

# peacepromise

MONTHLY NEWSLETTER

October 2025

## It's not too late to join us!

Our annual Run for Freedom: 5K Your Way funds essential needs for survivor support.

Join us to walk or run and support our survivors! Or better yet: gather a group of friends to run/walk as a team!

## In-Person Event Information

When: Saturday Oct 4, 2025

Time: 10 AM

Where: Siebert Park, Camp Hill

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## Run for Freedom 5K Your Way

October 4-19, 2025

In Person Event: October 4, 2025  
10AM @ Siebert Park, Camp Hill

To Learn More or Register Now

## In-Person Event Features:

- 5K Run or Walk
- 1/4 mile Fun Run for kids & kids at heart
- Soaps by Survivors
- Good Ground Coffee
- A morning of fun and showing up to support our survivors

Join Us!



Check out this fantastic interview by our Executive Director of Client Services, Patty Seaman, with Sylvia Maus of "Insight with Sylvia Maus" on iHeart Radio

## Insight With Sylvia Maus 091425 Peace Promise

Insight with Sylvia Maus



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# Update on our Survivors

By: Executive Director of Client Services,  
Patty Seaman



As I sit here, watching Nikki cutting the hair of the youngest one to join the survivor sisterhood, I am amazed at where the Lord has brought us in the past few months since you heard from me for an update.

This has been a season where seeds previously planted were given the space and the nutrients to begin to flourish.

Nikki has continued to work with a mentor and is growing into an amazing advocate and leader. We even see her share her princess tiara when she sees another needs to wear it for a while.

Our group is working hard to remove any weeds that hinder our growth and it has been strenuous but productive work. We are holding ourselves and each other accountable to growth and continuously referring back to our binders from our DISC and Emotional Intelligence workshop. (For example if you remind Mariah when she interrupts you - she really will not get mad, she wants you to tell her so she can continue to learn awareness).

That hard work paid off this morning when a judge looked at Donna and granted her visits with her son, after 3 long years. That hard work echoed in that court room as person after person who once stood firmly opposed to Donna's contact with her son, not only acknowledged her transformation, but agreed that Donna was inspiring to them and should see her son. THEY petitioned for her. GOD petitioned for her.

That hard work they are doing as individuals and as a team, mixed with nights of crafts and laughter, has brought us to today where I sit watching Nikki show God's love to a little sister that is being embraced. Where she once saw only fear displayed, she is seeing hope in the lived experience of those that are choosing to heal and walk in freedom. Those like Donna, Nikki and Mariah.

They are the true heroes of this story.





244 S 17th Street  
Camp Hill, PA 17011



## VISIT US

Monday	7am-3pm
Tuesday	7am-3pm
Wednesday	7am-3pm
Thursday	7am-3pm
Friday	7am-3pm
Saturday	8am-3pm



[www.goodgroundcoffeecompany.org](http://www.goodgroundcoffeecompany.org)  
Email: [goodground@peacepromise.org](mailto:goodground@peacepromise.org)

## New Fall Hours!

**Beginning Monday  
8/25, our operating  
hours will be:**

**M-F 7am-3pm  
Sat. 8am-3pm**



**We're  
Hiring!**

Good Ground is looking to hire baristas for Saturdays! We are looking for 4-5 individuals who:

- Are available to work 3/4 Saturdays per month
- Have strong communication and teamwork skills
- Are excited about food service and/or coffee
- Have barista experience (preferred, but not required)

If you are interested in applying, please send a resume to [rachel@peacepromise.org](mailto:rachel@peacepromise.org).



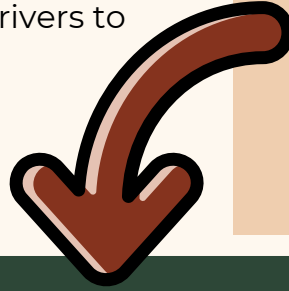
# Volunteer Corner

## Drivers Needed



Our Direct Care Team is looking for a few individuals who would be willing to volunteer as part of our list of drivers to assist as needs arise.

For more information, email [volunteer@peacepromise.org](mailto:volunteer@peacepromise.org)



There are many ways to get involved with Peace Promise!

## Volunteers Needed at Good Ground Coffee!



We have some openings to help cover volunteer shifts at Good Ground Coffee. If any of these time slots might work for you, please contact Rachel Ferrence at [goodgroundcoffee@peacepromise.org](mailto:goodgroundcoffee@peacepromise.org) to learn more about the process of how to get involved.

## Current Needs

Mondays - 7-10am (occasionally 1-4pm)  
Tuesdays - 1-4pm  
Wednesdays - 7-10am  
Thursdays - 2-4pm  
Fridays - 7-10am, 1-4pm  
Saturdays - all days and all combinations, but most often 8-11am, 11am-2pm, 1-4pm (Saturdays are typically a once per month commitment)

\*other dates as needs arise

## Retail Locations:

**Good Ground Coffee**  
244 S 17th Street  
Camp Hill

**Locals Market**  
200 N U.S. 15  
Dillsburg

**Longnecks True Value**  
127 Doe Run Road  
Manheim

**Messiah Lifeways**  
100 Mount Allen Road  
Mechanicsburg

**Roots Salon**  
3804 Gettysburg Road  
Camp Hill

**Route 174 Roadside Market**  
849 Boiling Springs Road.  
Mechanicsburg

**Smucker Gardens**  
1677 US-209  
Millersburg



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**Apple Sage**



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 **SOAPS BY SURVIVORS**  
a peacepromise venture



Don't forget that you can book Peace Promise for speaking engagements. We can speak on topics such as the sex industry, trafficking, and pornography, among other topics. We would love to speak to your church, group, or school. As you fill your calendar this year, consider connecting with us. We would love to share our mission with you!

For more information, email us at [admin@peacepromise.org](mailto:admin@peacepromise.org)

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Love To  
Speak at Your  
Event!**

Partnering with us is easier than ever. Visit our donation link to donate now or browse our website to learn more ways that you can assist in recovering hope and strengthening lives.

**Donate Now**



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Does your employer offer matching giving options for donations? They might! If you are considering a donation, we encourage you to check your employer's policy on matching gifts and reach out to us with questions.  
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## Save the Dates

**Oct 4-19** - Run for Freedom

**Oct 4** - Run for Freedom in-person event @ Siebert Park, 10 AM

**Oct 4** - Soaps by Survivors at Ashcombe's Fall Harvest Market, 10 AM - 4 PM

**Oct 5** - Speaking Engagement @ The Meeting House (not open to public)

**Oct 25** - Soaps by Survivors at Ark-Toberfest @ Ark Fitness, 10 am - 3 pm

**Nov 1** - Soaps by Survivors at Women of Purpose (ticketed) event

**Follow us on social media to stay up to date on additional events as they are added.**