





# In 2019, you helped Tom stay young at heart...

When Tom McGinnis retired after 46 years with the post office, he knew he couldn't sit still for long. Because of your generous support, this former Bay View letter carrier has a new route, and his favorite "customers" are too young to read.

A volunteer at St. Ann Center's Stein Campus, Tom helps the teachers in the Caterpillar Room twice a week, tending to lively one- and two-year-olds. "My wife says I get along with children so well because I'm pretty silly myself," Tom, 71, said with a grin.

> A typical day finds Tom being swarmed by toddlers, giving him hugs and bringing him books to read to them. He wipes noses, comforts criers, ties shoes, passes out snacks and even doubles as Santa Claus. "My wife made me a Santa suit," he said, adding the beard is all his. "I talked with 60 kids last Christmas, and only one recognized me."

> > A firm believer in connecting the generations, Tom has seen it benefit many older adult clients at St. Ann Center. "Getting together with the kids livens them up," he said. "Everyone starts smiling and laughing." The children have the same effect on Tom. "They keep me young!"

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## BECAUSE OF your generous SUPPORT...



# Which helped **COVER**

Start-up costs for the Bucyrus Campus dementia care unit, respite unit, art room and band shell

Dental services for adults and children with disabilities

Daily intergenerational activities, art, ceramics and music programs, physical and occupational therapy

### VOLUNTEERS



Volunteers at the Stein Campus



Hours at the Stein Campus





# SERVICES YOU helped PROVIDE ..

#### CHILDCARE



## Bucyrus Campus





Total children enrolled in day care Total enrolled for summer camp

Stein Campus

125 Total children

Total children Total enrolled enrolled in day care for summer camp

## **ADULT DAY SERVICES**



80% of people who attend our adult day services cannot afford to pay out of pocket for the care that they need.

200 172 Stein Campus Total adults enrolled in day care Bucyrus Campus Total adults enrolled in day care Whirlpool Bathing

SERVICES that you helped provide < 3

# 2019 HIGHLIGHTS



St. Ann Center's Bucyrus Campus opens its new Dementia Care Wing, with a capacity for 75 clients, featuring the Lois S. Chase Walkway and interactive life stations.



Children at the Stein Campus enjoy their new outdoor play equipment including slides, climbing challenges, play wheels, a crawl tunnel and more.



"The Adventures of the Righteous League," a superhero saga created by Stein Campus clients during Timeslips storytelling sessions, is published as a book--complete with original comic book illustrations.



Entertainment begins on the stage of the new Indaba Band Shell, including performances by local gospel choirs, the Florentine Opera Company and the Milwaukee Ballet.



An Overnight Respite Care Unit opens at the Bucyrus Campus, with nine bed-and-breakfast-style guest rooms, a whirlpool tub room, dining room, great room and game nook.



Sr. Edna wins the prestigious AARP Purpose Prize for her work as founder and president of St. Ann Center. Locally, she is among the winners of the Milwaukee Magazine Betty Awards.



An accessible bus is donated by the REV Group, enabling clients who use wheelchairs to go on outings.

4 > HIGHLIGHTS that you made possible



St. Ann Center is part of a Wisconsin trade delegation, presenting our intergenerational model of care to the people of China.

Recap all the great memories from 2019 by visiting our blog: **StAnnCenter.org/blog**