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EGG-CITING EASTER FOR FAMILY SERVICES

It was an “EGGciting” time for the Family Services program during Easter! While the Easter basket full of treats and family activities are symbolic during this time, it gives us a moment to share about the resurrection of Christ and focus on the Lord’s Goodness. Our case managers cling to this promise as well in their efforts to build stronger family units by creating normalcy in the lives of those we serve amidst a difficult time, which is why providing Easter baskets to each family was a priority! The smiles and gratitude of parents and children alike are priceless! The family services team feels blessed to walk alongside these families as they navigate the ups and downs of life.



SPRING TIME BIRTHDAY CELEBRATIONS

Each month, we honor our guests who have a birthday that month - and April was a BIG month of celebration! Katie, Albertine, Dennis and Edwin were among the guests we honored. Guests celebrated with cupcakes, gifts, and of course, all staff and guests gather to sing "Happy Birthday". If you would like to become a "Birthday Buddy" and donate treats for one of our birthday celebrations, please contact Rani at RaniG@carpentersplace.org.



MAY OPEN MEALS

Typically, we serve 60 for breakfast and 80 at lunch.

Breakfast: 6, 14, 16, 19, 20, 21, 23, 28, 30
Lunch: 5, 7, 9, 30, 26, 29, 30

To provide a meal, please contact Rani at RaniG@carpentersplace.org or 779-210-2975.

THANK YOU, ADVANCED MACHINE & HENNIG!

CRITICAL NEEDS LIST

Can you help us provide these items for our guests?

Men's Boxers (sizes L and XL)
Men's White Short Socks
Wash Cloths
Lotion (Travel Size)
Shaving Cream

MANY MILES TO GO FOR THE HOMELESS

We had a wonderful shoe give-a-way on Holy Thursday, but the need for new shoes doesn't stop there. New guests come into Carpenter's Place each day and our hope is that when they meet with a case manager for the first time, we can give them a new pair of shoes. They travel many miles each day and having a good pair of shoes is important. If you would like to help, you can: 1. Send a donation in the mail and earmark it "Shoes"; 2. Drop off your donation at Carpenter's Place; or 3. Order from our Amazon wish list and it will be delivered directly to us: <https://a.co/2kiKZLL>



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FRIDAY EVENING
8.22.2025

