

~*~ Upcoming December Activities ~*~

December 1 - Quarterly Family Council Meeting; 6 PM. These meetings are an opportunity for family members to discuss how care is being received.

Christmas Decorating is set!

December 4th: 2:30p-4:30p ~ **December 6th:** 9a-4p

December 7th: 9a-1p

Join us as we decorate the house for Christmas! We will serve snacks and play Christmas music!

December 18 - Our annual Resident Christmas party will be from 2-4 PM. Everyone is welcome!

Macomb HAPPENINGS

~ Chaplain's Chat ~

As we head into Christmastime, often so much time is spent thinking about presents ... except spelled P*R*E*S*E*N*C*E.

In this season of joy, spending time with family, being in their presence, brings us joy.

Let's not forget God's present, Jesus, was the gift of presence, bringing "good news of great joy for all people" (Luke 2:10). God came into our presence.

Though he was in the form of God, He chose not to cling to equality with God; But He poured Himself out to fill a vessel brand new; a servant in form and a man indeed. The very likeness of humanity. He humbled Himself, obedient to death - a merciless death on the cross! So God raised Him up to the highest place and gave Him the name above all.

(Phil. 2: 6-9)

Christmas is really about The Present and His presence.

~ Chaplain
Lauren Surprenant

A friendly message from our Director

"Here we come a-caroling,
Among the leaves so green!
Here we come a-wandering,
So fair to be seen!

Love and joy come to you,
And a merry christmas too,
And we wish you
A happy new year,
And we wish you a happy new year!"

Read more: [Perry Como - Here We Come A Carolling Lyrics | MetroLyrics](#)

December is sure to be full of busy days with Christmas Activities, special foods and especially filled with friends and family from near and far. Who do you know that could "come a carolling" to Bickford? We would love to see carollers from your church, school groups, 4-H clubs, friends and family. Please invite them to stop by or call to set up a scheduled performance. Remember friends and family are always welcome to visit or dine with during this Christmas Season.



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December

S M T W T F S

10:15 - Sit & Fit!
2 - Snacks
2:30 - Pretty Nails/Nail Care
6 - Quarterly Family Council meeting 1

10:15 - Sit & Fit!
10:30 - Trivia
2 - Cooking Club!
3 - Piano Music
4 - Eyeglass Cleaning 2

10:15 - Sit & Fit!
10:30 - Reminiscing
2 - Movie & Popcorn!
4 - Puzzle time
6 - Piano Music 3

10:15 - Sit & Fit!
10:30 - Coffee/Chat
2 - Bible Study with Lauren
2:30-4:30: Christmas Decorating! with snacks and music! 4

10:15 - Sit & Fit!
10:30 - Piano Music
2 - Crafts
3 - Card Club; Pitch!
4 - "The Beverly Hillbillies" DVD 5

9a - 4p: Christmas Decorating!
serving snacks, playing Christmas music & decorating the house! 6

9a - 1p: Christmas Decorating! serving snacks, playing Christmas music & decorating the house!
1 - Worship Service 7

10:15 - Sit & Fit!
10:30 - Fun facts!
1:30 - 1:1 visits
2:30 - 3:30: Festival of Trees visit!
4 - Eyeglass Cleaning 8

10 - Devotions with Pat S.
10:30 - Sit & Fit!
2 - Pretty Nails/Nail Care
4 - Puzzle Time
4:15 - Fire Drill 9

10:15 - Sit & Fit! exercise
10:30 - Trivia
2:30 - Community Bingo! serving Gingerbread cookies
4 - Eyeglass Cleaning 10

10:15 - Sit & Fit!
10:30 - Coffee/Chat
2 - Bible Study
2:30 - Mary Kay makeovers!
3:15 - Christmas crafts! 11

10:15 - Sit & Fit!
10:30 - Funny videos!
2 - Crafts
3 - Card Club; Pitch!
4 - 1:1 visits 12

10:15 - Sit & Fit!
10:30 - "I Love Lucy" DVD
2 - Dominoes
3 - Reminiscing 13

10:15 - Sit & Fit! exercise
10:30 - Trivia
1 - Worship Service
2 - Fellowship 14

10:15 - Sit & Fit!
10:30 - Coffee & Chat
2 - Snacks
2:30 - Pretty Nails/Nail Care 15

10:15 - Sit & Fit!
10:30 - Trivia
1:30 - Resident Council meeting
2 - Snack Bingo!
3:30 - Eyeglass Cleaning 16

RSVP deadline for 12/25 meal
10:15 - Sit & Fit!
10:30 - Current Events
2 - Card Club; Bridge! 17

10:15 - Sit & Fit!
10:30 - Radio shows
2 - 4: Resident Christmas party! Games, treats, music and Santa! 18

10:15 - Sit & Fit!
10:30 - Gaither Music
11:30 - Fire Drill
2 - Bible Study with Lauren
3 - Card Club; Pitch! 19

10:15 - Sit & Fit! exercise
10:30 - Coffee & Chat
1 - Piano Music
3 - Puzzle Time! 20

10:15 - Sit & Fit! exercise
10:30 - Trivia
1 - Worship Service
2 - Fellowship 21

10:15 - Sit & Fit!
10:30 - Chicken Soup for the Soul stories
2 - Snacks
2:30 - Pretty Nails/Nail Care 22

10:15 - Sit & Fit!
10:30 - Coffee/Chat
2 - 1:1 visits
2:30 - Christmas Bingo!
3:30 - Cooking Club
6 - Movie & Popcorn 23

10:15 - Sit & Fit!
10:30 - Current Events
2 - Crafts
3 - Card Club; Bridge! 24

~*~ Christmas ~*~
Christmas movies all day!
12 - Christmas Day meal; \$10 charge per guest
Christmas movies! 25

10:15 - Sit & Fit!
10:30 - Shake Loose a Memory!
2 - Bible Study
2:30 - Piano Music
3 - Card Club; Pitch! 26

10:15 - Sit & Fit!
10:30 - Trivia
2 - Card Games
3 - Shake Loose a Memory! 27

10:15 - Sit & Fit! exercise
10:30 - Trivia
1 - Worship Service
2 - Fellowship 28

10:15 - Sit & Fit!
10:30 - Short Stories/Poems
2 - Snacks
2:30 - Pretty Nails/Nail Care
6 - Dominoes 29

10:15 - Sit & Fit!
10:30 - Coffee/Chat
2 - 1:1 visits
2:30 - Arts & Crafts!
3:30 - Eyeglass Cleaning
6 - Movie/Popcorn 30

10:15 - Sit & Fit!
10:30 - Looking back at 2014
2:30 - New Years Eve party!!
4 - Puzzle Time 31

