### Saturday, April 21, 2018 – 12<sup>th</sup> Thyroid Cancer Survivors' Midwest Workshop

## **Program Schedule**

8:00 – 8:30 a.m.

**Registration, Resource Tables,** *Lobby* **Gathering,** *Conference Room* 

#### 8:30 – 8:45 a.m.

Welcome, Theresa Wickerham & Anita Schwartz, ThyCa St Louis Support Group Facilitators

#### 8:45 – 9:15 a.m.

Support Group Roundtables - Getting acquainted. Roundtable: Sharing Our Experiences. Roundtable: Informal Discussion. Caregivers

#### 9:15 – 9:25 a.m. Break

9:25 – 10:35 a.m. Post Traumatic Growth – Is That Possible? Kurt D. Soell, Ph.D., Psychotherapist. Mercy Hospital St. Louis

#### 10:35 – 10:45 a.m. Break

#### 10:45 – 11:55 a.m. Treatment Protocol for Long Term (from an Endo viewpoint). Irini E. Veronikis, M.D., Endocrinologist, Mercy Hospital St Louis

#### 11:55 – 12:05 p.m. Break

# *Note:* In addition to our speakers, we are pleased to announce these special guests and resources, available during the day.

\* Sanofi-Genzyme provided us with their materials for display.

\* YMCA of Greater St Louis

- \* Reiki from 2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.
- \* Box lunches will be available for purchase for \$7.00

<ul> <li>12:05 p.m.– 1:15 p.m. Lunch and Learn</li> <li>From Cancer to Health – Managing Stress</li> <li>Kelly O'Neal, M.S.W., L.M.S.W., Cancer Support Community of</li> <li>Greater St Louis</li> </ul>
1:15 – 1:25 p.m. Break
1:25 – 2:35 p.m. The Power of Touch and Our Senses. Oscar Barquero, L.M.T., N.C.T.M.B., – Healing Arts Center
2:35 – 2:45 p.m. Break
2:45 – 3:55 p.m. Musings of a Thyroid Cancer Blogger: Would I Have Done Anything Differently Ruth A. Decker, M.D., Surgeon, St Luke's Hospital, Chesterfield
3:55 – 4:00 p.m. Break
4:00 – 4:15 p.m. Roundtable Discussion, Closing Remarks, Workshop Feedback and Evaluation

#### Thanks for attending!

#### Thank You to our Speakers...

- Kurt D. Soell, Ph.D. Psychotherapist, Mercy Hospital St Louis
- Irini E. Veronikis, M.D., Endocrinologist. Mercy Hospital St. Louis
- Kelly O'Neal, M.S.W., L.M.S.W., Cancer Support Community of Greater St Louis
- Oscar Barquero, L.M.T., N.C.T.M.B., Healing Arts Center, St Louis
- Ruth A. Decker, M.D. Surgeon, St Luke's Hospital, Chesterfield

#### Thank You to our Workshop Organizers and Volunteers

- *ThyCa Support Group in St Louis, MO*, Gary Bloom (ThyCa Executive Director), Cherry Wunderlich, Theresa Wickerham, and other support group members who offered their assistance
- Plus, numerous "unseen" ThyCa Volunteers around the country who helped: Toll-Free Number Team, E-Mail Team, and more

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David C. Pratt Cancer Center • Edie Dodson at Sanofi-Genzyme • Mercy Hospital St Louis • YMCA of Greater St Louis • Reiki Instructors



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