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To my loyal patients,

After many years of practicing medicine and caring for families in our community, I've decided that it's time for me to retire at the end of October.

This is a bittersweet decision for me. I have been blessed to spend my career taking care of people I know, families I've watched grow, and patients who have trusted me through some of the most important moments of their lives. In a small community, your doctor often gets to know more than just your medical history. You get to know the person, the family, the stories, and the things that matter most to them. That has always been one of my favorite parts of practicing medicine.

I'm incredibly thankful for the trust you've placed in me over the years. It has truly been an honor to be your doctor.

I'm also looking forward to what comes next. My wife and I are excited to slow down a little, spend more time together, and do some traveling abroad. We've talked about it for years, and I'm looking forward to finally having the time to see some new places and enjoy this next chapter with her and my sons.

As I prepare to retire, I want you to know that I feel very good about the team that will continue caring for you at West Gate.

Casey Powell, APRN, will remain part of my care team and will continue seeing my patients. Many of you already know Casey and have seen firsthand the kind of care she provides.

We are also happy to welcome Joseph "Joe" Fendley, APRN, to West Gate Family Medicine. Joe is joining the practice and will work alongside Casey and the rest of the West Gate team to help care for my patients moving forward. Both Casey and Joe will work under the supervision of my esteemed colleagues – Dr. Amy Reeves and Dr. Amy Falck.

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Knowing that my patients will continue to have good people taking care of them makes this transition much easier for me. I have confidence in Casey, Joe, and the entire West Gate team, and I know they will continue to take good care of you.

Thank you again for allowing me to be part of your lives and for trusting me with your care all these years. I will miss seeing you, but I'll leave with a lot of good memories and a very grateful heart.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Barton Parish, MD".

Barton Parish, MD
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