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Whatever troubles may be before you, accept them bravely, remembering Whom you are trying to follow. Do not be afraid. Love one another, bear with one another, and let charity guide you all your life. God will reward you as only He can.
~ Saint Mary MacKillop

Rachel’s Vineyard Leadership Conference Down Under
By Theresa Burke, Ph.D.

Last month I had the joy to return to Australia for the Rachel’s Vineyard Leadership Conference. The event was held in Sydney and organized by Father Peter Maher. It was a wonderful time of reconnecting with our magnificent leaders from throughout Australia and New Zealand.

The first day of the Leadership Conference was led by Desley Creedy, who did an all day workshop on “First Aid for Mental Health.” It was a wonderful overview of information useful to every team member who serves on the Rachel’s Vineyard retreats and gave them a huge boost of confidence in knowing how to handle various mental health crisis and situations that can be overwhelming for anyone in the helping professionals.

One of the highlights was Father John playing the didgeridoo, a huge wind instrument developed by Indigenous Australians 1,500 years ago. I had never heard anything like that!

The second day we shared in a new Living Scripture that provided much needed reflection and opportunities for recognizing areas where we yearn for deep healing. It was so heartwarming to see the love and tenderness our groups have for each other and the willingness to support each other through life’s crosses, physical illnesses and family challenges.

I also had the opportunity to teach some facilitation skills on the third day and provide some ideas of how to help participants on retreat find movement forward when they are feeling stuck.
After the conference I had the opportunity to visit the Shrine of St. Mary MacKillop (Australians first and only saint! I had never heard of this extraordinary woman, but found her story a remarkable testimony of faith and action. She was dedicated and tough and fought for those she served.

My favorite quote she frequently used can be a mantra for all of us: “Never see a need without doing something about it.” You gotta love that personality and courage.

**Saint Mary MacKillop’s Story**

If Saint Mary MacKillop were alive today, she would be a household name. It’s not that she sought the limelight. On the contrary, she simply wanted to serve the poor wherever she found them in her native Australia. But along the way, she managed to arouse the ire of some rather powerful churchmen. One even excommunicated her for a time.

Born in Melbourne in 1842 to parents who had emigrated from Scotland, Mary grew up in a family that faced constant financial struggles. As a young woman she was drawn to religious life but could not find an existing order of Sisters that met her needs. In 1860, she met Father Julian Woods, who became her spiritual director. Together they founded a new community of women—the Sisters of St. Joseph of the Sacred Heart, also known as the Josephite Sisters. Its members were to staff schools especially for poor children, as well as orphanages, and do other works of charity.

As the congregation grew, so did Mary MacKillop’s problems. Her priest-friend proved unreliable in many ways and his responsibilities for direction of the Sisters were removed. Meanwhile, Mary had the support of some local bishops as she and her Sisters went about their work. But the bishop in South Australia, aging and relying on others for advice, briefly excommunicated Mary—charging her with disobedience—and dispensed 50 of her Sisters from their vows. In truth, the bishop’s quarrel was about power and who had authority over whom. He ultimately rescinded his order of excommunication.

Mary insisted that her congregation should be governed by an elected mother general answerable to Rome, not to the local bishop. (There were also disputes about whether or not the congregation could own property.) In the end, Rome proved to be Mary’s best source of support. After a long wait, official approval of the congregation—and how it was to be governed—came from Pope Leo XIII.

Despite her struggles with Church authorities, Mary MacKillop and her Sisters were able to offer social services that few, if any, government agencies in Australia could. They served Protestants and Catholics alike. They worked among the aborigines. They taught in schools and orphanages and served unmarried mothers.

Money, actually the lack of it, was a constant worry. But the Sisters, who begged from door to door, were bolstered by faith and by the conviction that their struggles were opportunities to grow closer to God.

By the time Mary was approaching the end of her life, the congregation was thriving. She died in 1909 at the age of 67. Pope John Paul II beatified her in 1995. In 2010, when Pope Benedict XVI canonized her, she became Australia’s first saint.
Anne Sherston, Bishop Julian Porteous, and Dr. Theresa Burke

Fr. Dominic Allain, Dr. Theresa Burke, and Anne Sherston

Desley Creedy

Fr. Peter Maher

Fr. John

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A Comprehensive PATH to Healing Abortion Loss: An Atlanta Ministry Shares the Benefit of offering both the SaveOne Bible Study and Rachel’s Vineyard Retreats
By: Kevin Burke

In 1987 MaryAnn McNeil and Anita Willoughby saw the need in the Atlanta area for emotional and spiritual healing of those hurting after abortion. They founded PATH (Post Abortion Treatment and Healing) at St. Jude the Apostle Church in Sandy Springs, Georgia.

PATH developed a comprehensive outreach for those wounded by abortion that features bible studies, weekend retreats, counseling and community outreach.

The current director of PATH is Jody Duffy, RN. Jody has served as a volunteer in abortion healing ministry with PATH from 2001 until March 2016 when she took over as Director.

I recently interviewed Jody to learn more about PATH.

Kevin: PATH has offered support groups and later retreats since they started. Recently you began to use the SaveOne Bible Study program at PATH. Can you share with us your experience with SaveOne?

Jody: Last April, 2016, I attended a training for the SaveOne Bible study that was being sponsored by psychiatrist Dr. Martha Shuping. Dr Shuping serves as a PATH advisor and is also trained as a Rachel’s Vineyard facilitator and counselor. The workshop presenter was SaveOne founder Sheila Harper.

I brought the information back to PATH and began training our Bible study leaders shortly after. Since last April, with over 20 volunteers PATH has completed four SaveOne Bible studies and currently has five running at six different locations in the Atlanta areas.

Kevin: Jody can you share with us about your experience offering both the Rachel Vineyard weekends and the SaveOne bible study for those hurting after abortion?
Jody: PATH offers 3 Rachel’s Vineyard retreats each year. Rachel’s Vineyard is like no other experience for a person needing healing from a past abortion experience. However, participants benefit from a continuation of that process of healing. That is why we offer the Bible study format as well to our clients.

Due to time and schedules and even geography, some people are limited to the retreat. That is why we always advocate Companions on the Journey, an online after care program offered by Rachel’s Vineyard. As with many other Rachel’s Vineyard sites, people come from different parts of the country and would not be able to participate in our local programs.

Kevin: Jody you have shared with me that you see SaveOne and Rachel’s Vineyard working nicely together.

Jody: We recommend and offer both the Weekend Retreat and Bible Study to those that come to us for help. The two programs really complement one another.

The Rachel’s Vineyard retreat is an intense weekend of sharing, learning, and healing. In itself it is a profound and valuable recovery experience.

However, recovery is a journey and by offering the Bible study, we can walk down that road for 11 weeks and dig deeper. Our clients as well as our leaders are very impressed with the SaveOne Bible study.

SaveOne is tender, experiential, deep, and healing. It really allows participants to look deeper at what really happened and how to trust God to walk that journey with you. The program guides one through some of those emotions which may have been left unchecked and teaches them how to rely on God to help them face their past and walk on the healing journey with them.

So clients can begin with either program initially and then later experience the retreat or support group if they like.

Kevin: PATH offers its services to men as well as women correct?

Jody: Yes, our Rachel’s Vineyard retreats have always been open to both men and women. The SaveOne program has a separate model for men and women and we offer both.

Deacon Mike Mobley recently completed our first Men’s SaveOne study. He and the man he worked with were very pleased with the study. Another men’s group just started last week at our Roswell, GA location. Bible study allows time for the men to form a true brotherhood and friendship, just like it does the women.

Kevin: You also minister to married couples right?
Jody: We have had married couples on both the retreat and in the Bible study. However, some prefer to do the retreat and Bible study separately. We are always flexible depending on the situation.

Sometimes participants in our SaveOne support group will later attend the Rachel’s Vineyard weekend with their spouse who may or may not have a past abortion. They always find a deeper healing of their loss within their marriage.

Spouses who are not the biological parent have the opportunity to not only come and support their partner but also experience the blessing of the Rachel’s Vineyard retreat process. On Sunday at the memorial service they can spiritually adopt their spouse’s unborn child or children lost to abortion. This provides another level of healing for families.

Kevin: What other outreach is PATH involved in?

Jody: Along with providing the Retreats and Bible studies, PATH speaks at parishes, to youth groups, Respect for Life gatherings, the Knights of Columbus, Students for Life groups, and anyone else who will listen to our message about the pain and hurt abortion causes and importance of healing from abortion.

Here's the Contact info for PATH Atlanta and their website here.  
http://healingafterabortion.org/Contact

To find out more about the SaveOne program please visit this page on their website or Phone: (615) 347-8800 – email: info@saveone.org
http://www.saveone.org/start-a-chapter.php

To learn more about starting a Rachel’s Vineyard program in your area please contact the International Rachel’s Vineyard Office at www.RachelsVineyard.org or phone 610 354 0555.

"When we lose one blessing, another is often most unexpectedly given in its place."
~ C.S. Lewis

A Letter of Gratitude

My husband, Albert, was granted an annulment from our Catholic faith that allowed us to marry. During our engagement time, he shared about the abortion his first wife, Danielle, had during their early-married life. He asked her to keep the baby; she refused and chose an abortion. They divorced shortly after and Albert remained single for nearly ten years. He suffered greatly from this trauma, which directly opposed his strong Catholic belief in life and defending life. Before our marriage, Albert bravely shared this tragic, shameful experience with his parents, my parents and some of his nine siblings.
However, throughout the years of our married life, we experienced affects from his suffering due to the abortion.

I was able to attend a training that you had done in N.J. for the Post Abortion Trauma; then, I came back home and was able to attend a Rachel’s Vineyard retreat. I was so blessed to experience/apply elements from this retreat in my professional/personal life due to the death of two miscarriages that Albert and I had. Also, I believed that Rachel’s Vineyard would be healing and helpful for my Albert. I kept asking him to make a Rachel’s Vineyard retreat; he continued to say that he was healed from the past abortion. Then, we returned to Europe for our work.

While attending Holy Mass one Sunday, a lady shared about Rachel’s Vineyard and the healing/forgiveness she was given through this retreat. My prayers were answered because of this woman sharing her story at mass; Albert attended a Rachel’s Vineyard retreat. He was changed after this retreat. Always a gentle, kind and loving soul, Albert was moved and the Lord deeply touched him during this retreat. Shortly after his retreat, he shared with our three living children about the abortion and his past. Through all of this, our family has lived through the process of healing, forgiveness, acceptance, etc. Our Lord is so good and merciful; The Holy Spirit allowed the perfect time for Albert’s retreat.

Although his illness (pancreatic and stomach cancer) took his life within 11 weeks of diagnosis, my sweet husband was granted a holy death with the Apostolic Pardon from the hospice priest, the chaplet of Divine Mercy at 3:00pm. and the careful washing with holy water of Our Lady of Lourdes. Albert passed into the Heavenly realm at 3:15pm. He is with Jesus, Our Blessed Mother and our children.

As a final note, after Albert’s Rachel’s Vineyard retreat, I asked him to contact Danielle as fulfillment with forgiveness and invite her to attend a Rachel’s Vineyard. She was not interested but stated that her rosary was most important to her. A few months ago, I contacted her to share that Albert had died and that our family had been praying for her. I, too, invited her to attend a Rachel’s Vineyard because it had blessed Albert and our family with forgiveness, healing/mercy. She stated that she might consider it, but went on to tell me about her wounded childhood. I told her that the Lord’s healing is there for her.

It is a time of renewal for the Burke Family. You have all sacrificed and given for RV and our family has been so blessed because of your goodness.
On a recent mission trip to the Lake Atitlan region of Guatemala, I was advised that abortion is affecting many of the women there. Not only are they suffering their abortion losses in silence, but they are also suffering the loss of future children due to being left infertile because of unsterile instruments used for the abortion(s). These women are hurting. They need a safe place to talk through and process what has happened to them. They need to find healing.

I am dreaming BIG to bring a Rachel’s Vineyard to the women of rural Lake Atitlan, Guatemala! Each Rachel’s Vineyard weekend requires outside funding to make them possible. They require a host retreat site, lodging, food, and supplies for the exercises. Most of the guests in Guatemala cannot afford to pay for their retreat, therefore this fund will also help pay for scholarships for those in need.

I am both saddened and excited to bring a new (and the FIRST!) Rachel’s Vineyard to Guatemala. I know it is no small endeavor, but believe it will be successful because of YOU! Thank you from the bottom of my heart for your help in bringing freedom to the hurting women of the Lake Atitlan region of Guatemala. May God bless you!

To learn more about the efforts and fundraising to bring Rachel’s Vineyard to Guatemala, including support by purchasing the shirt pictured below, please visit: https://onemission.fund/support/rachels-vineyard-guatemala/#tab_fundraiser_profile

"FAITH is like Wi-Fi, it's invisible, but it has the power to connect you to what you need."
~ Anonymous
A Message from the Pastoral Director

May 2017

Dear Brothers and Sisters,

The Heartbeat International conference was once again a great experience for me and for Janet; both of us presented a workshop called "Grieving the Children we Could Not Save," and another one called "Our Work is Spiritual," and, of course, we featured the work of Rachel's Vineyard on both of these occasions.

We need to shed light on the pain and grief that pro-life advocates have when a child we tried to save is aborted anyway. Those who counsel moms and dads in pregnancy centers face this grief on a daily basis, as do all of us who advocate for the lives of the unborn. We need to learn how to process that grief. We cannot pretend that we are unaffected. We cannot take refuge in the silence that likewise envelops the family of the aborted child. How often the testimonies tell us, "We had the abortion and then we never spoke about it again."

It cannot be that way with us. Talking about our pain and grief with one another -- in short, being "silent no more" - is the road to healing and wholeness. We know that death does not have the last word. We know we are the people redeemed by Christ, the Author of Life and Conqueror of death. And we know that by listening to one another, and by putting our losses, our grief, and our lives in the hands of God, we can move forward with new compassion and new readiness to reach, save, and heal others.

That is why the group dynamic of Rachel's Vineyard is so powerfully effective, both on the retreats and in the many follow-up opportunities. Thank you for all you do to support and promote this healing work!

Sincerely,

Fr. Frank Pavone
Pastoral Director, Rachel's Vineyard
National Director, Priests for Life

"Worry does not empty tomorrow of its sorrows; it empties today of its strength."
~ Corrie Ten Boom
A Spring Appeal

Spring is a beautiful time of year that celebrates renewal. The world thaws as the birds begin singing, the flowers blooming, and people take time to enjoy the world around them. However, for someone suffering after abortion, this time of renewal is clouded by anger, pain and grief. A donation to Rachel’s Vineyard, like rain to the flowers, helps Rachel’s Vineyard to continue to grow and reach those who are in need of peace and healing.

Rachel’s Vineyard is a non-profit ministry that is able to serve those in need through the donations of our wonderful supporters.

Here’s how to make a donation:
Online: www.RachelsVineyard.org/donate
By Phone: 610-354-0555
By Mail: P.O. Box 140130 Staten Island, NY 10314

"Outside of Christ, I am weak; in Christ, I am strong."
~ Watchmen Nee

Rachel’s Vineyard in Social Media

Click the links below to visit Rachel’s Vineyard social networking sites. Join today and send to your friends and family!

Facebook Fan Page: www.facebook.com/rachelsvineyard
YouTube: www.youtube.com/user/rachelsvineyard
Twitter: www.twitter.com/RVHealing
Pinterest: www.pinterest.com/rachelsvineyard
Instagram: www.instagram.com/rvhealing
"It's easy to look at ourselves and see ourselves as what we are now. God looks at us and sees what we can become."

~ Sarah Ann Neil

United in Prayer

Theresa Burke recently returned from Australia, bringing with her the prayer requests of our dear friends from Rachel’s Vineyard and Grief to Grace Australia.

Please pray for the repose of Anne Hadgraft’s mother’s soul. Anne is the site leader in Sydney Australia. We send our condolences and prayers to Anne and her family.

Please pray for Louise and Mark Crawford. They are part of our Sydney Australia team, and are also responsible for the beautiful song, “Samuel”. Mark recently suffered a heart attack. We send our prayers and hopes for a full recovery to Louise and Mark.

Please pray for Wendy Hill, part of our Rachel’s Vineyard New Zealand team, who has been suffering from health issues. May she find comfort in prayer, and strength to persevere.

Carolina, part of our New Zealand Rachel’s Vineyard team, is suffering from the effects from a growth in her brain. We pray for strength as she faces this difficult time.

Please continue pray for Anne Neville’s son, Owen, who is battling terminal cancer. Anne Neville is the leader of our Melbourne, Australia team. We pray for strength and peace for Anne, Owen and their family during this difficult time.

"Even when we don't sense God's presence, His loving care is all around us."

~ Anonymous
Upcoming Grief to Grace Retreats
Healing the Wounds of Abuse
Reclaiming the Gift of Human Dignity
www.GrieftoGrace.org

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July 1 - July 5, 2017

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Contact: Ireland@grieftograce.org
Please Text: 44 781-474-8847
May 7-12, 2017

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Call: 250-878-7603
May 4-7, 2017

Minneapolis/St. Paul, MN
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August 20-25, 2017
September 30-October 5, 2018

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July 9-14, 2017
October 1-6, 2017

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November 9-12, 2017
"The ultimate measure of a man [or women] is not where he [she] stands in moments of comfort and convenience, but where he [she] stands at times of challenge and controversy."
~ Martin Luther King Jr.

Upcoming Rachel's Vineyard Training Events

**Phoenix, Arizona** – Clergy, General, and Rachel’s Vineyard & Grief to Grace Team Training
On **Thursday, July 7th 2017**, Dr Theresa Burke will hold a **training for Clergy, Deacons and their wives** at the Diocesan Pastoral Center (DPC)
On **Friday, July 8th 2017**, Dr Theresa Burke will hold a **training** that is **open to the public** at the DPC from 6:00pm-9:00pm.
On **Friday & Saturday, July 8th - 9th 2017**, Dr Theresa Burke will hold a **Rachel’s Vineyard and Grief to Grace Team Training** at the DPC.
For more information contact Aryn at phoenix@grieftograce.org or call 480-215-6762

**Wynnewood, PA** – Presenter at Catholic Medical Boot Camp
On **Thursday June 22, 2017** Dr Theresa Burke will be a speaker at the Catholic Medical Boot Camp at St. Charles Borromeo Seminary.

**Houston, TX** – Keynote Speaker
On **Saturday September 9, 2017**, Dr. Theresa Burke will be the Keynote speaker at the Gulf Coast Mercies 2nd Annual Benefit Dinner in Houston, TX.
For more information contact: Susan Racciato at Sue@gulfcoasthealing.org

**Tucson, Arizona** – Clinical, Clergy, and Rachel’s Vineyard Team Training
On **March 17-18, 2018**, Theresa and Kevin Burke will hold a Clinical, Clergy, and Rachel’s Vineyard Team Training in Tucson, Arizona.
For more information contact: Gail Phelps at rachelsvineyardtucson@cox.net

"He takes us as we are - and makes us more than we ever imagined."
~ Neill F. Marriott
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Friday, May 19, 2017
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Friday, May 19, 2017
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Friday, May 26, 2017

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Friday, May 26, 2017
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Note: Retreat held in Stanwood, WA

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Friday, May 26, 2017
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Friday, June 2, 2017
Sunday, June 4, 2017

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Friday, June 2, 2017
Sunday, June 4, 2017

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Friday, June 2, 2017
Sunday, June 4, 2017

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Friday, June 2, 2017
Sunday, June 4, 2017

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Friday, June 2, 2017
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Friday, June 2, 2017
Sunday, June 4, 2017
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Friday, June 9, 2017
Sunday, June 11, 2017

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Friday, June 9, 2017
Sunday, June 11, 2017

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Friday, June 16, 2017
Sunday, June 18, 2017
Note: Retreat held at Our Lady Queen of Peace Retreat Center.

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Friday, June 23, 2017
Sunday, June 25, 2017

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Friday, June 23, 2017
Sunday, June 25, 2017

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Friday, June 23, 2017
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Sunday, June 25, 2017
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Friday, June 23, 2017
Sunday, June 25, 2017

Note: Retreat held at Joseph-Engling-Haus (FULDA)

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Friday, June 23, 2017
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