Celebrating 110 Years of Service in 2016

In 1909, the board of directors decided it was time to add on to the original Altenheim. A special meeting was held in 1910 where the board decided to hire Schnetzky and Son’s to draw up plans for a new building.

The basement level included a sewing room, smoking room, laundry, a coal and furnace room and a kettle room. On the main level was the office, living rooms for the superintendent (Housefather) and his family and the dining room with a well-appointed kitchen for its day. In addition, the first floor contained 10 rooms for residents and a bathroom with two bathtubs and four large closets. On the second floor was the chapel, which had been tastefully equipped with a lectern and pipe organ donated by Elizabeth Koch, as well as resident rooms. On the north wall of the chapel was the motto of the Altenheim: “To your old age I am he; and even to hoar hairs will I carry you.” Resident rooms comprised the entire third floor. The new building contained a total of 14 double and 53 single rooms which could accommodate 81 persons.

The original building (the original farm house) could accommodate 20 residents, and was maintained as an infirmary. In total the two buildings could hold 100 people.
The Altenheim Coffee Shop is Now Open

Coffee shop hours are 6 am to 4 pm. Stop by to get a coffee, latte, iced coffee or one of the many specialty drinks the shop offers.

You can also find other items for purchase such as greeting cards, stamps and crossword puzzle books.

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Get to Know Dr. George Lange

Many of you know Dr. Lange who is a doctor at the Lutheran Home, but did you know:

• Dr. Lange earned his medical degree from the Medical College of Wisconsin in 1975 with a completed residency at Mount Sinai Medical Center

• He is board certified in internal medicine and geriatrics

• Dr. Lange is affiliated with Columbia St Mary’s and has his own general practice located on Mayfair Road and Center Street

“Patients are the presidents of their healthcare. I serve not to judge, but to advise as a trusted confidante with only their best interest in mind.” – Dr. Lange
Child Care Presents a New Gross Motor Skills Room

The gross motor room opened in about the middle of January. The gross motor room serves as a space where children can run, jump, catch and throw balls, and do other large muscle activities to help develop gross motor skills. It was especially nice to use on days where it was too cold or rainy to play outside. The room has been used daily since it opened!

Sewing Room Needs New or Gently Used Clothing

The wonderful sewing room at the Lutheran Home offers our residents and clients clothing they may need during their stay with us. In order to offer this great service, we rely on donations from generous people such as yourself. All clothing must be washable. Cotton blend is preferred (no wool please). We are in need of:

- Men's sweatpants
- Men's undershirts (white tee shirts or tanks)
- Woman's sweatpants
- Woman's undershirt (white tee shirts and tanks)

To schedule a drop-off, please contact Moua Yang, sewing room manager at 414-258-6171 ext.296 or moua.yang@thelutheranhome.org
Living at Lutheran Home

Residents enjoy art time in the Seasons Studio with Whitman Middle School students.

St. Patrick’s Day with therapy dogs

Children from the Lutheran Home Children’s Center and residents enjoy “play dates” together.

Annual Employee Recognition Dinner

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Residents and staff enjoy the Valentine’s Day Dance.

Intergenerational fun

Tom Gill Drum Circle in the Seasons Studio
Week of the Young Child

April 11-15, Lutheran Home Child Care Center hosted their annual Week of the Young Child to celebrate both the children and their families. Each day of the week had a theme to it. Monday was the munchies with mom and dad breakfast. Tuesday was taco Tuesday and boy—was it messy! Wednesday was PJ day and the kids got to watch a movie on the big screen in Hardt Hall in their jammies. Thursday was family fun night. Finally to wrap up the week, Friday was ice cream day. The center also held a book sale throughout the week where they offered hundreds of different books.

Save the Date for the Monarch Ball

The Lutheran Home Foundation’s 17th Annual Monarch Ball will be held on September 17, 2016 at the Pfister Hotel.

This year’s event will be hosted by Robert “Bob” and Mary Sowinski. Bob is currently the Vice-Chairman for Diversified Insurance Solutions after serving as the company’s president and CEO for 13 years. Bob is a devoted volunteer in the community and currently serves as the Chairperson of the Lutheran Home and Harwood Place Board of Directors. Bob and Mary have enjoyed attending and supporting the Monarch Ball for many years. Together, they have two children and enjoy spending time with their grandchildren. We hope you will join the Sowinski’s at this year’s event as we look forward to celebrating the 110th Anniversary of the Lutheran Home.

For more information about this event or other sponsorship opportunities, contact the Lutheran Home Foundation at 414-256-6837.
Harwood Happenings

Cliff Hohlstein on a tour of Clock Shadow Creamery

Resident LaVerne Ferguson attended a presentation at the Manfred Olson Planetarium as a part of her Bucket List journey.

Bucket List: Bucket List: Betty Sydow & Carolou Nelsen worked together to create The Adventures of a Sparrow Named Stanley. The book was recently published and can be found on Amazon, or at the Harwood & Lutheran Home Gift Shops.

Community Concert to Celebrate 110 Years of Service

Join Us

August 30th, 2016
5:30 pm to 9:00 pm
on the Lawn
at Harwood Place

- Music by Joe Wray
- Food & beverages available from local restaurants and food trucks
- Children's activities
- Tours of Harwood Place every half hour
- Parking & shuttle service available at the WAC
- Book Donation
- Bring blankets and lawn chairs

Music by Joe Wray
6:00pm to 8:30pm
110 Years of Memories

Time to share those memories, stories and photos you may have from your experience with the Lutheran Home and Harwood Place throughout the past 110 years. Photos along with a story or on their own may also be submitted. There are many ways to share your happy memories with us. You can mail this form back to the Lutheran Home Attn: Client Relations, 7500 W North Ave. Wauwatosa, WI 53213, email it to Holly at holly.ivans@thelutheranhome.org or drop in an envelope to the Lutheran Home or Harwood Place front desks.

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