

Fall 2016 NEWS



“I Just Feel Like the Whole Person Is Fed”

Sandy Wells had been working as a cleaning lady when she suffered a stroke. After receiving treatment at Methodist Medical Center in Oak Ridge, her doctors there referred her to InterFaith for her follow-up care. Without health insurance and in need of a doctor, Sandy came to InterFaith and was overwhelmed with the care she received. “InterFaith has provided me with top-notch medical care, dental care, support through counseling, my medications, and good helpful hints to help me stay healthy,” Sandy said. “I just feel like the whole person is fed.”

Throughout her last four years as a patient at InterFaith, Sandy has benefited from all of the clinic’s four disciples: medical care, dental care, counseling, and access to prescription medications. And now, she’s taking advantage of the wellness the classes being offered in the clinic’s new Healthy Lifestyle Classroom. “I think it’s a one in a million chance for me to be a part, and for me to be a little piece of what’s going on.” Sandy suffers from periodic warning strokes and lives with diabetes, so taking preventive steps to maintain her health is important to her. “I’ve attended diabetic counseling classes as part of the Healthy Lifestyle Lifestyle Classroom, and from the reception desk on, everybody cares,” Sandy said. “InterFaith has been nothing but a positive for me. They just made me family.”

When you contribute to InterFaith, you contribute to Sandy’s health and quality of life. Your gifts enable Sandy – and other patients like her – to continue to work and support their families and to continue contributing to our community.

WALK-IN

CLINICS

M on. - Thurs. 5-8 PM

In Knoxville, Tennessee, the average fee at a walk-in clinic for someone without health insurance is \$120. Few of InterFaith’s low-income patients can afford to pay that much for a single health care visit. InterFaith operates an urgent care clinic on a walk-in basis on Monday through Thursday evenings from 5 pm - 8 pm.

- for patients ages 12 and up
- treatment for minor injury or illness
- \$35 base fee with small fees for add-ons (tests, etc.)
- you do not have to be an InterFaith patient to receive care



InterFaith's Trivia Night Fundraiser a Huge Success!

InterFaith's 4th-annual Trivia Night fundraiser was held on Thursday, November 17th at the Standard in the Old City and raised over \$15,000 to provide health care for the working uninsured. Over 300

guests came out to compete in the team trivia competition, which offered the coveted "Golden Brain" trophy to the winning team from London & Amburn. Guests had other opportunities to walk away a winner, with eight raffle packages and three live auction packages. Lest anyone leave hungry, a hearty spread of chips and dip, pizza, and wings was provided by Domino's Pizza and Sweet P's. Join us next year to test your smarts for a great cause!

Holiday Cards to support InterFaith now available!



Give the gift of healing this Christmas season with a gift to InterFaith Health Clinic. InterFaith's holiday cards are the perfect way to honor your colleagues, friends, and loved ones during this special time of year.

If you wish to mail in your donation with your list of honorees, please see the enclosed information sheet. Or, you may make your donation and submit your list of honorees online at interfaithhealthclinic.org.



Have a heart: Volunteer!

InterFaith is seeking OBGYN and GI physicians to treat our patients on a referral basis, as well as dermatologists & general surgeons to come to the clinic to volunteer.

Contact Stephanie at 865.546.7330 or sdockery@interfaithhealthclinic.org.



InterFaith Health Clinic



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@IFHealth Clinic

This facility receives funding from the state of Tennessee.

Classes in InterFaith's Healthy Lifestyle Classroom teach participants how to make healthy cooking, eating, exercise, and lifestyle choices in order to improve their health. Classes are going on now. Visit interfaithhealthclinic.org for more details.

healthy living

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**HEALTHY
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CLASSROOM**



Holiday Cards



InterFaith Health Clinic invites you to share the joyous spirit of the Christmas season by partnering with us in our holiday card program. The holidays are a time for us to remember friends, colleagues, and loved ones and to share the blessings of the holiday season. We invite you to share our message of health and hope by sending holiday greeting cards to those on your gift list this year, with all the proceeds underwriting direct patient care for the underserved in our community.

Those you honor will receive an attractive, hand-addressed holiday card from InterFaith acknowledging that a gift has been made in the recipient's name. All gifts are tax-deductible, and a minimum gift of \$10 per honoree is suggested.

To participate in our holiday card program this year, please fill out the form below and mail it to the clinic along with your donation. Alternatively, you may submit your mailing list and make your donation online at www.interfaithhealthclinic.org/holiday-card. If you have questions, please contact Trudy at tbledsoe@interfaithhealthclinic.org or 865-243-3038.

Name of honoree: _____

Name of honoree: _____

Address _____

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Name of honoree: _____

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(Attach additional sheets if necessary)

Donor Name (as you want it to appear on holiday card) _____

Donor address _____

Donor credit card number (Visa or MC) _____ Exp _____

Amount to charge to card \$ _____ Donor signature _____

Mail this form with your check to Attn: Donations, InterFaith Health Clinic, 315 Gill Ave., Knoxville, TN 37917



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