

# Clearview Home Board of Directors Annual Report

## Karen Meyer Hermann, President

Good afternoon! On behalf of the Clearview Home Board of Directors, a warm welcome. Thank you so very much for being here today. It is indeed wonderful to be able to gather together, in a union of Love.

My name is Karen Meyer Hermann, and I am currently serving as President of the Board of Directors. Other Board members are Mary Townsager, Marian Sorensen, Barbara Zaroni, and Marilyn Armbruster.

After completing her term on the Board, Penny Roehrer continues as Treasurer of the corporation. She is also helping with development.

Would the Board members and Penny please stand (or raise your hand) so that our guests will recognize you if they have any questions following the meeting.

We are so grateful for the metaphysical support and time contributed by each Board member in carrying out our mission “to provide a sanctuary for healing by shining the light of Love through Christian Science nursing.”

Serving on the Board is a privilege and provides one a great opportunity for spiritual growth and a greater understanding of Mary Baker Eddy’s Manual provision for Christian Science Nurse, (Manual, pg. 49)

If you would be interested in serving on the Board, we invite you to download an application on our website, [clearviewhome.org](http://clearviewhome.org). (Requirements include being Class taught and being a member of The Mother Church.)

The most important role of a board member is to prayerfully support Clearview Home as it provides care for those relying on Christian Science for healing. Each meeting begins with readings and the sharing of ideas on a topic that we have been prayerfully considering for the month or an on-going topic.

In order to be able to accept more patients, we continue to prayerfully support the need for more Journal-listed Christian Science nurses. (I’m sure you will hear more about this in Elizabeth’s and Jeffrey’s reports.)

These past months we decided to re-read Joseph Armstrong’s book, *The Mother Church*. We have found great inspiration as we continue our work on the master plan we envision for meeting the needs of our Christian Science community and the Delafield community.

Mr. Armstrong starts each chapter with one (or several) Bible references which are “spot-on” for the subject of each chapter. We’ve taken 2 chapters each month to study and ponder the challenges that were faced in the building of The Mother Church. How grateful we can be that each challenge was faced metaphysically and overcome with Truth and Love and the building was completed by the date set for opening. (We

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invite you to read and study this book with us as we meet our challenges for Clearview Home.) As one member said, "Prayerful watching really works."

Elizabeth will give you more information on the exciting on-going plans for our Clearview campus in her report. We are so grateful for the entire staff, our Executive Director, the Director of Christian Science nursing, our Christian Science nurses, and the temporary Christian Science nurses for their support of Clearview Home. We are also so very grateful for your generosity and continued metaphysical support for all the good happening.

As Mrs. Eddy states in *Miscellaneous Writings* (pg. 307), "God gives you His spiritual ideas, and in turn, they give you daily supplies."