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Because people shouldn't have to journey alone

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MONTHLY Focus

"Autumn, my love reminds me how vibrant, how natural, it is to transform shows me how violently soft we can fall says, darling, if you're going that way, you might as well dance on the way down."

– B. Branch

During this autumn season, take some time to sit with this question: How can I let go of the past and live most vibrantly in the present moment?

Give & Receive this Giving Tuesday

Giving Tuesday is a global giving day held each year the Tuesday after Thanksgiving that encourages communities to do good and ushers in the charitable giving season.

This year, Giving Tuesday falls on November 29, and Cancer Navigators and three Rome businesses are turning it into a three-day event to help local cancer patients with transportation to treatments. From Tuesday, November 29 - Thursday, December 1, donate at least a \$20 gas card* at one or all the below businesses and receive a special discount.

Most importantly, know you are helping a cancer patient in crisis get to

treatments, giving a patient the opportunity to fight cancer, and increasing a patient's chances of survival - gifts that keep on giving!

- **Doug's Deli Downtown**
606 Broad Street
Rome, GA, 30161
- **Mel & Mimi**
203 East 8th Street
Rome, GA, 30161
- **sweetFrog** (Publix shopping center)
477 Turner McCall Boulevard NE
Rome, GA 30165

To redeem, present gas card with gas card receipt at time of purchase.

Gas cards can be found on gift card displays at grocery stores, pharmacies, etc.

GIVING TUESDAY

mel&mimi



sweetFrog
premium frozen yogurt

Donating Blood Can Save Lives

Many cancer patients require blood transfusions and blood donors are in great need. Cancer Navigators is partnering with Blood Assurance and Summit Quest on an upcoming blood drive.

Blood Drive

Thursday, December 8
1 p.m. - 6 p.m.
Harbin Clinic Cancer Center Parking Lot
More Info: (706) 509-5040

Cancer Navigators and Summit Quest will receive a \$10 donation for every unit of blood collected.

Schedule an appointment by visiting www.bloodassurance.org/cn or calling (800) 962-0628.

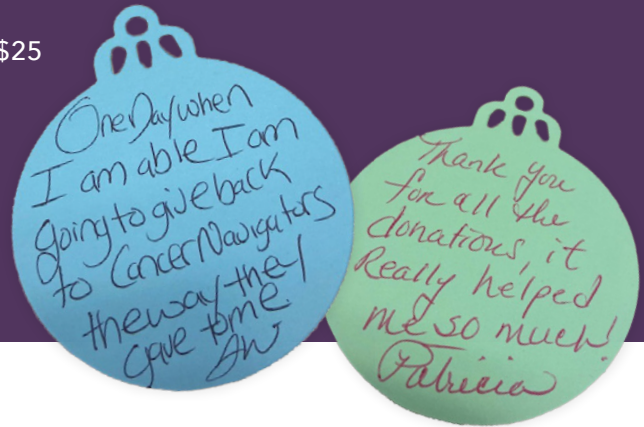


Warren Gibson shares how donating blood can save lives.

Your Compassion Makes a Difference

Donations to Cancer Navigators help us serve all cancer patients referred and allow us to more adequately meet their needs. How can you make a difference in the lives of cancer patients? Join Cancer Navigators' #fifteenforfifteen Monthly Giving Program and your \$15 for 15 months will help 9 patients get to treatments; donate needed in-kind supplies

including liquid nutrition, adult pull-ups, ostomy supplies, and \$25 gas cards; or make a monetary donation in the amount you choose at www.cancernavigators.org. Your support is a blessing and appreciated more than you will ever know!



Giving Thanks

We are thankful for all our supporters for being a blessing to cancer patients in our community and for providing relief and hope when desperately needed.



Wreath Sale

Cancer Navigators Annual Wreath Sale is happening now, until all are sold. Wreaths are on display in the lobby of the Harbin Clinic Cancer Center and available for purchase in the Cancer Navigators office, open Monday - Friday from 9 a.m. - 5 p.m. Cash, checks and credit card payments will be accepted. The purchase of a holiday wreath from Cancer Navigators goes above and beyond simply making your home look beautiful. It also helps cancer patients receive needed resources. If you aren't in need of a wreath for your home this year, consider purchasing one for a Cancer Navigators' patient.



The annual fundraiser helps provide free resources and services to individuals battling cancer in our community, including:

- \$10 - Purchases liquid nutrition for cancer patients struggling to eat.
- \$25 - Provides a cancer patient assistance with transportation to life-saving treatment.
- \$45 - Assists a cancer patient in coping with the emotions and changes that cancer brings by providing a complimentary one-hour session with our counselor.

"The fundraiser features a variety of wreaths, from holiday to sports themed and brings so much joy to the decorators, the purchasers, cancer patients, and those who just like to admire them," said Sarah Husser, Fundraising and Outreach Coordinator for Cancer Navigators.

For more information, contact Sarah Husser at (706) 509-5040, email shusser@cancernavigators.org or stop by the Cancer Navigators office.

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Cancer Navigators' Weekly Cancer Support Group

Fridays from 12 p.m. - 1 p.m.

Now held In-Person in the Harbin Clinic Cancer Center 2nd Floor Conference Room or Virtually via Zoom.



Click Here for Focus Areas & More Info



Click Here for Zoom Link

The focus area for each week is featured on the Cancer Navigators' Facebook page on Thursday afternoons and Friday mornings.

