

THE NURSING HOME MINISTRY REPORT, 2010

It has been a good year for the Nursing Home Ministry. The Holy Eucharist service is celebrated at 4 Nursing homes once-a-month every Monday afternoon. The Nursing Homes are:

Pierrefonds Manor
West Island Manor
Chateau sur le lac
The Sunrise

There is good attendance by the residents, usually 15-20 participants with the exception of The West Island Manor where 40-45 can be expected. Twice during the year, our visit was cancelled due to an outbreak of gastro enteritis and in June we were invited to a volunteer appreciation party at The Sunrise. In December, we sang carols during the service instead of the usual hymns to celebrate the birth of Christ and the spirit of the season. The residents much appreciate our visits judging from their smiles.

The Nursing Home ministry consists of 9 members:

The Rev. Michelle Eason
Irene Marteinson (at piano)
Bernice and Milt Hadden
Anne Chan
Pat Hammond
Dot Sochaski
Jacqui Hoitz
Annette

A very big thank you to the team for a job well done. It is a most rewarding ministry and if you are available monday afternoons, you are very welcome to join us.

Respectively submitted,

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