

Marie (Lanie) Bishop RN, CBC, CBLC is Married, her Husband Tim is a native of Vero Beach and she has been here for 40 years, since their marriage in 1985, they have 2 grown children and 8 grandchildren and 3 great grandchildren. She worked as both a Critical Care nurse and a Home Care specialist for 20 years. Retired to homeschool her youngest and to pursue Christian service. Has volunteered as a mission's administrator for 30 years as well as a Women's Bible study and small group leader for 25 years. Has coordinated retreats and mission events over the years. After she and her family received help and hope from the counseling at the Women's Refuge by Donna Robart she was asked to join the team. She has served as a volunteer events assistant, and board member. After receiving her Biblical Counseling certificate she began counseling alongside Donna and the other dynamic counselors. She continues to pursue her training receiving certificates in Biblical Life Coaching, Mental Health Advocacy and currently studies in Domestic violence and Trauma Care.

Her desire is to equip women with the word of God in order that they may walk fearlessly amidst a broken world and to live a life of purpose and fulfill their God ordained destiny as God's image bearers.

Lanie which has been her nick name since childhood, loves to read, enjoys biking, herb gardening and spending time with friends. She in a self-proclaimed foody – loves to try new foods and enjoys cooking. Her passion is scripture and can easily get lost in the Word studying for hours.