

THE KNIFE RIVER CARE CENTER

INFORMER



January 2026

Knife River Care Center
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~MONTHLY BIRTHDAYS~

Paul M.
Russell K.
Terry H.
Bonnie P.
Jerome D.

*****If you would like to
contact your loved one via
email please send to:
krista.baytosh@krcc-nd.org**

REMINDERS

- **WINTER Cleaning
Time!!!- please check
your loved ones closets,
drawers and
refrigerators.**
- **When bringing new
items (clothing,
bedding, etc.) please
stop at the front desk
to have them marked.**

Thank you!

“Jokes of the Month”

Q: What do New Year's
parades have in common
with Santa Claus?
A: No one is ever awake to
see them!

Q: What do cows say on
January 1st?
A: Happy MOO year!

Q: What do you tell
someone you didn't see on
New Year's Eve?
A: I haven't seen you since
last year!

Q: What happened to the
person who stole a calendar
on New Year's Day?
A: They got 12 months!

HAPPY NEW YEAR!

RESIDENT RIGHTS

Protection of Funds

- * You have the right to manage your personal funds while in the facility and to use your funds how you choose.
- * You can authorize the facility in writing to handle your personal funds. (The facility cannot refuse to handle your funds or require you to deposit your funds with them.)
- * You can ask for the written policy on how your personal funds will be protected and managed by the facility.
- * The facility must return any funds within 5 working days upon a written request to close your account.
- * The facility must make available quarterly statements or a statement at any time upon request from the resident or the resident representative.
- * The facility shall pay out in full:
 - A. Refunds due as a result of an overpayment to the facility within thirty days from the date the overpayment is discovered.
 - B. Other refunds due to you upon discharge, eviction, or death within thirty days from the resident's date of discharge from the facility.
 - C. Within 30 days of discharge or your death, any remaining personal funds and give a final written accounting to you, or to the administrator of your estate.



Nursing home residents' rights are the legal and moral rights of the residents of a nursing home.

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THEME DAYS

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Stocking Cap		Shades of Light Blue		Red, White, Blue / Patriotic
	11	12	13	14	15	16
		Scarf		Shades of Dark Blue		Red, White, Blue / Patriotic
	18	19	20	21	22	23
		Crazy / Fuzzy Socks		Shades Of White		Red, White, Blue / Patriotic
	25	26	27	28	29	30
		Team Day		Shades Of Brown		Red, White, Blue / Patriotic

New Year's Day

Martin Luther King Jr. Day

Australia Day (Observed)

January Communion Services



Catholic Communion and Rosary Service
January 7, 14, 21, 28

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**St. Matthew's and  
Concordia Communion**  
**January 13**

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Peace Lutheran Communion
January 7

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**Prince of Peace Communion**  
**January 6**

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Trinity / Golgotha Lutheran Communion
January 8

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**Zion Lutheran Communion**  
**January 15**

*And He took bread, gave thanks and broke it, and gave it to them, saying, "This is My body which is given for you; do this in remembrance of Me." Likewise He also took the cup after supper, saying, "This cup is the new covenant in My blood, which is shed for you.*

Luke 22:19-20

**WE'VE GOT SOMETHING FOR YOU TO SEE...  
CHECK OUT KNIFE RIVER CARE CENTERS  
FACEBOOK PAGE:**

[www.facebook.com/kniferivercarecenter](http://www.facebook.com/kniferivercarecenter)

### THOSE WE'VE LOST:

Norma Zuern  
John Buchmann  
Raymond Mattheis  
Alma Conlon  
Esther Fleisher



\*The activity department continues to offer video calling capabilities for you and your loved one! Please contact Krista if you would like to schedule a video chat.\*  
**(701) 873-3274**

