

**OCTOBER
IS
DOMESTIC VIOLENCE
AWARENESS
MONTH**

Chez Hope, Family Violence Crisis Center

Join us during the month of October to show your support by participating in our activities.

UNITY DAY/MAYOR'S BREAKFAST

Friday, October 3, 2014 -7:30 a.m.

Forest Restaurant

Mayor Raymond Harris, Jr. along with other surrounding townships Mayors will sign a Proclamations declaring October as Domestic Violence Awareness Month throughout St. Mary Parish.

OPEN HOUSE

Friday, October 3, 2014- 9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

Manor House – 801 Main Street-Franklin, LA. Chez Hope will be offering guided tours of the Manor House. Complimentary lunch will be served from 11:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

KISS A COP

Every Monday in October, the Chez Hope Children's Program will visit the Franklin Police Dept., St. Mary Parish Sheriff's Dept., Baldwin Police Dept., Chitimacha Police Dept., Berwick Police Dept., Patterson Police Dept., and the Morgan City Police Dept. Each officer is presented Hersey Kisses as a token of our appreciation for their services.

REMEMBER MY NAME - SILHOUETTE PROJECT

Take a moment whenever you see the life-size images of local women and children who have lost their lives due to domestic violence. The silhouettes are displayed on Main Street in Franklin in front of the Manor House.

CLOTHESLINE PROJECT

Our artistic Clothesline Project showcases the unique T-Shirts created by adults and children survivors of domestic violence, expressing their thoughts and emotions surrounding their experience with domestic violence.

Each Monday, throughout the month of October the Clothesline Project will travel to a new location, with planned stops at City Hall in Franklin, the Baldwin West End Library and the Chitimacha Library.

PURPLE RIBBON CAMPAIGN

Throughout the month of October Purple ribbons will be placed in businesses throughout the communities for all citizens to take one and wear to show their support.

Chez Hope's Men Standing Strong Against Domestic Violence will be sponsoring a "Walk in My Shoes" event at 3:00 p.m. on Saturday, October 25, 2014 during the community's Harvest Moon Festival Activities.