

# Support Group Information

## **Woman to Woman**

An education and support group for breast cancer survivors. For more information, please call 574-257-9789.

When: 2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday of the month

Time: 7 – 8:30 p.m.

Where: Grace United Methodist Church, Twyckenham Drive, South Bend

## **Bosom Buddies**

A breast cancer support group. Women's Cancer Task Force 574-472-6095; Memorial Regional Breast Care Center 574-647-6850, ext. 2.

When: 2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday of the month

Time: 12:30 p.m.

Where: Tippecanoe Place, 620 W. Washington Ave., South Bend

## **Breast Cancer Survivors Support Group**

For more information, call Cathy Bair at 269-683-2959.

When: 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday of the month

Time: 2 p.m.

Where: First Baptist Church of Niles, 1446 E. Main Street, Niles, MI

## **Women in Touch**

Support group for women facing cancer. For information, call 574-647-6943.

When: 1<sup>st</sup> Tuesday of the month

Time: 5:30 – 6:30 p.m.

Where: Memorial Leighton Center, 534 N. Michigan St., South Bend

## **Young Survivors**

A breast cancer support group. Contacts: Lisa Lerman, 574-232-8450 or Kim Zobrosky, 574-251-0916 or e-mail: kimberlyzobrosky@sbcglobal.net.

When: 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday of the month

Time: 6:30 p.m.

Where: Pavillion II, 707 E. Cedar St., South Bend

## **Tell-A-Friend**

A program designed to increase the compliance rate of women over 40 in getting a mammogram. For more information, call 574-257-9789.

## **Metastatic Cancer/Spirituality Group**

For more information, call the Women's Cancer Task Force at 574-472-6095; contact Valerie Cope at 574-277-6038.

## **Road to Recovery**

Volunteer American Cancer Society drivers provide free transportation for cancer patients. Road to Recovery volunteers can drive patients to and from treatments, cancer screenings and cancer-related checkups. For more information, please call 877-499-4673.

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## **Reach to Recovery**

Volunteer breast cancer survivors provide support and share experiences in a one-on-one visitation program for women with breast cancer. For more information, call 877-499-4673 or 574-257-9789.

## **Companions on the Journey**

A cancer survivor support group. Contact Georgette Griffie at 574-243-3435.

When: 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday of the month

Time: 11 – noon

Where: Little Flower Catholic Church, 54191 Ironwood Rd., South Bend

## **Look Good...Feel Better**

This program provides information and cosmetic advice to women battling cancer treatments. This training includes hands-on instruction on makeup, skin care, and suggestions for using wigs, turbans, scarves and nail care. Cosmetics are provided FREE OF CHARGE and facilitated by trained, licensed cosmetologists (American Cancer Society volunteers). Free wigs provided at the end of Look Good...Feel Better class. Women are invited to try on new wigs and choose one to take home FREE OF CHARGE.

Registration is requested. Space is limited. To register, call 877-499-1673.

## **Man to Man**

A support group for prostate cancer survivors in the Michiana area. For more information, please call 877-499-4673.

When: 1<sup>st</sup> Thursday of the month

Time: 7 – 8 p.m.

Where: Michiana Hematology Oncology, 922 E. Colfax Ave., South Bend

## **All Cancers**

Adult blood related cancers (Leukemia, Lymphoma, Multiple Myeloma and Myelodysplastic Syndrome). For more information, call 800-846-7764. Contact: Abbie Pancoast.

When: 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday of the Month.

Time: 6 – 7 p.m.

Where: Memorial Leighton Center, 534 N. Michigan Street, South Bend

## **Brain Cancer**

Contact the American Brain Tumor Association at 800-866-2282 or [info@abta.org](mailto:info@abta.org).

## **Head & Neck Cancer**

Nutone Laryngectomy Club. For more information, contact Jill Ross at 574-647-7333 or RiverBend Cancer Services at 574-287-4197.

## **Pediatric Cancer**

Camp Catch A Rainbow. A campground located in Michigan, and a young adult retreat at Saint Mary's College. Available FREE to any child in Indiana or Michigan who has, or has had, cancer between the ages of 4 – 20, with their doctor's approval. For more information, call 800-723-0360 or e-mail: [katiwilson@cancer.org](mailto:katiwilson@cancer.org).

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## **Make-A-Wish Foundation**

For more information, please call 800-722-WISH or visit [www.wish.org](http://www.wish.org).

## **Ronald McDonald Family Room at Memorial Hospital**

Visit the third floor at Memorial Hospital or call 574-647-3020.

## **Ostomy Club**

For dates, times of meetings, or other information, call Sue Stelton at Memorial Hospital, 574-647-3156

Where: Memorial Leighton Center, 534 N. Michigan Street, South Bend.

## **Fresh Start**

A FREE, on-site smoking cessation program, offered to local businesses. Registration is required by calling 574-257-9789.

## **Center for Hospice and Paliative Care**

For local information, call 574-243-3100 or visit [www.centerforhospite.org](http://www.centerforhospite.org).

## **National Cancer Survivors Day**

A national event that takes place locally for cancer survivors on the first Sunday of June each year. For local information, call 574-247-6047.

## **American Cancer Society- Indiana**

Serving St. Joseph, Elkhart, Fulton, Kosciusko, LaPorte, Marshall, Palaski and Starke Counties. Call 574-257-9789 or 800-ACS-2345 or visit [www.cancer.org](http://www.cancer.org).

## **American Cancer Society-Michigan**

Serving Berrien, Calhoun, Cass, Kalamazoo, St. Joseph and VanBuren Counties. Call 269-349-8719 or 800-465-5244 or visit [www.cancer.org](http://www.cancer.org).

## **RiverBend Cancer Services**

For all cancer support services, call 574-287-4197.

## **Someone I Love Has Cancer – Family Healing Program**

For all or part of the immediate family living at home: the family member with cancer, their spouse or significant other, and all children. Any individual family member or combination of family members can use these three free sessions. For more information, call 574-647-7959.