

# HOME FOR THE HOLIDAYS

"I'LL BE THERE THIS YEAR"

As you head into the holiday season, let Powerback Rehabilitation's physical, occupational, and speech therapy team help prepare you and your family for your time together.



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## Resident Birthdays

### December

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|-----------------------|---------------------|
| 2 - Anna Francavage   | 12 - Dorothy Pomian |
| 4 - Dorothy Balthaser | 12 - Gloria Stein   |
| 6 - Arlene Felty      | 19 - Barbara Miller |
| 7 - Robert Long       | 24 - Howard Speck   |
| 9 - Ida Wildermuth    | 27 - Eileen Petko   |
| 9 - Joseph Burns      | 28 - Ellen Benfer   |
| 12 - Suzanne O'Neill  |                     |



# Providence Place SENIOR LIVING News

Q4: December 2024

## A Note from the Executive Director

Thank you to everyone who participated in our recent resident + family member surveys - your feedback is greatly appreciated. We look forward to reviewing everyone's input and finding ways to improve our community and care.

As we approach the holiday season, please check out our activity calendar - we will have a lot of opportunities for family members to join in on the celebrations.

We appreciate every one of you being a part of our Providence Place family here in Pottsville. It has been a wonderful 2024 and we wish everyone the best as we step into 2025.

If you have any questions or concerns, please reach out anytime.

Blessings,

*Julie Wallace*  
Executive Director

## Highlighted Events

- 3 - **Christmas Carol Sing-a-long** @ 1:30pm
- 10 - **Christmas Cards** @ 1:30pm
- 12 - **Silver Fox Club:** Snowball Catapult @ 3:30pm
- 18 - **Holiday Party** @ 2pm  
musical entertainment by Elvis
- 24 - **Cookie Social Hour** @ 2pm
- 31 - **New Year's Eve Celebrations**

## Welcome New Residents

- Ann Fedor
- Joanne Lazusky
- Joan Kaczmarczyk
- Catherine Havrilla
- Carolyn Curran
- Mary Heisner




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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY		
1 9:00 Hymn Sing (P) 9:30 Live Stream Worship: St. John's UCC (P) 10:30 Balance in Action (P) 11-12 Wine & Dine (All DR) 1:00 Matinee Movie: <i>Holiday Inn</i> (P) 3:00 Communion Service with Chaplain Henninger (CM) 3:30 Ring Toss (P) 6:00 Resident Led Board Games: Bunco (P)	2 9:00 Daily Chronicles with Friends (ML) 9:30 Brain Games: December Trivia (P) 10:00 Crosswords & Cookies (P) 10:30 Seated Yoga with Michele (P) 1:30 Sunshine Committee Meeting (P) 2:00 Worship Service with Chaplain Brittany (CM) 3:00 Circle of Friends (P) 3:30 Craft Corner: Snow Jar Ornaments (P) 6:00 Resident Led Puzzles (3F)	3 9:00 Daily Chronicles with Friends (ML) 9:30 Morning Steppers (ML) 10:00 Dining Committee Meeting (DR) 10:30 Balloon Volleyball (P) 1:30 Christmas Carol Sing A Long (P) 2:00 Reindeer Games Social Hour (P) 3:00 Long Live the Lego (P) 3:30 Craft Corner: Making Lego Ornaments (P) 6:00 Nickel Bingo \$\$ (P)	4 9:00 Daily Chronicles with Friends (P) 9:00 Shopping Trip: Walmart **\$(OOB) 9:30 Good Morning Café (P) 10:00 Parquetry Puzzles & Pretzels (P) 10:30 Light & Lively Exercise (P) 1:30 Birthday Club Meeting (P) 1:30 Errand Day: Banks & Post Office **\$(OOB) 2:00 Acrylic Paint Class with Shannon ** (P) 2:00 Worship Service with Chaplain Brittany (CM) 3:00 Our Journey Together (CM) 3:00 Brain Games: Christmas Cookie Trivia (P) 6:00 Hot Cocoa Bar Mixer (P)	5 9:00 Daily Chronicles with Friends (ML) 9:30 Brain Games: Finish My Line (P) 10:00 Sudoku & Snacks (P) 10:30 Keep Kicking Kickball (P) 1:30 P² Foodies Meeting (P) 2:00 Game Time: <i>Wheel of Fortune</i> (P) 2:30 Creative Color Christmas Cards (P) 3:00 Ring Toss (P) 6:00 Nickel Bingo \$\$ (P) 7:00 Gospel Singers (CM)	6 9:00 Daily Chronicles with Friends (ML) 9:30 Green Thumbs: Tending to Our Plants (TB) 10:00 Brain Games: St. Nicholas Day Trivia (P) 10:30 Balloon Badminton (P) 1:30 Seated Zumba with Michele (P) 2:30 Find A Word & Fudge (P) 3:00 Communion Service with Chaplain Henninger (CM) 3:30 Ring Toss (P) 6:00 Evening Movie: <i>Message in a Bottle</i> (P)	7 9:00 Daily Chronicles with Friends (ML) 9:30 Morning Steppers (ML) 10:30 Wall Memory (P) 1:30 Crosswords & Cookies (P) 2:00 Nickel Bingo \$\$ (P) 3:30 Vagabond Travelers: Touring Pearl Harbor Memorial (P) 6:00 Color Me Creative (P)  Pearl Harbor Remembrance Day		
8 9:00 Hymn Sing (P) 9:30 Live Stream Worship: Trinity Lutheran Church (P) 10:30 Balance in Action (P) 11-12 Wine & Dine (All DR) 1:00 Matinee Movie: <i>Showboat</i> (P) 3:00 Communion Service with Chaplain Henninger (CM) 3:30 Cornhole (P) 6:00 Resident Led Board Games: Yahtzee (P)	9 9:00 Daily Chronicles with Friends (ML) 9:30 Brain Games: Finish the Carol (P) 10:00 Cuisine Club: Diabetic Friendly Treats (P) 10:30 Seated Yoga with Michele (P) 1:30 Gratitude Committee Meeting (P) 2:00 Worship Service w/Chaplain Brittany (P) 2:00 Wellness Talk: <i>How to Live with Diabetes During the Holidays</i> (P) 3:00 Circle of Friends (P) 3:30 Sampling Low Sugar Holiday Treats (P) 6:00 Resident Led Puzzles (3F)	10 9:00 Daily Chronicles with Friends (ML) 9:30 Morning Steppers (ML) 10:00 Crosswords & Cookies (P) 10:30 Balloon Volleyball (P) 1:30 Operation Boots on the Ground: Christmas Cards (P) 2:00 Peppermint Kisses Social (P) 3:00 Science Lab: Candy Cane Science (P) 3:30 Craft Corner: Bead Candy Canes (P) 6:00 Nickel Bingo \$\$ (P)	11 9:00 Daily Chronicles with Friends (P) 9:00 Shopping: Fairlane Village Mall **\$(OOB) 9:30 Who, What, Where Game (P) 10:00 Sudoku & Snacks (P) 10:30 Drum Stick Exercise (P) 1:30 Gratitude Club Putting Together Gifts (P) 2:00 Worship Service with Chaplain Brittany (P) 3:00 Ed-U Excursion: Freedom in Christ Church ** (OOB) 3:00 White Elephant Game (P) 6:00 Vintage Christmas Mixer (P)	12 9:00 Daily Chronicles with Friends (ML) 9:30 Brain Games: Holiday Word Within a Word (P) 10:00 Parquetry & Pretzels (P) 10:30 Keep Kicking Kickball (P) 1:30 Safety Club Meeting (P) 2:00 Gingerbread Building Competition (P) 2:30 Hallway Caroling (TB) 3:30 Silver Fox Club: Snowball Catapult (P) 6:00 Prize Bingo (P)	13 9:00 Daily Chronicles with Friends (ML) 9:30 Green Thumbs: Tending to Our Plants (TB) 10:00 Creative Color Christmas Cards (P) 10:30 Balloon Badminton (P) 1:30 Seated Zumba with Michele (P) 2:30 Card Games: UNO (P) 3:00 Mass & Confession with Father Karpyn (CM) 3:30 Cuisine Club: Cookie Making (P) 6:00 Evening Movie: <i>The Santa Claus</i> (P)	14 9:00 Daily Chronicle with Friends (ML) 9:30 Morning Steppers (ML) 10:30 Penny Pitching (P) 1:30 Movie Buffs Club Meeting (P) 2:00 Nickel Bingo \$\$ (P) 2:30 Christmas Find A Word & Cookie Dip (P) 3:30 Vagabond Travelers: European Christmas Markets (P) 6:00 Color Me Creative (P)		
15 9:00 Hymn Sing (P) 9:30 Live Stream Worship: St. John's UCC (P) 10:30 Balance in Action (P) 11-12 Wine & Dine (All DR) 1:00 Matinee Movie: <i>The Santa Claus 2</i> (P) 3:00 Communion Service with Chaplain Henninger (CM) 3:30 Bean Bag Toss (P) 6:00 Resident Led Board Games: Clue (P)	16 9:00 Daily Chronicles with Friends (ML) 9:30 Brain Games: Holiday Word Play (P) 10:30 Seated Yoga with Michele (P) 1:30 Operation Boots on the Ground: Packing Up Cards (P) 2:00 Worship Service w/Chap Brittany (CM) 2:00 Ed-U Presentation: <i>The History of Boilo</i> & Tasting by Melissa Amburn (P) 3:00 Circle of Friends (CM) 3:30 Craft Corner: Making Cocoa Bombs (P) 6:00 Resident Led Puzzles (3F)	17 9:00 Daily Chronicle with Friends (ML) 9:30 Morning Steppers (ML) 10:00 Find a Word & Fudge (P) 10:30 Balloon Volleyball (P) 1:30 Card Games: Pinochle (P) 2:00 Mulled Wine Social Hour (P) 3:00 Green Thumbs: Succulents (P) 3:30 Craft Corner: Pot Painting (P) 6:00 Nickel Bingo \$\$ (P)	18 9:00 Daily Chronicles with Friends (ML) 9:00 Shopping Trip: Walmart **\$(OOB) 9:30 Cranium Crunches (P) 10:30 Fun Seated Christmas Workout (P) 2:00 Resident Christmas Party Featuring Entertainment by Elvis (P) 2:00 Worship Service w/ Chap. Brittany (CM) 3:00 Our Journey Together (CM) 3:00 Heping Hands: Cleaning Up Party (P) 6:00 Creative Color Christmas Cards (P)	19 9:00 Daily Chronicles with Friends (ML) 10:00 Crosswords & Cookies (P) 1:30 Birthday Club Meeting (P) 2:00 Keep Kicking Kickball (P) 2:30 Brain Games: Holiday Unscramble (P) 3:00 Pass the Fruitcake Game (P) 3:30 Cuisine Club: Making Hot Cocoa (P) 5:00 Hershey's Holiday Lights ** (OOB) 6:00 Nickel Bingo \$\$ (P)	20 9:00 Daily Chronicles with Friends (ML) 9:30 Green Thumbs: Tending to Our Plants (TB) 10:00 Find A Word & Fudge (P) 10:30 Balloon Badminton (P) 1:30 Zumba with Michele (P) 2:30 Card Games: War (P) 3:00 Communion Service with Chaplain Henninger (CM) 3:30 Cuisine Club: Making Cookies (P) 6:00 Evening Movie: <i>The Santa Claus 3</i> (P)	21 9:00 Daily Chronicle with Friends (ML) 9:30 Morning Steppers (ML) 10:30 Helping Hands: Getting Ready for Santa (P) 2:00 An Afternoon with Santa (P) 3:30 Vagabond Travelers: Christmas in Johannesburg, South Africa (P) 6:00 Color Me Creative (P)		
22 9:00 Hymn Sing (P) 9:30 Live Stream Worship: Trinity Lutheran Church (P) 10:30 Balance in Action (P) 11-12 Wine & Dine (All DR) 1:00 Matinee Movie: <i>National Lampoons Christmas Vacation</i> (P) 3:00 Communion Service with Chaplain Henninger (CM) 3:30 Kerplunk (P) 6:00 Resident Led Board Games: Connect 4 (P)	23 9:00 Daily Chronicles with Friends (P) 9:30 Brain Games: Word Within a Word (P) 10:00 Parquetry & Pretzels (P) 10:30 Seated Yoga with Michele (P) 1:30 Caroling in the Halls (TB) 2:00 Worship Service w/Chap. Brittany (CM) 2:00 Holiday Hand Spa Treatment (P) 3:00 Circle of Friends (CM) 3:30 Cuisine Club: Christmas Macarons (P) 6:00 Resident Led Puzzles (3F)	24 9:00 Daily Chronicles with Friends (ML) 9:30 Morning Steppers (ML) 10:00 Parquetry Puzzles & Pretzels (P) 10:30 Balloon Volleyball (P) 1:30 Holiday Jeopardy (P) 2:00 Christmas Cookie Social Hour (P) 3:00 A Star is Born: Judi Dench (P) 3:30 Unscramble the Christmas Carol (P) 6:00 Evening Movie: <i>Sound of Music</i> (P)  Christmas Eve	25 9:00 Daily Chronicle with Friends (ML) 9:30 Good Morning Café (P) 10:00 Junk Drawer Detective (P) 10:30 Seated Christmas Workout (P) 11-1 Holiday Dinner (All DR) 2:00 Holiday Matinee: <i>A Christmas Story</i> (P) 3:00 Praying the Rosary (CM) 3:30 Cocoa, Cookies, & Conversation (CM) 6:00 Color Me Creative (P)  Christmas Day/Hanukkah	26 9:00 Daily Chronicle with Friends (ML) 9:30 Brain Games: Boxing Day Trivia (P) 10:00 Crosswords & Cookies (P) 10:30 Keep Kicking Kickball (P) 1:30 Card Games: Go Fish (P) 2:00 Wall Scrabble (P) 2:30 Caption This: Holiday Humor (P) 3:00 Short Story Book Club (P) 6:00 Nickel Bingo \$\$ (P)	27 9:00 Daily Chronicles with Friends (ML) 9:30 Green Thumbs: Tending to Our Plants (TB) 10:00 Parquetry & Pretzels (P) 10:30 Balloon Badminton (P) 1:30 Zumba with Michele (P) 2:30 Craft Corner: Paper Poinsettias (P) 3:00 Communion Service with Chaplain Henninger (CM) 6:00 Evening Movie: <i>7 Brides for 7 Brothers</i> (P)	28 9:00 Daily Chronicle with Friends (ML) 9:30 Morning Steppers (ML) 11-1 December Brunch (DR & P) 2:00 Nickel Bingo \$\$ (P) 3:00 Cuisine Club: Serving Panettone (P) 3:30 Vagabond Travelers: Christmas in Europe (P) 6:00 Color Me Creative (P)		
29 9:00 Hymn Sing (P) 9:30 Live Stream Worship: St. John's UCC (P) 10:30 Balance in Action (P) 11-12 Wine & Dine (ALL DR) 1:00 Matinee Movie: <i>Love is a Many Splendid Thing</i> (P) 3:00 Communion Service with Chaplain Henninger (CM) 3:30 Bowling (P) 6:00 Resident Led Board Games: Scrabble (P)	30 9:00 Daily Chronicles with Friends (ML) 9:30 Brain Games: Holiday Word Hive (P) 10:30 Seated Yoga with Michele (P) 1:30 Cuisine Club: Prepping Party Food (P) 2:00 Worship Service & Communion with Chaplain Brittany (CM) 2:00 Ed-U Presentation: <i>Celebrating Hanukkah</i> by Oheb Zedeck (P) 3:00 Circle of Friends (CM) 3:30 Craft Corner: Party Favors (P) 6:00 Resident Led Puzzles (3F)	31 9:00 Daily Chronicles with Friends (ML) 9:30 Morning Steppers (P) 10:00 Sudoku & Snacks (P) 10:30 Balloon Volleyball (P) 1:30 Helping Hands: Setting Up Party (P) 2:00 Afternoon Year's Eve Party (P) 3:00 Helping Hands: Cleaning Up (P) 3:30 New Year's Resolutions (P) 6:00 Last Nickel Bingo of the Year \$\$ (P)  New Year's Eve				<h1>December 2024</h1>		<b>Calendar Key:</b> ** Registration Required \$\$ Cost Involved P Pub TB Throughout Building CM Community Room OOB Out of Building ML Main Lobby