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WALKER METHODIST TO BREAK GROUND ON MAJOR EXPANSION AT WESTWOOD RIDGE CAMPUS IN WEST ST. PAUL

Expansion Includes Transitional Care and Rehabilitation Center and Memory Care to Serve West St. Paul Community

What: Walker Methodist is breaking ground on a major expansion of its Westwood Ridge campus in West St. Paul. The expansion will include a new **transitional care and rehabilitation center** designed to serve area residents who are transitioning from a hospital stay to a return home. The expansion also includes **memory care and private care suites**.

The Westwood Ridge campus will now offer a full spectrum of care for older adults to serve both campus residents and the entire community. The expansion is scheduled to be completed in summer, 2012.

When: Monday, October 3, 2011 at 2:30

Where: Walker Methodist at Westwood Ridge
One Thompson Avenue West
West St. Paul
Near the corner of Robert Street and Thompson Avenue

What You Will See: Residents attending the groundbreaking will be showing their campus pride wearing with specially made shirts. They will be joined by community leaders to shovel the first layers of dirt to mark the start of the expansion.

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Walker Methodist is a nonprofit organization that has served seniors since 1945.