

LUTHERAN HEALTH MINISTRIES of the FOOTHILLS

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EQUIPMENT AVAILABLE: Generous donations to our ministry have provided one new wheelchair and walker. If an individual or one of our churches needs brief or permanent use of these, please contact the parish nurse office.

FREE SCREENING FOR MEN: September is Prostate Cancer Awareness Month. The Huntington Hospital Cancer Center is providing free PSA blood tests and physical exams by physicians at no charge. To register call 1-800-660-1497. Exams will be provided on September 24 from 4-7 pm at the Ambulatory Care Center/Outpatient Center, East side of Campus, Ground Floor; 100 W. California Blvd., Pasadena.

JAZZ CELEBRATION DEDICATED TO PARISHIONER: An outstanding lineup of jazz artists and performers will be featured at First Lutheran located at 1300 E. Colorado on Sunday, September 28, starting at 3 pm. This exciting event is meant to honor the dedication of Mr. Tom Shallcross who has been so faithful to the jazz ministry in bringing talent, programming and other assistance. Tom recently underwent extensive surgery and is recovering nicely. During his acute care, members of Lutheran Health Ministries Team provided support, prayers and visitation, and we praise God for his progressive recovery. Please join us on the 28th for a wonderful celebration throughout the afternoon and early evening as we give thanks for restored health and especially Tom's faithful service over the years.

FALL HEALTH FESTIVAL: October and November will be filled with activities focusing on health and wellness. The Board of Directors, all pastors from the LHMF parishes and our parish nurse have been hard at work preparing an integrated program of learning. This year's festival will kick off on October 19 and culminate with worship on Thanksgiving Eve. At least one special event will occur at each parish throughout the festival. Three topics have been selected for our study and prayer this year: 1) Mental health and wellness; 2) God's gift of "relationships" across the full time span of life; 3) Building our faith community and increasing our sharing of resources between the parishes of the LHMF. During the festival, members of our churches and communities will have a chance to receive screenings, hear guest speakers and gain the benefit of community services from the Glendale area hospitals. Health professionals of Glendale Adventist and Glendale Memorial Hospitals have given their generous time to partner with LHMF in a spirit of true collaboration.