



## **Pastoral Services**

Serve seniors in your community by assisting with religious services in Canterbury Chapel, helping residents with mobility challenges to attend services, visit and engage with them or share your gifts of music and song.

### **Position Title:**

Pastoral Services Volunteer

### **Client Group**

Seniors in Supportive Living and Independent Living

### **Location:**

Canterbury Court/Canterbury Manor

### **Risk Level:**

Low

### **Time Commitment:**

Based on religious services schedule (one 2-hour shift/day)

### **Duties/Responsibilities:**

- Assist with religious services in Canterbury Chapel
- Assist residents with mobility challenges to attend services
- Engage in friendly conversation with residents
- Visit with residents one-on-one as requested
- Sharing gifts of music and song

### **Skills/Qualifications:**

- Communication and active listening skills, empathy, patience, tact
- Enjoy being with seniors, is respectful and positive
- Has integrity and good judgement
- Is open and supportive, cooperative
- Sensitivity to the needs and challenges of the residents
- Support spiritual health of residents

- Physical ability to assist someone from a sitting to standing position
- Assist residents with mobility aids
- Lift light equipment

### **Boundries/Limitations**

- See Professional Boundaries Policy

### **Orientation/Training:**

- One hour orientation prior to first shift
- One hour training prior to first shift

### **Supervision/Evaluation:**

- Supervisor: Activities Manager
- Annual evaluation with supervisor

### **Benefits:**

- Opportunity to meet new people and have fun with residents and staff.
- Helping people to maintain their health and independence.
- Snacks will be provided.

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