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# Bethel Bulletin

# **Reflections on 2014**

by Natalie Longmeier, Executive Director

Wow! What a wonderful 1st full year for me with the ministry. God has answered so many prayers. I want to take the time and recap all the ways God has blessed Bethel Ministries / Voice of Hope in 2014.

First and foremost, I am thrilled to tell you we saved 5 babies this year! One of those precious babies was placed into an adoptive couple's arms in October. Secondly, we updated and added new prenatal and parenting curriculum in our Marion center and did some fresh updates in the Bucyrus and Upper Sandusky centers. Thirdly, we relocated our center in Upper Sandusky and have



already seen growth through this transition in our new place. The Marion & Bucyrus centers have each had many physical updates with fresh new paint, beautiful shelving units built and donated to our boutique in Marion, and even some new décor. All of these changes mean we can provide the best education through our Earn While You Learn program in a warm, welcoming environment! In addition, we added a Corporate Sponsor Program to encourage new partnership with businesses and churches in all three counties. We continue to look for new ways to build relationships and broaden our influence within our communities. Our goal for the remainder of 2014 continuing through 2015 is to add 100 new monthly individual donors. We have successfully added 23 so far!



# Partner With Us in 2015

As we map out plans for the upcoming year, we are excited about the ongoing partnership we have with Relationships Under Construction (RUC). This is a factual-based abstinence curriculum taught in the school setting. We use pieces of this program in our centers to educate our clients who attend Earn While You Learn classes. Currently, RUC is being taught in 3 schools in Marion and 2 schools in Bucyrus, and we are working to build partnerships in Wyandot County. Bethel Ministries / Voice of Hope supports this program and we prayerfully believe RUC will be welcomed into more schools in our counties this next year.

We continue to pursue connections at OSUM and Marion Tech campuses to reach more voung women who may be facing unplanned pregnancies. Recent statistics revealed



60% of women who obtain abortions are between the ages of 20-30 years old. Continue to pray for us as we develop this area of outreach. Every year nearly 1,000 clients walk through our doors for parenting/ prenatal classes, a pregnancy test, or an ultrasound. The average cost to see one client each month is \$60. Partner with us to successfully launch into 2015 by contributing an end of year donation. May God bless you.

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# **Banquet Updates**



With almost 200 in attendance and a touching testimony from Henry Jernigan, we raised over \$18,000 and added 22 monthly donors. We had a great Banquet. A special Thank You to our table hosts and your efforts on our behalf. We want to thank everyone who came to support the ministry. This night was a success because of you!

Our brunch banquet in Upper Sandusky was wonderful. This event was an effort to reestablish our presence and expand our mission in Wyandot county and we enjoyed connecting with those who attended.

While we did not reach our financial goals for our banquet, we trust God will continue to provide resources for our ministry as He has always done. As we look to the future, we are committed to building partnerships in all three of counties we serve in more meaningful ways through special events.

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

# Baby Bottle Campaign

End of the year is approaching and we are coming closer and closer to our goal. We are thrilled that 50 churches and groups participated in the Baby Bottle Campaign in 2014!

Letters will be coming in December by mail to schedule your 2015 campaign.

We hope you will join us. Our Current Total: \$18,928.27

Financial Goal: \$25,000

# We are So Blessed!

Thank you to everyone who has donated to our ministry in 2014. Without you none of our work is possible.

#### Individuals

Thank you for financially supporting this ministry. Every contribution has been significant, whether it was a one-time gift or a monthly donation. We thank you for being instrumental in our mission to equip and educate individuals within our communities. Thank You.

We are honored you selected Bethel Ministries/Voice of Hope as your outreach ministry. From our Baby Bottle Campaigns to monthly giving, from underwriting events to one-time gifts, from baby showers to group project volunteering, we so appreciate your enthusiasm and willingness to come alongside us and reach out to people in need. Thank You!

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