



# Countryside Hospice Support & Memory Center

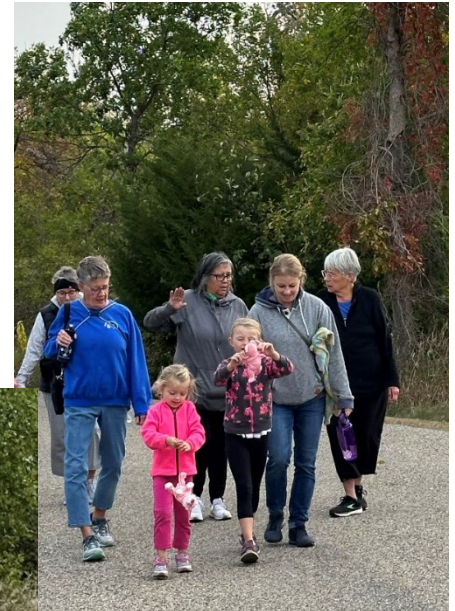
415 S. Crow St., Pierre, South Dakota 57501

Phone: (605) 945-0827

October 2024

## 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual MEMORY WALK 2024

It was a 'breezy' but beautiful morning for the Memory Walk/Run, Oct. 5<sup>th</sup> with **56** participants. The Memory Walk is an opportunity to honor, remember and support everyone with a memory loss and celebrate all caregivers. Hats off to the planning committee (and spouses), volunteers, staff and to all those who attended. Proceeds from this event help provide FREE memory screenings, resources to support patients, caregivers and their families. Since 2011, **1,875** memory screenings have been completed. Mark your calendars for **October 2025**. If you'd like information about the screening process, call Countryside Memory Center at 605-945-0827.



### THANK YOU to our SPONSORS:

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### Community programs – All programs will meet in the Countryside Community Room - 415 S. Crow Street

Parkinson's Support Group First Wednesday of each month, at noon. Visit with others who have a Parkinson's diagnosis. Topics include medications, exercise, safety issues and day-to-day challenges. Family members are also welcome.

Breast Cancer Survivors Third Thursday of each month, at noon. Support and informational group for anyone who has been diagnosed with breast cancer. All survivors are welcome to attend.

Memory Connection Third Thursday of each month, at 6:00 p.m. Discussion group for family members and friends caring for a loved one with dementia. An opportunity to brainstorm and share information.

OMA – Thursdays 10:30 -11:30

Opening Minds through Art (OMA) is a program that matches individuals who have memory loss with a volunteer, together they create art. For more information call Cindy at 945-0827.

OMA Wish List can be found at Amazon: [https://www.amazon.com/hz/wishlist/ls/2MNXFBXMIESIE?ref=wl\\_fw\\_le](https://www.amazon.com/hz/wishlist/ls/2MNXFBXMIESIE?ref=wl_fw_le)

**Volunteer Luncheon** – We celebrated our volunteers with a potluck in September. Without volunteers, Countryside would not be able to run the thrift store or do all the fundraising and programs that we do. Since April 2024 there are a



total of 7,700 volunteer hours. If you'd like to find out how you can volunteer, go to our website at [www.countrysidehospicesupport.com](http://www.countrysidehospicesupport.com) and sign up to be a part of using your time and talents to support those in our community.



### **Pennies for Robert**

Pennies for Robert was established in 2004 in memory of Robert Disburg by his grandparents Jack & Jo Mitchell. This wonderful legacy in memory of Robert has provided over 1 MILLION DOLLARS in travel funds for cancer patients.

Travel funds are for cancer patients leaving our community or coming to Pierre for cancer care. Funds are provided for gas, lodging or other travel needs. Patients may request funds for chemo, radiation, surgery or physician visits – unlimited amount of requests permitted. Simple application process by calling 605-945-0827. No financial guidelines, or paperwork to complete.

**\$6,605** in travel funds was provided in September 2024 and **\$40,208** has been distributed April – September 2024.

**Hospice Support** – Hospice care is a priority for Countryside. While we have not provided direct patient care since 2003 we actively support Avera @ Home Hospice. Countryside provides a monthly donation for hospice care of **\$6,000**. This donation helps increase nursing and aide visits, special equipment and supplies and education for staff.

**Save the Date** – Countryside Open House – December 3, 2024. Watch for details in the November newsletter.



Find more information about Countryside Hospice Support & Memory Center at: [www.countrysidehospicesupport.com](http://www.countrysidehospicesupport.com) and Facebook: Countryside- Thrift Store/Memory Center/St Benedict's

## Memorials...

Mary Greenfield

John Woods

Anne Woods

Chuck Woods

Tom Woods

Connie Woods

Burton & Anna Warne

Jack Fifield

by

Maynard Greenfield

Rose Marie Wood

by

James Wood

Herb Davis

Rose Egan

Gordy Van Ash

Ethel Fry

Kay Tobin

by

Roger & Marla Fuller

Ethel Fry

Jackie Marso

by

Linda Sack

Jackie Marso

Phyllis Lindbloom

by

Ken & Twyla Bartholomew

Carla Sahr

Mary Alice Moen

by

Margaret & John Ellefson

Rita Weatherbee

by

Lois Knudson

Alice Hillmer

Fred Magee, Jr.

by

Wade & Karen Pogany

Leon Haskins

by

Nancy Bloom

Marilyn Spaid

David Johnson

Maylon Satrang

Jackie Marso

Idella Hart

by

Dale & Joyce Tipton

Jackie Marso

Kay Tobin

Dorothy Gibbs

Darlene Stampe

by

Karen Zakahi

Jewell Bown

by

Robbie & Dick Schneider

Kate Shreeve

Janet Cronin

Douglas Quiett

Jackie Marso

by

Sheryl Blake

Fred Magee, Jr.

by

Fred & Erma Magee

Dana Duffy

Cheryl & Leonard Chick

Josh Pals

Gonzalo & Tiffany Sanchez

Greg & Anita Jung

Lois & Gonzalo Sanchez

Todd Neff

Mitch & Corinne Norman

Duane & Kathryn Diez

Cindy Arch & Duane Winkler

Gloria & George Welk

Dodie Schmitz

Rodney & Julie Fieldsend

Kelly & Marcie Simons

Linda Sack

Gary & Helen Anderson

LaVerne Klein

Ben & Wendy Smith

Steve & Karen Van Mullem

Robin Bickel

Don & Lura Kirkpatrick

Kendall & Shelly Kiel

Dick Jones

Joe Cameron

Richard & Mary Jean Schoessler

Jackie Marso

Helen Wegner

Dennie Pfrimmer

by

Seb & Carol Axtman

Bob Kinsella

by

Family & Friends

Bob & Agnes Lord

Cleo Schroyer

Beverly Krietlow

Julie Pirnat

Jeanie Deichert

Jackie Marso

Robert "Bob" Smith

Kayleen Wyly Fulton

Dylan Fulton

Peggy Rose

Bob Kinsella

Gordon Van Ash

Mike Zakahi

Marilyn Spaid

Robert Bartlett – WWII

by

Mary Deichert

Linda Deichert Burchill

Bob Kinsella

Helen Wegner

by

Larry & Barb Joy

Reuben Bezpaletz

Marjorie Pirnat

by

Yolonda Soyer

Michael Zakahi

Helen Wegner

by

Bob & Shirlee Miller

Rhonda Hageman

by

Sommar Nelson

## Memorials...

Dennis Pfrimmer  
Fred Magee, Jr.  
Helen Wegner  
Karen Humphrey  
Loni Shoup  
Leon Haskins  
by  
Norm & Joann Weaver

Karen Humphrey  
John Whaley  
Fred Magee, Jr.  
by  
Lynell Asher

Maynard Wagner  
Larry Venner  
Jean Hertel  
Rose Egan  
Darlene Stampe  
Mike Zakahi  
Marilyn Spaid  
Jackie Marso  
by  
Lois Byrum

Ethel Fry  
Jackie Marso  
Art Fischbach  
Harry Simmons  
Dennis Pfrimmer  
Helen Wegner  
Fred Magee, Jr.  
Lyle Kenzy  
Idella Hart  
by  
Ray & Mo Shepherd

Helen Wegner  
by  
Lynn Bixler  
Martha Brost

Jackie Marso  
Helen Wegner  
Dennis Pfrimmer  
by  
Mike Boocock

Dave Johnson  
by  
Maxine Kinsella

Tim Tobias  
Rick Kramer  
Dan Kramer  
James West  
Martin Cordell  
Jessie Cordell  
Ralph Cordell  
Howard Cordell  
Kathy Cordell  
Steve Cordell  
Marty Cordell  
by  
Monte & Pat Kramer

Zona Young  
by  
Tom & Joanne Young

Fred Magee Jr.  
Mike Zakahi  
by  
Orv & Mary Jo Gran

Idella Hart  
by  
Patricia Weeldreyer

Lyle Kenzy  
by  
Karol Kenzy  
Don & Shirley Sandal  
Dale Bisson

Lyle Bradford  
Ed Clausen  
by  
Mark & Ruth Smith

Karen Humphrey  
by  
Sandy & Chuck Schlueter  
Dale & Donna Gohl  
Freda Peters  
Dorothy Smith  
Carol Rysavy

Connie Woods  
Mary Greenfield  
Kayleen Fulton  
Dr Richard & Mary Jean Schoessler  
by  
Sheryl Hawkins

Fred Magee, Jr.  
Idella Hart  
by  
Charlene Reed

Fred Magee, Jr.  
Beth Dyer  
Karen Humphrey  
Kayleen Fulton  
by  
Susan & Mike Smith

Mike Zakahi  
by  
Karen Lindbloom

John Whaley  
by  
Gary & Genny McMath  
Lori & Richard Shangreaux

Marie McIntire  
by  
Bruce McIntire

Karen Humphrey  
Daryl Johnson  
by  
Richard & Sharon McEntaffer

Loni Shoup  
Dennis Pfrimmer  
Bob Kinsella  
Helen Wegner  
by  
Audrey Skrondahl

Fred Magee, Jr.  
Jackie Marso  
by  
Steve & Amy Hughes

Kay Tobin  
by  
Brent & Linda Dykstra  
Julie & Fred Waxler

Dale Kiepeke  
Michael Clemens  
Dennie Pfrimmer  
by  
Joel & Carol Gengler

## *In Loving Memory of ...*

*In memory of  
Grandma Susan  
Grandma Inga  
from  
The Rollie Family*

**Sonny -**  
*You were an amazing husband and father.  
Saying good-bye was the hardest thing  
we ever had to do.  
Love always & forever,  
Charlene*

**Linda Obermeier**  
*We miss you pretty girl!  
Pete, Tammy, Aimee,  
Joey, Amanda, Sawyer,  
Axton & Jermey*

**Marie Lamm**  
*Bob & Beth McInnis  
Susan Marrington  
Ralph Dirksen  
Joe & Kathy Gittings*

**Darlene Treib**  
*Bob & Beth McInnis  
Sam Treib  
Susan Marrington  
Ralph Dirksen  
Joe & Kathy Gittings*

**Orma E. McInnis**  
*Bob & Beth McInnis  
Sam Treib  
Susan Marrington  
Kathy & Joe Gittings  
Ralph Dirksen*

**John McInnis**  
*Joe & Kathy Gittings  
Susan Marrington  
Bob & Beth McInnis  
Sam Treib  
Ralph Dirksen*

*You will be  
celebrated in our  
memories of your  
October 28<sup>th</sup> birthday.*



**Bob Kinsella**

*Max, Jason,  
Mistie, Kaleigh,  
Brooke & Keegan  
and Families*

**Robert D. Marrington**  
*Susan Marrington  
Bob & Beth McInnis  
Sam Treib  
Ralph Dirksen  
Joe & Kathy Gittings*

*In memory of  
our mom,  
Jackie Marso  
on her 94<sup>th</sup> birthday,  
October 18<sup>th</sup>.  
We love & miss  
you so much.  
Your kids*

**Patrick McInnis**  
*Bob & Beth McInnis  
Sam Treib  
Susan Marrington  
Kathy & Joe Gittings  
Ralph Dirksen*

*In memory of my loving husband,  
Steve Russell  
on your birthday, September 29<sup>th</sup>.  
I love you,  
Sondra*

**Glenn Marrington**  
*Susan Marrington  
Ralph Dirksen  
Joe & Kathy Gittings*

**Memberships:** Linda Sack, Bob & Agnes Lord, Mary Deichert, Linda Deichert Burchill

**Donations:** Anonymous, Dakotamart, SD DOT Golf Tournament, BankWest Staff Jeans Day donation, Lee McCurrin, Maxine Kinsella

**Thank you to:**

*George Allen for your donation towards a new water heater for St. Benedict's Guest House!*

*Carolyn Guhin for your donation to purchase art supplies for OMA!*

*Norm Weaver, Doug Kuiper and Ben Smith for coordinating, donating materials and rearranging shelves at the thrift store!*

*In honor of Nancy Sperry and her cherished works -  
She is always helping others and asking nothing in return.  
I hope to pass her mentality forward  
and support the causes she cares about.  
Shalana Dredge*

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**THIS GIFT IS FROM:**

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**FOR:**  As needed  Pennies for Robert – Travel funds for cancer patients  
 St. Benedict’s Guest House – Lodging for cancer patients  Avera@Home Hospice – Hospice care  
 Memory Center  Membership  
 Don Boyd OMA memorial

In memory/honor of: \_\_\_\_\_ Notify: \_\_\_\_\_

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*This newsletter contains donations processed through October 9. The approximate cutoff for the November newsletter will be November 11.*

Donations can also be made by credit card on our website [www.countrysidehospicesupport.com](http://www.countrysidehospicesupport.com), or you may call the office with your credit card information 605-945-0827.