PRINCETON COMMUNITY HOSPITAL



December 2021



PCH Foundation's 2021 *Lights of Love* Honors and Remembers Loved Ones in December

The PCH Foundation's annual *Lights of Love* campaign provides a unique and meaningful way to honor or remember someone who is special to you during the holiday season, and at the same time make a donation to support patient care at PCH.

Donors purchase a light or star on the *Lights of Love* tree in honor or in memory of a loved one.

Again this year due to COVID-19, we were unable to gather for a public tree-lighting ceremony. However, that did not prevent our employees and community members from generously donating \$6,755 to the *Lights of Love* campaign.

All 2021 gifts will support the PCH Cancer Care Fund. All funds will remain in the community and will be used to help PCH cancer patients that are in need of medications, nutrition supplements, home equipment, travel funds, and more.

2021 Lights of Love Donors:

STAR SPONSORS:

Danny and Cathy Bolton

In Memory of Fred and Lucille Bolton

Danny and Cathy Bolton

In Memory of Robert and Bernice Pack

Tish Coleman

In Memory of Karen Lilly

Tish Coleman

In Memory of Ron Coleman

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The 2021 Lights of Love tree was once again decorated by Christmas enthusiast and designer, Travis Collis.

Thomas Giffen

In Memory of Andora Giffen

Gopal and Kavita Pardasani

In Memory of Robert Farley

Fred and Santina St. John

Happily Supporting the PCH Foundation

The Pace Family Foundation

In Memory of The Pace and Woomer Families

YELLOW LIGHT DONORS:

David and Kimberly Bland

In Memory of Catherine A. Styers

Barry and Jill Blizzard

In Memory of Vickie Blizzard, Macey Whittaker, Wada Blizzard, Kermit Blizzard, and Buddy Whittaker

Rusty and Andrea Sarver

In Memory of Veteran - Buck and Jodi Sarver

Hickman's Pharmacy

In Memory of Mary Hickman

CLEAR LIGHT DONORS:

Terri Adams

In Memory of Mary Alice Houghton

Charlie and Sherry Bauguess

In Memory of Biddie Bell Thomas

Marie Blackwell

In Memory of Veteran - David Blackwell

Todd, Sharon, Ben and Olivia Boggess

In Memory of Veteran - Edward "Ted" Boggess

Albert Boland

In Memory of Veterans - Rich Boland and Albert Zattola

Sam and Margaret Conner

In Honor of Megan Goff

Ken Kemmerer

In Memory of My Mother & Father

Matt and Laura King

In Memory of Veteran - David Blackwell

Kevin and Jenny Martin

In Honor of All PCH Care Team Members

Heather Poff

In Memory of Veteran - Frank Calfee and Dorothy Calfee

Donna Shay

In Memory of Gordon Shanklin In Honor of Ruth Shanklin

Ben and Charlene Strouth

In Memory of Craig Strouth

First Community Bank

In Memory of Mike Baker

The Ott Fredeking Family

In Memory of Stewart Otto "Ott" Fredeking

Bailey-Kirk Funeral Home

In Memory of Marvin Mills

BLUE LIGHT DONORS:

Jessica Atwell

In Honor of Christy Martin

Leigh Brogan

In Honor of Wanda A. White

Dorothy Butler

In Memory of Roy K. Butler

Junior, Martha, and Pam Cregger

In Memory of Veteran - Thomas Z. Stowers and Alma Stowers

Junior, Martha, and Pam Cregger

In Memory of Wiley and Mary Lee Shrader

Jacqueline Evans

In Memory of Veteran - William Evans, Sr.

David and Kathy Kirk

In Memory of Otto Fredeking

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The Mabe Family

In Memory of Erma Thompson In Honor of Roger Thompson

Marlene Martin

In Memory of Eric Martin

Kimberly Nelson

In Memory of Delores Yarborough

Larry and Pam Perdue

In Memory of Veteran - Richard V. Perdue and Lauren Perdue

Tony and Rebecca Whitlow

In Memory of Buddy Williams

GREEN LIGHT DONORS:

Robert Cox

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Earl and Sandra Goodwin

In Memory of Rose Lee Kraushaar

Brenda Gross

In Memory of Nora Ellen Arnold

Ann Hazelwood

In Memory of Matthew Todd Hazelwood

Ann Hazelwood

In Memory of Barbara E. Hunter

Sharon Jones

In Memory of Mary Alice Houghton

Betty Lee

In Memory of My Loving Parents

Rose Morgan

In Memory of Beverly Morgan

Edwina Newberry

In Honor of Zac Carter

Ann Pauley

In Memory of Julia Mae Grogan, Nurse Princeton Memorial

Ann Pauley

In Memory of Veteran - Dennis McKinney

Ann Pauley

In Memory of Michael Pauley

Greg Yost

In Memory of Veteran - Grayson Shrader

Greg Yost

In Memory of Beulah Shrader

RED LIGHT DONORS:

Charlie and Sherry Bauguess

In Memory of Ben Tom Bailey, Jr.

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Leona Hendricks

In Memory of Charles Thompson

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In Memory of Bobby Thompson

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In Memory of Veteran - William Thompson

Leona Hendricks

In Memory of Viola Thompson

Leona Hendricks

In Memory of Carrie Moses

Daniel and Brenda Hoke

In Memory of Justin Lee Hoke

Regina, Angie, and Jeff Hudson

In Memory of Theresa Chittum, RN

Regina, Angie, and Jeff Hudson

In Memory of Ross and Helen Fazio

Harvey and Joyce Shrader

In Memory of Bethel Eads

Harvey and Joyce Shrader

In Memory of Ernest Lafferty

Harvey and Joyce Shrader

In Memory of Ressie Lafferty

Diane Spencer

In Honor of Steven Bradley Spencer

Diane Spencer

In Memory of Veteran - John Mitchell

Diane Spencer

In Memory of Veteran - William (Ab) Worley

Diane Spencer

In Memory of William T. Spencer

Diane Spencer

In Memory of Virginia Louise Worley

Diane Spencer

In Memory of Gay Spencer

Diane Spencer

In Memory of Matthew Hazelwood

Diane Spencer

In Memory of Joseph Sinicrope

Diane Spencer

In Memory of Ruth Mitchell

Diane Spencer

In Memory of Eric Martin

Linda Steele

In Memory of Wilton & Joann Shrewsbury

Letters of Appreciation

Dear PCH,

Thanks to all of you for taking care of my precious mother. This is day 27 (December 15, 2021) since she wrecked. PCH is taking better care of her than anyone has!

You ladies and gentlemen ROCK! God bless all of you.

So grateful for everyone, Crystal Rutherford

Dear Members of the PCH CardioPulmonary Department,

From the bottom of my heart, I thank you all for what you do. I have a grandfather who suffers with heart and respiratory issues, and it is only because of people like you that he is still with us. Thank you for helping others that may be suffering from cardiopulmonary issues, and for working through these unfortunate times. I hope you all stay warm and safe!

Best Wishes, Jasmine Palmer

MMG Nephrology Welcomes Ahmad Eter, M.D., F.A.S.N.

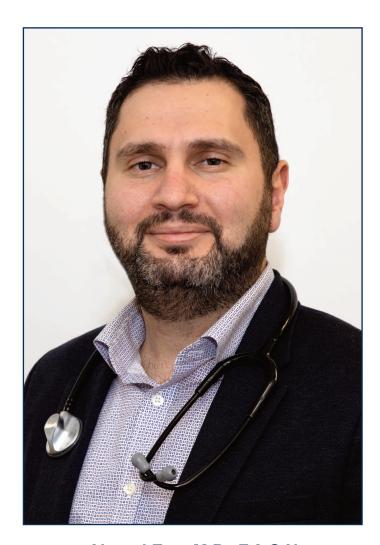
Princeton Community Hospital – WVU Medicine is pleased to announce the addition of Ahmad Eter, M.D., F.A.S.N., to Mercer Medical Group Nephrology.

Dr. Eter earned his medical degree at the University of Aleppo School of Medicine, Syria, where he graduated with honors in the top 10 percent of his class. He completed residency in internal medicine at University of Nevada School of Medicine, Las Vegas, Nevada, and fellowship at Staten Island University Hospital, Staten Island, New York. He is certified in internal medicine and nephrology by the American Board of Internal Medicine and holds the ECFMG Certificate.

Dr. Eter has been affiliated with PCH since 2018. He was previously associated with Nephrology-Hypertension Associates in Bluefield, West Virginia, the Charleston Area Medical Center Hospitalist Group and a multi-specialty group in Beckley, West Virginia.

Dr. Eter is the author of several publications in the field of nephrology and is a Fellow of the American Society of Nephrology.

"We are proud to welcome Dr. Eter to Mercer Medical Group Nephrology," said President and CEO Karen Bowling. "He is an asset to the hospital's medical staff and fulfills a much-needed role in the medical community."



Ahmad Eter, M.D., F.A.S.N. Board Certified Internal Medicine **Board Certified Nephrology**



Princeton Community Hospital WWU Medicine



Accepting new patients.

For an appointment, please call 304,425.0345

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Sue O'Dell Retires After 34 Years of Service

Sue O'Dell retired at the end of December 2021 after devoting 34 years of service to Princeton Community Hospital.

Sue spent the first 17 years of her life in Chicago, Illinois, before meeting and marrying a Princeton native. Sue and her husband returned to his hometown where they settled and raised a family of two daughters.

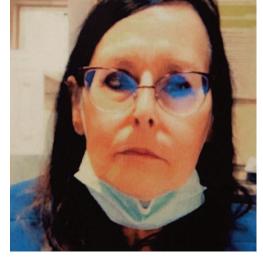
Shortly after arriving in Princeton, Sue was employed by the hospital as a unit secretary. She worked in various departments over the years including psych, 3-East, and 4-East. For the past 12 years, she has served as unit secretary for the oncology unit.

Sue said, "Working at PCH has been wonderful. I had a very good job and a great manager in Khristy Shrewsbury. Everyone has always been there for me at PCH."

Sue will likely continue to reside in Princeton after retirement. In early spring, she will travel to Chicago to visit her sister and make final plans for life in retirement.

Sue's husband passed away two years ago. Her daughters and their families reside in Princeton. Sue has two grandchildren and one great-grandson. She is excited about spending more time with her family.

Thank you, Sue, for your many years of outstanding service to the hospital. You will be greatly missed!



Princeton Rotary Presents Award to PCH



On November 12, 2021, the Rotary Club of Princeton presented Karen Bowling with a plaque as a token of appreciation for the continued support that Princeton Community Hospital provides for the club and its many service projects. PCH was an incredible part of making the recent Pancake Day fundraiser a success, as well as many other occasions. Thank you, PCH, for always being a friend of the Rotary Club of Princeton.

From left: Beckey Bennett, Sheila Hall, and Danny Lewis. Not pictured: David Ratliff. These folks played an integral part in preparing the meats for the Rotary Club of Princeton Pancake Day 2021.









Thank You, BSC Nursing Students!

Bluefield State College nursing students administered hundreds of doses of flu vaccine to hospital employees during this fall's flu vaccine campaign.

We thank them for their outstanding professionalism and dedication to the medical field, and we hope to welcome them as employees in the not-too-distant future!







Holiday Cheer for Hospital Employees!





Although hampered by COVID, the holidays were still a festive time this year with a special employee luncheon, *An Evening with Santa*, tree decorating and ugly sweater contests, *12 Days of Giving*, and much more! We hope everyone had a wonderful holiday and we wish you all the best in the new year!



Rehabilitation Services Department (Speech Therapy, Cardiac Rehabilitation, Pulmonary Rehabilitation and Occupational Therapy) dressed up for the holidays! From left: Leslie Jones, Kim Thomason, Donna Shay, Jan Stovall, and Veronica Brooks.



The Pavilion was the winner of the Tree Decorating Competition with 329 votes! Congratulations!



Crystal Tilley was the winner of the Ugly Sweater Competition with 154 votes! Congratulations, Crystal!





A special thank you to Director of Nutrition Services David Ratliff and the entire Nutrition Services team for their exceptional work in preparing and serving the delicious employee holiday luncheon.