



June 22, 2017  
10:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.

Catholic Charities Community Services  
4747 North 7<sup>th</sup> Avenue, Phoenix, AZ 85013

Engaging and mobilizing faith communities to improve the quality of life for vulnerable and impoverished individuals and families through a statewide collaboration of faith-based, community and governmental organizations.

## Minutes

- I. **Welcome, Invocation & Introductions.** Chair Gary Kinnaman welcomed guests, Chaplain Daniel Butler open the meeting with a prayer, and all attendees briefly introduced themselves. The meeting Sign-In sheets, and all meeting archives, may be found at [www.GodEnriches.org](http://www.GodEnriches.org), click on About.
  - II. **Arizona Anti-Trafficking Network** Nancy Baldwin, Executive Director  
Hickey Family Foundation

Nancy and Justin spoke of their efforts to end child sex trafficking in Arizona. Their presentations are here: <http://arizonafathcouncil.org/meeting-archives/>

Nancy suggested three books for interested persons to read. They were: Renting Lacy, by Linda Smith; Walking Prey, by Holly Austin Smith; Girls Like Us, by Rachel Lloyd.

Key resources for connecting to those working to eradicate trafficking:

- Arizona Anti-Trafficking Network, [www.AATNaz.org](http://www.AATNaz.org)
  - TRUST, [www.trustaz.org](http://www.trustaz.org)
  - Arizona Human Trafficking Council, [www.endsextrafficking.az.gov](http://www.endsextrafficking.az.gov)
  - Shared Hope International, [www.sharedhope.org](http://www.sharedhope.org)

Nancy Baldwin, [nancy@hickeyfoundation.org](mailto:nancy@hickeyfoundation.org)

Justin Miller, [jmiller@trustaz.org](mailto:jmiller@trustaz.org)

### **III. Updates**

- a. **Movement Day Arizona; September 16, 2017.** Chair Gary spoke briefly about this event. If you are interested in providing subject matter for this event, please review the MDA website at [www.movementdayarizona.com](http://www.movementdayarizona.com), and then contact Executive Director, Bill Thrall at [bthrall@movementdayarizona.com](mailto:bthrall@movementdayarizona.com).

Also, registration is now open at [www.movementdayarizona.com](http://www.movementdayarizona.com)



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- b. **Helping Christian Boys Thrive Summit; February 24, 2018.** Save the date; look for more information in September. The event will be held at First Institutional Baptist Church in central Phoenix. This video explains purpose of the event: <https://youtu.be/3yc6eJiCL94>.

c. **Other**

**City of Phoenix Heat Relief Network.** Find locations, donate water, volunteer – info at [www.phoenix.gov/heat](http://www.phoenix.gov/heat) or contact Nancy Kiflemariam at [Nancy.kiflemariam@phoenix.gov](mailto:Nancy.kiflemariam@phoenix.gov).

**Back to School Giveaway.** School children receive a grade-appropriate backpack with supplies. July 15<sup>th</sup> in Glendale. Here are the details: <http://arizonafaithcouncil.org/wp-content/uploads/2017/06/07-15-2017-Back-to-School-Giveaway.pdf> or contact Chuck Fitzgerald at [cfitzgerald@vcfnp.com](mailto:cfitzgerald@vcfnp.com).

**First Pentecostal Church.** A very nice, and powerful, article that highlights the great work of this church in the community, and features our Council's very own Linda Morris! <http://www.disciplenations.org/happens-american-church-walks-obedience-god/>.

**Arizona Coalition for Military Families,** [www.arizonacoalition.org](http://www.arizonacoalition.org), has a program for faith communities who are currently serving veterans and their families or have an interest in doing this. The program allows faith communities to become part of a network of other faith communities that have a common interest in veterans and their families. Faith communities that join this network receive free training that can help them understand the needs of veterans and better serve them. They also will be connected with other faith communities to share their best practices in serving veterans. The process is quite simple; 1) Fill out a 15 minute pre-application here: <http://arizonacoalition.org/network/partner-organizations/>, 2) a representative of the Coalition will contact you and set up a convenient time to ask you questions about your organization, and 3) partners must agree to the guiding principles called "Guidelines for Care". See <http://arizonacoalition.org/network/guidelines-for-care/>.

**National Ovarian Cancer Coalition - Valley of the Sun Chapter, Phoenix, Arizona.** Ovarian Cancer Survivor Retreat. July 22 & 23 in Phoenix – all details on the NOCC website: [www.ovarian.org/phoenixretreat](http://www.ovarian.org/phoenixretreat).

- IV. Closing Remarks and Adjourn.** Chair Gary closed the meeting; Chuck Fitzgerald offered a closing prayer. The next meeting is July 27, 2017

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