

FUN DAY



Episcopal Church Home Board Corner Report ~ August

Welcome Dr. Lazor and Melanie Drury!

Recently, we shared the news that Dr. Jane Cornett would be closing her solo practice at the end of July. While it saddens us to see her go, we are delighted to announce that starting in August, Dr. Bonnie Lazor and Nurse Practitioner Melanie Drury, will begin serving our residents. Additionally, we would like to take a moment to confirm that ECH will continue its partnership with UofL Geriatrics.

Dr. Bonnie Lazor is a seasoned geriatric physician. She has devoted her career to optimizing quality of life for older adults and walking them through the journey toward end of life. Dr. Lazor received her medical degree from Wright State University and went on to complete her residency in internal medicine as well as a fellowship in geriatrics at the University of Louisville. Dr. Lazor has continued to enhance her knowledge and expertise through special education in palliative care and hospice, geriatric syndromes and other areas of study directly related to meeting the unique care needs of aging adults. She currently serves as the Medical Director at multiple facilities in Louisville, including Nazareth Home Highlands and Nazareth Home Clifton. Dr. Lazor graciously gives back to the medical profession through her service on multiple professional boards and associations, including Caretenders Home Health and Hosparus of Louisville and Southern Indiana, Greater Louisville Medical Society and Kentucky Geriatrics Society to name a few. Her knowledge and compassionate approach to senior care will provide ECH residents with the quality, expert care they need and deserve to age with dignity, grace and respect.

Nurse Practitioner Melanie Drury received her Bachelor of Science in Nursing from McKendree College and went on to earn a Master of Science in Nursing from Bellarmine University. She is nationally certified with the American Nurses Credentialing Center as a family nurse practitioner and will soon complete her certification as a palliative care nurse practitioner. Throughout her twenty plus years of experience in palliative care, Melanie has served in a variety of healthcare settings. She believes in developing strong relationships in order to provide person-centered care tailored to meet the individual needs of each patient. Melanie also serves on the Camberwell Grief Sanctuary Board of Directors. She discovered her passion for elders as a teenager, and since that time, she has devoted her career to helping older adults navigate the transitions of aging and the difficult journey toward end of life.



- August Birthdays**
- Louise Davidson 08/05
 - Rosemary Feldkamp 08/11
 - Don Mason 08/12
 - Joesph Koniak 08/14
 - Barbara Cohen 08/15
 - Jean Matthews 08/15
 - Jeanette Beckham 08/25
 - Joe Ann Fenley 08/28
 - Ann Klarer 08/28
 - Barbara Roche 08/28
 - Joy Koniak 08/29



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Birthdays

- Mary Theuer 08/02
- Charles Castner 08/03
- Carol Mead 08/03
- Al Cassidy 08/07
- Betty Wiegand 08/09
- Sue Padgett 08/27

