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### SVS Community Fundraiser Raises Nearly \$70k to Support Survivors of Domestic Violence

**West Jordan, Utah, May 14, 2026**—SVS is proud to announce the success of its 2026 **Community Breakfast Fundraiser**, held on May 14 at the Viridian Event Center in West Jordan. This year’s event brought together a powerful community of supporters committed to ending domestic violence, raising **nearly \$70k** to support services for survivors and their families in Salt Lake, Tooele, Carbon, and Emery Counties.

With the theme **“It’s up to us: Community Powered Safety,”** the morning featured heartfelt stories, inspiring calls to action, and a strong sense of unity and purpose. The event spotlighted the impact SVS has made in its communities, including emergency shelter, case management, prevention education, and advocacy for those escaping abuse.

Guests were moved by keynote speaker Tiffany Turley Bowcut, Dean of Students at Ensign College, and a survivor herself, who shared a powerful personal story of resilience and a message about the importance of community in supporting healing and change. Her words reminded attendees that domestic violence touches every corner of our community—and that the responsibility to stand with survivors belongs to all of us.

“We are so grateful to every person who showed up, donated, and leaned in to support survivors,” said **Lindsey Boyer**, Executive Director of SVS. “This event isn’t just about raising money—it’s about building a future where safety and support are available to everyone. We couldn’t do it without our community.”

SVS extends heartfelt thanks to all volunteers, attendees, community partners, and sponsors, including our **Champion Sponsor Merrick Bank**, who made this event possible. Every dollar raised goes directly toward supporting life-changing services for survivors of domestic violence.

**To volunteer, donate or learn more about SVS, visit [www.svsutah.org/get-involved](http://www.svsutah.org/get-involved)**

#### How you can support us:

- Share coverage about the community coming together to support SVS at their Community Fundraiser event.
- **Donate** — help support our mission of empowering survivors and ending the cycle of violence.
- Follow up on social: Instagram: [@svs.utah](https://www.instagram.com/svs.utah) | Facebook: SVS | LI: SVS: Supporting Voices of Survivors
- Link to our breakfast fundraiser video: <https://youtu.be/BdA-lvoFTXY?si=JpodtCgc7NHlpSKB>

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SVS is a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization that has served the local community since 1998. SVS is a survivor-centered organization where individuals impacted by domestic abuse and sexual violence can realize their strength, courage, and resilience while on their path to an empowered future. For more information, please visit our website at [www.svsutah.org](http://www.svsutah.org).