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Your Voice Was Heard

Last month, we asked for feedback on this digital newsletter. We want to thank all those who took a moment to share their thoughts! We learned that there is a desire for more stories about innovation and advancements being made throughout our Network, as well as community health improvements underway. We have plenty to share.

We're so proud of the work being done at St. Luke's—work that touches the lives of individual patients and their family and friends; work that extends far beyond the walls of the hospital into the communities we call home.

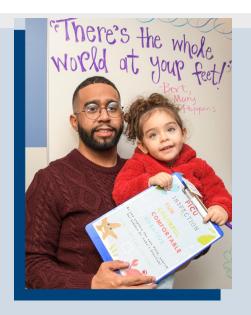
For me, the fact that so many of you took the time to share your thoughts reinforces how committed the St. Luke's family truly is. We help each other, support each other, and work hard to make each day brighter for those who need our help. Thank you for being such a valued member of our family.



Patrick J. Bower Vice President for Development and External Affairs St. Luke's University Health Network



Critical Care for Our Youngest Patients



Children throughout our region will benefit from a brand-new, eight-bed Pediatric Intensive Care Unit (PICU) that opened at the St. Luke's Bethlehem Campus earlier this month. The PICU—which is part of an ongoing expansion of pediatric services at St. Luke's—was designed to make our young patients feel at home. They can even play video games right from their rooms! We're also proud that we've received almost \$2 million in donations to support this initiative.

Comfort Meets Quality Care



Taking a Swing at Women's Cancer

In early 2018, Herb and Wendy Frye lost their daughter Merissa to cervical cancer at only 28 years old. Now, through their foundation, the Fryes are building a legacy in Merissa's name. Next up is an annual golf outing, taking place this June 27—which will support a number of good works, including a special fund they created at St. Luke's to help local women impacted by cancer.

Golfing for Good



Community Partnerships, Healthier Students



Nona Lefsyk of Bangor knows the importance of quality dental care for her two young sons. But the only dentist who accepts her insurance is more than 20 miles from home. Fortunately, Star Wellness, a non-profit partner of St. Luke's, delivers dental care on wheels to Bangor Area School District as part of our *Adopt a School* program. And that's not all the program offers...

Adopt a School Initiative



Breathing Easier at St. Luke's

After losing 16 pounds in only 10 days, Bruce Judd of Nazareth was diagnosed with Idiopathic Pulmonary Fibrosis, a life-threatening disease that made breathing extremely difficult. Thanks to his knowledgeable pulmonologist, Thomas Zanders, MD, and the lung transplant partnership between St. Luke's and Temple Health, Bruce got a phone call that changed his life.

Bruce's Journey





Slip, Slide, Sold

March 6: Last call to join us on the slopes at Blue Mountain Resort to support the St. Luke's Carbon Campus! Enjoy auctions, music, food, and fun. St. Luke's employees and their guests can purchase \$10 lift tickets for skiing, snowboarding, and snow tubing.

Learn More

TGIF @ Flynn's

May 15: TGIF @ Flynn's is back for 2020! Kick off your weekend with music and dancing at Flynn's on the Hill in Phillipsburg, New Jersey. Proceeds benefit St. Luke's Warren Campus' investment in community health. Register today to reserve your spot!

Register Now



St. Luke's Development Office helps advance the network's mission through philanthropy. Your support allows us to deliver personalized care that makes a difference every day for every patient.

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