

# Outstanding Mending Broken Hearts Volunteers 2020

## Laura Donovan and Marje Duray

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Laura Donovan and Marje Duray joined the Mending Broken Hearts with Hope Luncheon Committee in the spring of 2019. They immediately stepped up to a leadership role by co-chairing the Volunteer Committee.

The luncheon spans three days and utilizes over 75 volunteers. Chairs must work for months before the luncheon to actively sign up volunteers and communicate with each person regarding available hours and days. It takes a very organized team to maintain that amount of information. Laura and Marje were an amazing team.

A great deal of their volunteer chair responsibilities involve interacting with the Designer Boutique Vendors. There were 26 vendors that Laura and Marje worked with daily to assess their volunteer needs. The process went smoothly and many vendors praised Laura and Marje for the efforts. They were also referred to as the “best Volunteer Chairs ever” by someone who has been working in the Boutique for many years. It’s nice to see their hard work was recognized by many.

The Shelter could not run the Mending Broken Hearts Luncheon without the dozens of volunteers who sign up each year. The role Laura and Marje played as co-chairs was essential to a very successful event. Things went so well, they have agreed to co-chair as Volunteer Chairs for the 2021 MBH Luncheon!

**Susan Utz**  
Events Manager