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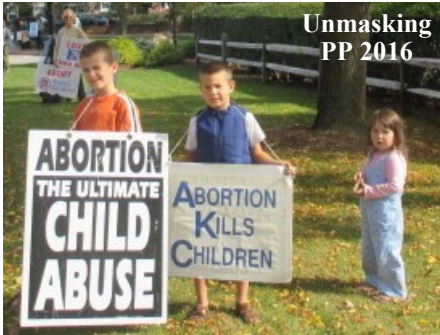
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Unmasking Planned Parenthood



Pro-lifers are asked to silently greet Planned Parenthood donors with our signs showing the truth about the abortion business they've come to support. The Planned Parenthood fundraiser is on **Friday, May 5, 2017**, at Carlyle on the Green in Bethpage State Park, Farmingdale (99 Quaker Meeting House Road). The pro-life vigil will be from **7:00PM-8:15PM**. Signs provided. Sponsored by LI Coalition for Life: 631-243-1435; info@prolifeli.org.

Pro-Life Mobile Billboard to Criss-Cross Long Island

The Long Island Coalition for Life Educational Trust is bringing the pro-life message to the roadways with a mobile truck ad. The truck will travel throughout Nassau and Suffolk on well-trafficked roads like Sunrise Hwy., Hempstead Tpke. and Jericho Tpke. Look for our message in the next few months.

Encouragement for Pro-Lifers

If you've attended the March for Life in recent years, you know that the pro-life torch has been passed to the younger generation who come by the thousands to Washington DC each year to be the voice for the voiceless. Those young voices, junior and senior high school students in our local schools and communities will speak out about pro-life issues at the 14th annual Oratory Contest sponsored by the Long Island Coalition for Life on Sunday, April 9 at 1:30 p.m. in the Millennium Room of the Emmanuel Retreat Center at Kellenberg Memorial High School, 1400 Glenn Curtiss Boulevard, Uniondale. Please come to support the participants and to be inspired by these talented young pro-life speakers.

Love Them Both Vigil



Photo courtesy of G. Colucci

More than 30 pro-life activists took part in the LOVE THEM BOTH vigil sponsored by the LI Coalition for Life. The vigil, held on February 18th, was outside the Planned Parenthood facility in Glen Cove. Signs were held with various pro-life messages to educate those driving by at the busy intersection. Thank you to all who attended!

VISIBILITY MATTERS!

Physician-Assisted Suicide "Words That Work" Seminar.

SAVE THE DATE:

Sunday, May 21st, 1:30-4:30PM.

American Legion Hall, Islip (Nassau Ave.)

Presenter: Jason Negri, JD, of

Patients Rights Council.

Learn how to effectively respond with a respect life message to the difficult questions and circumstances that lead people to accept physician assisted suicide as a compassionate end-of-life option. More details in *May Life News*.

SPANISH TRANSLATOR WANTED: The LI Coalition for Life is looking for a volunteer who will translate the Health & Science page of Life News from English to Spanish. We would like to upload the Spanish version to our website. It would then be available for download and distribution. Computer required. If you are interested in assisting the LICL reach the Latino community with pro-life information, please contact the LICL at info@prolifeli.org or Regina licoalition4life@outlook.com.

You're Invited!

The winners of our annual Pro-Life Oratory Contest will be the featured speakers on **Mon., April 24 at 7:45 PM** at the Long Island Coalition for Life general meeting. Contestants were required to write and deliver a 5-7 minute speech on the topics of abortion, euthanasia, assisted suicide, health care rationing or cloning/stem cell research. Come and listen to these young defenders of life who will inspire and encourage all of us. The speakers will be first on the agenda. The meeting will be held at Joseph Barry K of C Council Hall, 45 Heitz Place, Hicksville.

All are welcome - please join us! For further info, call LICL at 631-243-1435.



Movie Night
The Terry Schiavo Story
Friday, April 21 - 7:30 PM

Christ the King RCC, 2 Indian Head Rd.,
Commack 11725 - For more info
Ann 631-754-9141 or Marion 631-486-2656
Free admission - free-will offering.
Refreshments will be served. Doors open 7:00 PM
ALL ARE WELCOME!

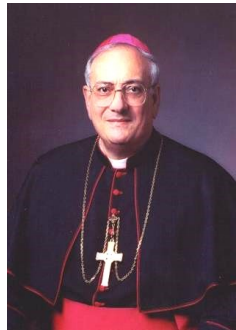
American Life League's
National Pro-Life T-Shirt Day
Friday, April 21



Wear a pro-life T-Shirt to school
and share your photos on Facebook,
Instagram, etc. For info visit
lifedefender.org/npltday

The Bridge to Life
25th Jubilee Gala
Sunday, April 30

Leonard's of Great Neck
555 Northern Blvd., Great Neck
Honoring His Excellency, the Most
Reverend Nicholas DiMarzio,
Bishop of the Diocese of Brooklyn
Cocktail Hour 12:30-1:30 PM;
Dinner 1:30-5:30 PM \$85/pp.



For more information call:
718-463-1810 admin@thebridgetolife.org

Entering Canaan Day
of Prayer & Healing for Men June 10

Hosted by Lumina & the Franciscan Friars
of the Renewal. For more information
call 877-586-4621; or email
lumina@postabortionhelp.org
website postabortionhelp.org



Healing the Shockwaves of Abortion

APRIL: Healing the Siblings

Sibling survivors constitute one of the distinct groups of "abortion survivors." Many dynamics arise in that relationship with a brother or sister who was aborted. That relationship may bring a profound sense of emptiness, anxiety, and guilt to the surviving sibling and also complicate his or her relationship to his or her parents. Sibling survivors struggle to understand their value as a human being in light of the life of their sister or brother discarded through abortion.

Dr. Philip Ney is a child psychiatrist and has done extensive work in the areas of child abuse, pregnancy loss and siblings of aborted children. Dr. Ney reflects on his experience with his patients who have experienced voluntary pregnancy loss:

"Observations of psychiatric patients led me [PGN] to believe that some people were deeply affected by surviving when someone near and dear to them, usually a sibling, died from a pregnancy loss. The symptoms appeared to be most pronounced if the loss was as a result of abortion. Statistically analyzed data showed the most frequent and intense symptom was a feeling they did not deserve to be alive. That was closely correlated to: a sense of impending doom, guilt about surviving, pessimism about the future, not trusting caregivers and other existential symptoms all of which form a fairly closely circumscribed syndrome. These were significantly associated with: recurrent depression, intense obsessions, suicidal risk taking, and frequent hospitalizations."

For more information, visit abortionshockwaves.com.

Student-College Events:

7/28- 30 Annual Camp Esther at Good News Center, Utica, NY. Pro-Life teen leadership weekend. Call for registration rate & details. 518-434-1293.

6/29 - 8/4 National Right to Life Academy 2017
five-week training course for college students.

For info: 202-626-8809; nrlc.org/academy

Abortion and Down Syndrome

The termination rate for Down babies in the Netherlands is between 74% & 94%, in Denmark 98%, and in Iceland **100%**! All pregnancies in Iceland between 2008-2012 in which Down Syndrome was diagnosed ended in "termination." These statistics have "led historians to wonder if this trend could lead to the extinction of those with Down Syndrome... These numbers come as a shock to those who care about the issue of Down or have loved ones living with the disorder. The numbers will also come as a shock to pro-life advocates and those who morally object to eliminating a population based on the "undesirable" traits they are born with." (Benny Johnson, ijr.com, 3/10/17)



FEDERAL LEGISLATION

Since 2011, thirteen States took actions to keep Federal 'Title X' Family Planning funds away from abortion providers. In September 2016, HHS issued a proposed rule, saying States cannot use abortion as a reason to withhold the money. The rule took effect on Jan. 18, 2017.

On Feb. 16, the House passed *House Joint Resolution 43*, to override the rule. [King, Zeldin - yea ; Meeks, Rice, Suozzi - nea]. It's now in the Senate, with a related bill, *Senate Joint Resolution 13*. (S.J.Res.13)

On Dec. 19, 2016, the Mayor of Washington DC signed their *Death with Dignity Act*. Since DC isn't a State, the US Congress had 30 legislative days to override this law. But its attempt to do so, *H.J.Res.27/S.J.Res.4*, failed to pass by the Feb. 17 deadline. DC now has assisted-suicide. A staffer for the House sponsor, Rep. Wenstrup, said they are now considering 'appropriation strategy' (i.e. Congress withholding the funds needed to carry out the law).

The LICL awaits further info on the *Allowing Greater Access to Safe and Effective Contraception Act*, **HR.421/S.93**. Introduced by Rep. M. Love & Sen. J. Ernst (both considered pro-life), the bill would streamline the FDA approval of over-the-counter contraceptives intended for "routine use" by women age 18 or over. The concern is that "routine" might be stretched to encompass new "morning after (abortifacient) pills." As of March 14, phone calls and emails have not produced a response to this question.

In December 2016, a staffer for Rep. Chris Smith lamented that the House passed several pro-life bills, and the Senate only a few. [See Jan/Feb 2017 LN, p 3]. In the Jan. 2017 *Imprimis*, Rep. McClintock says a 1970 change in the filibuster rule is a major cause of Senate inaction. Before 1970, Senators would talk for many hours, and the Senate couldn't take up another issue until the filibuster ended. However, there are now two ways to bypass filibustered bills, and debate other bills. The result is that thorny issues are rarely debated and resolved.

Hearings on Supreme Court nominee Judge Neil Gorsuch are set to begin March 20 in the Senate, (Source: LifeSiteNews.com). (See LN Mar 2017, p 3, for more info on the Judge.)

It now seems likely that any Planned Parenthood defund will not be a separate bill, but part of the Reconciliation bill to repeal, revamp, or replace ObamaCare. *Heritage Foundation's* Rachel Bovard [cnsnews.com 1/27/17] points out that Senate Leader McConnell, during a late January retreat, wouldn't commit to bringing up pro-life bills. One process to move pro-life legislation through the Senate is Reconciliation, which only needs 51 votes to pass. (Sens. Murkowski & Collins have already said NO to a PP defund.) Bovard urges swift action, saying the more Congress *delays* anything, the less likely it will do anything. House Bills referencing ObamaCare are now in as many as ten different committees.

Chicago.Eater.com reports several top Chicago eateries were baking cookies in February (\$75/box) with all money going to Planned Parenthood of Illinois. Also in February, PP got the full cost (\$24) paid for each dish of "penne all'arrabbiata" (angry pasta) at a Brooklyn

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restaurant. PP has scrubbed "prenatal care" from its websites, after **Live Action** released videos showing only 5 of 97 PP's they phoned offered prenatal care. (Glen Cove, NY was one of the 5). On Jan. 10, clergy from the interfaith *Religious Coalition for Reproductive Choice* held a blessing service at Planned Parenthood's new Metro Washington, DC facility.

ACTION ITEM:

H.R.644/S.301, the *Conscience Protection Act of 2017*, boosts conscience protections for health care providers when government tries to compel participation in, or coverage for, abortion. The bill would prohibit any level of government from discriminating against health care providers, including doctors, nurses, hospitals, and insurers who decline involvement in abortions. In addition, it would empower victims to seek relief in court for violations of the federal conscience laws. HHS's Civil Rights Office, and the Department of Justice must investigate an individual's complaint of moral/religious discrimination regarding refusal to participate in abortion. Please contact your Senators and Representative and urge them to Cosponsor, and vote YES, on H.R.644/S.301.

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www.meeks.house.gov



NEW YORK STATE LEGISLATION

The New York State Legislature is only scheduled to meet four days in April.

Among bills facing legislative action in 2017 are the *Comprehensive Contraception Coverage Act* (A.1378-Cahill) which would compel all group health insurance policies to cover birth control and abortifacient drugs without cost or restriction. Also pending is the *Legalization of Physician-Assisted Suicide* (S.3151-Savino/A.2383-Paulin), and the *Reproductive Health Act* (S.2796-Krueger/A.1748-Glick).

As reported last month, Governor Cuomo is pushing for an amendment to the NYS Constitution to permit abortion on demand in NYS in case Roe v. Wade is overturned. This requires majority votes by two separately elected legislatures before being sent to the general electorate for a vote.

The LI Coalition for Life intends to attend a lobbying session sometime in May. Details to be announced when plans are finalized.

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HEALTH & SCIENCE

Advances in Fetal Surgery



An Abstract authored by Denise Araujo Lapa Pedreira entitled “Advances in fetal surgery” appeared in the Jan/Mar 2016 issue of *Einstein* (São Paulo) vol. 14 no.1. Her purpose was to discuss “the main advances in fetal surgical therapy aiming to inform health care professionals about the state-of-the-art techniques and future challenges in this field.” She discusses “the necessary steps of technical evolution from the initial open fetal surgery approach until the development of minimally invasive techniques of fetal endoscopic surgery (fetoscopy).” The author notes that currently the following “fetal malformations can be treated with fetal surgery...monochorionic twin gestation complications (twin transfusion syndrome, acardiac twin, isolated intrauterine growth restriction, etc.), congenital diaphragmatic hernia (an intratracheal balloon is placed using fetal bronchoscopy), constrictive amniotic bands, lower urinary tract obstruction and, more recently, myelomeningocele” (the most serious form of spina bifida).

“Fetal surgery began in the 1980s via open surgery (maternal laparotomy, followed by hysterectomy with direct exposure of the fetus) and was gradually replaced by a less invasive surgical technique named fetoscopy, where ultrasound guides the entrance of a video camera inside the uterus. In the beginning, fetoscopy was carried out only in amniotic fluid medium, using a single port to access the uterine cavity and using an endoscopic scope with a working channel where a laser fiber can be fitted for the coagulation of blood vessels, where micro catheters go through for the balloon insertion, as well as, small bipolar forceps.”

The author notes that the “fluid medium poses limitations for more complex surgeries that require dissection and suture. Images acquired in fluid medium have lower quality than in the aerial medium, and if bleeding occurs, the hemorrhagic fluid does not allow an adequate imaging”. This can result in the procedure not being completed. Also, movement of the fetus from an “ideal position” can limit the ability to complete the procedure. The author stated that “to perform fetoscopy in the aerial medium became crucial to the advances in fetal surgery.”

In 2011, the Management of Myelomeningocele Study (MOMS) used open surgery for fetal repair. Drs. Adzick et al concluded that “prenatal surgery for myelomeningocele reduced the need for shunting and improved motor outcomes at 30 months, but was associated with maternal and fetal risks” (increased risk of preterm delivery, uterine dehiscence (rupture), need for blood transfusions, pulmonary edema). Pedreira

notes that “after a c-section, hysterorrhaphy can heal without tension, because the baby is already out, while in the open surgery, the fetus remains and continues to grow – therefore the hysterorrhaphy remains under constant and progressive tension.”

Pedreira noted that “despite these risks, open fetal surgery became the gold standard to treat myelomeningocele”. The search for minimally invasive techniques that would increase maternal safety continued. In 2014, T. Kohl at the German Center for Fetal Surgery and Minimally Invasive Therapy reported that a study which included 51 human fetuses employing “percutaneous (through the skin) minimal-access fetoscopic closure of spina bifida aperta (SBA)” resulted in “a high rate of technical success, regardless of placental or fetal position.” All fetuses survived the surgery. One very early preterm delivery a week after surgery resulted in immediate death. Another died from “an unsuspected case of trisomy 13, and there were two infant deaths from Chiari-II malformation.” (*Ultrasound Obstet Gynecol*, 2014 Nov)

Pedreira stated that Kohl et al in Germany and her group in Brazil were the only groups (at the time of publication in 2016) that were pursuing “an entirely percutaneous endoscopic approach for the prenatal treatment of myelomeningocele...Both groups use fetoscopy with partial carbon dioxide insufflation, but different surgical techniques for the repair itself.” She notes that just as in the “transition between performing surgery using laparotomy to using the laparoscopic approach, it was necessary to develop new surgical techniques, new instruments, trocars access, closure devices, etc.” She notes that “the German technique has achieved neurological developmental results that are quite similar to the results of the MOMS study, but with minimal maternal morbidity. The Brazilian technique, (SAFER – Skin-over-biocellulose for Antenatal Fetoscopic Repair) has obtained superior neurologic results compared to the MOMS study.” However, she warns that the results are preliminary (23 cases so far). In addition, “because three ports are needed to access the uterine cavity, the mean gestational age of delivery is slightly inferior, and the premature rupture of membrane rate is superior [to] the results of the MOMS study.”

Pedreira concluded, “We believe that further technical development in the near future will confirm if this new technique is not only SAFER to the mother, but also better [for] the fetus.”

Submitted by Regina Carbonaro 516-243-1435

“Whenever Two or More are Gathered in My Name”

Key: (M) = MONTHLY (W) = WEEKLY

PRO-LIFE PRAYERFUL PRESENCE. Scheduled times at local abortion provider/referral sites are listed below. To volunteer, speak with the contact person before going to a site. **Never witness alone. Your presence, if even for 30 min. a month, is important.**

Note: Vigils & Witnesses are **NOT** sponsored by the LICL and are provided for informational purposes.

<u>Nassau County - Location</u>	<u>Day/Time</u>	<u>Contact Phone (516)</u>
540 Fulton Ave (Rt 24), Hempstead	(W) Sa 8 AM-Noon	741-3405
" " "	(M) 1st. Sa 10 AM Liturgy/Clergy	741-3405
35 Carmans Rd., Massapequa	(W) Sa 10:30-Noon	541-8056
<u>Suffolk County - Location</u>	<u>Day/Time</u>	<u>Contact Phone (631)</u>
70 Maple Ave, Smithtown	(W) We & Sa 7:30-10:30AM	979-8541
" " "	(M) 1st Sa 9:30 AM Prayer/Clergy	979-8541
42 First Ave, Brentwood	(W) We 10-10:30 AM	667-2532
" " "	(W) Sa 9:40-10:15 AM	665-3630
200 Motor Parkway, Hauppauge	(W) Sa 9:45-11:45 AM	265-2736
540 E. Main St, Riverhead	(W) We 2-4 PM	722-3111
498 Rt. 111, Smithtown	(W) Sa 7-9 AM	751-7894
450 Waverly Ave, Patchogue	(M) 2nd Sa 10:30-11:30 AM	472-0033
595 Hampton Rd. S. Hampton OB/GYN	(W) Fr 11:30 AM – 12:30 PM	807-6001

IMPORTANT:
Peaceful assembly on public property near an abortion site is a lawful First Amendment right.



Pro-Life Counseling Centers nearest to abortion sites:

Life Center of L.I. (FOUR locations): **Massapequa** 516-798-9100, 35 East Willow St, at E end of Sunrise Mall behind White Castle, (bilingual) open Mo-Fr, 10 AM-4 PM, Sa 9 AM-Noon (by appt. only); **Hempstead** 516-408-6300, 474 Fulton Av (Rt 24) (bilingual) open Mo-Fr 10 AM-4:30 PM & Sa 9AM-1PM; **Deer Park** 631-243-0066, 1767 Deer Park Ave, (bilingual) open Mo 10 AM-8 PM, Tu-Fr 10 AM-3 PM. (Closed Sa); **Riverhead** 631-591-9017, 524 E. Main St., Ste. 200, open Mo-Fr 10 AM-4 PM

Local Pro-Life Viewing – All programs weekly on CableV Ch 20 (except where noted) through Sept. 30, 2017:

Life Issues – hosted by LICL – Nas/W Suf Tu 9 PM, CSuf Tu 9 PM & Rvhd We 9 PM
 Life Talk – Mark Crutcher’s Life Dynamics – Nas/W Suf Tu 10:30 PM, Ch 115, Rvhd We 2 PM Ch 20
 Defending Life - hosted by Priests for Life on EWTN CableV Ch 135, Verizon Ch 285 We 2:30 AM & Th 11 PM
 Long Island Teen Freedom Sexual Integrity and Risk Avoidance-a product of Life Center of L.I. Nas/W Suf W Tu 3:00 PM Ch 20, CSuf We 3:30 PM, Rvhd Mo 3:30 PM Ch 20
 AFA of NY: Mo 8 PM, Ver. Ch 40; CableV Nass /W. Suff. Mo 8 PM Ch 20 & Sa 8 PM Ch 115, C Suff. Tu 4:30 PM Ch 20
 Contemporary Social Issues: Mo 9 PM Ver. Ch 40; CableV Nass. & W Suf Th 8 PM Ch 20, C. Suff. Th 4:30 PM Ch 20

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In Memoriam: **Barbara Redmond**

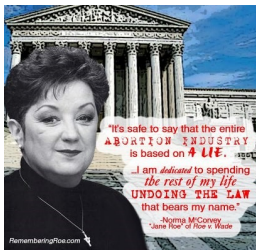
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Norma McCorvey, ‘Roe’ in the Roe v Wade Supreme Court decision, didn’t go to see her lawyer Sarah Weddington to procure an abortion. Norma McCorvey was pregnant with her third child, poor, and hungry. She decided to give up the child for adoption. Norma McCorvey never appeared in court. She revealed her identity in the book, **I am Roe**. She worked at an abortion clinic in Dallas, but realized the clinic was really not interested in helping women, but in making a profit. She got in trouble at the clinic because she felt that if a woman was going to make a choice, she should know what she was choosing. When pro-lifer Rev. Flip Benham asked for forgiveness for some unkind things he had said about her, she began, little by little, the journey to becoming pro-life. She converted to Catholicism. When Melissa Clement met pro-abortion attorney Sarah Weddington in the late 1980’s, she asked Weddington, “Whatever happened to Roe?” Weddington’s shocking reply was, “She’s a stupid piece of white trash. She’s pro-life and a Christian...She was stupid when we found her and she’s worse now.” Twenty years later, Clement met Norma McCorvey at a pro-life rally. Clement stated, “I don’t think I have ever been so moved by any speaker as I was by her story of victimization, loss, despair, redemption, triumph and crushing guilt. When [McCorvey] said “I am responsible for the death of 50 million unborn babies,” everyone in the room was forever changed.” Clement asked McCorvey privately what had happened to Sarah Weddington and the other attorneys. Norma McCorvey responded, “I haven’t heard from them in years. They were not nice women. They were not nice to me. I heard she has breast cancer. I pray for her.” Clement noted that McCorvey's response is what the feminist movement should be – “lifting our sisters up in difficult times, not taking advantage of them and throwing them to the curb when we have used them up. Norma McCorvey, 1947-2017 rest in peace.”



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A PUBLIC PRO-LIFE EVENT OR VIGIL (look through this issue for places & times).*

Good Friday Silent Vigil On Behalf of Unborn

April 14 10:30 AM-Noon (rain or shine) in front of Nassau University Medical Center (2201 Hempstead Tpke., East Meadow). Pro-life women, men and children take part in this peaceful vigil for the protection of life in the womb and against abortions committed at NUMC and throughout Long Island. We stand on the public sidewalk - a reminder that abortion is not healthcare. Signs provided at site. For info call 631-243-1435; info@prolifeLI.org.
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Holy Saturday Annual Liturgy for the Pre-Born

April 15 10 AM in front of Planned Parenthood, 540 Fulton Ave., (Rt. 24), Hempstead. Sponsored by Cathedral Church of the Intercessor 516-599-3780 seekfirst@verizon.net.

PRAYER CHANGES HEARTS!

Pub Night with Andy Cooney

Fri., April 28 - 7 PM St Bernard's School Building, Hempstead Tpke., Levittown 11756
To Benefit Birthright of Nassau/Suffolk
Cost \$45 per person. Food & Drink included.
Tickets call Dick at 516-781-2608



March for Life New York

Saturday, April 29 11:30 AM

Begin at Brookhaven Town Hall March to Bald Hill Amphitheater for Rally. Hosted by Pastors Joni & Jim Lupis. For more information call 631-681-7275; email March4LifeNY@gmail.com

Invite your family, friends, co-workers!

**"Before I formed you in the womb, I knew you;
before you were born, I sanctified you." Jer. 1:5**

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