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## Here's the Latest News from Holy Childhood

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### 75th Diamond Anniversary Gala

What a spectacular evening at Oak Hill Country Club to celebrate Holy Childhood's 75th Anniversary! Guests enjoyed an amazing five course meal with wine pairings and a specialty pie created for this grand occasion by Special Touch Bakery. We thank Pauly Guglielmo for being our awesome emcee for the evening, and our sincere gratitude to our presenting sponsor, Wegmans, and all of the wonderful sponsors, donors, attendees and volunteers who so generously supported Holy Childhood and made the evening an outstanding success for the agency. We are so thankful for your support.

Photo: Holy Childhood President and CEO, Donna Dedee and Pauly Guglielmo.



### Welcome Cindy Huussen - Holy Childhood School Program Director

As "Mr. Dave" Halpern retires (for the second time), we welcome Cindy Huussen as Holy Childhood's new School Program Director. Cindy has held special education positions ranging from the classroom to administration, from Michigan to Watertown, NY, where she finished her tenure as the Special Education Supervisor/High School and Middle School Principal for Alternative Education at the Jefferson Lewis Hamilton Herkimer Oneida BOCES. Holy Childhood brings Cindy back to working with a student population for which she has great affinity. Welcome Cindy!

### 36th Annual Holy Childhood Ladies Golf Tournament

What a fantastic day of golf and friendship we had at Penfield Country Club - it was a perfect summer day! We sincerely thank our presenting sponsor, Annemarie Cook at UBS Financial Services, Inc., the Holy Childhood Golf Committee, including our event chairperson, Judy Kinsky, and all of the golfers, generous sponsors and volunteers who made this wonderful day possible. We hope to see you next year at the 37th Annual Ladies Golf Tournament.

### Be a part of Holy Childhood's Leadership Team

Holy Childhood has an immediate job opening for a Director of Human Resources. The Director of Human Resources provides management level leadership and direction for Holy Childhood and Special Touch Bakery, Inc. as a member of the senior leadership team, and is responsible for oversight and supervision of all human resource functions for

Holy Childhood and Special Touch Bakery. If you, or someone you may know might be interested in this opportunity, a job description and qualifications can be found at [holychildhood.org/employment](http://holychildhood.org/employment).

### **Special Touch Bakery at the Greece Ridge Mall Farmer's Market**

Stop by Greece Ridge Mall Farmer's Market on Thursdays this summer to visit us at the Special Touch Bakery booth! The Holy Childhood Community-Based Prevocational Volunteer and Day Habilitation Without Walls groups will be there greeting customers and helping to sell delicious Special Touch Bakery pies and chocolate brownies all summer long. Check out the bakery's Summer Key Lime Pie Special, the 5" pie is \$3.50 or 2/\$6, and the 9" pie is \$8.00 or 2/\$15. Stop by and say hello! Of course, you can call the bakery at 585-359-BAKE to order a pie for pick up and visit them anytime at [specialtouchbakery.org](http://specialtouchbakery.org).

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