## **TOGETHER AT 5250**

We at Heritage Pointeare a community. At this time of the coronavirus we are more isolated from our family and friends. Though we do not know everyone here we are bound by residence at Heritage Pointe I invite you to experience the support of other residents and the staff. I plan to share regularly the following: a prayer, a stanza of a hymn and a biblical passage. As you read and think about them feel the presence of the others in our building.

PRAYER - Pray this out loud or in your thoughts.

O Lord, our God, the assurance of your presence and your constant love sustains us in this time of crisis. We have known illness, we have experienced extended periods of flu but this global pandemic makes us feel differently. We feel threatened. We feel ionely. Thank you, Creator and Redeemer, for embracing us with your everlasting arms. Care for those we love. They are present in ways different from us. The employees leave our building and thus increase their exposure. But they return to care for us. Thank you, Lord. Give strength and wisdom to the medical personnel helping to test, to support those who are tested positive and the many seeking to find a vaccine. Bind us together with your caring Lord. In Jesus' name.

HYMN - If you are a singer, sing and know others at 5250 sing with you. If not a singer then read the words aloud. Tune: Finlandia

"Be still, my soul: The Lord is on your side, Bear patiently the cross of grief and pain, leave to your God, to order and provide, in every change God faithful will remain."

Bible Passage- Psalm 146: 1, 2