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Date: October 8, 2018

To: Priests, Deacons, Brothers, Sisters, Parish and Chancery Staff

From: Sue Stubbs, Director of Victim Assistance Program, Office of Child & Youth Protection

Re: *The Way for Women: A Healing Retreat for Female Survivors of Abuse*

The Office of Child and Youth Protection, Victim Assistance Program has scheduled a 3-day retreat for adult female survivors of abuse for December 7-9, 2018 at Carmel Retreat Center in Hoschton, Georgia. The registration deadline is December 3, 2018.

Please review the details of the retreat [online](#) and share this information with anyone you may know who could benefit from this program. A few posters and a supply of brochures will be mailed to use in your parish/ministry.

Many past participants of *The Way for Women* discovered the retreat from an announcement in their parish bulletin. Thus, a sample announcement is included below for your bulletin and newsletters.

Thank you for supporting this vital opportunity for survivors of abuse. If you have any questions, please email sstubbs@archatl.com or call 404-920-7554.

Bulletin Announcement

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