

## Les Miserables

**April 22nd**, we will leave The Rivers at **noon** and head to Grosse Pointe North to see Grosse Pointe South's student production of Les Mis. The **cost is \$10 which will be paid directly to the theater** and space is limited for this viewing.

Please sign up at the front desk if interested.

## Gardening Club

**April 28th, at 2pm** the gardening club will get together in the multipurpose room and finalize our flower lists and prep the beds for planting the following month.

## Cocktail Hour

Join us for a relaxing evening every **Wednesday at 4pm in the pub!** Enjoy your choice of wine or beer (limit one drink per guest) and a warm appetizer to kick back and unwind.

## Opening Day

Join us on **Friday, April 3rd at 1 PM in the pub** as we celebrate the Detroit Tigers Home Opener! Refreshments will be served, and Tigers gear is strongly encouraged.

## Vendor Show

Join us for our first Spring Vendor Show! This exciting event will feature over 30 vendors of every kind, located throughout our first floor. It runs from **11 AM–3 PM on Friday, April 24th** and is open to the public.



April 2026

Grosse Pointe

# The RIVERS

Independent Living– 900 Cook Rd– Grosse Pointe Woods

## Outings

**April 9th**, we will enjoy lunch at Terry's Terrace followed by shopping at the variety of antique shops located in the Harper Avenue Antique District. **April 30**, we will enjoy lunch at The Ardmore. If you are interested in attending any of these outings, please make sure to sign up at the front desk as space is limited.

## Breakfast Club

On **Tuesday, April 7th at 9:00 AM**, the breakfast club will head to Le Rouge! Each month, on a Tuesday, the breakfast club visits a new local breakfast spot to enjoy breakfast together. Space is limited for these outings, so please be sure to sign up if you are interested.

## Closures

- The Café will be closed on **Thursday, April 2** for the Easter Brunch.
- The front desk will be closed **Sunday, April 5th** for Easter.

## Dining Services

- **Breakfast** Monday– Saturday 7:30-9:30am (self-service continental breakfast in the dining room. )
- **Café (Lunch)** Monday-Saturday 11:00am– 2:00pm (dine in, carry out, outdoor seating)
- **Dinner** Monday– Sunday 4:30pm– 7:00pm
  - Last seating is at 6:30pm
- **Seated dinner services are available 7 days a week.**
- **Reservations:**
  - Please make a reservation at the front desk if you are inviting guests or family. Reservations for dining can be made for seating during the hours of 4:30pm and 6:30pm.
  - Reservations are required for members of the condos and their guests. Condo members can make reservations from 4:30pm – 5:45pm.
  - Please remember if you have guests that arrive after 6pm (4pm on the weekends), it will be your responsibility to let them into the building as the doors lock after 6pm.
- **Carry out delivery**
  - Dinner delivery is available 7 nights a week for a fee of \$3.
  - If you are interested in receiving carry-out you can pick up a menu at the front desk to fill out.
  - That menu should be returned to the front desk by 3:00pm.
- **If you do not attend a specialty meal without canceling 24 hours prior (international, themed, etc) you will still be charged the fee associated with the meal.**

Front Desk Closed  
Sunday, April 5th



Happy Easter

# Easter

D I N N E R M E N U



## S P E C I A L

### Lamb Chops

Served with mint jelly, au gratin potatoes, seasonal vegetables, and your choice of Rivers salad or soup du jour.

Single Cut – \$23

Double Cut – \$32

*\*Limited quantity available*

Reserve your table today and join us.

**Sunday, April 5th**

**Dinner Seating: 4:30 pm - 6:30 pm**



### Staying Informed

Please make sure to regularly check the elevators and the table located across from the front desk for any flyers regarding time changes, cancellations, or last-minute activities. This is the best way to stay up to date and informed about all things at The Rivers.

### DIA Talk

A big thank you to the Women's Group for hosting the DIA to come in and speak about the Rivera Court. This special presentation is open to both Men's and Women's Group members and will take place on **Friday, April 10th at 2:00 PM in the Multipurpose Room.**

### Flower Arranging Workshop

**Tuesday, April 21st at 2pm** in the Multipurpose Room we will enjoy making a themed arrangement. Every month we will make a new seasonal arrangement (flowers, container and foam provided). Space is limited, please make sure to sign up at the front desk.

### Food Truck Friday

Momma Tia's Food Truck will be at the Rivers, parked across from the gazebo, on **Friday, April 17th from 11:00 AM to 1:00 PM.** They'll have a full menu of homestyle/ soul food dishes available for staff and residents to purchase.

## The Rivers Team

### **Tammy Kaleta**

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### **Front Desk**

Maureen, Karen, Julie, Carrie, Savannah : 313-885-5005

### **Sydney Bishop**

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### **Maureen Hennessy**

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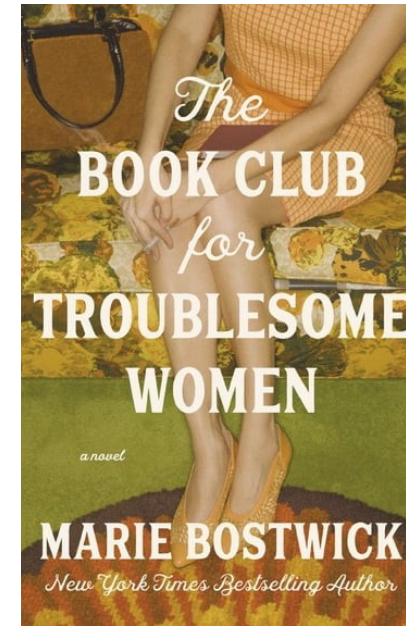
### **Michelle Anderson**



## Front Desk Hours

- Monday– Friday 8-6pm
- Sat-Sunday 8-4pm
- Doors will lock when the front desk closes
- Residents and family members with a Rivers Badge will be able to enter the building after hours
- If you need a family pass, please see the front desk
- You can contact security after hours

## Book Club



By 1960s standards, Margaret Ryan is living the American woman's dream. She has a husband, three children, a station wagon, and a home in Concordia--one of Northern Virginia's most exclusive and picturesque suburbs. She has a standing invitation to the neighborhood coffee klatch, and now, thanks to her husband, a new subscription to *A Woman's Place*--a magazine that tells housewives like Margaret exactly who to be and what to buy. On paper, she has it all. So why doesn't that feel like enough?

Margaret is thrown for a loop when she first meets Charlotte Gustafson, Concordia's newest and most intriguing resident. As an excuse to be in the mysterious Charlotte's orbit, Margaret concocts a book club get-together and invites two other neighborhood women--Bitsy and Viv--to the inaugural meeting. As the women share secrets, cocktails, and their honest reactions to the controversial bestseller *The Feminine Mystique*, they begin to discover that the American dream they'd been sold isn't all roses and sunshine--and that their secret longing for more is something they share. Nicknaming themselves the Bettys, after Betty Friedan, these four friends have no idea their impromptu club and the books they read together will become the glue that helps them hold fast through tears, triumphs, angst, and arguments--and what will prove to be the most consequential and freeing year of their lives.

**\*Meeting is 5/5 at 3pm located in the TV Room.**

**\*Book provided by activities.**

## Blood Pressure

Blood Pressure clinic dates will be **April 3rd and April 24th at 10am** in the chapel.

### Pie & Puzzles

**Friday April 10th & 17th at 3pm** pie & puzzles will take place in the **Pub**. We will enjoy a slice of pie while working on a crossword or wordsearch puzzle.

### Birthday Celebrations

Join us on **Friday, April 17th at 2pm** in the Pub for our monthly birthday celebration. We will have cupcakes and celebrate April birthdays. We hope to see you there.

### Tech Talk with Savannah

Join Savannah every **Wednesday at 12:30 PM in the TV Room** for Tech Talk! Support is available for phones, tablets, and laptops. Please sign up at the desk if interested.

### Overnight Guests

Please obtain prior approval from the Executive Director for overnight guest requests.

Thank You!

### Sunday Movies

**4/12 Passing (Netflix)**  
**4/19 The Irishman (Netflix)**  
**4/26 The Two Popes (Netflix)**

### Notice from Activities

Please remember to sign up in advance for outings and special events. We look forward to a fun and festive month with you!

Warm regards,  
Independent Living Activities Team

### Morning Shopping Trips

**April 9th**— Kroger  
**April 16th**— Aldi & Dollar Tree  
**April 30th**— Kroger

Please sign up if you are interested in attending these morning shopping trips.

### Hear Michigan

Hear Michigan will be here **Monday, April 6th at 10:00am** in the Chapel providing free hearing screenings, free otoscopic exams, free consults for hearing devices and more.

### Sundaes

Join us on **every Monday at 2pm** for Seasonal Sundaes in the Pub. We will have a variety of ice cream flavors available. Ice cream will be served from **2-2:15pm**. Ice cream flavors will vary week to week. Requests for flavors are welcomed.

## Welcome to the Neighborhood

Welcome to the neighborhood!

**Roger Scott - Apt. 211**

Feel free to stop by and introduce yourself to all of our



## April Birthdays

**4/24 Marilyn Doyal**

**4/28 Guy Doyal**



## Cards

**Friday– Sunday at 6:30 pm** a small group of residents will be hosting card games in the pub. They ask that you please sign up at the front desk and include what type of card game you would enjoy.

## Resident Council

Resident council will now take place once a quarter. **Activity calendars and newsletters will be available at 2:00 PM on the last Friday of each month at the front desk.** At that time, Sydney will be available to answer any questions related to activities and assist residents with activity sign-ups. Residents are strongly encouraged to review their newsletter regularly, as it contains important information and updates regarding upcoming activities and events. Thank you, and we look forward to your participation!

## Everybody Loves Flowers

**Flowers are available starting at 11:45 AM every Tuesday.**

Please note:

- Some Tuesdays we may only receive houseplants.
- Some Tuesdays we may not receive any plants or flowers at all.
- All flowers and plants are generously donated by Trader Joe's, and we have no control over what or how much we receive.

To ensure fairness for everyone, no one should take or reserve flowers before 11:45 AM. Waiting until the official start time helps guarantee that everything is distributed as fairly as possible. Thank you for your understanding, cooperation, and for respecting these guidelines.

## Men's Group

Rivers Men's Group will not hold an official meeting this month. However, a special speaker will be presenting on **April 10th at 2:00 PM** in the Multipurpose Room. This will be a joint gathering for both the Men's and Women's groups.

## Afternoon Tea

Every **Wednesday at 2:00pm** we will be hosting afternoon tea. The menu includes tea or coffee and pastries.