Grief Support DIRECTORY

A COMPREHENSIVE LIST OF BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT GROUPS WITHIN THE DIOCESE OF GREEN BAY

Group membership is open to people of all faith traditions who have recently experienced the loss of a loved one. We would like to ensure a welcoming presence for you.

As these dates are planned for in advance, please confirm the dates and times prior to attendance. Many parishes and host sites will be adding additional groups throughout the year. Please call the names listed for future group offerings.

For more information or questions about a particular bereavement support group, please contact the parish or organization hosting the sessions. If you would like to include a group in this directory, please contact:

Mary Armbrust, Pastoral Care Ministry Coordinator
MArmbrust@gbdioc.org | (920) 272-8300

1825 RIVERSIDE DRIVE  ■  P.O. BOX 23825  ■  GREEN BAY, WI 54305-3825
920-437-7531  ■  WWW.GBDIOC.ORG
Please note: Teddy Bears indicate programs for those who have suffered the loss of a child, experienced a miscarriage or stillbirth or programs specifically designed for children who have lost a loved one.

**Algoma**

**Healing Your Broken Heart – St. Mary Parish**
A six week session which offers grief support for adults who have experienced the loss of a loved one.
Donna Moran, (920) 723-1948, morandr286@gmail.com or June Harmann, (920) 487-5507
St. Mary Parish (Pastoral Ministry Office in the School), 118 Church St., Algoma, WI 54201
Beginning the first Thursday in October.
Call for more information and to register.

**Bereavement Ministry - Sacred Heart Parish**
Volunteers contact families who have suffered a loss.
Kelly Koszalinski, (920) 739-3196, ext. 139, faith@sacredheartappleton.com, www.sacredheartappleton.com
Sacred Heart Parish, 222 E. Fremont St., Appleton, WI 54915-1890
We provide condolences, visitation and ongoing support in the name of our parish.
A monthly mailing is offered to families over the course of the first year to help them through the grieving process.
Call the parish for more information or visit the website.

**Grief Gathering - St. Bernadette & St. Therese Parishes**
A three week support group for those who have lost a friend, family member or loved one.
This support group is offered two times per year in spring and fall at various parish locations in Appleton.
Tina Poppe, (920) 733-8568, tina.poppe@st-therese.com
Call or email for more information and to register.

**Living With Loss - Theda Care at Home Hospice**
A six week group offering support to adults who have experienced the loss of a loved one.
Jonathan Elmer, (920) 730-3408, jonathan.elmer@thedacare.org
Please call Jonathan for meeting dates, more information and to register.

**Miscarriage, Infant, Child Loss Memorial – St. Bernard Parish**
Memorial for those who have lost a child at any age. We welcome you to attend our prayer and remembrance service.
(920) 739-0331, stbernard@stbernardappleton.org, www.stbernardappleton.org
St. Bernard Parish, 1617 W. Pine St., Appleton, WI 54914
Held the first week of November.
Gathering starts at 6:00 pm and Prayer Service at 6:30 pm
Call for more information and to register.

**Pathway to Peace – St. Elizabeth Hospital**
A memorial service held three times per year for those who have experienced a miscarriage or stillbirth.
Amy Farley, (920) 738-2094, amy.farley@ascension.org
St. Elizabeth Hospital or St. Joseph Cemetery
Contact Amy Farley for information on dates and times.

**Remembering Through Sharing - Appleton Medical Center & Theda Clark Medical Center**
Walk to Remember – Fall event
RTS Coordinator, (920) 729-2087, rts@thedacare.org, www.thedacare.org
Please call for more information and to register.

**Support Group for Siblings**
Support group for Siblings to cope with the loss of a loved one (brother, sister, brother/sister-in-law, cousin) by suicide.
Jeanette Potts, jmpotts@preventsuicidefoxcities.org, Prevent Suicide Fox Cities, 211 E. Franklin St., Appleton, WI 54911
2nd Wednesday of the month from 6-8 pm
Visit our website at www.preventsuicidefoxcities.org or call (920) 931-2552 for more information.

**S.O.S.) Survivors of Suicide Support Group - Center for Suicide Awareness**
Group for family/friends/coworkers of those who have died by suicide.
Barb Bigalke, (920) 475-4748, barb@centerforsuicideawareness.org, www.centerforsuicideawareness.org
Unitarian Universalist Church, 2600 E. Philip Ln., Appleton, WI 54915
2nd Monday of the month, 6:30 - 8:30 pm
Free of Charge. For more information go to our website.
Survivors After Suicide Support Group - Appleton
General support group after a suicide loss on the 1st and 3rd Thursdays of the month
Sibling support group (to cope w/ the loss of a brother, sister, brother-in-law, sister-in-law, cousin by suicide) meets on the 2nd Wednesday of the month.
Support groups meet from 6-8 p.m. at Prevent Suicide Fox Cities, 211 E. Franklin St., Suite F, Appleton, WI 54911
Visit our website at www.preventsuicidefoxcities.org or call (920) 931-2552 for more information.

THEO (To Help Each Other) Group - St. Mary Parish
Support/learning for those who have lost a loved one.
Donna Nemecek, (920) 739-2093, dmntheo@aol.com or Ginger Stern, (920) 858-6213 or ging1219@aol.com
St. Mary Parish (Community Room), 312 S. State St., Appleton, WI 54911
1st and 3rd Monday of the month, 6:30 pm
Non-denominational. Free of charge.

We Remember Pregnancy & Infant Loss Support
A parent-led group providing mutual support and a safe place to share for those who have experienced the loss of a child through miscarriage, ectopic or molar pregnancy, stillbirth, or newborn death and support for those who try to conceive again.
Vince & Sarah Salvia, (920) 205-8825, support@we-remember.org, Facebook: We Remember Pregnancy and Infant Loss Support Appleton Public Library, 225 N. Oneida St., Appleton, WI 54911, www.we-remember.org
2nd Wednesday of the month, 6:30 pm

Youth Survivors of Suicide Support Group - Center for Suicide Awareness
Open to ages 10 - 18 years old who have been affected by loss due to suicide.
Barb Bigalke, (920) 475-4748, barb@centerforsuicideawareness.org, www.centerforsuicideawareness.org
Unitarian Universalist Fellowship, 2600 E. Philip Ln., Appleton, WI 54915
3rd Monday of the month, 6:30 – 8:00 pm
Free of Charge. Pre-registration is required.

Cecil

Seasons of Hope - Grief Support
A support group for those who are grieving, cancer survivors and their families.
Deacon Mike Grzeca, (715) 745-6681, stmartin_cecil@frontiernet.net
St. Martin of Tours Parish, 407 S. Warrington Ave., Cecil, WI 54111
Meetings are held weekly on Sunday after 9:00 am Mass
Please call or email for more information.

Chilton

The Empty Chair Grief Support Group
This is a general grief support group. Anyone at any point in their journey of grief is invited to attend.
Wieting Family Funeral Home in Chilton (Enter in back of the building), 411 W. Main St., Chilton, WI 53014
1st Monday of odd calendar months, 6:30 - 8:00 pm. www.wieting-funeralhome.com
For more information visit our website.

Clintonville

Journeying through Grief - St. Rose Parish
Support group for those grieving the death of a loved one.
Sue (715) 752-4422 or Linda (715) 754-5380
Spring sessions will be held at St. Rose Parish Gathering Space, 140 Auto St., Clintonville, WI 54929
Fall sessions will be held at St. Mary School, 207 W. Tielky Street, Bear Creek, WI 54922
Please call for current schedule. Registration not required but encouraged.

Denmark/Cooperstown

Circle of Faith Support Group - St. James Parish
Support group for those who have lost a friend, family member or loved one. Everyone is welcome.
Tom Bekkers, (920) 660-8066, stjamescoop@tm.net, www.circle-of-faith.org
St. James Parish, 18228 County Rd. R, Cooperstown, WI 54208, (920) 863-2585
Please call for more information.
De Pere

Unity Hospice, 2366 Oak Ridge Cir., De Pere, WI 54115
Lisa McMahon, (920) 338-1111 or 1-800-990-9249, bereavement@unityhospice.org, www.unityhospice.org
Note: Registration is required for all groups

Hope and the Holidays
A 5-week support group. Topics: grief around the holidays, traditions, self-care and finding hope.
Tuesday afternoon (1:30-3) or evening sessions (6-7:30) in starting in November.
Please call for current schedule or visit our website www.unityhospice.org.

Generations - Hope for Grieving Families
A monthly program designed to support grieving families with children ages 6 - 18 years old. A complimentary dinner will be served at the beginning of each meeting. Separate groups are then held concurrently for parents/guardians, teens and children.
2nd Thursday of the month from 5:30 - 7:30 pm.

Grief Connection
An ongoing grief support group for adults.
3rd Thursday of each month, 1:30 - 3:00 pm or 6:00 – 7:30 pm
**Please note: It is recommended, although not mandatory, that participants first attend a five-week session of Navigating the Waters of Grief.

Healing Thru the Arts
Creative grief support group for adults led by a grief counselor.
4th Thursday of the month, 10:00am - 12:00 pm or 2:00 - 4:00 pm

Navigating Grief
Meets five consecutive Tuesdays from 1:30 – 3:00 p.m. or 6:00 – 7:30 p.m. throughout the year in DePere
Topics include common reactions to grief, memories, coping and adjusting to new roles, self-care, traditions and finding hope.

Understanding Grief
Monthly support group for adults held in multiple locations
Held monthly on Wednesdays in Wausaukee, Marinette, Sturgeon Bay and Gillett

Women’s Luncheon
Monthly gathering for bereaved women for informal conversation and support.
Meets the 3rd Wednesday from Noon-1:30 pm at a local Green Bay restaurant. Purchase lunch off the menu.

De Pere

Grief Support - Our Lady of Lourdes
Deacon Mike Vander Bloomen, (920) 336-4033, parish@lourdesdepere.org
Our Lady of Lourdes Parish, 1307 Lourdes Ave., De Pere, WI 54115
Please call for more information.

Light for the Longest Night - An Ecumenical Celebration of the Coming of the Christ Child for those who are suffering from any Loss or Sorrow
➢ Thursday, December 19, 2019 @ 7 pm
A quiet celebration of Christmas for those who are suffering from any kind of loss. The Christmas holidays can be a difficult time for those who are grieving: this service, on the longest night of the year, celebrates the birth of Jesus in a sensitive, yet joyful way.
Deacon Mary Lynn Adams, DcnMaryLynn@gmail.com, (920) 336-9571, www.stannes.us
St. Anne Episcopal Church, 347 S. Libal St., De Pere, WI 54115
Open to all. St. Anne is an inclusive Episcopal congregation.

Fond du Lac

Agnesian HealthCare a Member of SSM Health
1161 W. Johnson St., Fond du Lac, WI 54935, (920) 907-3940, agnesian.com/bereavement

Grief Matters Monthly Grief Support Groups
1st Thursday of each month, 6:00 - 7:30 pm

Grief Relief Peer Support for Grieving Children and Families
Call for more information at (920) 907-3940
**Grief Relief in Schools**
For more information on grief relief support in area schools, call (920) 907-3940

**Individual Appointments Available**
Please call to schedule an appointment at (920) 907-3940

**Resolve Through Sharing**
For those who have experienced a miscarriage, stillborn or infant death.
3rd Monday of the month, 6:00 - 7:30 pm

**Spouse/Partner Grief Support Group**
1st Wednesday of the month, 1:00 – 2:30 pm
3rd Wednesday of the month, 6:00 – 7:30 pm
For more information on any of the grief support groups listed, contact the Bereavement Center at (920) 907-3940 or e-mail us at agn-bereavement@ssmhealth.com

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**Gillett**

**Understanding Grief**
A grief support group offered for adults who have experienced the loss of a loved one.
Lisa McMahon, (920) 338-1111 or 1-800-990-9249, www.unityhospice.org
Held monthly on Wednesdays.
Registration required. Please call for current schedule or visit our website.

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**Green Bay**

**AseraCare Hospice**
Bereavement counseling to support people with emotional and psychological stresses following the death of a loved one.
Mandy Sarazen, (920) 339-9065, amanda.sarazen@aseracare.com, www.aseracare.com
2633 Development Dr., Suite 10, Green Bay, WI 54311  Please call for more information.
➢ 2nd Wednesday of the month at 2 pm @ the ADRC. All are welcome. Free of charge. RSVP appreciated.
➢ 2nd Thursday of the month at 10 am @ Bay View Lutheran Church, Sturgeon Bay. Loss of a Spouse Grief Support. Free of charge. RSVP is appreciated

**Aurora At Home Support Group**
Facilitated by Lisa Falk, APSW, Grief Support Specialist, lisa.falk@aurora.org
Bay Care Hospital, 2845 Greenbrier Road, Green Bay
Mondays 2-3:30 in the Chapel
Series 1:
Series 2:
➢ May 13, 27
➢ June 10, 24
➢ July 8, 22
Series 3:
➢ September 9, 23
➢ October 14, 28
➢ November 11, 25

**Camp Lloyd - University of Wisconsin, Green Bay**
Week long day camp for children, ages 7-14 years old who are grieving the death of a loved one.
Sponsored by the University of Wisconsin - Green Bay
Illene Cupit, (920) 465-2703, cupiti@uwgb.edu, www.uwgb.edu/cemployd
Mauthe/Ecumenical Center on UWGB Campus, 2420 Nicolet Dr., Green Bay, WI 54302
Camp Lloyd is held in June. For more information and to register go to our website.

**From Mourning to Hope - Central Church**
A ministry to help people recover from the grief associated with the death of a loved one.
Seminars include: Grief and Essential Oils; GriefShare: Surviving the Holiday, How to Walk with the Bereaved, Introduction to Grief; Recovering from the Losses in Life: H. Norman Wright, Surviving the Holidays for Children (ages 5-12), The Birdhouse Project (ages 13 and up), The Journey of Grief
Support Groups include: GriefShare and Walking through Grief
Socials include: Brunch formation, second Saturday of odd months and Comfort on the Longest Night held December 2017.
Curtis, (920) 737-2790, griefinfo@gmail.com, www.FromMourningToHope.com.
**GriefShare - Pilgrim Lutheran Church**
A series of 14 informative video/support sessions for adults who are grieving the death of someone close.
Linda Siegmann, (920) 965-2233, PSiegmann@new.rr.com, www.griefshare.org
Pilgrim Lutheran Church, 1731 St. Agnes Dr., Green Bay, WI 54304, www.pilgrimluth.com
Mondays 6:30 - 8:00 pm
You may start at anytime, all are welcome. A fee for materials may apply. Please call to register.

**Healing Your Grieving Heart - Resurrection & St. Matthew Parishes**
Five week sessions offer grief support for adults who have experienced the loss of a loved one.
Sheila DeLuca, (920) 336-7768, sdeluca@gbres.org or Ann Froelich, (920) 435-6811, annrfrigelch@gmail.com
Resurrection Parish (park in back parking lot), 333 Hilltop Dr., Green Bay, WI 54301
Fall 2019 – To be announced early summer 2019
Please call to register.

**Grief Support - St. Philip the Apostle Parish**
Three week session held in August and four week session held in January in the afternoon.
Bernie Connelly-Hock and Sr. Helen Keyzer, (920) 468-7848, ext. 214, srhelen@gmail.com
St. Philip Parish (St. Philip’s Room), 312 Victoria St., Green Bay, WI 54302
Please call for more information. Registration is appreciated.

**Journey Through Grief Support Group - St. Bernard Parish**
Five week sessions offer grief support for all those who have suffered the death of a loved one.
Sr. Caroline Castellini, (920) 468-4811, ext. 103, caroline@stbernardcong.org
St. Bernard (Parish Office), 440 St. Bernard St. (Corner of Hillside Ln. and St. Bernard St.), Green Bay, WI 54302
- Tuesdays, 6:30-8:00 pm
- Dates TBD
Please call to register.

**Life Losses Grief Support Group - SS. Edward and Isidore Parish**
Grieving can happen at any stage in your life, whether it is the death loss of a loved one, loss of a job, ending a relationship, etc.
Join with other adults for three weeks to share and support each other through the grieving process.
SS. Edward and Isidore Parish, 3667 Flintville Rd., Green Bay, WI 54313
Carol Mueller, RN, cmueller@stedwardsisdore.org
Lori Flanagan, lflanagan@stedwardsisdore.org
- Dates and times to be announced
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Please call the parish office to register (920) 865-7844.

**Miscarriage and Infant Loss Memorial - Resurrection Parish**
This memorial is open to all faiths. There will be special prayers and annual planting to remember the loss of the loved infants.
Sheila DeLuca, (920) 336-7768, sdeluca@gbres.org
Resurrection Parish, 333 Hilltop Dr., Green Bay, WI 54301
The first Sunday in June at 9:30 am in the memorial garden on the south side of the church.
Please call or email to register.

**New Hope Grief Group - Quad Parishes of Green Bay**
Ecumenical grief support group open to anyone who has lost a loved one. The meetings provide invaluable information about the grief journey and help participants deal more effectively with changes that accompany the death of the loved one.
Sr. Pat Clement, (920) 496-2160, pclement@allofuswestgb.org
Annunciation Site, 1087 Kellogg St., Room 105, Green Bay, WI 54303
- Dates and times to be announced
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Please call to register at (920) 496-2160.

**Serenity Bereavement Support Group - St. John the Baptist Parish**
Support group for anyone grieving the death of a loved one.
Ruth Holloway, (920) 434-2145, ext 209, rholloway@sjbh.org
St. John the Baptist Parish, 2597 Glendale Ave., Green Bay, WI 54313
Please call for more information.
Share Pregnancy & Infant Loss Support Program - St. Vincent Hospital
For parents who have lost a baby through miscarriage, stillbirth or infant death.
Theresa Shuck, (920) 433-8634, theresa.shuck@hshs.org, Facebook: Share of Northeast Wisconsin
St. Vincent Hospital, 835 S. VanBuren St., Green Bay, WI 54307
2nd Thursday of the month, 7:00 pm
Follow signs to the meeting room.

(S.O.S.) Survivors of Suicide Support Group
Support group for family and friends to cope with the loss of a loved one by suicide.
Mary Doemel, (920) 339-8952, mdoemel2@new.rr.com
Bellin Administrative Building (2nd Floor, Room 129), 2020 S. Webster Ave., Green Bay, WI 54301
3rd Monday of the month, 7:00 – 8:30 pm

The Compassionate Friends - Green Bay Chapter
For siblings, parents and grandparents grieving the loss of a child
First United Methodist Church, 501 Howe St., Green Bay, WI 54301
3rd Tuesday of the month, 7:00 - 9:00 pm
Call for more information.

Women’s Luncheon - Unity Hospice
A monthly opportunity for bereaved women to gather at a local restaurant for informal conversation and support. Lunch is available for purchase off the menu.
Lisa McMahon, (920) 338-1111 or 1-800-990-9249, bereavement@unityhospice.org, www.unityhospice.org
3rd Wednesday of the month, 12:00 - 1:30 pm
Call the Unity office for location.

Greenville

Grief Support - St. Mary Parish
A non-denominational four week support group for those who have lost a family member, loved one or a friend. This program is offered twice a year: Fall and Spring. Everyone is welcome.
St. Mary Parish, (920) 757-6555, ext 205, griefsupport@stmarygreenville.org
Please call or email for more information.

Humboldt

Name, Claim, Reframe Grief Support Group - St. Thomas the Apostle
A support group for those grieving the loss of a loved one. All are welcome.
Cheryl Maricque, (920) 217-8164, parish.ministries@threecatholicchurches.com
St. Thomas the Apostle Parish, 5930 Humboldt Rd., Luxemburg, WI 54217
Dates and times to be announced
Please call to register or for more information.

Kaukauna

Elizabeth Ministry Prenatal Bereavement and Miscarriage/Infant or Child Death Bereavement Services
Provide burial and bereavement resources for those grieving the death of an unborn child, infant or child.
(920) 766-9380, info@elizabethministry.com, www.elizabethministry.com
Elizabeth Ministry Retreat & Resource Center, 120 W. 8th St., Kaukauna, WI 54130
Please call for more information or visit our website.

Journey of Hope - St. Paul Elder Services
St. Paul Grief Support Group is open to those served by St. Paul Elder Service and the community at large. Journey of Hope provides an opportunity to establish connections with others who have experienced loss, to share stories, to give and receive support and to promote good self care.
Sue Grasse, CSW, Bereavement Coordinator, (920) 766-6180, susangr@stpaulelders.org, www.stpaulelders.org
St. Paul Villa Chapel, 316 E. Fourteenth St., Kaukauna, WI 54130
3rd Tuesday of the month, 9:45 am
Call Sue for additional information.
# Kewaunee

**Healing Your Broken Heart**
A six-week session which offers grief support for adults who have experienced the loss of a loved one.
Donna Moran, (920) 723-1948, morandr286@gmail.com or June Harmann, (920) 487-5507
Holy Rosary Parish, in the Bridal Room in Father Mike Hall, 521 Juneau Street, Kewaunee
*Call for more information and to register.*

**Understanding Grief**
A grief support group offered for adults who have experienced the loss of a loved one.
Lisa McMahon, (920) 338-1111 or 1-800-990-9249, [www.unityhospice.org](http://www.unityhospice.org)
2nd Wednesday of each month
*Registration required. Please call for current schedule or visit our website.*

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# Little Chute

**St. John Bereavement Support Group**
We welcome all grieving widows and widowers.
Robin Verbruggen, (920) 419-1017 or Deacon George, (920) 788-9061
St. John Parish (Pine St. Entrance 9, Room 11), 323 Pine St., Little Chute, WI 54140
2nd Thursday of each month, 6:00 - 7:00 pm
*Please call for more information.*

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# Manitowoc

**Aurora At Home Support Group**
A program that provides a safe place to share your loss with others who have also experienced a loss.
Aurora Hospital Manitowoc/Two Rivers, 5000 Memorial Drive, Two Rivers
Tuesdays 1:00 – 2:30 in the Chapel
*Registration not required – walk-ins welcomed*
Facilitated by Lisa Falk, ASPW, Grief Support Specialist @ 920-838-1886

**“Grieve Not Alone” - ADRC of the episc**
*Non-denominational group of volunteers dedicated to the care and support of those who are grieving.*
Lynn Scheinoha, (920) 683-5110, lynn@manitowoc.nid.org
ADRC of the Lakeshore, 1701 Michigan Ave., Manitowoc, WI 54220
2nd Tuesday of the month, Walk-In Sessions, 1:00 -2:00 pm
*Free of charge and RSVP’s are not required. Please call for more information.*

**“Grieve Not Alone” - Manitowoc County**
*Non-denominational group of volunteers dedicated to the care and support of those who are grieving.*
Judy Janowski, (920) 682-3589
Manitowoc Public Library, 707 Quay St., Manitowoc, WI 54220
1st Monday of the month, Walk-In Sessions, 6:00 -7:30 pm in the Franklin Street Room
*Free of charge and RSVP’s are not required. Please call for more information.*

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# Marinette

**Understanding Grief - Unity Hospice**
A grief support group offered for adults who have experienced the loss of a loved one.
Lisa McMahon, (920) 338-1111 or 1-800-990-9249, [www.unityhospice.org](http://www.unityhospice.org)
1st Wednesday of each month
*Registration required. Please call for current schedule or visit our website.*

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# Neenah/Menasha

**A Time to Mourn - Affinity Visiting Nurses**
A six-week program provides information and support, looking at all aspects of the grief experience. Offered periodically throughout the year.
Angela Schuldt, (920) 727-2000 or 1-866-236-8500, Angela.Schuldt@ahah.net, [www.affinityvisitingnurses.org](http://www.affinityvisitingnurses.org)
*Please call for upcoming dates. Pre-registration required.*
**Grief Share - Calvary Bible Church**
Grief Share is a Christ centered 13-week video support group which meets in the Spring and Fall. People are welcome to join at any time during the 13 weeks.
Debbie Smoll, (920) 841-3906 or (920) 725-3896 (church), deb.smoll@gmail.com, www.griefshare.org
Calvary Bible Church (Room 145), 1450 Oakridge Rd., Neenah, WI 54956 (Hwy 41 Exit 132)
Park in the rear lot and enter through Door #6. Turn left down the hall to the Conference Room.

**GriefShare – St. Gabriel Parish**
The GriefShare program is open for all types of loss of a loved one. The sessions run for 13 weeks and meet at St. Gabriel parish from 6-8 p.m. on designated dates. **Participants can start at any time. Each week's topic stands alone.**
Mary Ellen Brown, (920) 719-1531, brownmaryellen47@yahoo.com, www.griefshare.org
St. Gabriel Parish, 900 Geiger St., Neenah, WI 54956
Call St. Gabriel Parish Office at (920) 722-4914 for dates.

**Loss of a Spouse**
To begin in late August. Contact Mary Ellen Brown at 920-719-1531 or brownmaryellen47@yahoo.com

**Men Journeying Through Grief - Affinity Visiting Nurses**
A unique support opportunity for men only. An open gathering of men who have experienced the death of a loved one.
Gatherings include a home-cooked meal followed by sharing of grief information and support resources.
Angela Schuldt, (920) 727-2000 or 1-866-236-8500, Angela.Schuldt@ahah.net, www.affinityvisitingnurses.org
Affinity Visiting Nurses Office, 816 W. Winneconne Ave., Neenah, WI 54956
1st Wednesday of the month, 6:00 - 8:00 pm
Pre-registration appreciated for meal planning purposes. Call for more information. Free of charge.

**Night of Remembrance - St. Patrick Parish**
Mary Krueger, (920) 725-8381, ext. 102, marykrueger@stpatricksmenasha.org
St. Patrick Parish (meet in gathering area of church), 320 Nicolet Blvd., Menasha, WI 54952
Date and Time to be determined.
Registration is required to have enough candles and programs for all.

**Remembering Through Sharing - Appleton Medical Center & Theda Clark Medical Center**
Candlelight Memorial Service
RTS Coordinator, (920) 729-2087, rts@thedacare.org, www.thedacare.org.
Bridgewood Resort Hotel and Conference Center, 1000 Cameron Way, Neenah, WI 54956
Date and Time to be determined.
Please call to register at 1-800-236-2236 or visit our website.

**(S.O.S.L) Survivors of Suicide Loss Support Group**
Group for family/friends/coworkers of those who have died by suicide.
This group is facilitated by a professional counselor, free of charge, pre-registration is not required. All are welcome!
Debbie Peters, Executive Director, (920) 230-4840, www.communityforhope.org
First Presbyterian Church (please use the Doty Street entrance), 200 Church St., Neenah, WI 54956
2nd Thursday of the month, 6:30 - 8:00 pm
Call Debbie for more information.

**Oconto/Oconto Falls**

**Understanding Grief - Unity Hospice**
A grief support group offered for adults who have experienced the loss of a loved one.
Lisa McMahon, (920) 338-1111 or 1-800-990-9249, www.unityhospice.org
3rd Wednesday of each month, 12:30 - 2:00 pm
Registration required. Please call for current schedule or visit our website.

**Aurora At Home Support Group**
A program that provides a safe place to share your loss with others who have also experienced a loss.
Aurora Medical Center, 855 N. Westhaven Drive, Oshkosh
Mondays from 10:30 a.m. – Noon in the Chapel
Registration not required – walk-ins welcomed
Facilitated by Lisa Falk, ASPW, Grief Support Specialist @ 920-838-1886
**Grief Support Drop-in Group**
This is a grief support group for anyone experiencing the loss of a loved one.
Angela Schuldt, (920) 727-2000 or 1-866-236-8500, Angela.Schuldt@ahah.net, www.affinityvisitingnurses.org
Oshkosh Senior Center, 200 N. Campbell Rd., Oshkosh, WI 54902
1st and 3rd Thursday of the month, 1:00 - 2:30 pm
Please call or email for more information.

**(S.O.S.L) Survivors of Suicide Loss Support Group - Community for Hope of Greater Oshkosh**
Group for family/friends/coworkers of those who have died by suicide.
This group is facilitated by a professional counselor, free of charge, pre-registration is not required. All are welcome!
Debbie Peters, Executive Director, (920) 230-4840, www.communityforhope.org
Community For Hope Offices, 2700 W. 9th Ave., Suite 100, Oshkosh, WI 54904
3rd Thursday of the month, 6:30 - 8:00 pm
Call Debbie for more information.

**Ripon**

**Grief Matters Support Group**
Ripon Medical Center, 845 Parkside St., Ripon, WI 54971, bereavement@agnesian.com, www.agnesian.com/bereavement
2nd Tuesday of the month, 1:00 - 2:30 pm
Please call for more information or visit our website.

**Seymour**

**Debbie Boettcher Bereavement Provider - Muehl-Boettcher Funeral Home**
Debbie Boettcher, (920) 833-2328, office@muehlboettcher.com, www.muehlboettcher.com
Muehl Boettcher Funeral Home, 358 S. Main St., Seymour, WI 54165
Please call for more information or visit our website.

**Shawano**

**Living With Loss - Theda Care at Home Hospice**
A six week support group offering support to adults who have experienced the loss of a loved one.
Sarah Lederer, (920) 716-2783, sarah.lederer@thedacare.org
Please call to register or for more information.

**Understanding Grief**
A grief support group offered for adults who have experienced the loss of a loved one.
Lisa McMahon, (920) 338-1111 or 1-800-990-9249, www.unityhospice.org
4th Wednesday of each month
Registration required. Please call for current schedule or visit our website.

**Sheboygan & Sheboygan Falls**

**Compassionate Parents Support Group**
A peer-led support group for parents and families who have experienced the death of a child.
Open Door, 817 N. 8th St., Sheboygan, WI 53081
2nd Monday of the month, 6:30 pm
Prior to first meeting and for more information, please contact Mental Health America (920) 458-3951.

**Cup of Feelings - Children's Grief Support Group**
A group that provides children and teens the information and support they need for grieving the loss of a friend or loved one.
Marianne Brandt, Spiritual Care and Bereavement Coordinator, (920) 467-7950
Sharon S. Richardson Community Hospice Center, W2850 State Rd. 28, Sheboygan Falls, WI 53085, (920) 467-1800
1st Tuesday of the month from 4:00 - 5:30 pm for ages 5 - 11 years old.
2nd Thursday of the month from 4:00 - 5:30 pm for ages 12-17 years old.
Registration required at first meeting.
Private Grief Counseling is also available; please call (920) 467-1800.

**Cup of Hope Support Group**
A group that provides grief support and information to individuals experiencing the death of a loved one.
Marianne Brandt, Spiritual Care and Bereavement Coordinator, (920) 467-7950
Sharon S. Richardson Community Hospice Center, W2850 State Rd. 28, Sheboygan Falls, WI 53085, (920) 467-1800
3rd Thursday of the month, 6:00 - 7:30 pm
4th Wednesday of the month, 10:30 am – 12:00 pm
Pre-registration not required and everyone is welcome. Private Grief Counseling is also available; please call (920) 467-1800.
Rainbow Kids, Inc.
A 10 week peer support group for children and adults who are grieving a loss from a difficult life event. When families experience a significant loss due to death, divorce, separation, incarceration or abandonment, Rainbow Kids will guide them through the grieving process by providing coping skills and granting HOPE for the future.
Michele, (920) 452-2838 or rainbowkids@excel.net
Please call to register or for more information. Free services for ages 4 – adult.

Suicide Loss Support Group
A peer-led facilitated support group for those who have lost a loved one to suicide.
Mental Health America, 915 N. 7th St., Sheboygan, WI 53081
Last Monday of the Month, 7:00 - 8:15 pm
RSVP not necessary, all are welcome. Please contact Mental Health America (920) 458-3951 for more information.

Sturgeon Bay

Understanding Grief
A grief support group offered for adults who have experienced the loss of a loved one.
Lisa McMahon, (920) 338-1111 or 1-800-990-9249, www.unityhospice.org
2nd Wednesday of each month
Registration required. Please call for current schedule or visit our website.

Two Rivers

Aurora At Home Support Group
A program that provides a safe place to share your loss with others who have also experienced a loss.
Aurora Hospital Manitowoc/Two Rivers, 5000 Memorial Drive, Two Rivers
Tuesdays 1:00 – 2:30 in the Chapel
Registration not required – walk-ins welcomed
Facilitated by Lisa Falk, ASPW, Grief Support Specialist @ 920-838-1886

St. Peter the Fisherman Parish, 3201 Mishicot Rd., Two Rivers, WI 54241, (920) 793-4531

Grief Support Group
Sheila Bialek @ 920-793-8067, x105 or e-mail sheilab@spfcp.org
1st Monday of the month @ 1 p.m.
Call or e-mail for more information

Healing Waves Grief Support
Marjean King @ 920-323-0126 or the parish office @ 920-793-4531
Spring and Fall sessions.
Call to register.

Rememberance Vigil
Remembrance service for those who have lost a loved one this past year.
Cheryl Kuether, (920) 793-4531
Will be held in November. Call for the date, time and for more information.

Never Alone - Widows and Widowers Group
We gather to connect, strengthen and support each other.
Sheila Bialek, (920) 793-8067, ext 105 or sheilab@spfcp.org
Socials held once a month. Call or email for more information.

Parents Who Have Lost Children
Jenny Weier, (920) 242-1835
Call for meeting dates and information.

(S.O.S.L) Survivors of Suicide Loss Support Group
A grief support group for families and friends who have lost a loved one to suicide.
Rhonda Trader, (920) 860-2771, sosmanitowoc@gmail.com, www.sosmanitowoc.com
Aurora Medical Center, Michigan Conference Room, 1st Floor, 5000 Memorial Drive, Two Rivers, WI 54241
Enter at the Main Entrance and immediately turn left to Michigan Conference Room.
2nd Wednesday of the month, 7:00 - 8:30 pm.
A six-week support group offering support to adults
Please call for more information.
Living With Loss - Theda Care at Home Hospice
A six week support group offering support to adults who have experienced the loss of a loved one.
Sarah Lederer, (920) 716-2783, sarah.lederer@thedacare.org
Please call to register or for more information.

Grief Matters Support Group
Waupun Hospital, 620 W. Brown St., Waupun, WI 53963, bereavement@agnesian.com, www.agnesian.com/bereavement
4th Tuesday of the month, 1:00 - 2:30 pm
Please call for more information or visit our website.

Understanding Grief
A grief support group offered for adults who have experienced the loss of a loved one.
Lisa McMahon, (920) 338-1111 or 1-800-990-9249, bereavement@unityhospice.org, www.unityhospice.org
1st Wednesday of each month
Please call for current schedule or visit our website. Registration required.

Camp HOPE for Kids
A weekend program providing an atmosphere of love and acceptance for children and teenagers to express themselves following the death of a loved one.
Mariah Singer-Brown, (715) 341-0076, camphope89@gmail.com, www.camphopeforkids.org
Wisconsin Lions Camp, Central Wisconsin, P O Box 84, Amherst, WI 54406
Check our website for camp dates and details. Free of charge.

Heartland Hospice Grief Support
Heartland Hospice offers grief support for families who have experienced the loss of a loved one. Offering grief support groups and resources to the community as well as the families we serve through our hospice program.
Bereavement Coordinators, (920) 336-6455
Please contact a Hospice Bereavement Coordinator for current support group opportunities.

Survivors Helping Survivors Support Groups in the Milwaukee Area
Open to all family members and friends of a loved one who has died by suicide. All ages, occupations and religious affiliations welcome. There is no fee; attend as often as you would like.
Mental Health America of Wisconsin in the Milwaukee area. Contact Leah Roland @ 414-336-7970 or leahr@mhawisconsin.org. Visit their website at www.mhawisconsin.org/survivors for days, times, locations.

The Compassionate Friends - Self Help Non-Profit Organization
Offers emotional support and understanding for families grieving the death of a child.
1-877-969-0010, nationaloffice@compassionatefriends.org, www.compassionatefriends.org
Please call or check our website for locations of support groups and more information.
This resource may be found on our website at www.gbdioc.org/griefsupport

Elizabeth Ministry Prenatal Bereavement and Miscarriage/Infant or Child Death Bereavement Services
Provide burial and bereavement resources for those grieving the death of an unborn child, infant or child.
(920) 766-9380, info@elizabethministry.com, www.elizabethministry.com
Elizabeth Ministry Retreat & Resource Center, 120 W. 8th St., Kaukauna, WI 54130
Please call for more information or visit our website.

If you would like your group included in this publication in the future, please contact Pastoral Services at (920) 272-8291 or 1-877-500-3580 ext. 8291.