Bethel



Spring 2010

Bulletin

"Enlarge the place of your tent, stretch your tent curtains wide, do not hold back; lengthen your cords, strengthen your stakes Isaiah 54:2

Voice of Hope Pregnancy Centers in Crawford, Marion & Wyandot Counties

Medical Clinic and Ultrasound Update

Greetings Newsletter Readers

The past few months have been very progressive for Bethel Ministries as we move toward the conversion of the Marion Voice of Hope Pregnancy Center to a life-affirming Medical Clinic. Bethel Ministries has recently been extremely blessed by another Pregnancy Center in Ohio that is currently a medical clinic. The Bowling Green Pregnancy Center contacted Bethel after the previous newsletter and notified us of wanting to donate an ultrasound machine. They were able to donate their former ultrasound machine to Bethel Ministries in April and we graciously accepted this gift. The new machine is in excellent condition and will be a great starter machine for us at the new clinic. However, we are still in need of funding for the ultrasound training that must occur before the clinic can open. Once the medical team is in place each nurse must attend a limited ultrasound training session, these trainings can cost nearly \$10,000. God has many great things in store for Bethel Ministries and the Medical Clinic and with your continued help and support we hope to have the clinic up and running before the end of 2010.

How Can You Help?

Bethel Ministries is now searching for medical professionals that feel God calling them to use their skills and talents to be a part of our ministry. For the Medical Clinic to run properly and meet legal and medicals standards, we are in need of medical personnel. The types of medical personnel needed are: registered nurses, sonographers, ob/gyns, and doctors who are comfortable with reading ultrasound scans.

If you know of anyone who would be an excellent candidate for any of these positions please do not hesitate to contact them or contact Bethel about said person. You can also be in prayer with us for the "right" people to come forward. We truly believe that Gad has some amazing people in store for our Medical Clinic. Please join us as we start this journey together.

I am so very excited about what all God has been doing with myself and the ministry as we work toward the conversion of the Medical Clinic and I know that God has great plans in store for Bethel Ministries and the clients we serve. If you are interested in getting more information about the Clinic or being a part of the conversion/staffing process please feel free to contact me at 419-294-2273 or through email at bethel@bizwoh.rr.com

May God Continue to Bless You and Your family

Jenna Douce

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BLESSINGS and PRAISES

"THE LORD WILL INDEED GIVE WHAT IS GOOD" Psalms 86:12

Thank you to the following for donating their time and items to Bethel Ministries.

- ♦ Lillian Uptagraff
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"WALK FOR LIFE"

Thanks to all for your support of our Walk Without all the volunteers and sponsors it would not be successful.

Totals for each site:

 Crawford County—
 \$ 2845.00

 Marion County—
 \$ 845.00

 Wyandot County_
 \$ 3880.01

 Total
 \$ 7570.01

SPECIAL THANKS TO THE BUSINESSES THAT SUPPORTED OUR "WALK FOR LIFE"

The righteous showeth mercy and giveth Ps. 37:21b

UPPER SANDUSKY AREA

Woody's Neumeister Candy Shoppe

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MARION AREA

Scioto Shoe Mart Shepherd's Nook Laurel Sparling Photography

CAREY AREA

Splinter's Subway

Current Needs

VOICE OF HOPE PREGNANCY CENTERS

~new computer and updated software for our main office

- ~safety/child proofing items
- ~baby lotion/Soaps/ointment
- ~used girls 24 month to 3T
- ~used boys clothing to 3T
- ~Digital thermometers
- ~preemie clothes new and used
- ~clear plastic storage bins (54 qt)
- ~sun shields for car windows
- ~gently used baby swings, cribs, high chairs, strollers
- ~maternity clothes
- ~new baby boy sleepers and outfits
- ~VOLUNTEERS!!!

Voice of Hope is currently looking for

ENTHUSIASTIC AND CARING

INDIVIDUALS TO SERVE AS

RECEPTIONISTS, MOMMY MENTORS, PREGNANCY/ ABSTINENCE COUNSELORS, OFFICE HELPERS AND

HOTLINE COUNSELORS.

Training is provided for all positions.

IF YOU ARE INTERESTED OR WOULD LIKE MORE
INFORMATION, PLEASE CALL

419-294-2273 OR VISIT

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Our website is full of information for our donors and supporters. Click on the "Events" page to see what all is happening. Check out the "Who we Are" page to see our Board of Directors and Staff profiles. Feel free to donate online through our safe and secure website, by clicking on "How to Help" page.

BABY BOTTLE BOOM.ERANG \$ 13,010.54

Churches have been returning baby bottles back to the ministry, and some are still receiving bottles to fill. How it works: Bethel distributes empty baby bottles to churches and other organizations where participants pick them up, take them home and fill with loose change, cash or a check. Then they bring the bottle filled with their donation back to church or collection point. Finally, one of our staff or volunteers picks up the bottles and brings them to our office where we track your groups giving.

The Baby Bottle Boomerang is also a great way to get your whole family involved in the giving. You may also honor a loved one by simply completing the bottle enclosure and we will send an "In Honor Of" or "In Memory Of" card on your behalf.

If you or your church would like to participate in the Baby Bottle Boomerang, please call our office at 419-294-2273.

You can still participate. JUST CALL. WE CAN DELIVER TO YOUR CHURCH.

GERANIUM SALE

Voice of Hope teamed up with Crestline St. Joseph and Galion St. Joseph

Schools to promote Sanctity of Life through a Flower Sale. The flower sale ran through the month of April with the flowers to be delivered just in time for Mother's Day. This year there was excellent participation from the students at the schools.

The top sellers from each school were,

Hunter Cress, (Crestline) and Nicholas Jilek (Galion). Through this flower sale "Voice of Hope" was able to raise \$ 1,400. Great work to both of the Schools this year and a big "Thank You" to everyone who purchased geraniums and hanging baskets.

Memorials & Honorariums

IN MEMORY OF:

Ralph Geiger

Sharon Clinger
Holly Myers
Maxine Walters in memory of Daughter & Husband
Grandparents of Sara Stone & family
Parents of Elisa Cano
Laura Walton

In Memory of con't:

Christian Washburn Scott Wadsworth

IN HONOR OF:

Jed Cano
Parents of Katie & Neil Bauler
Herman & Gerry Fredritz
Tom Price IIV
Tara Thacker

STATS for Voice of Hope Pregnancy Centers & Hotline

January thru December 2009

180 Hotline Calls

472 Maternity & Baby Closet Visits

Pregnancy Tests (66 negative, 68 positive)

Earn While You Learn (652 visits)

Abstinence Shared 22 times Shared the Gospel 27 times

Prayed with Clients 90 times

WANTED Volunteers in Upper Sandusky & Bucyrus

Prayer Requests

Please be in prayer for the following

- ~Location for Medical Building
- ~Protection for our staff and volunteers from spiritual war-fare.
- ~guidance for our Board and staff
- ~MORE VOLUNTEERS
- ~those who are pregnant, given birth, or miscarried
- ~an increase in our donations
- ~those who are recovering from abortions
- ~salvation for our clients and family members.

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Perhaps you feel led to make a 6-month commitment to supporting Bethel Ministries or maybe you would like to make a one time gift. Please know that every donation makes a difference in the lives of the teens and women we serve. Thank you and God bless you!	noinsM Galion	Voice of Hope Pregnancy Center	Upper Sandusky, Bucyrus &
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