



Boys Home of Virginia



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A Special Spring Surprise Awaits with Fall Daffodil Planting

A Note from Pastor Anne:

On October 27, Father Ben Cowgill and six members of St. John's Episcopal Church in Lynchburg, made a special trip to Boys Home. The mission was to add a touch of beauty to the campus. The project was led by Janet Hickman, a church member and president of the Virginia Daffodil Society. Once arriving on campus, the group assembled and began a plan for the 1,000 bulbs. Josh Brown, Boys Home's landscape manager, suggested planting on either side of the entry road to the main campus. In addition, several rows were planted near the gym. The Boys Home community now awaits the flowers in the spring. We are grateful for this beautiful and heartfelt gift, one that will keep on giving for years to come.

The following week, Father Ben returned to preach and celebrate an All Saints' Day service. He offered a special prayer for Boys Home's All Saints' Chapel. Afterward, Father Ben and I led discipleship meetings with students from Darling, Whitehead and Sam's Cottages. The students participating were asked to name a saint, a person who loved God and had inspired them in their faith. The answers ranged from Moses, their grandparents, coaches and Mrs. Linda Gordon (named three times!), a long-beloved volunteer of Boys Home.

Thank you, St. John's Episcopal Church in Lynchburg, Virginia, for planting 1,000 daffodils on campus.

Boys Home is grateful for your beautiful gift!





Boys Home is grateful to have assistance in the bicycle shop from **Bobby Ballance!**

“If there is a need I can satisfy, that is where the good Lord is putting me.”

-Bobby Balance/Junior Warden at St. Elizabeth's Episcopal Church in Roanoke, Virginia

GET INVOLVED

DONATE

- * Become a member of the crew that supports Boys Home on a monthly basis, *Carpenter's Crew*. More information online.
- * Make an individual donation at www.givetoboyshome.org.
- * Make an in-kind donation to our Wish List. Find the list at www.boyshomeofva.org located at the bottom of the home page.

SPREAD THE WORD

- * Sign up for the Boys Home newsletter at www.boyshomeofva.org under “Mailing List.”
- * Forward *Liaison Links* to other members of your church, friends and family.
- * Like us on Facebook & Instagram or follow us on Twitter.

STAY UP TO DATE

- **November 25:** Boys Home Christmas Tree Farm Opens
- **November 29:** Giving Tuesday

STUDENT PRAYER CORNER



Sage's Prayer:

“I am currently praying for good grades in the second nine weeks of the semester. I am also praying for everyone to have a great Thanksgiving.”

Your continued support of Boys Home is touching lives and changing futures for the better.

Thank you for all the ways you support these young men.

Upcoming Events



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NOVEMBER MATCH FUNDING



The Jessie Ball duPont Fund has once again committed to providing Boys Home of Virginia with up to \$25,000 in online match funding! The first \$500 of each online donation made at www.givetoboyshome.org will be matched 1:1, November 1 - 30.

GIVING TUESDAY

They are offering a special 2:1 match for every online donation received up to \$500 on Giving Tuesday - November 29. Mark your calendars and triple your online donation on this special day!

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