Volunteer Spotlight Meet Anna!







A proud mother of three and grandmother to five wonderful grandchildren, Anna also shares her home with Tori, a cat she describes as "not exactly the friendliest."

Anna loves cross-stitching, jigsaw puzzles, reading romance novels, and—most of all—baking! She also enjoys playing solitaire on her phone and admits she's a big fan of Asian dramas. Her favourite movies are *Pretty Woman and The American President*.

One day, she dreams of taking a trip on the Rocky Mountaineer, though she also treasures returning home to Croatia.

Before retiring, Anna and her husband ran a home-building company for 42 years, a career she truly enjoyed. Her volunteering journey at Trinity Village began when her husband was a resident on Cherry Orchard. She started by helping feed residents and spending time with them. After her husband passed, Anna returned to Cherry Orchard, visiting other residents and sharing time with them. When COVID hit, volunteering paused while she cared for her mother. Later, Judy McKnight invited her to join the Adult Day Program, and Anna happily accepted.

"Volunteering has truly been a gift in my life" Anna says. Her warmth, kindness, and sense of humor continue to brighten the days of everyone in our Trinity Village community.

Volunteer Spotlight Meet Parker!







Parker is a dedicated volunteer at Trinity Village who brings enthusiasm, compassion, and a strong sense of community to his role. He grew up in Waterloo, Ontario, in a family rooted in education, with both parents working in the field. He also has a younger brother who is currently attending college and aspiring to become a police officer.

In 2023, Parker graduated from the University of Guelph with a Bachelor of Science in Biomedical Science. He hopes to pursue a future career in Occupational Therapy, building on his passion for helping others improve their quality of life. He currently works as an ophthalmic technician, a role that allows him to collaborate with a wide range of patients and colleagues in a fast-paced, patient-focused environment.

Outside of work, Parker has a deep appreciation for the outdoors and staying active. He enjoys camping, backpacking, canoeing, and spending time in nature. When he is not exploring the outdoors, he can often be found playing volleyball, running, swimming, or taking on a challenging game of squash.

Parker is passionate about community involvement and is excited to give back through his volunteer work here at Trinity Village. His energy, commitment, and positive attitude make him a valued member of the volunteer team in our community.