

SUMMER 2022

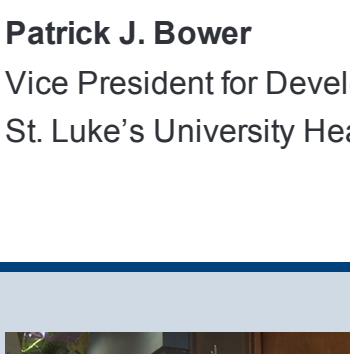
## Working Beyond Today

St. Luke's has built its reputation as a trusted place to come for the very best medical care. But our caring extends beyond the walls of the hospital as we work to meet community needs.

**With thoughtful philanthropic partners like you who share our vision for a better future for all, we are helping people of all ages and walks of life**—from the tiniest newborns to seniors looking for a community to call their own.

Thank you for helping to advance our mission of caring through [your charitable support](#). Together, we are making a difference.

Gratefully,



**Patrick J. Bower**  
Vice President for Development and External Affairs  
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## A Shared Mission

The future of the Quakertown community is brighter than ever, thanks to the generosity of the Zeigler Family Foundation. Their leadership gift in support of the *Building for a Healthier Tomorrow* capital campaign will help improve health care in the region, while also launching new initiatives to promote financial literacy.

"With the help of many community leaders like the Zeiglers, we have reached historic milestones," shared Dennis Pfeiffer, President of St. Luke's Quakertown | Upper Bucks Campus. We are proud to name the lobby of our new hospital in their honor.

### The Power of Philanthropy



## All Smiles

Capital Blue Cross is doing its part to make sure that children can keep smiling. Their generous \$250,000 gift will help replace an aging fleet of mobile dental clinics that visit schools throughout the region. More than 50% of the children seen on the van have never been to a dentist—and untreated dental conditions often lead to pain, missed school days, and decreased self-esteem.

"The dental van campaign will not only help keep kids healthy," said Capital Blue Cross Senior Vice President of Sales & Marketing, David Skerpon. "It will also help us reach children who otherwise might not be able to access preventive dental care that benefits entire families and communities."

### Accessible Dental Care



## A Big Gift for Little Ones

St. Luke's Neonatal Intensive Care Unit (NICU) received its newest piece of lifesaving equipment, thanks to a generous donation from the Lehigh Valley Commercial & Industrial Real Estate Foundation (LVCIRE). The equipment, a GE Giraffe Shuttle, protects the tiniest and most vulnerable newborns as they are transported from the birthing room to the NICU without any disruption in critical care.

Ana Martins, PE, chairperson of the special LVCIRE breakfast that raised the funds, said that area hospital NICUs were chosen as beneficiaries this year "so we could honor our local healthcare heroes, keep the donations local, and help area families and babies."

### Keeping Babies Safe and Warm

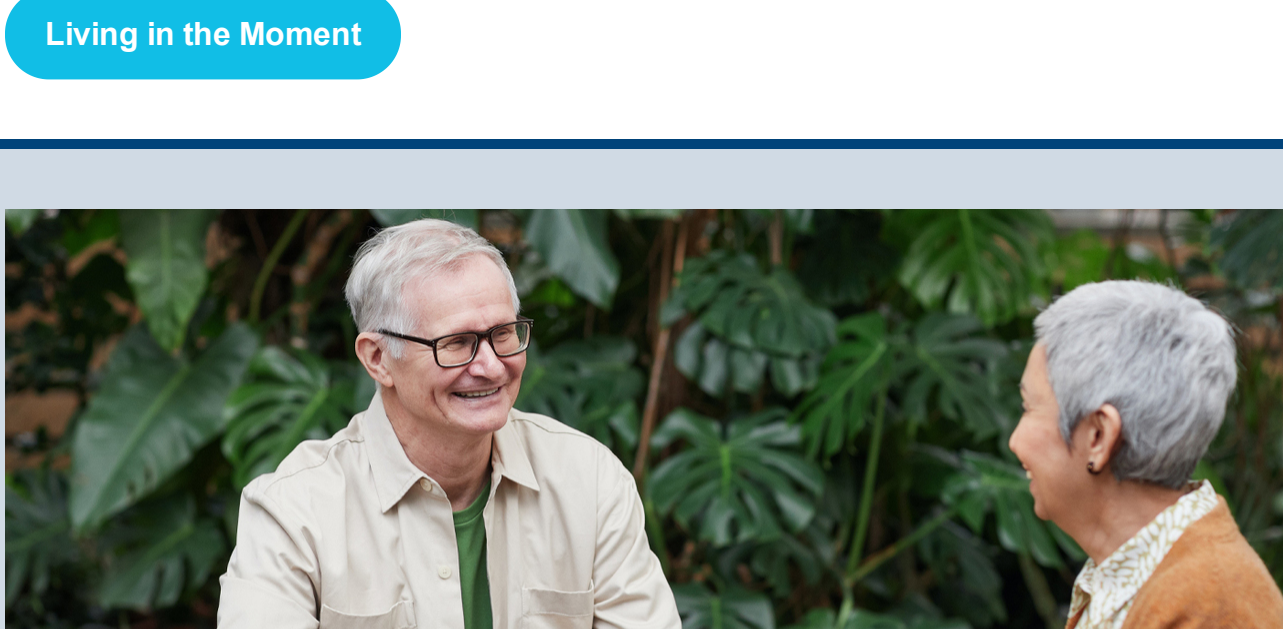


## Welcoming Space for Seniors

Carmen Diaz, a frequent visitor of the Hispanic Center Lehigh Valley's (HCLV) Basilio Huertas Senior Center, says the connections she's made there give her a reason to get up in the morning. And she's not alone: seniors from Bethlehem and beyond benefit greatly from daily social and educational activities at the center.

St. Luke's has been a continuous champion of HCLV, providing necessary services such as the diabetes management program, health screenings, and "Walk with a Doc" programming on the South Bethlehem Greenway—all to help keep our community's seniors thriving and enjoying life.

### Living in the Moment

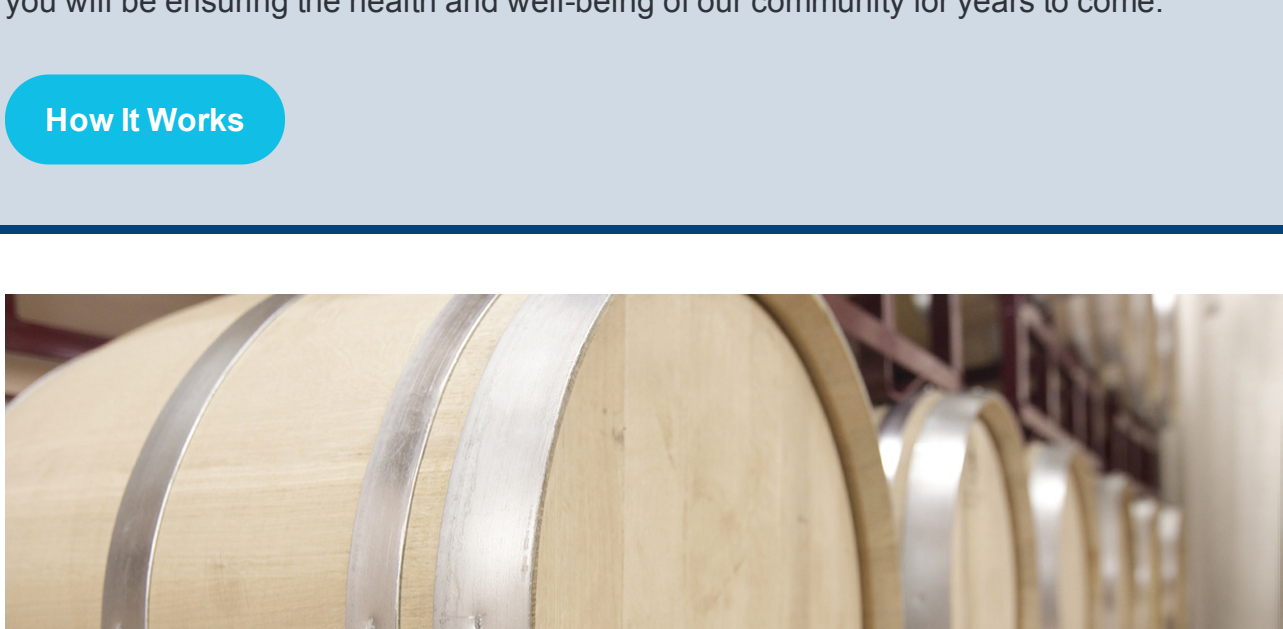


## The Gift That Pays You

We understand that higher prices and market instability are very concerning for everyone right now. What if there was a way to receive reliable, predictable income for life? It exists, and it's called a charitable gift annuity (CGA). A CGA is a gift that pays you.

Payout rates are currently on the rise, so you can increase your income even more—and it stays that way no matter how the economy or market fluctuates. Plus, through your CGA, you will be ensuring the health and well-being of our community for years to come.

### How It Works



## Corks & Forks

**September 17:** St. Luke's Monroe Campus will host its sixth annual Corks & Forks fundraising event, to be held at The Mountain Center in Tobyhanna, PA. This fun-filled evening will feature food stations, local wine and beer, and live music. Many of our partners at The Mountain Center will be giving tours and sharing information about their organizations. Proceeds will support the St. Luke's Primary Care Clinic at The Mountain Center.

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