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the Center's mailing list,  
please let us know.*

**Executive Director's Report** Pam Karich

**Flood** Since the flooding at the Center on June 24, 2010, it has been a very busy and difficult year. I feel that we finally have our heads above water, but it has taken a year and four months. We are gearing up for winter, with summer items stored away and mittens, boots, and jackets available for clients.

**RN Students** We are excited to have 2<sup>nd</sup> year RN students who are participating in a clinical at the Center. This has been an ideal situation for all involved with some students even volunteering at the Center over the summer.

**Marketing** The Center had a booth at the Hibbing Community College Open House this Fall, which allowed us the opportunity to meet potential clients, as well as volunteers. We also had a booth at the St. Louis County Fair to dispense information and increase awareness.

**Book Sale** Please see the information below about the upcoming Book Sale Fundraiser on November 18<sup>th</sup> and 19<sup>th</sup>. Volunteers are needed to help sort books, manage the sale on Friday and Saturday, donate books or baked items, and to clean-up after the sale. If you are able to assist in any of these areas, please call the Center at 262-5768.

**Important Notice** To operate the Center and provide the services and ministry that we do, we need to bring in \$2,250.00 per month. During two months this summer we received a total of \$150 of support. We did receive a special donation but that has been set aside for new programming. We have been transferring money from savings and now the savings and checking accounts are nearly depleted. We ask you to prayerfully consider making a donation to the Center at this time. Thank you and God Bless you.

**Book Sale Fundraiser**



Friday and Saturday  
November 18<sup>th</sup> and 19<sup>th</sup>  
9:30-3pm



VFW in Hibbing

If you have books to donate or would like to help, please call the Center at 262-5768.

## Wish List

- Volunteers!
- Forever Stamps
- Wal-Mart, Target, and Walgreen's gift cards
- Self-stick business-sized envelopes
- Labels – Avery 8160 or compatible
- Baby wipes
- Cribs - new
- Crib mattresses – new or used
- Bottled water

We are always in need of monetary donations to help cover building rent, the director's salary, light, heat, internet, phone bills, office supplies, State and Federal taxes and fees, and our mailings. If you have an item you think the Center could use, please give us a call at 262-5768.

## FINANCIAL SUPPORT

The Pregnancy LifeCare ministry is carried out through the generous donations of individuals, churches, memorials, organizations, and those who support our fundraisers. Without your faithful support, the Center could not assist those in need of our services.

## Father-Daughter Ball

The 4<sup>th</sup> Father-Daughter Ball fundraiser held last April was a huge success! Thank you to everyone who assisted and donated food and prizes.

A-1 Refrigeration	McDonald's
Applebee's	Perkin's
Baron's Pharmacy	Pine Beach Resort
Ciao!	Pizza Ranch
Country Kitchen	Rafferty's Pizza
Dairy Queen	Rudi's Pizza
Domino's	Sammy's Pizza
Express Print	Sawmill
Grandma's	St. Joseph's Church
Ground Round	Sunrise Bakery
Iron Kettle	Super One
L&M Supply	Valentini's
Zimmy's	

Save the Date!  
The date for next year's Ball is  
**April 14, 2012**

## Prayer Support



Please pray for women considering abortions; that we are able to share with them and provide them with information that will change their minds. Pray for all the families in need during this stressful economic time, the work of our fundraising and publicity committees, for our marketing strategy, and for our leadership.

## TLC Banquet Report

Ginny Dykhuis, one of the Center's board members, was able to attend the annual Total LifeCare Center (TLC) banquet held in Brooklyn Center on September 22<sup>nd</sup> at the Earle Brown Heritage Center. A large gathering of TLC supporters enjoyed a wonderful dinner followed by a moving presentation shared by Gianna Jessen. Gianna survived a saline abortion attempt 34 years ago and shared her story as well as her hopes and dreams for the future. Despite some physical limitations, she is a bright, inspirational young woman who is grateful to be alive.

Also, the LifeCare Center board would like to welcome Anne Varda of Chisholm. Anne is passionately pro-life, and we are excited about her three-year commitment to serving on the board.

## November is National Adoption Month

It is very important that we all continue to educate the community on the acceptance and support of birth mothers who choose adoption.

Sometimes, there seems to be much more acceptance of single parenting than there is for making an adoption plan. We are fortunate to have Rosemary Zliment, a retired social worker and adoptive parent, to guide and mentor young women who are looking into the possibility of placing their child for adoption. Rosemary shares the process with them and assists in finding an adoption agency.

## Kudos!

With our thanks:

~ To our volunteer counselors.

~To the Center's Prayer Chain.

~ To everyone who helped with the Father-Daughter Ball.

~To everyone who helped with the County Fair booth.

~To the Chisholm Knight's of Columbus.

~To the Assumption School Kid's Club for the homemade blankets.

~To Chisholm Baptist Church for the monetary donation.

~ To the Side Lake Community Church for their monetary donation.

~ To Lynn Ellefson and Chris Ellefson for their generous donation.

~To everyone who has donated material items in the past few months.

### Memorials:

A monetary donation was given in memory of Christy Tarro by Paul and Sandi Tarro.

