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For making a
difference
in our lives!



Providence Care Centre Chapel—Warm Welcome

There are few opportunities we take to look inside a church that isn't our own parish. Prior to Christmas, the members of the Chapel Fund Raising committee attended 26 Masses over five weekends as they brought information about the new Chapel to five parishes.

With the blessing of Bishop McGrattan, committee members had the opportunity to visit five churches to spread the word about the need for funds. Everyone was curious, received us warmly and many contributed toward the Chapel.

One of several challenges facing the residents at PCC who attend the celebration of the sacrament is the constant interruptions as people pass through between the front door and the elevators. This was difficult to depict through words, so we made a short video with the help of Father Andrew Maruszczak, Pastor at St. Albert The Great. Also in the video are several of our residents and the Co-chairs of our campaign. The video brought the challenges to life. It can be found on our website at www.flccfoundation.ca.

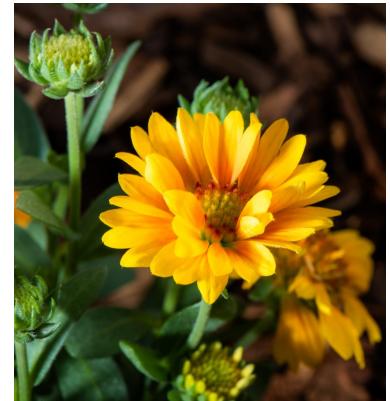
These efforts, along with many wonderful and generous donors have brought our total to \$1.9 million toward our target of \$2.5 million. We are very grateful for your support. We are on the home stretch, ever hopeful to break ground soon.



YOU made this happen . . .

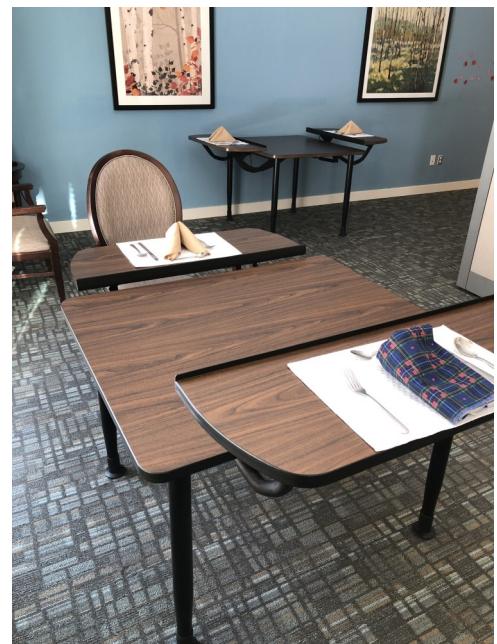


This was definitely a community project, one that you all can be proud of supporting. Words being used to describe the Healing Garden by those who visit it are *Peaceful, Calming, Beautiful, Tranquil, Amazing*. You have helped build a safe, secure and nurturing environment for our current and future residents living with dementia. **Thank You.**



Dining with Dignity

As we move forward with enhancing the dining room at Father Lacombe Care Centre, the focus is on increasing the number of adjustable tables. These tables make it easier for the residents in wheelchairs to pull in close to the table, enabling them to be independent and dine with dignity. Because of your support of this initiative we are able to make an initial purchase of five of these tables.

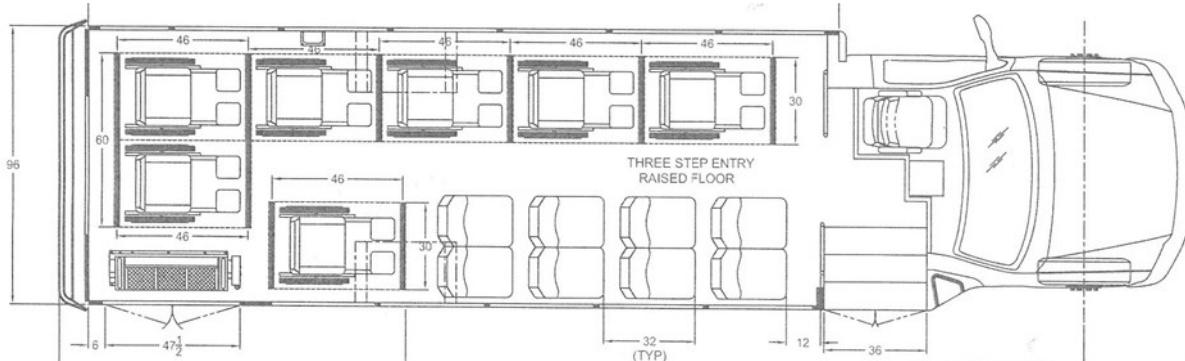


Equipment and Programming

You have also made it possible for us to purchase equipment such as a Viking M Lift, a Television for the Birchwood Neighbourhood and conduct programming at both Father Lacombe and Providence Care Centres. Thank you for giving.

Replacement Bus

In December we launched our campaign for a replacement bus, one that would be customized to enable residents in both the Father Lacombe and Providence Care Centres to continue their outings which include cityscapes, country drives, seasonal and community engagement, providing an opportunity to relive memories and bring a sense of normalcy to their lives. You responded and we thank you most sincerely for providing a start to this campaign.



20th Anniversary Legacy Dinner—The Wizard of Oz

Friday, May 10th, 2019

Gasoline Alley,

Heritage Park

Cocktails at 6:00 p.m.

Dinner at 7:00 p.m.



Make your reservations to follow the yellow brick road for a magical and fun filled evening.

Tickets - \$175

Table - \$1,400

You can also purchase your ticket(s) on line at:

<http://flccfoundation.eventbrite.ca>

THANK YOU

Your support has touched many lives.

You are the foundation of providing a *home environment* for the 274 residents in our two Care Centres. An environment in which they feel safe, secure and comfortable and provides them opportunities to live their lives to the fullest.

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