

Testimonies

“It is so nice for someone to serve me tea”

“The atmosphere is so relaxing and calming”



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Caring Café



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The Caring Café first launched in February 2015. The program is hosted by the Family Health Team in partnership with Bethany Pentecostal Church.

Coordination of the program is completed by the Family Health Team Social Worker

The goal is to have a relaxing place to get together with other care givers, hospice volunteers, and individuals that are grieving.

Hospice Volunteers

Hospice Northwest has programs and services across the District of Thunder Bay that are offered in partnership with health care providers in accordance with community needs and resources.

Here in Manitouwadge, hospice volunteers provide support in home, hospital and long term care. These volunteers are assigned to enhance quality of life for the client and assist the family by reliving stress.

During the Caring Café, our hospice volunteers wear their hospice shirts so that the caregivers can identify who they are and get to know these individuals. As a result this then provides the caregivers with more comfort and an opportunity to get to know the person that is spending time with their love one.

Caring Café

The Caring Café has coffee, tea, and sweets for everyone to enjoy. There is also a door prize each month, which is a gift certificate for some type self-care time such as a massage or manicure.

The intention of this Café has been successful in giving individuals that time to sit back and enjoy someone caring for them.

