



THE
FOUNDATION
FOR METHODIST RETIREMENT COMMUNITIES

COMMUNITY NEIGHBOR GIVE BACK PROGRAM

LET YOUR SHOPPING SUPPORT OUR SENIORS

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Give Back Program—You Shop and We Both Benefit

Thank you for your continued support of our residents at your local Methodist Retirement Community. Whether you are a friend of MRC, our Foundation, or one of our communities, you know that we have a real need for funds to support our residents. Now consider this. You can help us through dining, shopping, on-line searches and much more. We have partnered with several businesses who have pledged to donate to us if you shop with them. And even better, most of these services save you money! In this newsletter, you will find great information about how to Give Back to the MRC community that *serves those who cared for us.*



How your Give Back participation helps...

† **96** residents to receive charitable support

† building **36 new** Alzheimer's suites

† MRC expansion—now serving **5** Texas regions

† **\$1,041,326** needed in subsidies for charitable care

† **300+** volunteers serving over 10,000 hours

† connects MRC to the community with **5** university internship partners

† **10%+** of residents to receive benevolent care

† grow Alzheimer's and dementia care by **25%**

† **32+** high school students have residents as mentors

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Our **Mission:**

MRC is committed to faith-based quality living for senior adults.

Our **ICARE** Values:

Integrity
Compassion
Accountability
Respect
Excellence

FINANCIAL SERVICES

Take Out a Loan and Give Back with AMOCO Federal Credit Union

If you finance, or refinance from another institution, AMOCO Federal Credit Union will donate 1% of the loan value to us. Once you complete the loan, advise them you were referred by MRC.

AMOCO FCU partners with many local credit unions and there is probably an office near you. Membership is \$5.00 and loan rates are

very competitive. AMOCO is part of a nationwide - shared branch network that includes thousands of credit union locations where you can access your AMOCO accounts.

Call for the AMOCO Federal Credit Union partner that is near you at 800-231-6053 or visit their website:

AmocoFCU.org/Branches

Eligible loan types are

- New/Used Auto Loans
- Boats, RV, and Motorcycles
- Debt Consolidation Loans



Give Back with Thrivent Choice: Make Thrivent Financial Your Investment Partner



is a faith-based, not-for-profit financial services company with nearly 2.5 million members and over \$75 billion in managed assets. Thrivent supports the values of faith, family, stewardship and service and helps you and your family

achieve financial security.

Thrivent Financial has an office near you and can help with your investment needs.

As a Thrivent member, you can participate in Thrivent Choice. Thrivent Choice lets you recommend where some Thrivent Charitable outreach funds go by directing your Choice Dollars. Members can designate up to \$2500 in

Choice dollars. As a Thrivent partner, MRC can be designated as the charity for your Choice dollars.

Visit their website THRIVENT.com/thriventchoice or call 800-847-4836 for additional information.



**Multiply
your giving
like fishes
and loaves.**

Help the MRC Community near you...



SHOPPING

Shopping— Who doesn't like this?

Groceries and Give Back with Randalls and Tom Thumb

Your weekly shopping can add up to big \$\$\$ for charitable care.

You must link your MRC Good Neighbor Account number to your Randalls/Tom Thumb Reward Card by filling out a Charity Addition/Deletion form found at www.randalls.com

“Good Neighbor Program”. Take the completed form *with our number 13015* to the Courtesy Booth at your Randalls. They will activate your rewards card. Each time you use your Randalls/Tom Thumb Reward card, your purchase will be recorded to MRC's

Good Neighbor account. Each quarter Randalls will send MRC one percent of the total amount of purchases.

Our Good Neighbor lucky number is 13015



“Good” Shopping for a Good Cause with GoodShop.com



GoodShop stores include so many of your favorites:

Target, WalMart, Macy's, Amazon, Banana Republic, Best Buy, Expedia, Marriott, iTunes, PetSmart, Pottery Barn, Nordstrom, Orbitz, Kohls, Sears, Walgreens, Victoria Secret, Avis, Enterprise, Holiday Inn, Staybridge, Office Depot, Thrifty, Staples, esurance, Allstate, TurboTax to name just a few.

Are you an on-line shopper? Then you will like this program. Go to GoodShop.com where you can find the most up-to-date coupons and deals at over 2,400 popular on-line retailers and have a percent of every purchase go to Methodist Retirement

Communities. Your favorite stores and great coupons, too.

When you sign up, choose MRC as your cause. Once you have done this you can track the amount of your contributions.

Use GoodShop for all your travel, books,

electronics, toys, office supplies, movies, fitness, banking and more. Buy on-line with your credit card and your donation will add up fast.

GoodShop.com

Give Back through eBay

eBay Giving Works, formerly known as eBay's MissionFish, is where you can sell your item while donating to make a difference. Through eBay Giving Works you can support the causes that matter most to you.

1. Go to missionfish.org and at the “Find” toolbar, type Methodist Retirement Communities. Then select us.
2. Choose % of sale for MRC.
3. Start selling.

It's that easy and automatic. eBay's PayPal partner will do all the work.

To learn more or to set up an auction to benefit us, go to Missionfish.org.

“Surfin’ the Net” Gives Back with GoodSearch!

Every Search 1¢ -
they add up!

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saved is a
penny
earned.”



GoodSearch.com

Ever use Google? No need to any longer. Go to the goodsearch.com website any time you search and they will donate a penny to your favorite non-profit (You'll find “Methodist Retirement Communities” there!)

Pin Good Search to your task bar. Use it in place of Google and give back with every search.

Don't “Google It”, “GoodSearch It”



Dining Out pays out with GoodDining

www.GoodDining.com

Go to this website and register your credit or debit card. Dine out at any of the participating locations on the days donations can be earned. Use your registered credit card and a donation of up to 6% will be made to us at no cost to you. The program includes over 10,000 places to dine throughout the U.S. The website will give you information about the eating establishment.

Are these among your favorites? They Give Back almost every day of the week! Check the website to ensure your local restaurant participates.

Which Wich, Kim Son, Quiznos, Buffalo Wild Wings, Sharky's, Berryhill Baja Grill, Little Napoli, Red Robin, and many more.

“I'm making a difference in the life of a senior.

I am so pleased to be turning my daily searching, shopping, dining, and financing into donations to the MRC Foundation. I feel good that my spending supports those who cannot live independently and need my help to afford their care.” Gayle Nelson



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We're on the web, too. Give online at MyMRCFoundation.org

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