

# 2011 STATISTICS

## FORGOTTEN TREASURES NURSING HOME MINISTRY

**35,115 residents** ministered to in 2011  
**120 active volunteers**  
**675 average per week** reached with the WORD...  
**40+ Nursing Homes** with FT volunteers  
**34 Churches** faithfully staying involved

**OUR VISION FOR 2012** is for more involvement with Bible-based churches seeing the need for outreach to our friends in nursing facilities, with FT connecting these churches to the homes. Anyone feeling the tug on their hearts to minister in nursing homes **Please Call:**  
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### Update Corner: Quick Notes On FT's Volunteers

> **Faith Bible Chapel** provided a lovely volunteer luncheon, presenting awards to those serving. **Pastor John Malito** and **Administrative Assistant Heather Smith** hosted. Thank you both for showing appreciation to the many volunteers serving in all areas besides nursing homes.

> **Linda Welch** hosted a lovely meal and fellowship and caroling event later at **Alpine Manor**. Her team members **Bambi Barr** and **Adrienne Covert** are faithful serving also. Thank you all.

> **Christian Missionary Alliance's** Sunday School Christmas program linked up with **Pastor Sharon's** morning service to provide a wonderful time for the residents at **Bethany Care**. Thank you kids, and **leader Mary Konold** for blessing the elders.

> **Chuck Lamison** started yet another home this past Monday in need of a church service. **Springwood Park** received him so well the director called me that afternoon with great appreciation, from she and the residents. FT thanks you too, Chuck!

A young man died a few days ago after rejecting our weekly team's repeated effort to invite him to receive Jesus. He even forbid the carolers to sing in his room. No, we do not know if he called on Jesus before taking his last breath... There is always hope... The thief on the cross called on Jesus, last minute.

### A SAD NOTE...

**There is a hell to shun!**

## Forgotten Treasures News



## Winter 2012



### Winter Faithfulness Leads To Spring!



#### From Marilyn:

#### 2011: A Year Serving Others

As we say goodbye to 2011 we can also say it has been a productive year for **Forgotten Treasures**. Our more than **120 volunteers** remain faithful to the call of God on their life to minister to our elders in **over 40 care facilities** in the Metro area.

Our church services are well attended in most homes which run from as few as 10 to as many as 40 in the larger homes.

Many volunteers go to room-bound residents to give them a listening ear or to read to them, sing a song or a pet visit. This individual time with a resident is pure gold, and makes them feel very special.

And we know they are special. Our hymn sings, bring such joy and peace to folk experiencing pain, loneliness, or fear. Remember David played the harp for King Saul tormented by an evil spirit.  
**(I Samuel 16:23)**



**Christmas Healing Tree Delivered to Max by: Sandy, Marilyn & Shirley**

**HEALING TREES:** Christmas season was so exciting in giving the beautiful fiber optic healing trees to residents (trees provided by **Healing Tree Ministry, director Jim Underwood**). That day, as God softened hearts, I led two residents in a prayer of repentance.

While not far away, **Angie (activity director)**, FT team members **Shirley Johnson** and **Sandy Cavanaugh** were setting up their individual trees. Many others responded with tears of joy, so thankful to be remembered with a special gift just for them.

**What we take for granted, to others, is a visitation from God...**