DEAR FAMILY AND FRIENDS,

It is with deep gratitude that we share this summer edition of Villa Voices with you. On behalf of the residents, families and staff of Light of Hearts Villa; our co-sponsors—the Sisters of Charity of Cincinnati and the Sisters of Charity Health System; and the Light of Hearts Villa Board of Directors, we express our sincere appreciation to you. Thank you for blessing us with your generosity! We are honored to have the privilege to recognize and acknowledge you and your 2011 donations.

We always thank God, the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, when we pray for you. Colossians 1:3.

Each year, the need for benevolence increases as more and more seniors are in need of care and services but have exhausted all of their financial resources. Your ongoing compassion and charitable donations help us to continue to serve these seniors and assists us in fulfilling our mission, which states:

We uphold seniors on their journey of aging by providing integrated residential and community services and programs to meet their physical, psychological, social, and spiritual needs. We affirm the integrity of seniors and seek to further enhance each person’s self-worth.

Through a generous challenge grant from the SC Ministry Foundation, each one dollar ($1) donated will be matched by an additional two dollars ($2)! Now, more than ever, your donations will multiply and more seniors will be served. Light of Hearts Villa is grateful for this wonderful opportunity from the SC Ministry Foundation.

May you be blessed for your kindheartedness and may you continue to bestow your blessings on others.

In Servant Leadership,
Arlene C. Jaroscak
Executive Director
Making God’s Love Visible

Mission Award

Arlene Jarosck presented the first Light of Hears Villa Making God’s Love Visible Mission Award to Joanne Reardon on January 4, 2012, during the Annual Missioning Ceremony for Staff and Volunteers. Joanne was nominated by her peers for this Award, which is the highest honor bestowed on a staff member.

“Making God’s Love Visible” comes from St. Vincent de Paul, the great saint of charity, who called his followers to make God’s love visible and to seek the face of Christ in the face of every person they met.

Joanne began her years at Light of Hearts in January, 1990, four months after the Villa opened.

Q: How did you feel about receiving the first Making God’s Love Visible Mission Award?
A: It was a surprise and a humbling experience. Every day you do what you can for others, not realizing the impact you may have on them.

Q: What is the most valuable gift the Villa has given you throughout the years?
A: Getting to know the residents as they aged in place has increased my knowledge of graceful aging.

Q: With all your experience with residents and their families over the years, what advice would you offer to families with a member who will need Assisted Living services?
A: Because you love them and can’t be with them full time, they are missing a fullness of life that they could have with others. Because they are alone, you feel guilty. No one wants to leave their home, but so many have said, “Why didn’t I do this sooner?”

Q: Is there any advice you would offer younger workers?
A: Be the best of what you can be. Do the best that you can do.

“Words are inadequate to express my sincere thanks for the honor of Light of Hearts Villa’s first Mission Award. I can only say, ‘Thank You from the bottom of my heart for the most beautiful ceremony. Love and respect of our residents and our Mission have guided the greater part of my life with memories I shall never forget. Thanks for giving me the opportunity to serve.”

CONGRATULATIONS, LIGHT OF HEARTS VILLA!

Our 2011 Resident Satisfaction Survey results were 93.3%! In addition to exceeding the overall State Satisfaction Score, residents identified the following as a few of the many areas in which we excelled: safety, comfort, value, meals and dining, facility environment, friendliness of staff, and being treated with respect. 100% of our residents said they would refer LOHV to a friend or relative!

Light of Hearts Villa would like to thank the wonderful staff for the excellent care and services they provide!

WELCOME

Light of Hearts Villa is pleased to welcome [l-r]
Robert Evans, Coordinator of Social Services;
Dawn Prokop, Life Enrichment Coordinator;
Brittney Shay, Director of Marketing & Admissions
**Challenge Grant**

**HELP CLOSE THE GAP!**

We are nearly there and time is going quickly!

Friends, we have only $17,000 to raise to reach the goal of our 2012 Challenge Grant. Will you help close the gap with a donation, however large or small?

Every dollar of your generous donation will be matched with $2.00 ~ Yes, you read correctly, $2.00. Together, we can make it happen! Monies raised will benefit our Benevolent Care Fund and capital projects.

The Challenge Grant is the generous offering of the SC Ministry Foundation, a foundation of the Sisters of Charity of Cincinnati.

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**Fall Fest 2012**

**LARGEST FUNDRAISER OF THE YEAR! - SAVE THE DATE**

Our Annual Fall Fest at LOHV will take place on Sunday, **October 14, 2012**.

**New this year:** Our Villa Chef, Ray Dorman, will be preparing this delicious meal. Look forward to turkey and pork loin carving stations, homemade stuffed cabbage, potatoes, vegetables, salad, beverage and dessert.

Back by popular demand is the **Condo Raffle** – but tickets are only $25 this year! One lucky winner can enjoy a 7-night stay in a beautiful, 2 bedroom, 2 bath, Gulf-front condo which sleeps 4-6 people, PLUS a $250 Visa gift card! The vacation can be used between May 1, 2013 and December 1, 2013 based on the availability of the donor.

To view the Condo, go to: http://www.vacationrentals.com/vacation-rentals/98271.html or www.vacationrentals.com – Hudson’s Hidden Gem.

Purchase your **50/50 Raffle Tickets** for only $10! Half of the proceeds will go to 3 lucky winners and half to the LOHV Benevolent Care Fund. And, of course, your other favorites will be there, including the Bakery, Craft Fair, Basket Raffle, Pumpkin Patch and maybe a surprise or two.

If you would like to contribute items for the bakery or if you would like to volunteer at the Fall Fest, please call Joanne Reardon or Sr. Regina at 440-232-1991.

Sponsorships are still available. This is a great way to promote your business. Please call 440-232-1991 for details.

Please visit our Fall Fest website at: tinyurl.com/LOHVfallfest.

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**Attention all Lumen Cordium Alumnae ~ Silver Spectacular ~ November 10, 2012**

All Alumnae – please mark your calendars for Saturday, November 10, from 7-11 pm, to attend our reunion for all graduating classes of Lumen Cordium High School!

Enjoy the evening with hor d’oeuvres, cash bar, reminiscing, pictures, activities and more. Connect with classmates and teachers. Share your good news. Tour Light of Hearts Villa. A $25 cover charge will include a $10 donation to the Villa’s Benevolent Fund. Spread the news!

For information, to volunteer to help, or to share ideas for this wonderful reunion, please contact:

- Lynn Clark ’70 330-882-5866 lynnmclark@sbcglobal.net
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Follow us on Facebook at Good Catholic Girls from Lumen Cordium High School Bedford, OH and Eventbrite at lumensilver.eventbrite.com
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Heaven sings with glee and we appreciate you with never-ending gratitude.
Kind words cannot express adequately, year after year, how your love, our donors, our friends, upholds and supports our mission.

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Residents and staff are indebted to the many volunteers whose talents and time provided some 4400+ hours of service this year. The Volunteers were honored at a Mass, Brunch and Program on April 17th. We welcome new volunteers ~ call 440-232-1991 for details.

Carter Sandy celebrated his 100th Birthday surrounded by his family and Bedford Mayor, Dan Pocek (far rt.) who presented a Proclamation from the City. A checkers master, Carter worked for the Cleveland Transit System and transported girls to Lumen Cordium High School (now Light of Hearts Villa). Carter is an 11 year resident of the Villa.
Enjoying Life

Whether a Mothers’ Day Red Hat Tea and a presentation on Aprons, or talking sports with Bud Shaw, Cleveland Plain Dealer sports columnist, residents have many opportunities to expand their interests, share stories from their lived experience, and enjoy life.

Elegant Dining Comes to LOHV!

Light of Hearts Villa residents are enjoying their new, beautiful, Amish-crafted dining room furniture, linen tablecloths, stemware and glassware, which have added elegance to their dining experience. Staff members helped to assemble and arrange the new furnishings. Appreciative residents know they are #1!

Farewell to a Faithful Employee

Joyce Wetzel has been with Light of Hearts Villa since 1990.

A retirement farewell was held for her on June 5th. Always wearing a smile, she has worked in housekeeping and laundry throughout the years. Joyce figures that over the years she must have ironed at least a million items. We wish Joyce God’s blessings as she moves on.

Join Hands Day, May 19, 2012

A wonderful team of FCSLA Members, family members, residents and staff descended on the Villa from 9am to Noon to give the grounds their beautiful summer splendor. Our thanks goes out to the First Catholic Slovak Ladies Association for their financial support of this annual event and to those who donated items to make our landscape colorful.
**UPCOMING events**

**SEPTEMBER 9-15** Assisted Living Week Theme: “Art for the Ages”

**SEPTEMBER 19** 7:00 pm Scimitar Swing Band Homecoming Dance
For information call Dawn at 440-232-1991

**SEPTEMBER 22** 9:00 am – 12:00 pm
Financial Issues of Concern for Older Adults & Their Families
Open to the Public, $5.00 Donation per person
Call 440-232-1991 to RSVP by September 15

**SEPTEMBER 27** 4:00 pm Mass Feast of St. Vincent DePaul

**OCTOBER 14** Our Annual Fall Fest Fundraiser-
*Dinner, Condo Raffle, 50/50 Raffle, Craft Fair & Bakery*
New this year! Chef Ray’s Homecooked Meal. For information, or, if you do not receive our mailing by September 16, please call 440-232-1991.
Follow the Fest at tinyurl.com/LOHVfallfest.

**NOVEMBER 2** 7:00 pm Mass Remembering our Deceased Residents,
Family Members and Friends. Refreshments afterwards.

**NOVEMBER 10** 7:00 – 11:00 pm Silver Spectacular Reunion of All Lumen
Cordium High School Alumnae

**DECEMBER** Christmas Wafers (Oplatky) Available at the front desk.

**DECEMBER 1** 10:00 am – Noon Christmas Decorating Day.
Lunch provided. Families and friends are welcome to join us as we turn LOHV into a Christmas delight. Please RSVP by Nov. 27.

**DECEMBER 10** A Christmas Celebration
Sponsored by the First Catholic Slovak Ladies Association for the Residents. Mass following at 4:00 PM

**APRIL 10, 2013** 9:00 am – Noon Ethics in Dementia Care
3CEU’s Jim Collins Ph.D. RSVP by April 1

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**DATABASE NEARING COMPLETION**

**YOUR HELP REQUESTED**

It has been two years since we began updating our database at Light of Hearts Villa.

Please check the mailing address on this issue of Villa Voices for accuracy. If there are any changes needed, please forward the corrections to Sr. Regina. She can be reached via phone at 440-232-1991 x506 or e-mail at regina.kusnir@lightofheartsvilla.org.

Thank You for your patience and understanding.