

PEOPLE PROGRAM Fall NEWSLETTER



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This Christmas season, consider giving the following gifts:

- To your enemy....forgiveness.
- To your opponent....tolerance.
- To your friend.....your heart.
- To a customer....service.
- To all people...charity.
- To every child....a good example.
- To yourselfrespect.



The greeting "Hanukkah Sameach" wishes its hearer a "Happy Hanukkah". Other ways to wish someone a happy holiday during this season are: "Chag Sameach" and "Chag Urim Sameach" which means

"Happy Holiday" and "Happy Holiday of Lights" respectively.

Another common greeting is "Gmar chatimah tovah" which means "May you be sealed totally for good."

The staff would like to extend thanks and appreciation to all teachers and members of People Program who have made this session so enriching as we continually evolve toward the mandate that "all may be one". May this season of love live continuously in our hearts.



Plans are underway for our biggest party and fundraiser of

the year! **The spring Gala is scheduled for Sunday, March 18 in the Sen. Ted Hickey Ballroom in UNO's University Center.** Save the Date! **Deacon John Moore** will be our Honorary Chair, and we will recognize retiring **Executive Director Lynn Crean.** Our theme will reflect the 300th anniversary of the founding of the City of New Orleans! Don't miss it!

Fall semester ends Friday, December 8.

Please note these important dates:
The spring session runs Monday, January 22 to Friday, May 18.
(Note: We will begin on the week AFTER the Martin Luther King holiday.)

The fee remains at \$150 for any number of classes. Please be sincere in your intention to attend the classes that you sign up for.

Thanks!

Laura Guerin Hebert's Jazz Dance Class, Brant Broom's Tap

and Contemporary Dance Classes, and Mary Ruth Shank's Chorus Class will entertain the folks at Ferncrest Manor on Friday, December 8 at 10 am. We salute their giving spirit and the generosity of the many members who donated Christmas gifts to the residents.

Children's Hospital Toy

Collection: We are collecting new, unwrapped toys and games for the 26th Annual Children's Hospital Toy Drive through Thursday, December 7. Please place items in the collection boxes located at both campuses. Thanks for your generosity!



Prayers Needed

- Anna Barbara St. Romain
- Anna Rita Williamson
- Richard Beverly
- Beth Johnson
- Tay D'Amour
- Ruth Earhart
- John Knipmeyer
- James Adams
- Ed Howell
- Lory Rummel
- Janet Peterson
- Anna Craig
- Cindy Victor
- Pearl Nedd
- Lee Smallwood
- Mary Ann Bolton
- Elton Toups
- George Krippner
- Margie Boe
- Marilyn Estis
- Jacob Jacobson

- Edgar Dalson
- Martha Wall
- Helen Winder
- Gwendolyn Johnson
- Harold Heim
- Wayne Peacock
- Sharon Barrilleaux
- Mike Foster
- Claudia Thrasher
- Mary Jane LeRonge
- Jean Philip
- Parker Smith
- Sheila James
- James Johnson
- Katie Weaver
- Sr. Gretchen Dysart
- Cynthia Brenes
- Gail Meaker
- William Carlisle
- Jude Benfatti, Sr.
- Eugenie Loustaunau
- Brian Albea
- Emmett Johnson
- Camryn O'Connor
- Anise Goodwin
- Emma Ryan
- Martha Boudreaux
- The Family of Yan Du
- Caden O'Connor
- Joan LaPointe
- Calvin Manuel
- Lucille Deas
- Carolyn Deupree
- Linda Alvarez
- Joe Bucher
- Danny Catalanotto
- Imelda Bernard
- Ashton Peyrefitte, Jr.
- Ron Juge
- Mollie Ballay
- Bella Pereira

In Memoriam

- Dr. Gray Malcolm
- Patrick Chapman
(Son of Martha Chapman)
- Doris Phillips



Ho! Ho! Ho!

What do you get if you eat Christmas decorations?
Tinselitis!

What do you call a cat on a beach at Christmas time?
Sandy claws!

Why did Frosty the Snowman want a divorce?
Because he thought his wife was a flake.

Why was Santa's little helper depressed?
Because he had low elf esteem.

What do you call Santa living at the South Pole?
A lost Claus.

What part of the body do you see only at Christmas?
Mistletoe.

What does Santa bring naughty boys and girls on Christmas Eve?
A pack of batteries saying "toys not included"!

