

Holiday Season in Review

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Chapin Women in Service (CWS) is an IRS, and state-recognized charity explicitly focused on our greater Chapin community. We strive to serve by giving of our time and raising money for meaningful local projects.

Socialization and friendship are an important part of our organization, but as a charity, our mission is service.

In November, we were pleased to present a "Thankful and Grateful" basket to Dr. Bonnet's pediatric office. Dr. Bonnet has offered exemplary service and kindness to our community, especially during the pandemic. We are also grateful to CWS members Mary Hanzlick, Susie Taffoni, Gloria Grindley, and Irene Wiegand for assembling the basket.

The CWS Christmas luncheon, catered by S & S Destinations, was fun for all who attended. It was also meaningful as we collected gift

cards amounting to over \$900 for the clients of Sistercare.

Upon delivery of the gift cards, Sistercare had immediate needs, so we were thankful to help at such a crucial time. We also collected used cell phones for them and will continue to do this in the future.

We were grateful to hear from Captain Mike Glover, who represents Troop Appreciation, that through their Bring'm Home for Christmas project, they could provide the means for 34 members of the military to get home for the holidays. CWS was happy to offer financial support for this very worthy project.

As we enter this new year, we want to thank our members, sponsors, and residents for your amazing generosity and dedication. Serving others is ultimately a reward that you cannot quantify. Our organization looks forward to another successful year ahead.





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