

### **DEFINING DETAILS FIREPLACE**

DESIGNER MARY MANEY, CKBD, ASID, CLIPP

The bookcases in this client's family room were in need of an update. Since we were also remodeling the kitchen, we wanted the new bookcase to coordinate with the cabinetry in

the adjacent space. Symmetrically balanced bookcases in rich walnut wood now flank the stacked stone fireplace and add a nice contrast to the light-colored stone. TV components and cables are hidden in the base cabinets of the bookcases to keep things uncluttered. The open shelving gives the homeowner space to display personal photos and accessories and gives the family room a new refreshed look.



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#### **INTRODUCING** CHENELLE JOHNSON, DESIGNER & SALES

Chenelle is an award-winning designer with over 20 plus years' experience. She holds an Associate in Applied Science Degree in Interior Design from Dakota County Technical College and a Certificate in Kitchen & Bath Design from Century College. Chenelle enjoys working with the client in every aspect of design to dive into their personalities, find a true meaningful style with function and integrate that style into their new spaces. Growing up traveling with her family led Chenelle to a passion of Architecture and Design. Chenelle enjoyed the variety of home styles and décor throughout her travels, which have brought her to Paris, London and Barcelona along with 47 of the 50 states. Chenelle's client's benefit from her vast knowledge and experience. Chenelle lives in Hanover with her husband and two children. In her free time, Chenelle loves supporting her children's sporting activities along with a great game of golf, hiking, biking and traveling.

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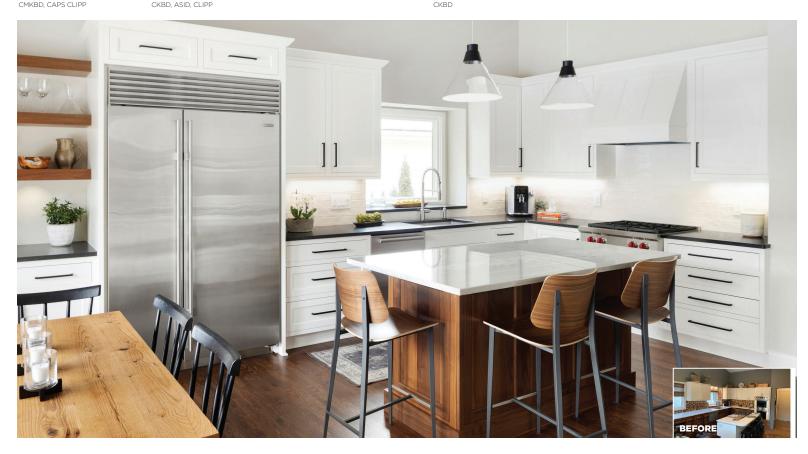
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## SOPHISTICATED WITH A TOUCH OF FARMHOUSE

DESIGNER JOLYNN JOHNSON, CMKBD, CAPS, CLIPP / JOLYNN@CRYSTALKITCHEN.COM

These Edina empty nesters wanted a better layout with more storage and counter space in both the kitchen and their bedroom suite. We removed a window in the kitchen that looked out to the neighbor's house and moved all the appliances to have a better work triangle. They wanted the cooktop off the island, open shelves, glass doors for display and seating for three.

Placing the refrigerator where the

window was, moving the range top to the garage wall and moving the double ovens to the pantry wall opened up the space. This design left the island free of appliances and gained more counter and cabinet storage. Now there is room for a five-foot bar area with floating shelves of walnut wood.

As these homeowners remodeled every room within their home, they blended nature with a bit of

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sophistication. This is especially true in the kitchen. They chose Crystal Cabinet's white painted inset cabinets with the island in a warm walnut wood. The counter tops are Corian Quartz Portoto, and the island counter is Ocean Pearl Quartzite. The homeowners purchased some fun lights, a small farm table and bench. The combination is everything they dreamed of.

In the master bedroom suite, a new gas fireplace insert was added with tile surround and a TV above. Twelve-inch deep bookshelves/dresser were added on each side. The new mantle is a continuous wood countertop across the entire wall. New wood flooring was installed and stained to match the existing living room floor.

The beautiful new functional spa bathroom was created by removing the walls that surround the washer and dryer and replaced with built-in cabinetry. A ledge was added behind each vanity and tub for extra counter space and storage, with recess niches at both ends of the sculptural tub. White subway tile was used for the shower and wainscot tile. Heated dark grey floor tile was also used in the curbless shower entry with a trench drain. Counter tops, ledge and shower bench seat are made from Carrara Marble.

With the kitchen and master suite remodeled, now all the homeowners have to do is enjoy!







## PRIMARY BATHROOM WITH A VIEW

DESIGNER JENNIE HJERPE, CKBD / JENNIE@CRYSTALKITCHEN.COM

These homeowners were looking to update and open up their 1990's bathroom. They have a clean and modern style with a layer of collected antiques.

The large tub deck was removed and replaced with a free standing tub, allowing more room for a corner bench at one end and a short ledge to house tub controls. The challenge for storage in this room was met by the drawers of the vanity and the wall cabinet on top. White Cambria counter tops with Crystal Cabinet's Danbury door style in cherry wood, stained in a dark rich finish, looks dramatic and modern against the whites and grays that fill the room. Large porcelain panels were used for the shower walls. The softness of the porcelain, tile finishes, tub, and soothing wall color combined with the rich boldness of the cherry wood creates a uniquely sophisticated space.

## FREE SPRING REMODELING SEMINARS

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#### How To Avoid The Biggest Kitchen and Bath Remodeling Mistakes

9:00-10:30am

When you don't pay attention to good design basics, there can be costly mistakes. Crystal Kitchen + Bath will share their insights and helpful hints about the remodeling process and allow you to ask questions along the way. Homeowners contemplating a kitchen and bath remodel are invited.

- The importance of the kitchen work triangle
- How cabinet accessories can maximize your storage
- How a remodel can benefit your family and improve your quality of life
- Tips on budgeting for your project—long and short term
- Design trends—keeping up with the times
- Signs of quality in materials and services

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11:30am-1:00pm

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- Accessories and lighting
- Plumbing Fixture

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#### LAUNDRY ROOM REIMAGINED

**DESIGNER MARY MANEY CKBD, ASID, CLIPP** / MARY@CRYSTALKITCHEN.COM

An ordinary laundry/mudroom room is redesigned into an elegant butler's pantry that includes a new built-in washer/ dryer unit. The new "L-shaped" layout gains valuable countertop space and 48" high cabinets give the client the additional storage that they so desired. The clients wanted this room to flow seamlessly from the kitchen, which we remodeled 8 years ago, so the same cabinetry and countertops were installed for consistency. A luxury woven vinyl floor adds comfort and texture to the room and the vinyl wallcovering is stainresistant and perfect for a high traffic area like the laundry/mudroom. The microwave oven sets on the open wood shelves built by the owner. This is now a beautiful room to walk into each day.





## BRIGHT AND BLUE-TIFUL

DESIGNER AMBER WEEKLEY / AMBER@CRYSTALKITCHEN.COM

This builder-grade kitchen concept was dated and closed off from the rest of the home. This family loves to cook and entertain, and wanted an open kitchen with a lot of countertop space, smart storage, seating for at least eight people and a space that matched their fun, artistic personalities.

To achieve these goals, we took down the wall between the kitchen and unused dining room, making room for banquet seating for 8+. A large 10-1/2-foot island houses a wine fridge, trash pull out, large drawers, microwave and roll out shelves. A floating shelf in an accent wood complements their new stained table and luxury vinyl flooring. Crystal Current cabinetry in Simply White and Nautical Blue adds a fun pop of color and are topped with Cambria Portrush quartz countertops featuring coordinating blue veining.

This kitchen is bold in all the right ways and perfect for this young, modern family.