



“*The sights and sounds of Christmas are magical – lighted windows, children’s laughter, decorated trees, happy carolers. But the Spirit of Christmas... friends, family, love, and faith in hearts that give, mean the most.*”

The Spirit of Christmas

One never knows what the future holds for us as we age. For over 125 years, our family of dedicated staff and caring volunteers have been ready to help with a gentle touch, a reassuring hug, or just to talk and listen.

For Bridget Moynagh, St. Joseph’s Villa was an answer to a prayer.

Bridget lost her best friend and husband, Ambrose, 17 years ago. With assistance from her two sons and their wives, she managed to continue living on her own until this past summer, when she came to live at St. Joseph’s Villa. It’s hard to imagine that someone like Bridget, a graduate of St. Joseph’s School of Nursing in 1940 who also worked in industrial nursing during the war, would be afraid of anything. Double knee and hip replacement surgery restricted Bridget’s ability to manage on her own but it was the third fall that frightened her. Unable to get together with friends who were also suffering from declining health, Bridget felt lonely for the first time in her life.

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“ Our wish for you this season is that the beauty, joy and Spirit of Christmas be always in your heart! ”

Today, Bridget actively participates in a variety of programs, enjoys the company of many new friends and feels safe and comfortable in her new home. With the support and encouragement of staff, her participation in the therapeutic pool program has greatly improved the range of her mobility. In fact, her progress has inspired others to join the program.

St. Joseph’s Villa provides specialized programs and services that enhance the quality of life for our residents. Pastoral Care staff help by enriching their spiritual and emotional needs. Staff in Therapeutic Recreation offer a wide variety of social activities.

Bridget represents a growing number of seniors who may function well but are lonely and in need of support and social interaction. We need your help to keep these vital activities in place and to continue to develop new programs to meet the changing needs of tomorrow’s seniors.

As friends and loved ones around you begin to face the challenges of aging, your gift will make a difference.

Sincerely,

Sister Anne McLoughlin
Sister Anne McLoughlin, CSJ

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