

The Trumpeter October 2020



Manchester Area Senior Citizens Council (MASCC Inc.) Mission Statement: To be of Service and Enhance the Lives of the Manchester Area Senior Citizens

Please extend your prayers for President & Mrs. Trump for a quick recovery from Covid19.



Doris Ethel Kittendorf, 90, passed away peacefully Friday, September 25, 2020 at the Chelsea Retirement Community, Chelsea, Michigan. She was born on Thanksgiving Day, November 28, 1929, in Wayne,

Michigan to William and Edna (Waechter) Krueger. She grew up on a farm in Romulus Twp. and was a 4-H club leader. In 1949 she married William Kittendorf, and they lived Taylor, Michigan for thirty years. In 1980 they moved to Manchester.

To further her education, she enrolled in a GED program in 1964. She was a student at Eastern Michigan Univ. where she graduated Summa Cum Laude and the University of Michigan where she earned a Master's Degree and a Doctorate in English Language and Literature in 1975.

Dr. Kittendorf retired from teaching in 1993. She was a Sunday School Teacher in St. Paul UCC in Taylor and a Bible Class Teacher in Emanuel UCC in Manchester. She and Bill were active members of Emanuel United Church of Christ and the Farm Bureau. In addition to her love of reading and writing poetry, Doris loved all aspects of homemaking, gardens and flowers. She wrote her own biography and put Bill's life story into a poem. Doris also enjoyed travel in and out of the United States. ...

Doris is survived by her two daughters, Joanne (David) Duff and Barbara (Jamie) Hickerson, three granddaughters, Erin Martin, Claire (David Hoover) Kane, and Shannon Kane. Doris's immediate family held a private service at Emanuel UCC, Manchester. Rev. Chris Kurtz.

Memorial contributions suggested to the Alzheimer Association, the Chelsea Retirement Community, or Arbor Hospice. The complete obituary can be found the www.EinederFuneralHomes.com. Please leave a msg. of comfort for Doris's family or sign her guestbook

Meals/Transportation ~ Pam Miller 734-385-6308

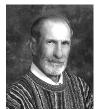
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Ray E. Wurster age 74, of Manchester, MI, passed away on Tuesday, September 15, 2020 at his home surrounded by his family. He was born August 23, 1946 the son of Edward and Roena (Gieske) Wurster.

He lived in Manchester his entire life, and was very immersed in the Manchester Community. He retired from the Ford Motor Co. after 35 years of service. After Ray retired, he worked for the Village of Manchester for 13 years as a crossing guard and performed lawn maintenance. He was a member of Emanuel UCC, American Legion, and was involved heavily in the Manchester Chicken Broil. He was a Veteran, serving in the US Army in Germany. Ray also loved to garden and hunt. He is survived by his wife Vicky Sue (Roberts) in Manchester his daughter, Tricia (Joshua) Hariu of Tecumseh, grandchildren, and one sister, Mary Scott of Adrian, as well as nieces, nephews, and cousins. He was preceded in death by his daughter, Annette Wurster-Hieber, and his parents. A Memorial Service was held on at Wurster Park.

Those wishing to make a contribution in honor of Ray, may do so to the Manchester Community Schools Scholarship Fund, put in memo: for Ray Wurster Memorial Scholarship. The full obituary can be found at:

https://www.mitchellfuneral.com/obituaries

MASCC, Inc. Board Officers: President: Larry Lehmann, VP: Sec: Betty Cummings, Treas:

Deadline for the Trumpeter articles is the 15th of each month for the following months issue.

WHAT'S NEW? The next MASCC, Inc. Board Meeting: Friday October 16 at 10:30a Open officer positions will be discussed at a future meeting ~ Everyone is Welcome ~ Masks are required

Ongoing discussions continue, on subject of the Village of Manchester converting to a City.

Meeting where this issue is discussed:

Village Council Meetings

~ 1st & 3rd Mon. at 7:00pm

Manchester Twp. Meetings

~ 2nd Tuesday at 7:00pm

Washtenaw County Health Dept. (WCHD)

Drive Thru Flu Shots, Emanuel UCC, 324 W. Main St Thurs. October 8^{th} , 1p-5p.

No out of pocket cost for everyone 6 months or older. Register for Oct: http://bit.ly/WCHDfluvaxOct.

Manchester Area Senior Citizens Council, Inc. 2020 Membership Form

Name(s):

Phone Numb(s):

Birthday(s):

Address:

City:

Township:

Email(s):

Favorite Meal:

Fav. Activity after a Meal:

Favorite Bus Destination:

Annual Dues:

\$15.00 for individual or \$25.00 per couple *Make checks payable to:*

MASCC, Inc.

P.O. Box 31, Manchester, MI 48158

To receive the Trumpeter via mail or email, Send your request to: <u>mascc2019 @yahoo.com</u> Subject:

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BUS BUSINESS

- 1. Medical Runs are \$12.00
 If this is a hardship for you, the <u>CRC</u>
 <u>Community Resource Center can help with</u>
 a "Bus Voucher" before scheduling an appt.
 Call 734-428-7722.
- 2. As of September, 2019 the Group Bus Runs leaving the Village are now \$5.00

The Manchester Area Senior Citizens Council, Inc., is sponsoring the meals that are open to all.

Delicious, nutritious meals are once again being served at 12 noon on Tuesdays and Thursdays in Emanuel United Church of Christ Fellowship Hall located at 324 West Main Street in beautiful downtown Manchester.

Dine-in or pick-up meals are only \$4 for seniors (55 years of age and up) & \$4.50 for those under age 55. To make a reservation, call 734-385-6308. Meals can also be delivered to those who are home bound for \$5.00 or if the senior would like a ride to the meal, our bus will pick him/her up. The charge for the bus is \$2. Call the day before or by 10 a.m. the day of the meal to make a reservation for the meal and/or the bus.

This year, we have two cooks. Carol Mahony will prepare the meals on Tuesdays and Rebecca Paul will prepare them on Thursdays. Menus will be printed in our newsletter "The Trumpeter".

<u>To receive a copy of The Trumpeter</u> by mail or email send a request to <u>mascc2019@yahoo.com</u>. Subject: Trumpeter request. Please include Address, Phone # and birthday date(s) (year not required). Copies may also be picked up at various locations around town

For Sale. 2010 Eldorado bus with Ford F550 gasoline engine, 16 passenger, Braun lift. New battery, good condition Four extra tires. Call 734-385-6308.

Andres will be coming to the lunch at Emanuel UCC on Tuesday, Oct. 20th, 2020 at 11:30am for senior mending replacing,

alteration needs. Clothes must be washed prior to mending. The clothes will be mended then or returned the following Tuesday. Donations for services will go to the MASCC program

Manchester Area CROP Hunger Walk, Sunday, October 4, 2020

Manchester UMC, 501 Ann Arbor St. Sign in is at 1:00pm, Walk starts at 1:30pm Distance: 1 mile or 3 miles.

I believe there will be rockers for people who are unable to do the walk. Groups have been formed for Emanuel UCC and Manchester Area Senior Citizens https://www.crophungerwalk.org/manchestermi/



October Outings

Euchre has resumed at the American Legion on Monday evenings at 6:00pm (must wear a mask) No snacks due to Covid19 / Cost: \$2.00 per person ~ Everybody is welcome~

We are planning a holiday trip to:

Turkeyville Dinner Theater

Croswell, Mí.

~ December 4, 2020 ~

If you would like to attend please call Pam Miller to reserve your spot at 734-385-6308.

Reservations must be called in by:

October 29th 2020

Money is due by:

November 19, 2020

Ticket includes a turkey dinner & A Christmas mystery Bus fee: \$15.00 per person Pickup times starts at 10:00am Pam will confirm your pick-up time. Tickets: \$42.00 per person

Regular activates will resume as guarantine rules change.

Manchester District Library (MDL)

Curbside pick-up & in-person appointment hours: M-F: 11am-5pm / Sat.: 10am - 2pm / Sun: Closed ~The library will only be physically open to patrons who have an appointment ~ At this time, all library events are virtual unless otherwise specified.

- ~ During the time that the library is closed, resources are still available for patrons and members of the community including: eBooks, audio books, and video through Overdrive (library card number and PIN required).
- ~ Patrons needing assist. with this service can email: qgallinat@manchesterlibrary.info for support.
- ~ Public wi-fi is accessible outside the library.
- ~ For complete information, Resources available, updates and hours during the library closure visit:

http://www.manchesterlibrary.info/library-closureinformation.html. or our library website or our Facebook page Manchester District Library

Area Agency on Aging 1-B ~ Open enrollment Virtual Assist. Days Oct 15 - Dec 7, 2020 Medicare Medicaid Assist. Program (MMAP) Certified Counselors to help you understand plan choices and compare plans. Potentially save money on Part D premiums and medication cost. To schedule a 1-on-1 appointment at 1-800-803-7174 (Sessions by phone or Zoom) For more info. visit: aaa1b.org/medicare-medicaid-help/

October



<u>Birthdays</u>

3rd Roger Luptak 13th Jae VanDoren 13th *Doris Hough 15th Joe Geer

29th Ruth Adams 31st Betty Cummings Irma Weidmayer



** Update: Paul Whelan has been moved to a different location and is doing well. He has been able to call his family and have short conversations. US Ambassador John

Sullivan visited Paul Whelan in a penal colony Mordovia five thousand miles from Michigan, where Paul ought to be - at home, with his family. Paul was in good spirits. It was a relief to see him in person," Sullivan said in a statement. The diplomat argued that the ex-marine had been "unjustly tried and convicted by a Russian court" in a secret trial. "As long as I am here in Russia, as long as I am the U.S. Ambassador to the Russian Federation, I will keep advocating for Paul - for fair treatment, and for his immediate release. Paul would appreciate letters from home and what is going on in your lives (especially with the holiday coming.)

~ Please keep Paul and his family in your prayers ~

Please continue sending letters to Paul. Paul Whelan, Lefortovo/Mordovia C/o American Citizen Services Unit. **Consular Section** 5430 Moscow Place **Department of State** Washington DC 20521-5430

Community Resource Center (CRC)

CRC "open" for business even through their doors are still "closed" to visitors. Hours: Mon - Thurs. 9:00am -2:30pm.

Customers will continue to call in their food pantry order and schedule a pick-up time. The last pick-up will be 2:30pm due to the school bus schedule. If you do know of anyone in the group (especially homebound folks) needing home delivery of food please have them contact us. We can still help get meals/groceries to them. Delivery of pantry items may be available at certain times. Please wear a mask when you visit the CRC, even for scheduled grocery pickups. If you need a mask, please ask for one.

Community members may call 734-428-7722, Text: 734-443-6707, or email: info@manchester crc.org to get virtual phone assistance, referrals to partner agencies, access to utility and housing help, Census 2020 information, and more.