

BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT GROUPS & EVENTS

St. Elizabeth Hospice offers grief counseling, events and support groups for children, teens and adults. Our bereavement services are free and open to all, regardless of whether or not your loved one was cared for by St. Elizabeth Hospice.

Support Groups for Adults

The St. Elizabeth Mary & Jim Bunning Community Grief Center is located at 483 South Loop Drive, in Edgewood, KY 41017. Prior to joining a support group, event or an individual counseling session, we request that you contact our bereavement coordinator to arrange a consultation. Times and locations are subject to change. **For more information or to register, please contact us by phone at (859) 301-4611 or email us at stars@stelizabeth.com.**

Adult Daughters Group Group for women who have lost a parent or parent-figure.	Meets the 1st Wednesday of each month from 3-4:30 PM, at the Mary & Jim Bunning Community Grief Center.
A Widow's Life: Spouse Loss for Women Group for women whose partner, spouse or significant other has died.	Meets the 3rd Wednesday of each month from 3-4:30 PM -OR- 2nd Tuesday of each month from 6-7 PM, at the Mary & Jim Bunning Community Grief Center.
PEACE Group Group for people coping with a death resulting from substance use disorder.	Meets the 3rd Thursday of each month from 6-7:30 PM, at the Mary & Jim Bunning Community Grief Center.
HOPE Group Group for parents who have lost a child of any age.	Meets the 3rd Tuesday of each month from 6-7:30 PM, at the Mary & Jim Bunning Community Grief Center.
Men's Huddle Group for men whose wife, partner or significant other has died.	Meets the 3rd Friday morning of each month from 9-10:30 AM, at the Mary & Jim Bunning Community Grief Center.
Parent Loss for Adults Group for adults (ages 18+) whose parent has died.	Meets the 2nd Wednesday of each month from 6-7:00 PM, at the Mary & Jim Bunning Community Grief Center.

STARS Bereavement Services for Children & Teens

Our STARS services for children and teens range from PreK-18 years. Our licensed counselors, volunteers and specialists are highly trained to address the needs of grieving children and teens. In addition to individualized counseling, we also offer several grief events for children, teens and families throughout the year.

Our services are designed based on the STARS model, created by the St. Elizabeth Hospice Program. STARS is a Safe place in which kids can Talk about their grief, feel Accepted for what is thought and felt, feel Respected for what they need to do with their grief, and feel Supported as they meet together.

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STARS Events & Support Groups

STARS Equine Adventure Camp for Kids Camp for kids aged 8-18, which includes interactions with horses, fishing, hiking, archery and games to promote healing.	3-day Summer camp sessions offered twice a year in the summer, at New Day Ranch in Verona, KY from 9-1 PM. Lunch is provided and transportation is available.
STARS Semester Program (school year) Educational grief program hosted during the school year for kids aged PreK - 12th grade and their families.	6-week session with meetings weekly on Thursdays from 4:30-6 PM in the Spring and Fall, at Gloria Dei Church.
Getting Through the Holidays Event An educational class offered to help children, teens and families cope with loss during the holiday season.	Held annually in the fall from 6-7:30 PM at Gloria Dei Church.
School-based Support Groups for Kids School-based programming for kids aged PreK-12th grade.	School locations vary. Groups are scheduled based on need and school availability.