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## **ST. MARY'S HOME ANNOUNCES NEW COMMITTEE MEMBERS**

**NORFOLK, Va. (July 28, 2015)** — St. Mary's Home announced new members of the Embrace Cabinet, a volunteer leadership group that guides the nonprofit in fundraising, marketing and other areas of interest.

St. Mary's Home added seven members to the Embrace Cabinet:

- Michele Anderson, vice president for major and principle gifts at United Way of South Hampton Roads.
- Lily Hsu, president-elect of The Junior League of Norfolk-Virginia Beach, Inc., an organization of women promoting voluntarism, developing the potential of women and improving communities through the effective action and leadership of trained volunteers.
- Jeff Hubbard, president of Beach Ambassadors, which supports Hampton Roads-based charitable organizations.
- Hanan Mitry, president of The Junior League of Norfolk-Virginia Beach, Inc.
- John Porter, an entrepreneur and co-owner of Norfolk restaurants Handsome Biscuit, Field Guide and Toast, as well as co-owner of Dear Dandelions, a café now open at the Norfolk Botanical Garden.
- Lindsay Pryor, an independent sales director with Mary Kay, Inc., and board member at The Miller Oil Foundation, which supports a variety of charitable organizations in Hampton Roads.
- Kay Stine, vice president for development at Hampton Roads Community Foundation, the largest grant and scholarship provider in southeastern Virginia.

Continuing to serve on the Embrace Cabinet are: Janette Crumley of Cordell & Crumley; Richard J. Davison, retired from Norfolk Southern Corp; Michael E. Duffy of Merrill Lynch; Karen L. Hibbard, immediate past president of St. Mary's Auxiliary Board; Elise Hicks, St. Mary's Northern Virginia liaison; Mark T. Jones, QED Systems, Inc.; Suzy Kelly of Jo-Kell, Inc.; Richard N. Knapp, St. Mary's Home Board of Directors and Quick180; Kim Thumel; Dr. Allen "Trey" Hardin White, III, D. D. S., Oceanfront Dentistry; Fred Widman; and Nancy Wilcox, NYR Organic and president of St. Mary's Home Board of Directors.

**About St. Mary's Home:** [St. Mary's Home](#) in Norfolk provides around-the-clock, specialized residential care for about 100 Virginia children and young adults with multiple, severe disabilities. With the opening of The Albergo House at St. Mary's in 2013 to provide care for adults 22 and over, St. Mary's Home has shortened its name from St. Mary's Home for Disabled Children.

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