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Upper Sandusky, OH 43351 419-294-2273

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www.betheldonors.org Hotline I-800-712-HELP

## **Big Transition for Voice Of Hope**

For 20 plus years our administration office was located in Upper Sandusky center. After much thought and prayer, Bethel Ministries decided to move the primary office work to our Marion location.

#### What does this mean for our supporters?

This means when you donate your finances to our ministry you will mail your check to the Marion address. When you receive a receipt for your contribution you will notice it now comes from the Marion Center.

#### What does this mean for our clients?

How we operate the centers and the services we offer to clients does not change. We are still three pregnancy centers offering parenting classes, pregnancy tests, first trimester ultrasounds, children & maternity clothing, and community referrals.

#### Why did we make this change?

Changes started when Rella, our office manager of 6 years, retired and moved closer to be with family. Debbie Taylor, formerly our office manager in Bucyrus has stepped into the new role as Resource Manager as of February 18th.

#### How are things going?

This transition has been fairly smooth and I hope our supporters find ease with the transition. If you have any questions, please feel free to call Natalie or Debbie at 740-223-0419.



Waiting room in our Marion Location

#### **Notice Changes**

#### **New Mailing Address:**

1199 Delaware Ave. Ste. 110 Marion, OH 43302

#### Primary phone number and fax:

740-223-0419

#### Primary email:

voiceofhopepc@gmail.com

#### As always check made payable to:

Voice of Hope or Bethel Ministries

#### Farewell Rella Anderson

Rella began working for the ministry in February of 2008. She held many positions during her time here and was a very dedicated employee. She truly has a heart and passion for the women and families that were involved with this ministry.

In February, Rella retired and moved to be closer to her family. She will be truly missed and we pray all God's blessing for her in this next transition of her life.

~Farewell Rella~





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We are excited to announce we have expanded our Walk for Life to a 5K Run/Walk in Marion. This change affects the Marion Walk for Life only. We made this change to order to draw more excitement to the organization and reach new participants. Mark your calendars for Saturday, May 10th, 2014 and it will be held at 9 am Grant Middle School. Check in and registration will start at 8 am. The early registration fee of \$20 due before April 25th and if you register early you will be guaranteed a t-shirt. If you register after April 25th the fee will be \$25 and a t-shirt cannot be guaranteed.

We would also like to encourage sponsorships. One of the best ways to raise money for the organization is to rally sponsors for your 5K run/walk. Download the sponsorship forms from our website. The money for sponsorships is not due until the day of the race.

You will find your registration and sponsorship forms on our website www.betheldonors.org. Click on the 5K Run/Walk Tab, download and print them off.

At the event, there will be light refreshments. Awards will be given for the top 3 runners over all and for the top three in each age group. Also, everyone who is registered for the event will be entered into event day raffles for a chance to win prizes. We look forward to this great new event and hope you will spread the news to your 5K buddies and fellow walkers!

WALK

Walk for LIFE Wyandot & Crawford County

Walk for Life will be held on Saturday, May 17th. As always, our walkers are encouraged to find sponsors and raise money for Voice of Hope. The top three in each county who raise the most money will win a Restaurant Gift Card. You may download the registration form & sponsorship form from our website www.betheldonors.org and bring the forms and the money morning of the event. Registration starts at 9:00 am and the Walk will begin at 9:30 am. There will be light refreshments and free t-shirts available after the walk.

#### Upper Sandusky

Location: Harrison Smith Park—white shelter building

#### **Bucyrus**

Location: 115 W. Rensselaer St.—Pregnancy Center

**Baby Bottle Boomerang** 

In January we kicked off our 2014 Baby Bottle Campaign. Our financial goal this year for 2014 is to raise \$25,000. We are aiming for a goal of 56 churches and small groups to participate in this campaign.

We typically see churches decide to host this campaign either at the beginning of the year or the end of the year. This is a campaign that can take place any time of year! We would like to encourage your church or small group to participate. It is simple to host a campaign and we provide you with everything you need. We only ask that your church or group designate a specific contact person.

Our Current Total: \$7,520.04

Financial Goal: \$25,000

## **Diaper Donations**

## THANK YOU

#### **AHP - DELAWARE**

Your donation of diapers and pull ups help keep us well stocked through the year in all three of our centers.





#### Current needs for our Boutique

- High Chairs
- Cribs / Crib Mattresses
- Stroller / Double Stroller
- Infant Swings
- Similac Advanced Formula (Blue, Orange, and Pink Lids)
- **Baby Monitor Sets**
- Baby Wipes

- New or unused Boy &Girl Spring/Summer clothes Newborn to Size 4T
- Baby Lotions and Shampoos
- \* Sippy Cups & Toddler Spoons
- \* VOLUNTEERS
- Clothing Closet Gently used Girl & Boy clothes, any season size newborn—4T

"A generous man will prosper; he who refreshes others will himself be refreshed" Proverbs 11:25

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#### Mark Your Calendars!

#### Did you know there are several scheduled events through the year?

- "Make the Heart Beat Race" 1st Annual Run/Walk (Marion) May 10th
- Walk for Life (Bucyrus & Upper Sandusky) May 17th
- Bob Evans Fundraiser Look for more details in the Summer Edition Newsletter
- Annual Fall Banquet (Marion) September 25th
- Ist Annual Fall Banquet (Upper Sandusky) October \*Date coming soon\*

#### How can I give to **Bethel Ministries / VOH?**

- Go online to betheldonors.org and click "online giving" to process your card or e-check.
- You may also mail your donation to the Marion Center.
- You may also participate in any or all of our fundraising events through the year.



**FOR** LIFE!

"The 2014 goal is to raise \$25,000 and 56 churches who will participate"