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Fifth Third Bank Employees Detail Wesley Community Services Senior Transport Fleet for United Way's Community Care Week.

On Thursday, October 11, between 12 noon and 4 p.m., weather permitting, Fifth Third Bank co-chairs Kevin Boch and Priscella Bonwell have enlisted the aid of 12 volunteers who will wash Medical Transportation vehicles for Wesley Community Services. The vehicle washing will occur at the administrative offices of Wesley Community Services at 3333 Glenmore Avenue in Westwood.

The Medical Transportation program provides over 2,300 transports a month to physician offices, hospitals, and other treatment facilities. It also transports individuals with disabilities and special education students.

Wesley Community Services has as its mission to provide services to seniors so that they may remain in their homes for as long as possible. Wesley Community Services provides Meals-On-Wheels, medical transportation and homemaker/housecleaning services to seniors throughout the Cincinnati area. In 2006 nearly 200,000 Meals-On-Wheels were delivered, over 20,000 medical transports covering 291,000 miles were completed and over 15,000 hours of homemaker services were provided to over 1,700 area seniors. Wesley Community Services is a contracting agency of the Council on Aging of Southwestern Ohio and is a partner agency of United Way of Greater Cincinnati.

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