

# *Options Resource Center*

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*Pregnancy and Sexual Health*  
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## **April Post-It!**

**The United Way Contributor Choice # 802 928**

A bi-monthly mini-newsletter designed to keep you posted on Center news, activities and any needs the Center may have.

### Office Hours

**Tuesday and Thursday 11am to 9pm**

### **Message from the Director:** Rev. Rebecca Reed, PhD

When Jesus saw the crowds, He went up...a mountain. Matthew 5:1 Before going to the masses Jesus went to the mountain. Before ministering to the crowd, He drew strength from the Father. Have you learned to do that? Before getting caught up in the daily rat race, make time for a "sacred summit" with the Father. (Bob Gass, The Word for Today, Vol III, March 12)

### **Spring Fundraisers: April 18<sup>th</sup> Ride for Life...** given by the **One-Way Riders of the Mon Valley;**

**Place:** Bible Alliance Church on Route 31; **Time:** Sign ups at 11:00, ride leaves at 12:00 and returns to the Church at 2:00 for Spaghetti Dinner...; **Donation** \$15.00 per Motorcycle, \$5.00 per Rider and Walk-ins \$5.00. For more information about this ride call Wayne at 724-777-6093 or Dave at 724-255-1355.

**May 3<sup>rd</sup> Walk for Life...** **Place:** Cedar Creek Park, Pavilion # 17; **Time:** Sunday at 12:30, registration and lunch right after Church; Walk begins at 1:00. For more information about sponsoring a walker or walking yourself call Mary at the Center at 724-258-7277.

**National Volunteer Week** is April 19<sup>th</sup> – 25<sup>th</sup>. We are proud to extend our heart felt gratitude to all of our dedicated and devoted volunteers. The volunteer with the most hours was Susan Randolph with 214 hours, second highest hours was Linda Leggett with 134 hours and third highest was Kim Drischler with 128 hours. Our special **THANK YOU** goes out to **all** those who have answered the call to serve the Lord here at Options Resource Center. May the Lord Bless you and your Families.

**Needs:** Spring is the time for new life. Here at the pregnancy center we're always pregnant or giving life, Bless Jesus we're multiplying. With multiplying comes growth and change. We have just moved our reception area around a little to meet our growing needs and it certainly needs a great deal of work. We are in need of waiting room chairs, artificial plants and up lifting pictures, an area rug with green and burgundy colors. Our desire is to have our clients feel welcome and peaceful. A 19" TV for a DVD and VCR connection only is also needed for a counseling office. We need governing and advisory board members, volunteers, sponsors for the Walk and financial support.

**Prayer Requests:** As the Lord told Joshua, "Have I not commanded you? Be strong and courageous. Do not be terrified; do not be discouraged, for the Lord your God will be with you wherever you go." (Joshua 1:9) Our request is that you will stand with us on this mission field to bring resources to those who are trying to find their way.