

# Our Home!

A Quarterly Newsletter from St. John's Home for Elderly Persons

## Making Their Dream Home Come True!

With the generous support from the public, corporate donors and foundations, we are now planning to move into our new Home by June 2021! Our new address will be at 1 Willow Avenue.

We have created a short animation to show you what is the DREAM HOME of our elderly residents like.



Go to <https://tinyurl.com/SJNewHome> or scan QR Code to watch.



We are still short of \$3.4 million to complete our residents' DREAM HOME. Please continue your support to our Building Fund, by donating here: <https://www.giving.sg/StJohnsHomeSG/love2>

Thank you very much!

## 实现梦想家园!

在公众、企业捐赠者和基金会的慷慨支持下，我们现在计划在2021年6月之前搬进我们的新家园！我们的新地址将在 1 Willow Avenue.

我们制作了这个简短的动画片，向您展示什么是我们年长居民的梦想家园。



请游览<https://tinyurl.com/SJNewHome>或扫描QR码观看动画片。

我们仍缺少340万元来完成居民的梦想家园。请通过以下网站继续支持我们的建筑基金：  
<https://www.giving.sg/StJohnsHomeSG/love2>

谢谢您!



# A Word from our Chairman

Even before Covid-19, we were mindful of the need to further digitalize.

After an initial study, we appointed a service provider last year to help us set up an Integrated IT Care and Management System. It will help us better monitor and track resident care thereby enabling our staff to optimize their delivery of care to our residents.

The system can better track, for example, doctor appointments; when the residents last sent their laundry for washing; residents' dietary, grooming, counselling and physiotherapy needs and history records.

It will also seamlessly integrate the various stand-alone platforms we now have e.g. the billing system and the donation management system with the accounting system. We look forward to improved work efficiency with its implementation in early 2021.

Construction work on our new Home has resumed from September with the Government's easing of some of the measures against Covid-19. All safe management measures will continue to be enforced. With this resumption, we also look forward to moving into our new Home by June 2021.

**Woon Wee Yim**

在冠状病毒19大流感之前，我们就已经意识到需要进一步数码化。

经过初步研究后，我们去年选了一位承包商来协助我们建立集成的关爱和管理信息技术系统。这将有助于我们更好地监控和跟踪居民的照料，从而使我们的员工能够优化向居民的照料。

该系统可以更好地跟踪，例如，医生预约；居民最后一次把衣服送去洗衣服务的时间；居民的饮食，美容，辅导和物理治疗需求以及病历记录。

它还将无缝集成我们现有的各种独立平台，例如把计费系统和捐赠管理系统与会计系统集成。我们期待在2021年初通过新系统的实施，提高工作效率。

由于政府放松了针对防止冠状病毒-19的某些措施，我们的新家园的建筑工程已于9月恢复。所有安全管理措施将继续执行。通过这次恢复，我们也期待在2021年6月前迁移新家园。

- 云惟蔭 (主席，圣约翰养老院)

## Annual Financial Report

Our Home's Annual General Meeting was held on the 28 August 2020. Please go to: <https://www.StJohnEldersHome.org.sg/financials> or scan the QR Code to access our audited Financial Report.



## 年度财务报告

圣约翰养老院的年度大会于2020年8月28日举行。请游览：  
<https://www.StJohnEldersHome.org.sg/financials>  
或扫描QR码，查阅我们的经审计财务报告。





# Residents enjoy the festive cheer... Virtually

The Chinese Development Assistance Council (CDAC) spread the festive cheer of the Moon Cake Festival by showing our Home how to make a hanging ornament.

The session was held virtually on 1 October. Craft kits and goodie-bags were delivered to our Home. After learning the techniques and methods, our staff taught our elderly residents how to make it for themselves. Twenty residents took part in the activity. All enjoyed the session and felt a sense of accomplishment in their finished work.

In this pandemic, thanks to CDAC's initiative and our staff guiding the session, our elderly is able to celebrate this traditional festival in a comfortable and safe environment.



## 一起动动手,虚拟庆中秋!

华社自助理事会 (CDAC) 借着中秋节的喜庆演示给我们养老院如何制作吊饰工艺品。

指导会议在10月1日虚拟的举行。工艺套件和礼袋已早交付给我们养老院。在我们员工学习了技巧和方法之后,他们就教年长居民如何自制。20位居民参加了活动并在完成的工作中觉得非常有成就感。

在这大流感时期,得益于CDAC以及我们的员工导师,年长居民们能够在舒适安全的环境中庆祝这传统节日。

圣诞节快乐!  
Merry Christmas!

感谢神, 因他有说不尽的恩赐!  
-哥林多后书 9:15

Thanks be to God for His indescribable gift!  
- 2 Corinthians 9:15

st JOHN'S HOME  
FOR ELDERLY PERSONS  
Celebrating Aging since 1958

*We wish you a Blessed and Peaceful Christmas Season!*

To continue supporting our elderly residents, please donate generously using PayNow here.

Thank you!



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我们祝大家有个幸福, 平安的圣诞节!

请继续支持我们的年长居民。请扫描PayNow QR码, 慷慨捐赠。谢谢!

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# Thank you

## for being part of our first Virtual Gala Dinner!

Our first Virtual Gala Dinner raised more than \$320,000! Many supporters bought gourmet meals for their family and friends. The pandemic did not stop us from connecting with our loved ones.

In addition, diners were treated to the light-hearted entertainment of songs and laughter from Sebastian Tan aka Broadway Beng.

A kind sponsor sent gourmet meals to our residents so they could be part of the event as well.

The fundraising event was to raise funds for our new Home, which we are looking forward to moving in by June 2021.

**Auntie JA:**

"Today we just had a very good dinner, Thank you very much!"

**Uncle Loh:**

"The food was tasty! I feel blessed and am very grateful to the sponsor. Thank you very much!"



### 首次虚拟晚宴圆满结束

感谢大家，我们首次虚拟晚宴筹集了超过32万元！许多支持者为他们的家人和朋友订购了美食。大流行并没有阻止我们与亲人联系。此外，嘉宾们还能收看 Sebastian Tan 呈献的歌曲和单口喜剧。

一位赞助商向我们的年长居民发送了美味佳肴，让他们也成为晚宴的一份子。

珍婆婆：“今天我们吃了一顿丰盛的晚餐，非常感谢！”

罗伯伯：“食物真好吃！我很感恩，感谢赞助商。谢谢您！”

此次筹款活动是为我们的新家园筹集资金。我们希望在2021年6月之前迁入新家园

**warm hearts  
warm meals**

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- Donate by PayNow to UEN S61SS0176G1GF  
*For tax-deduction, NRIC / FIN / UEN must be indicated on the reference field.*
- Issue cheque in favour of 'St. John's Home for Elderly Persons', and mail it to:  
**The General Manager**  
**St. John's Home for Elderly Persons**  
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We are not a government-subsidized charity. As an Institution of a Public Character (IPC), monetary donations to the Home are eligible for tax deduction of 2.5 times the amount donated.

### In-Kind

We welcome donations-in-kind including Personal Protection Equipment, food and household items.

Go to : [www.StJohnEldersHome.org.sg/donate](http://www.StJohnEldersHome.org.sg/donate) to find out more on how you can help.

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