Memo

Date: August 7, 2023

To: All clergy, religious, parish staff and chancery staff

From: Sue Stubbs, director of Victim Assistance Program, Office of Child

and Youth Protection

Re: CORRECTION: The Way for Women Retreat, September 2023

The memo that was sent out with the materials to advertise The Way Retreat in your parish/ministry last week was an old one from the last retreat, but THE MARKETING MATERIALS YOU RECEIVED IN THE MAIL ARE ALL CORRECT. However, the suggested bulletin announcement was not; please see below for the correct dates and location.

The Office of Child and Youth Protection, Victim Assistance Program, has scheduled a three-day retreat for adult female survivors of abuse September 22-24 at Carmel Retreat Center in Hoschton, Georgia. Registration deadline is Thursday, September 14.

Please review the details of the retreat on our webpage at https://archatl.com/ministries-services/victim-assistance/healing-opportunities/the-way-for-women/ and pass the information on to anyone you may know who could benefit from this program. Within the next few weeks, I will also be mailing you a few posters and a supply of brochures for use in your parish/ministry.

Many past participants of The Way for Women discovered the retreat from an announcement in their parish bulletin, thus I have included below for your consideration a parish bulletin/ministry newsletter announcement.

Thank you for your support of this vital opportunity for survivors of abuse. If you have any questions please contact me at sstubbs@archatl.com or 404-920-7554.

CORRECTED Bulletin Announcement

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