



# THE GLENN GAZETTE

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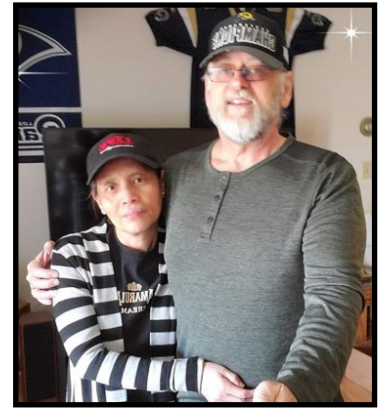
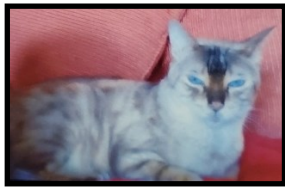
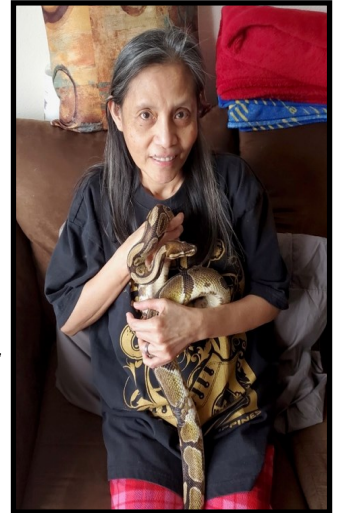
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### Meet Herminia Miller: Housekeeper

I'm Herminia. I was born and raised in the Philippines. 11 years ago I got married, no kids, and just recently got my Naturalization. I love gardening, doing DIY's, watching movies, dancing, and love karaoke (which is a favorite past time of most Filipinos). I was always a member of a sing & dance club during my high school days. But my forte is really into singing. I used to be a member of a band in my hometown when I was in my 20's till my early 30's doing vocals, playing mostly pop and mellow music from the 80's which is my era. Those are one among my memorable moments that I'm going to treasure forever. And I'm an animal lover. Me & my husband Mike used to have a cat, a Bengal one named Maximillan a.k.a. Max. He died when he was 17 years old, 3 years ago. I still miss him until now. And we have Dexter a male Ball Python. He's still with us. He is 26 years old. My husband got him when his son (my step-son) was 4 years old. I used to be afraid of snakes but not anymore because of Dexter. And before I forget I have a funny and very loving husband! That's all folks! Thanks!



### A FRIENDLY REMINDER: NOT YOURS- PLEASE DON'T TOUCH/TAKE

Notice something pretty outside someone's apartment? See a beautiful decoration around The Glenn? It has been brought to our attention that people have been "helping themselves to" and/or "fiddling with" others belongings outside their apartment doors and/or gathering Glenn-owned decorations to take to their apartments. Residents take great pride in decorating their doorways; please don't touch or remove any items that do not belong to you. Thank you.

### A Kind Face Connection by Mary Starshak

Kind Faces continues as a volunteer service here at the Glenn encouraging residents to get to know and visit those neighbors who cannot get out and about. It takes its name from the following poem from St. Francis of Assisi, the most beloved saint of the Western world. We hope you find his words uplifting.

Joy is the greatest cleanser and it is the greatest testimony to our faith.

"Toil with happiness," my Lord said to me.

God sent his servant on an errand through a dangerous part of the world.

The servant, having received in hand what God wanted delivered,  
turned to the Holy and said, My Beloved Master, do you have a final instruction?"

and God replied, "*A kind face is a precious gift.*"

## APRIL STAFF BIRTHDAYS

4/4: Herminia Miller  
4/20: Jennie Callahan  
4/21: Adenike Martins

## APRIL RESIDENT BIRTHDAYS

4/1: Doug Wood  
4/5: Bea Faust  
4/6: Bunny Zeisel  
4/7: Mary Ann Carter  
4/7: Lois Hall  
4/9: Jim Jorde  
4/11: Kathy LaCombe  
4/12: Sharon Roslien  
4/20: Jan Ferry  
4/22: Ann Ragozzino  
4/25: Ann Gaukel



## Welcome New Staff Members

- Aleauh Daggs:  
Resident Assistant
- Nancy Mugwanja:  
Resident Assistant
- James Flah:  
Resident Assistant



## Happy Anniversary to Our Staff

- **Phyrace Nyabuto:** 12 Years
- **Fatou Conta:** 7 years
- **Aaron Lane:** 4 years
- **Watchen Yalley:** 3 Years



## EXCITING NEW TASTES AT OUR FRIDAY MORNING SOCIAL

*By resident request, we are  
trying something new for  
the month of April!*

EACH WEEK THIS MONTH WILL  
FEATURE A NEW TREAT!

**FRIDAY 4/5:**  
**DONUTS FROM**  
**FUNNER BROTHERS OF**  
**GOLDEN VALLEY**

**FRIDAY 4/12:**  
**ASSORTED BAGELS &**  
**CREAM CHEESES**

**FRIDAY 4/19:**  
**ASSORTED MUFFINS**

**FRIDAY 4/26:**  
**CROISSANTS**

## FAMILY COUNCIL

Families have the right to meet with other family members at The Glenn Minnetonka.

We have reserved the Chapel every second Wednesday of the Month at 5:00pm.

Please note this meeting is not attended by a staff person, unless requested by the families participating.

**Amanda Bochet** is the designated staff member to provide support and follow-up as needed. She is happy to assist with coordinating a speaker if there is interest in a particular topic. Please contact Amanda at 952-345-4408 or at [ABochet@greatlakesmc.com](mailto:ABochet@greatlakesmc.com) if you have any questions. Thank you to all of our families!!!



## Meet Our Leadership Team

**Jen Zinnel**

Executive Director

**Amanda Bochet**

Assistant Executive Director

**Quinn Glessing**

Director of Nursing

**Cheri Boeser**

Business Office Manager

**Mona Lindemoen**

Senior Business Office Manager

**Alissa Dvorak**

Community Life & Volunteer Director

**Pam Lane**

Marketing Director

**Deacon Michael Nevin**

Pastoral Care Director

**Paul Retterath**

Maintenance Director

**Pam Polus**

Housekeeping Supervisor

**Carole Lukanen**

Unidine Dining Services Manager

**Rose Stenberg**

Salon Director

*If you have any concerns or feedback, please reach out to any of the staff above to receive assistance and follow-up*

## Attention Residents

In order to best serve each of you, it's important that we are aware of all residents who use oxygen and/or power recliners. In the event of an extended power loss, we need to ensure we know of the folks who may need additional support. Please check with the front desk to ensure you are on our list.