



Our Residents and Representatives
The Salvation Army Aged Care

4 September 2020

RE: FATHER'S DAY

Dear All,

At The Salvation Army Aged Care, we recognise that the COVID-19 pandemic has presented a challenging time for our residents and their family members. In particular, the visitor restrictions that are in place through Federal and State directions have impacted significantly on the ability for families to freely visit their loved ones.

In light of this, we recognise that there will be particular moments such as holidays when that will be acutely felt by everyone. It is for that reason as Father's Day approaches this Sunday that I wanted to send my best wishes and to share with you how we are working to celebrate this special occasion and assist families to connect.

In each of our Centres our team has special moments planned that will bring joy to our residents on this special day. We can also help with phone calls from family members and with co-ordinating the video conferencing calls. You may be able to either deliver your Father's Day gift in person or drop it off and the team will make sure that it is delivered to your loved one.

Given the constraints and Government directions at the moment about residents leaving the premises it may not be possible for your parent to come out for a lunch or dinner to celebrate the occasion.

This will be a very different Father's Day to what we are all used to and we will find a way to still make it a meaningful celebration.

We thank you for your continued consideration and understanding. Should you have any questions or feedback, please feel free to speak with your Centre Manager.

Kind regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Saddema'.

Samantha Feddema
General Manager – Residential Services
The Salvation Army Aged Care