

NEWSLETTER

WINTER 2021

MAPLE TOWERS



DELTA HEAD OFFICE



GRANDVIEW TOWERS



SHANNON OAKS VANCOUVER



O CHRISTMAS TREE

Thinking about Christmas trees? Why not take a look at this beautiful collection of festive Christmas tree ideas that will give you some inspiration!

Thanks to our residents and team members who did a great job in decorating our Christmas trees in all of our communities!

"Freshly cut Christmas trees smelling of stars and snow and pine resin - inhale deeply and fill your soul with wintry night." - John J. Geddes

THREE LITTLE MONKEYS AT FVFRGRFFN









What a joy to see these gentlemen acting out the "monkey emojis".. how fun!

SEASON'S GREETINGS

You're on my tree... as we decorated our Christmas tree this year, my wife and I reflected on each ornament and who gave them to us. In many cases, the ornaments were made by family members or friends. Some are still with us and some have passed on. One of the blessings of our Christmas traditions is to remember the people who have contributed to our lives as we hang the ornaments on our tree.

This made me think about our connectedness as people. Each of us makes a mark on the lives of those around us, and within the Baptist Housing family this includes our team, our residents, and their loved ones. Just as a decorated Christmas tree reflects the connections and love and generosity between people, similarly our lives reflect the relationships we build, treasure, and remember forever. Thank you for being a part of the Baptist Housing story and may you experience the joy, wonder, and true meaning of Christmas as you celebrate!

Marc Kinna President & Chief Executive Officer

WHAT ARE YOU THANKFUL FOR THIS CHRISTMAS?





"I am thankful that I am healthy and all my family is healthy during this pandemic. I am so grateful that we are all COVID-19 free."

– Ila, Resident at Shannon Oaks Oak Bay



"Peace on earth, peace at heart."

– Randy, Resident at The Heights at Mt. View



"I am grateful to live at Shannon Oaks where we are all just a big family, loving and looking out for one another. It is a wonderful place to be especially at Christmas."

– Honora, Resident at Shannon Oaks Oak Bay



"Thankful for the supply trucks and continuous provisions of food and supplies."

– Serena, Administrator at Smith Creek Village



"Togetherness", being together with family and loved ones."

– Katharina, Resident at The Heights at Mt. View



"Thankful to be working with team members that continue to have a positive attitude despite adversity."

- Edwin, Maintenance Lead at Smith Creek Village"My health and opportunity to work with people who work so hard to make others' lives fulfilled."

- Lauraine, Recreation Assistant at Smith Creek Village



"I am thankful to have all these nice people around."

– Bev, Resident at Mill Creek Village



"I am thankful to live in a town where I am safe, roof over my head and food on my plate"

– George, Resident at Shannon Oaks Oak Bay



"I am thankful for my family and old friends. That's the most important."

– Pat, Resident at Mill Creek Village



"I am thankful for all the care I get and being able to go to church and that I am healthy and happy."

– Pat, Resident at Mill Creek Village



"Everyone will experience the wonderful, powerful presence of God."

 Gertrude 'Ruth', Resident at The Heights at Mt. View



"I am thankful for my family."

 Michelle, Recreation Assistant at Smith Creek Village





May He grant you peace and renew your strength for the years ahead!

In support of those in need, a donation has been made to the Greater Vancouver Food Bank, Mustard Seed of Victoria & Central Okanagan Food Bank.

Merry Christmas from Baptist Housing!

