

# Multi-County Cancer Support Network, Inc. Bedford, Coffee, Franklin, Grundy, Lincoln, Marion, Moore, Warren

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# Thank You for the Christmas Project Donations

2024 ended as a successful year for Multi-County Cancer Support Network. We appreciate all who gave their support to the two deserving cancer patients and their families that were chosen for the MCCSN Christmas project. The special honorees were presented gift cards, food and miscellaneous items donated by many supporters to make their Christmas brighter. Two additional families received food boxes.

How very thankful MCCSN is to ALL those who make donations. It is through these donations, we can continue to financially assist cancer patients.

The goal of this organization depends on the care and concern for fellow men and women encountering a difficult time in life. With continuing support, 2025 will be just as successful – or more so!

Thank you!

# 2024-2025 Board Members

Departing 2024 board members Ashley Brock, Dan Marshall, Levi Payne and David Williams will be greatly missed.

In addition, we welcome new board members James V. Payne, Katie Smartt and Doug Freund.

Continuing in their elected terms are: Terry Tucker, Carol Davis, Dr. Navid Monajjem, Linda Goodman, Barney O'Keefe, Jeremy Price, Robert Bailey, Dottie Darnell, Barbara Lucas, Amanda Wiseman and Cile Alexander.

Please note the new roster in the column to the left.

Send us your bio if you are interested in being a board member.

**32<sup>nd</sup> Annual Walk-A-Thon** After every Walk-a-thon and during the year, we receive comments like, " How can I help this organization?" or " I did not know how many people MCCSN

helps." This annual event is a success due to the tireless efforts of many volunteers. It is always MCCSN's desire to improve each year. You can assist in these efforts in many ways:

- Organize a new team or join and sponsor walker(s) on an existing team. A team consists of six members contributing \$50.00 each to walk.
- 2) Start contacting your work company, church, civic group, family and friends to sponsor a team this year. Team packets will be mailed in the middle of May. If you would like a packet, please call the office.
- 3) Donate Silent Auction items. We are accepting Silent Auction items now. Your generosity is appreciated!
- 4) Forms for teams, survivor shirts, candles and sponsorships, will be available in the office and the MCCSN website, in the middle of May.
- 5) Pray. Continue to lift in prayer MCCSN, the Walk-A-Thon and especially those battling cancer. We know God is faithful in answering those prayers that bring HIM honor and glory, and that is the primary goal of MCCSN – to honor Him by serving the needs of others.

# MCCSN needs office supplies

We would greatly appreciate donations of office supplies, such as: pens, note pads, scotch tape, black sharpies, paper towels, toilet paper and trash bags.

Thank you for your continued support of MCCSN!

## **OFFICERS**

Terry Tucker, President Carol Davis, Vice President Dr. Navid Monajjem, Secretary Linda Goodman, Treasurer

## DIRECTORS

Barney O'Keefe - 2027 Jeremy Price - 2027 Robert Bailey – 2026 Dottie Darnell – 2026 Barbara Lucas – 2026 Amanda Wiseman - 2025 Cile Alexander - 2026 James V. Payne –2027 Katie Smartt – 2027 Doug Freund - 2027

<u>REPRESENTATIVES</u>

Brandi Henley - Grundy County Joan Davis - Marion County

MCCSN is a registered section 501 (c) (3) nonprofit organization

Administrative Director: Tracy Sparks Office Assistant: Linda Goodman

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Associate Newsletter Volunteer: Open

Newsletter published periodically with exception of January, also available on the website.

# Donation Greatly Appreciated from GFWC Centennial Woman's Club & Bunko Babes



Front Row, left to right: Mary Jo Daigle, Becky Waggoner, GFWC President- Donna Rhoton, MCCSN Director-Cile Alexander, Martha Grantham. Back Row, left to right: Raene Fairbanks, Renee Keene, MCCSN Treasurer-Linda Goodman, MCCSN Administrative Director- Tracy Sparks, Teresa Young, Lisa Marty and Tanya Sheeley.

**MCCSN Prayer list: Please** pray for each person listed and their families. Names are in bold print when first added. If you have asked to be on the prayer list and your name does not appear below, or you would like to add someone to the prayer list, please email mccsn501@att.net with your request or call MCCSN office (931/967-0904).

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#### Memorials

Delphie Burraham by Doris Smith

Ella Dean Bratcher-Burt by Taylor Barnes

Don Cox by Mary Bennett

Josephine Farrar by Coffee County Election Commissioners: Bill Bates, Emily Thoma, Larry McIntosh, Carol Bevthay and Barbara Arp by Betty Domal

Patricia Hall Holt by Janet, Jurgen & Michael Mohr

Ronnie Holton by Ada & Emily Preston

Lindsay Kendrick by Joanne Davis

David Limbaugh by Mary Bennett by Johnny & Diana Seals

Terry Majors by Mary Bennett

Charles Seals by Johnny & Diana Seals

Mary E. Summers by Regenia Rogers

## MCCSN NEEDS A PLACE TO CALL HOME

As many of you may already know, **Decherd Presbyterian Church has** closed its doors and will be sold within the next few months. MCCSN is needing new office space. We would like to keep our expenses as low as possible so we can continue to help cancer patients with their utilities food travel expenses, and reimbursement.

If you know of any office spaces available, please call Tracy or Linda at the office at 931-967-0904.

#### **Deepest Sympathy**

To the families who have lost loved ones including the families of:

Johnny Bray Beverly Brazelton Mike Cunningham Jimmy Floyd Hatchett Lindsay Kendrick Connie Layne David Limbaugh Julius Rice William Adam Ruehling Charles Seals



"I will heal my people and let them enjoy abundant peace and security." – Jeremiah 33:6 NIV

# DONATIONS

William & Tracie Blakely Bridgestone – Warren Plant Duck River Electric Membership Corp. GFWC Centennial Woman's Club/ **Bunko Babes Brandi Henlev Jack Daniel Bottling** Kroger Mountain Valley Bank Ada & Emily Preston **Lincoln Rogers** Susan & James Sain Southern Tennessee Regional Health System - Winchester St. Agnes Episcopal Church Stan McNabb **Bruce Stovall** TVA

> Thank you for caring and your generosity

# March Cancer Awareness



#### Letters of Appreciation

During this season of gratitude, we wanted to say THANK YOU for supporting our patients at CCI (Clearview Cancer Institute). Your service has made a direct and meaningful impact, allowing us to provide financial assistance, access to necessary resources, and support to families who might have otherwise struggled. Your help is vital in easing the burdens of cancer treatment, enabling our patients to focus on what matters most - their health and wellbeing. We are so thankful for you!

-The Social Workers at CCI

## MCCSN welcomes Board Member .. James V. Payne



James Payne serves as the Director of Information Technology & Systems for Southern Tennessee Regional Health System in Winchester & Sewanee. James holds a Bachelor of Science in Health Informatics and is CompTIA certified in Project Management and as a Healthcare IT Technician. He is also a Registered Respiratory Therapist.

James deeply values the principles of community leadership. He has contributed to organizations such as United Way and previously as a board member of MCCSN.

James has been happily married to his incredible wife Carolyn for 27 years. They enjoy camping, fishing and creating cherished memories with their three beloved grandchildren. Multi-County Cancer Support Network, Inc. P. O. Box 633 Decherd, TN 37324

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Pictured left to right: Dottie Darnell- Board Member, Linda Goodman- Board Member & Treasurer, Carol Davis- Vice President and Terry Tucker- President

Each year MCCSN recognizes an individual or group who has provided outstanding support to MCCSN by presenting them with an American Flag flown over the Walk-A-Thon. The recipient of the 31<sup>st</sup> Annual Walk-A-Thon American Flag was Mrs. Linda Goodman. Linda is a cancer survivor herself and has served at MCCSN since 2016 as Board Member and Treasurer. She goes above and beyond to provide support to MCCSN, cancer patients, their families, and the community. The MCCSN Board of Directors and Office Staff want Linda to know how much she is appreciated!