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Dear Friends,

The term 'shelter in place' has joined our conversational lexicon. But what does sheltering in place look like when you are economically challenged or have a physical and/or mental health illness?

Many residents entered this pandemic with multiple complex challenges. These pre-existing conditions can make maintaining health and well-being through a prolonged public health crisis very difficult.

In these times of uncertainty, feelings of loneliness and helplessness can quickly set in.

Thanks to your support, ehm's residents don't have to face this alone. There is a community of care and compassion surrounding each person at ehm in this time of crisis.

Thanks to you, ehm can:

- **Deliver meals and supplies** to help residents stay sheltered in place
- **Provide grocery gift cards** to help residents purchase food and supplies
- **Coordinate with service partners** to ensure residents continue to receive a variety of mental and physical health supports
- **Provide personalized supports**, be it regular wellness check-ins, friendly socialization, or spiritual care to reduce isolation and increase resiliency
- **Distribute printed materials** to help residents stay informed about public health advisories and community resources such as ehm's takeout meal program and other emerging food programs
- **Provide meals for Portland Place residents**

This past weekend, the Easter bunny even delivered chocolate treats!

I am deeply grateful for your gifts of prayer, financial contributions, grocery cards, and lovingly drawn pictures. Please, continue to send them. You can do this all online as you stay home and stay safe. Financial gifts can be made at www.evangelhall.ca. Gift cards can be purchased at www.giftofchoice.ca and emailed to cindy.han@evangelhall.ca. Drawings can also be sent to Cindy's email address.

Thank you for your support and your care.





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With deepest thanks,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Ainsley'.

Ainsley Chapman
Executive Director

P.S. A special thanks to Trident Catering for providing such beautiful chocolate treats for the Easter bunny to deliver!