:1, 6

In June 2004, I was excited to receive my first appointment as pastor. Raymond United Methodist Church may have been located in the middle of rice fields of Southwest Louisiana, over 10 miles from the nearest town, but they provided me with a 3 bedroom, two bath brick parsonage with all the modern conveniences.

That’s why I was puzzled by the old shed that stood behind the house. Though I didn’t know much about country living, it looked to me like it might be a pump shed for a well. Harold Brown, one of the older members of the congregation was showing me around, so I asked him about it.

“Oh yes, that is a pump for a well, but don’t worry, you have city water. They came through with city water about 18 months after we built the parsonage. We had already put in that well. But we weren't so sure how that city water was going to work, so we kept the well and the pump house just in case.”

“Harold, how long ago was that?” I asked.

“Oh, let me think...I guess that was about 25 years ago.”

There was a long pause, then Harold laughed and said, “Well I guess it’s okay to take that pump shed down now, that city water might just work out after all.”

I believe that holding on to things that have importance to me is fine. But often in life I find myself holding on to things long after their usefulness has past. I get so used to things the way they are I don’t stop to consider if things no longer used have become a burden, or if there might be someone else who could really use the item.

In today’s Scripture, God reminds us that the things of this world have their place, they have their use, but they never last forever. I hope that I can be more attuned to God’s pattern for my life, and more willing to “take up” and “let go” of things according to His time.

STRAWBERRY PATCH

The Strawberry Patch is looking for volunteers to work in the store, mostly Saturdays, 10 -2 p.m. We train you, and you do not need to use a cash register. If you want to know more, call EdDee at 571-216-5287.

JEWISH SERVICE

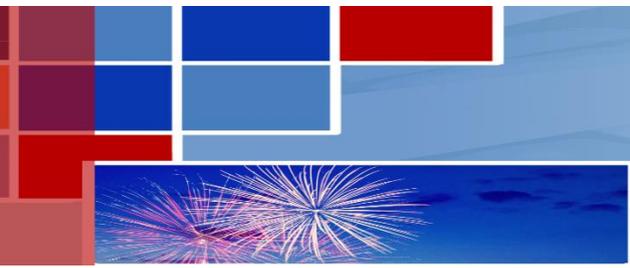
On the first **Friday of every month** at 3:15 pm join Gideon for a Shabbat Service in the Healthcare Center Villa neighborhood 3rd Floor.

LEMON TREE

The Lemon Tree convenience store, is located on the Ground Level. Its hours of operations are Monday – Saturday 10:00 am -2:00 pm.

GARDEN CLUB

Join the Garden Club at **9:00 am** on **Wednesday July 10th** in the Breezeway for Garden Club. We need residents to be a part of this club. Your ideas will make a difference. Join us. We look forward to seeing you there.



JULY MOVIES

Movies can be seen Every Wednesday at 1:30 pm /
every Sunday at 1:15 pm in the Chapel

Wed, July 3- Top Gun-A heart-pounding combination of action, music and incredible aerial photography helped make Top Gun the blockbuster hit. Top Gun takes a look at the danger and excitement that awaits every pilot at the Navy's prestigious fighter weapons school. Tom Cruise is superb as Lt. Pete "Maverick" Mitchell, a daring young flyer whose out to become the best. And Kelly McGillis sizzles as the civilian instructor who teaches Maverick a few things you can't learn in a classroom. 109 Mins.

Sun, July 7-Meet the Fockers-Family bonding goes hysterically haywire when Greg Focker (Ben Stiller) introduces his free-spirited parents (Barbra Streisand, Dustin Hoffman) to his stern father-in-law (Robert De Niro). 115Mins

Wed, July 10- Lincoln- During his final months in office, President Abraham Lincoln (Daniel Day-Lewis) moves forward to end the Civil War, unite the country and abolish slavery forever.

Sun, July 14-Fire in the Dark-A 75-year old widow battles with herself as she struggles with being a burden to those she loves. Though determined not to rely on her children, she is forced to move in with her daughter after a serious fall, and the family learns to face the future with dignity and hope. 93 Mins.

Wed, July 17-Angel's Perch-A young man must return to his small Appalachian hometown to face his grandmother's worsening Alzheimer's disease only to discover that his own painful memories are holding him back in his life. 95 Mins.

Sun, July 21-Love, Kennedy-Kennedy Hansen is a funny, loving child but inexplicably she begins to fall. It takes years for the diagnosis; Juvenile Batten Disease, an extremely rare, terrible and terminal prognosis. There is no cure for Batten Disease and after living only sixteen years, Kennedy leaves behind a great legacy of love and friendship. But her story doesn't end at her death, that's when the miracles really begin. 91 Mins.

Wed, July 24-What Women Want-After an accident, a chauvinistic executive gains the ability to hear what women are really thinking (or rather, an inability not to hear it). 126 Mins.

Sun, July 28-Grumpy Old Men-Jack Lemmon and Walter Matthau reunite in this romantic comedy that examines the decades-old love-hate relationship between two neighbors. 103 Mins.

Wed, July 31- Driving Miss Daisy-Over 25 years, as the American South changes profoundly, the friendship between a highly independent, eccentric Jewish matron and the stalwart and very patient black widower. 98 Mins.