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| **Has your Safe Church scheduled Circle of Grace Sunday School classes this year?****The curriculum you received as part of Safe Church is designed to be taught annually... not just once! Have you considered offering a refresher class for the adults in your congregation at the same time? Aware and informed adults are an important part of keeping children safe and creating a safe space for adult survivors of abuse. Keep these conversations alive...****Contact us****for more information on available education sessions and workshops!** |

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| http://files.constantcontact.com/35c49328301/7d91ae1b-4e64-4a53-9b8b-979ab9724cc0.jpg**Have you read Linda's blog, "Allies in the Movement to End CSA"?**We define allies as those who accompany and support survivors in their healing, work for justice, offer volunteer time and/or financial contributions, and advocate to protect children from sexual harm. We open our hearts with gratitude for whatever time, energy and support they want to give. **[Read the blog](http://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=001Lbbb1IijRU8SBH7VHcj4nMj_ABxPyvG-6DeAolco95yvH86HoMznaqUC6T52FPVYQRV0Pyxu4nDyUA6fukNJGIsmj3joOCaJZqMdKECYjsBZBL2BQtNooHY8LwG1vReQVsub0oFYhX2n6lQLoVUn-gbMWhvngoLg_Hd_N6j384Y01KKmDzngNdirLx7aqX88gJM6Z1QQoi7X97vKuNKmu1q9XbWp3Oy4i8DdUQyFeXj4hYgm36Mr6oMBS0b4lZ1x_ZXjfW9VxE4=&c=-KiRxvtnoN8P8s9s96Z-pZtd5sjDMFHLVeIThXXUwflqKDX4kjq5sQ==&ch=rT64zE_5R3WcDYopiKRf5djLPxiDoEQPZSicU64ByNRQdoNzD3r10w==" \t "_blank)**If you would like to be added to our mailing list specifically for Allies, send us an e-mail. |

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| Child-on-Child Sexual Abuse Seminar                                                                                                                30-50% of sexually abused children are the victims of other children and teens under the age of 18. On Thursday, **October 5th,** Safe Church is partnering with the Center for Children's Justice and Gibbel, Kraybill and Hess for this half-day seminar to help participants recognize, report and prevent child-on-child abuse. Details, including breakout session options, cost and a registration link will be coming your way in an e-mail from Gibbel, Kraybill and Hess in the next few days. **Save the date - and watch for their e-mail!** |

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| http://files.constantcontact.com/35c49328301/9237adde-2d9c-4109-bd02-24a30940600e.jpgHave you seen Disney's movie Moana? It has inspired at least a few survivors of sexual abuse to write about it's impact on their healing journey. As a song from the movie and this article both remind us, what happens to us can define us, but it doesn't have to... [Read more...](http://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=001Lbbb1IijRU8SBH7VHcj4nMj_ABxPyvG-6DeAolco95yvH86HoMznasUtwwBepRRVEoCrSXvOzudgJsaqGrhBMJ9VD6wwd6HfSYFkzArmvoQv8G4pqB2zJa-8TKPTkmxznaFKQ-RUzgdCGqOozKNHwp1XTCduAUApOWAN6fta7VvaJv4Wkx27ANIO77AkHvkonVUia0cKElE=&c=-KiRxvtnoN8P8s9s96Z-pZtd5sjDMFHLVeIThXXUwflqKDX4kjq5sQ==&ch=rT64zE_5R3WcDYopiKRf5djLPxiDoEQPZSicU64ByNRQdoNzD3r10w==) |

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