#### **IMPORTANT REASONS TO JOIN HWC'S**

## The DOGWOOD Society

AT HOSPICE OF WASHINGTON COUNTY, INC. (HWC) WE PROMISE TO EMPOWER PATIENTS AND FAMILIES, ASSISTING THEM IN CREATING AN EXTRAORDINARY END-OF-LIFE EXPERIENCE.

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It is comforting to know that your gift stays in Washington County and your dollars are working to ensure quality end-of-life care for you and your loved ones.

Chances are that someday, you and or someone you love will need hospice services and you'll be glad you contributed to these important services and programs.

To sustain a "living endowment" fulfilling HWC's commitment to our most vulnerable and to ensure that no one is turned away from hospice care due to their in ability to pay.

To ensure that Bereavement Services are available to our community free of charge. HWC's Bereavement Services are not limited to families of patients who are served by hospice but also for any individual who has experienced loss. This counseling is for individuals of any age including children.

To join with other community members in demonstrating your commitment to the humanitarian mission of Hospice of Washington County. HWC was born out of the vision of an exceptional group of people who realized the value of hospice care and wanted it for their families and neighbors.

Over the years, Hospice of Washington County developed into a full service hospice with doctors, registered nurses, certified nursing assistants, professional social workers and spiritual care providers in addition to our many dedicated volunteers.

As the exclusive licensed provider of hospice care in Washington County, Maryland, our goal is to surround the patient and their family with a personal team of professionals who know how to manage even the most difficult situations. HWC serves Washington County residents who live at home with family, in nursing homes, assisted living facilities or group homes and now at Doey's House, the first hospice house for our community.

Hospice is not about giving up. It is about quality of life. To speak to us personally, please call 301-791-6360.

We Sincerely Thank You for Your Exceptional Support!

Hospice of Washington County complies with applicable Federal civil rights laws and does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, age, disability, or sex.

Hospice of Washington County cumple con las leyes federales de derechos civiles aplicables y no discrimina por motivos de raza, color, nacionalidad, edad, discapacidad o sexo.

Hospice of Washington County 遵守適用的聯邦民權法律規定,不因種族、 虐色、民族血統、年齡、殘障 或性別而歧視任何人。





### You are cordially invited to support HOSPICE OF WASHINGTON COUNTY

You are cordially invited to join The Dogwood Society, a group of community-minded individuals whose generosity is key to helping Hospice of Washington County achieve its vital mission.

Your gift — in combination with others — will ensure quality end of life care and grief counseling for you and your loved ones. Your donation will ensure that the mission of HWC will continue and the organization can continue to serve our community coping with aging, serious illness and grief. Because these issues cross all socio-economic lines, you or someone you know will have likely experienced HWC's supportive care — or will.

Thanks to so many generous individuals HWC consistently goes above and beyond to offer much-needed services that are not reimbursed by Medicare and other payers. HWC does not turn away a patient from care due to their inability to pay.

Please consider becoming a member of HWC's Dogwood Society. This is one of the most worthwhile and fulfilling ways of making a difference and making Washington County a more compassionate place to live.



### Membership to the DOGWOOD SOCIETY

Accepting the invitation to join The Dogwood Society signifies your commitment to our community and your desire to ensure that all residents receive quality end-of-life care and vital grief counseling.

#### Recognition for your support of The Dogwood Society includes:

- A special token of our thanks indicating your level of support.
- An invitation to the annual donor recognition event and other special programs.
- HWC newsletter, website, during hospice events and on social media postings.
- Naming opportunities may be available, based on the gift size.

#### Join the DOGWOOD SOCIETY

**Yes**, I would like to become a member of the Dogwood Society with a pledge at the following level:



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**Please return this form with your donation or pledge to:** Hospice of Washington County, Inc. 747 Northern Ave, Hagerstown, MD 21742

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