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Mission

St. Anthony is inspired by faith and committed to excellence.

We are dedicated to improving the health of the people we serve.

We will lead in providing high quality, high value healthcare services responsive to the needs of our patients and the region.

We are committed to the health ministry of our sponsors, the Franciscan Sisters of Perpetual Adoration.

Vision

As a faith-based regional provider, St. Anthony will continue to be the recognized leader in mission focus, quality care and fiscal strength in Iowa.

Mantra

Health, Healing and Hope

New Officers for St. Anthony Auxiliary

The St. Anthony Hospital Auxiliary began the New Year with installation of officers. Serving as 2018 co-presidents are Diane Hannasch and Twilla Hoffman; Pat Hill and Mary Macke; Pat Louis and Michele Phillips; Jan Potthoff and Linda Wernimont. Treasurer is Judy Mayer; recording secretary is Carolyn Ehlers.

The hospital Auxiliary provides many services for patients and visitors to St. Anthony. The most recognizable is the Coffee and Gift Shop which serves food and has a wide selection of gift items. Auxiliary members also staff the visitor reception desk in the atrium and surgery center, assist with clerical duties in hospital departments, and help coordinate community blood drives. Many Auxiliary members offer their time and talent knitting or crocheting so that every baby born at St. Anthony goes home with a handmade blanket. In addition, as part of the spiritual care program, patients are comforted with handmade prayer shawls made by Auxiliary members.

Over the years, the St. Anthony Auxiliary has donated more than \$704,000 to major hospital projects. The Auxiliary also helps fill the need for many other donations. The Auxiliary's scholarship program awards scholarships to DMACC, Kuemper and Carroll High School students who enter nursing programs. Special fundraising projects throughout the year include book sales, bake sales, an annual linen sale, \$5 jewelry events, uniform and scrub sales and the Spring Fling style show.

To become a SARH Auxiliary member, contact Co-Presidents: Diane Hannasch at 792-3459, Twilla Hoffman at 792-8184 or Membership: Kathie Luchtel at 792-1734.



Pictured (left to right): Carolyn Ehlers, Diane Hannasch, Twilla Hoffman, Mary Macke, Pat Hill, Pat Louis, Michele Phillips, Linda Wernimont, Jan Potthoff, and Judy Mayer



Congratulations to Jess Borkowski, RN for passing her oncology certification test & becoming oncology certified. She joins the other six oncology certified nurses in the Infusion Therapy unit. We are proud to say we are one of the few oncology units that have 100% oncology certified nurses!

St. Anthony Foundation Announces 2018 Health Care Scholarships



Each year, St. Anthony invests in the next generation of health care professionals through scholarships made available by families and donors in west central Iowa. Scholarship applications are now available through the St. Anthony Foundation for students pursuing a profession in a health care field, and range in amounts from \$500 to \$1,500.

“St. Anthony is proud to contribute to the continued education of tomorrow’s health care leaders,” said Trish Roberts, St. Anthony Foundation Development Director. “Scholarships are an invaluable investment that would not be possible without the support of foundation donors and families who see the impact of the work we do and the programs we offer at St. Anthony.”

Available scholarships include: Dick Blair Memorial Scholarship; Sarah Keat Danner Healthcare Scholarship; Susan D. Ludwig Nursing Scholarship; Sharon Staton Peters Memorial Scholarship; Elizabeth Riedmann Healthcare Scholarship; Helen M. Schmitz Memorial Scholarship; Margaret Seidl Healthcare Scholarship; Dick and Marsha Simons Healthcare Scholarship; Rick Simons Healthcare Scholarship; Sheryl M. Venner Stoolman Memorial Scholarship; Mary Thaler Yates Memorial Scholarship, Bob and Mary Lou Ware Memorial Scholarship, the St. Anthony Auxiliary Scholarship; and the St. Anthony Foundation Scholarship.

All scholarships require students maintain a 2.5 minimum grade point average. One application needs to be submitted to apply for all scholarships offered through the St. Anthony Foundation.

Scholarship applications and guidelines are available from guidance counselors at most high schools, including Ar-We-Va, Audubon, Carroll Community, Coon Rapids-Bayard, Denison, East Sac County, Glidden-Ralston, Greene County, IKM-Manning, Kuemper Catholic, South Central Calhoun, Des Moines Area Community College and Western Iowa Tech Community College. Applications and guidelines can also be found on the St. Anthony website, www.stanthonyhospital.org or picked up at the St. Anthony Human Resources and Foundation offices.

For more information, call the St. Anthony Foundation at (712) 794-5287 or email foundation@stanthonyhospital.org. To be considered for a scholarship, completed applications must be received by Friday, March 30, 2018.

**Thank you to my many
St. Anthony friends who
remembered our family with
a card or prayer at the time
of Jerry's death.
Your kindness will
never be forgotten.**
Deb Porter and Family

Our Condolences to:

Jenny Nagl (OB) for the loss of her Father-in-Law.
Tara Kane (MSP) for the loss of her Sister

WELCOME

New Employees

Grace Molak– Nursing Home



Adult Medicine

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