

## Women's Ministry Luncheon "Faith, Family, and God" Thursday, June 19 11am—1pm

Fellowship Hall Sign up online or at the kiosk

Sisters IN CHRIST Sisters for life

Please welcome new member: Merle Elsdale

### OUTREACH CORNER



Courageous and Free is making a powerful impact on our community by providing essential support and resources to survivors of human

trafficking. Exciting things are happening with their organization thanks to your support and generosity.

The following is a report from them:

\*We reached our match of \$200,000

\*We are under a contingency contract for a property; and,

\*We are hiring to fill two (2) new positions for a Fundraiser/Grant Writer and a Director of Housing.

We cannot tell you where the property is located, but we can tell you that it provides the complete vision for Courageous and Free. In 30+ days all inspections will be complete and if the results of the inspections are positive, we will have some terrific volunteer opportunities from providing provisions for the bedrooms to the kitchen, to the outside yard work and gardening vegetables. Hiring the two (2) new staff members will continue to help move and increase the outreach programs. Once these positions are filled, we will have more fund-raising opportunities and more help with the new outreach programs. Courageous and Free continues to grow. For now, please keep Courageous and Free in prayer for the purchase of the property and for our outreach program.

WM'S FELLOWSHIP COFFEE Next: June 4, 2025: 10:00

Sisters in Christ

**am in F. Hall** Ladies, you're invited to a delightful coffee and fellowship gathering! This is the perfect

opportunity to meet new friends and experience the warmth of our sisterhood in Christ at Fairway. This is your opportunity to learn about the variety of ministries at Fairway. Don't miss out—sign up now!

#### "New Year, New Beginnings, Learning Today, Leading Tomorrow"

Hands of Mercy Everywhere – H.O.M.E. July 22; 10:00 -12:00; F. Hall

You have heard us talk about H.O.M.E. Have you ever wondered what it is we were talking about? Come learn about this Ministry supported by the women of Fairway, where young women are guided in their physical, mental, and spiritual development as they prepare for responsible parenthood. During this event, you can meet some of the staff, hear their stories, and their successes. It will also be a time to ask questions. Join us as we take part in these young women's journeys, even if it is just a small part like donations for their school clothes, personnel incidentals, etc. See and hear what our donations have done and continue to do in helping with this Ministry. \*Light snacks and refreshments will be served.



#### Spotlight on Marlene Wilkie

Marlene was born in Sewickley, PA along the Ohio River close to Pittsburg. She was raised in Conway, PA until she and her husband, Bill were married in 1973. Because of Bill's management



changes with K-Mart, they lived in PA, NJ, CT, NY, MA and FL.

Travel has been the highlight of their lives as they have been to 41 countries and love to visit their grown grandchildren.

Despite all the international travel, her favorite foods are the good 'ole American hamburger and pizza! Marlene likes to read, enjoys Bible studies and Precepts, along with serving with the ministries at Fairway.

Her favorite Bible scripture is Jeremiah 29: 11- 13. Her favorite hero is her Father as he taught her everything about God, kindness, forgiveness, and faith in others. Marlene also shared with us that her favorite goal and aspiration was to be an airline stewardess and then get married and have five children.

She was raised Catholic at Our Lady of Peace. She became a member of Fairway 11 years ago and was baptized by Paster Mark Fessler in February of 2014. Marlene and Bill attend Saturday evening church service; however, you can often find Marlene in the Audio booth during church services. Be sure to wave and say hello!

Fairway Women have a Friday executive golf group. If you would like to join us please sign up at the Kiosk in the Gathering Hall or on our website. We will contact you in an email each week to determine if you want to play on the following Friday and add you to the golf request.

Just a friendly reminder that an event form must be submitted & approved before a room can be reserved.

# Creative Card Ministry

Next Meeting: July 3, 2025; 10am-12pm Meeting in Fellowship Hall

This ministry is for anyone who is interested in learning how to make basic greeting cards that are versatile enough for all occasions. No experience required.

Supplies are available for newcomers. You can sign up at one of the kiosks, or our website: Fairwaycc.org or call Kathy Gaubatz at 352-459-7000. Creative Card is not meeting in June.