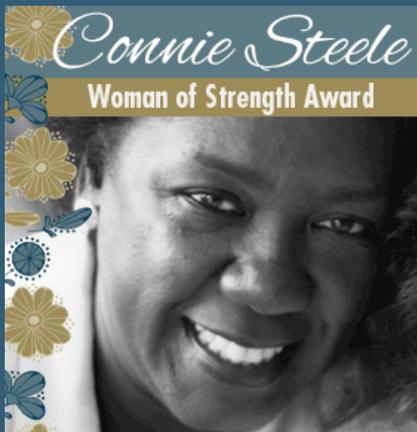




## Nominate a Woman of Strength



Named for the late Connie Steele, former senior legal counsel for Thrivent Financial and member of the Samaritan Counseling Center's Board of Directors, [The Connie Steele Woman of Strength Award](#) recognizes a strong woman who:

- Lives in the Fox Cities, Heart of the Valley, New London, Oshkosh or surrounding areas;
- Exemplifies strength of character, integrity, generosity, faith, courage, optimism, persistence, and community service;
- Has complete [nomination papers](#) submitted on her behalf by **March 13, 2019**.

# Save the Date

**Silent Samaritan Campaign  
& Thank You Luncheon**



Annual campaign raises money for Samaritan Counseling Center's Samaritan Fund so low-income women can access counseling they need.



### Silent Samaritan Campaign: March-May

**Thank You Luncheon\*: Thur., May 9, 2019  
11:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.**

**Location: The Grand Meridian, Appleton**



*Keynote Speaker*

*State Representative Amanda Stuck*

Amanda will share her story of being a woman in need and becoming a woman of strength.

\*For giving a gift of hope to the campaign (suggested gift \$100 or more), you are invited to a Thank You Luncheon. You need not attend the luncheon to support the campaign.

**Learn more at: [samaritan-counseling.com/silent-samaritan-campaign](http://samaritan-counseling.com/silent-samaritan-campaign)**

Samaritan Counseling Center's [Silent Samaritan Campaign](#) (March-May) helps low-income women access the counseling they need. A gift to the campaign supports the Samaritan Fund, and the Silent Samaritan Luncheon is our way of thanking you for your gift—and celebrating the strength we find in each other. To attend the luncheon, a campaign gift (suggested: \$100 or more) must be received with an [RSVP](#) by April 25, 2019.



## Beth Blessed Us

[Beth Heuer](#) was the 2016 Connie Steele Woman of Strength Award recipient and a dear friend of Samaritan. She passed away in late January leaving a legacy of resilience and generosity. Beth was a survivor of abuse and loss who launched [Women Who Care Oshkosh](#), a giving circle that supports vital local non-profits. She was a wife, mother, UW Oshkosh HR director, talented artist, and author. Beth's insight and compassion blessed us.



## A Sip of Success

*You assisted me and my husband to blend our family. You gave us tools to utilize in every day and alleviated the stress of get-togethers and in turn made our marriage stronger. We appreciate the tools and courage you gave us.*

-Submitted by a Samaritan Counseling Center client

## Choose Samaritan for Your Thrivent Choice Dollars®

Are you looking for an organization to which you can designate your Thrivent Choice Dollars®? Eligible Thrivent Financial members can recommend where Thrivent distributes a portion of its charitable outreach funds using a vehicle called Choice Dollars®. This is part of the Thrivent Choice® member-advised charitable grant program. Samaritan Counseling Center is enrolled in Thrivent Choice® and accepts Choice Dollars®. Visit [Thrivent Choice®](#), learn more, and live generously. **Your 2018 Choice Dollars® designations are due March 31.**



## Samaritan Leaders on Retreat

Earlier in February the [board of directors](#) and leadership staff at Samaritan came together on retreat to discuss and define their supportive relationship to one another.

[Leadership staff](#) (right) and board members (below) learned about their respective roles and defined strategic goals for 2019.



### Advocate For Yourself

Melissa Laughlin Holtz, BS, SW-IT is a case manager with the [Connected Community Wellness Screen Program](#) and the [Hortonville Areas School District \(E3\)](#). In a recent [blog](#) about her personal experience with anxiety and depression, she encourages all of us to speak up for our mental well-being.

## Let's Stay in Touch

Thank you for your interest and investment in Samaritan. You are a hero to the clients and students who seek our care.

Sincerely,

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