



# Kathy's House

A HOSPITAL GUEST HOUSE

## ARTS & CRAFTS FOR GUESTS



Note writing, inspirational quotes, decorations for guest room doors, dining room table decorations and home made placements help Kathy's House feel like a "home away from home."

### Details

- Create or Sign into My Impact and pick a day that you will be dropping off your art/craft.
- Arts/Crafts can be dropped off Monday-Friday, 8:00 am to 5 pm.

### Note Writing

- Guests love to receive mail! Notes are placed in the guests mail box.
- Keep the note short.
- Try not to use clichés, they sometimes sound insincere.
- Put yourself in their shoes. What would you want to hear.
- Remember, this is a very challenging time for our guests.
- Not all of our guests rely on faith during this time.

### Inspirational Quotes

Inspirational quotes have such a powerful effect on our minds and emotions. We are drawn to them because they speak directly to our need for hope. They give us a sense of control and make us feel like everything will be okay. And, in many cases, they remind us that we are not alone in our struggles.

- Use blank notecards for your quotes.
- Decorative paper is nice for your quotes.
- Index cards with artwork.

### Door Decorations

- There are 38 guest room doors.
- Decorations can be seasonal or general.
- Wreaths are a great option. No fresh flowers or plants can be used.

### Dining Room Table Decorations & Placemats

- There are 24 tables in our dining room.
- Decorations can be seasonal or general.
- No fresh flowers or plants can be used.

## THANK YOU!

Questions? Please contact Marie Grevsmuehl, Director of Volunteer Services at (414) 453-8290 or [marieg@kathys-house.org](mailto:marieg@kathys-house.org)