



UPDATES FROM BETHEL – JANUARY 2024

- **Winter is here** – even without a ton of snow, *the temperatures are a bit cold!* We have found that a lot of our residents do not have adequate winter clothes for the current temperatures. Blankets are used to cover them up to ensure they are nice and warm when going to doctor appointments and such. While we did have a few warm things donated/gifted over the Christmas season, ***please make sure your loved ones have warm coats, gloves, and scarves.*** Thank you!
- A few reminders about items being brought in for your loved ones:
 - ***All items need to be marked with their names.*** This is especially necessary for clothing items, as those belongings must travel to and from laundry service. In-order-to assist our laundry staff in quick and effective return of items once laundered, please ensure the resident's name is inside the garment(s). *If you would like assistance with this, our laundry staff would be happy to help.*
 - If food items are brought in, ***they must be clearly marked with the date.*** Also, please note that consumable items are only allowed for personal consumption and must be kept in the resident's room. Items will be monitored and will be disposed of upon expiration.
- We understand that families sometimes like to visit and enjoy their loved ones during mealtimes. ***Unfortunately, family members are not allowed in our dining rooms.*** *If you would like to visit with your family during one of our mealtimes, separate space can be provided for you to do so.* If you are interested in arranging such a time/space, please contact Salina (our Activity Director) or one of our Social Services team members.
- A quick heads-up about **Auto Payments!** They will be withdrawn on the 15th of each month. *If you have any questions, please contact Jennifer in our Billing Department.*

Every day is a fresh start!

~ WELCOME 2024 ~