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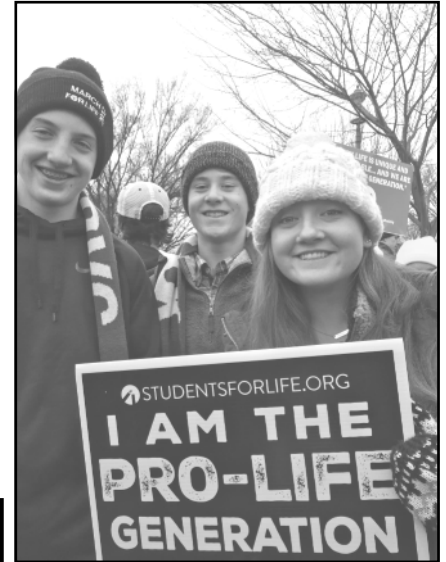
“UNIQUE ... from day one!”



Youth from St. Philip Neri, Northport



Our Lady of the Snows, Blue Point w/ neighboring parishes & groups



The Dumas Family

SAVE THE DATE:
March for Life, Wash., D.C.
Friday, January 24, 2020



Our Lady of Perpetual Help, Lindenhurst

March for Life NY - Albany Monday, June 3, 2019

11 AM Opening Prayer at Children's Memorial inside the NYS Empire Plaza

11:30 March to the State Capital 12:30 PM Rally

For more info go to Marchforlifeny.org



Parishioners of St. Anthony of Padua Church and members of the Fr. Thomas A. Judge Knights of Columbus with Bishop Barres

Thank you to all who went to the March for Life 2019 in DC and thank you to all who couldn't make the trip but participated in other local pro-life events and/or prayed wherever they were.

You're Invited!

The Long Island Coalition for Life general meeting welcomes all interested in pro-life activity, education, legislation or volunteering. Our next General Meeting is **Mon., March 25, at 7:30 PM** at **St. Regis K of C Hall, Pond Rd. & Rosevale Ave., Ronkonkoma.**
All are welcome - please join us! For further info, call LICL at 631-243-1435.



The Annual Oratory Contest PRO-LIFE TEENS SPEAK UP

If you want to be encouraged in your pro-life commitment, join us on Sunday, March 24 at 1:30 p.m. in the Millenium Room at Kellenberg Memorial High School. Junior and senior high school students from Long Island will participate in our annual Oratory Contest and deliver inspiring pro-life speeches researched and written by them and then delivered that day. Your presence will also help support these young people in the pro-life convictions.

Pro-Life and Your Philanthropy Dollar

Some non-profits start out with the intention to support abortion, aka 'reproductive rights' and some have co-opted 'reproductive health' to include abortion and abortifacients. Other non-profits have, at their outset, no connection to the right-to-life issue. Yet over time, these 'good' organizations have subtly or aggressively picked up the banner of reproductive rights. How are your donations being used? Organization policies may change at any time. Sometimes it is difficult to uncover a non-profit's pro-abortion connections. You may consider contacting organizations you want to support. Other information may be found at: American Life League: <https://all.org/charity-watchlist> and Life Decisions International: www.fightpp.org. The information given below was collected as of 12/2018.

AMNESTY INTERNATIONAL

www.amnesty.org [12/2018]

Under the "What We Do" tab, Amnetsy International lists "Sexual and Reproductive Rights."

A description of this project includes: "Sexual and reproductive rights mean you should be able to make your own decisions about your body and:

- get accurate information about these issues
- access sexual and reproductive health services including contraception
- choose if, when and who to marry
- decide if you want to have children and how many

In addition, AI's "My Body My Rights" campaign page states: "A teenager is denied a life-saving termination because abortion is illegal in her country.... My Body My Rights is Amnesty's global campaign to stop the control and criminalization of sexuality and reproduction."



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Writers for Life

We're happy to list the names of the following pro-life writers whose letters all appeared in *Newsday*. Gerard Boettcher, Sean Calabria, and James Gough. Keep those Pro-life letters coming.

Reflection from Rev. Donald Havrilla, Southampton Full Gospel Church

The week of 1/21/19 the country recognized two monumental dates. One observed Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King, who fought tirelessly to remind us of the horrors of slavery and the history of bigotry and discrimination toward African-Americans that, in many places, continues until today. Dr. King should be remembered for his courage and sense of justice, and willingness to put his life on the line for the principles he believed in.

Interestingly enough the day following the remembrance of Rev. King, we have another day to remember. It's not an official holiday, but many will remember Roe v. Wade, the infamous Supreme Court decision that legalized the killing of pre-born boys and girls by a method better known as abortion. Since that date in 1973 more than 60 million pre-born children have been killed. And sad to say the killing goes on.

The people of our nation have made substantial efforts to correct prejudice against our African-American citizens, but we continue to kill the pre-born. We continue to discriminate against these innocent ones by taking away their rights before they're born. They never get a chance to seek a job or live in a particular neighborhood, or marry the person of their choice because we kill them first. And guess what; most people, most Christians and religious leaders do next to nothing to stop the slaughter. Women don't ask their doctor if he or she or the group kills children and they certainly won't boycott any doctor that performs abortions. Prayer alone won't stop the holocaust of the pre-born; it will take action and commitment by God's people to peacefully raise up against this national sin.

Women say it's their right! Let's be careful. History is not kind to us when one group of people claims a right over another. The Japanese before and during World War II said they had a "right" to kill the Chinese. We can remember during that same time frame that the Germans said they had a "right" to kill the Jewish people better known as the Holocaust. And of course somewhat earlier in our own nation the white folks said they had the "right" to own slaves and that didn't turn out well at all. Be careful ladies when you take the "right" to kill a pre-born child.

Let's end this hypocrisy in our nation and apply the "Dream" of Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. to pre-born children and give them their right to live. They're people and they deserve it.

Federal Legislation continued.....



FEDERAL LEGISLATION

On 1/3/19, the House passed HR.21, the Consolidated Appropriations Act 2019 to 'reopen' the government and fund it through the end of September. Seven GOP Reps voted yes, including Peter King. {King, Rice, Meeks, Suozzi – yes; Zeldin - no}. Some pro-life groups opposed the bill, since it includes \$5M more for the UN Population Fund (UNFPA), worked with China on its One-Child Policy), and it hobbles the pro-life 'Mexico City Policy' (no foreign aid to non-government organizations doing abortions). According to his staffer, King's priority was to 'reopen' the government. HR.21 also has a clause barring China from the Population Fund money. King and others are confident the anti-life provisions will be removed before the Senate passes its version of the bill.

Some of the pro-life bills (re)introduced in Congress:
HR.20/S.109 No Taxpayer Funding of Abortion Act
HR.296/S.105 Title X Abortion Provider Prohibition Act
HR.369 Suspends federal funds to Planned Parenthood
HR.437 Bans research using aborted baby parts. (HR.573 is similar, but only bans research done/funded by HHS)
HR.490 Bans abortion if a fetal heartbeat is detectable
HR.661/S.190 To codify 'Mexico City' policy [see above]
HR.784/S.160 Pain Capable (20 week) abortion ban*
HR.962/S.311 To better enforce the 2002 'Born-Alive' Act
S.183 Conscience Protection Act of 2019

* Rep. Zeldin co-sponsors the House version of this Bill.

The latest exemptions to the HHS abortifacient/sterilization/contraceptive mandate took effect in January, protecting non-profits & small employers with moral and/or religious objections. But this still leaves over 22 million government employees at all levels, and several publicly traded companies unprotected from being 'forced' to join health plans covering the objectionable products and services available to their coworkers. The new rules, when proposed, were expected to end the suits against groups like the Little Sisters. But in late 2018, Pennsylvania and other states sued over the new rules. On 12/13/18, the 9th Circuit blocked the new HHS Mandate from taking effect in California, Delaware, Virginia, New York, and Maryland. The battle continues.

The US Court of Appeals, DC, hasn't handed down a decision yet on Planned Parenthood's challenge of pending Title X rules which promote abstinence & natural family planning. Title X funds would be barred from facilities doing abortions. PP could lose up to \$60M. The Court was skeptical, as PP argued against how the (pending) rules were made. On 12/10/18, the Supreme Court declined to hear the cases of *Gee v. PP Gulf Coast* and *Andersen v. PP of Kansas & mid-Missouri*. The media touted this as a win for PP; yet abortion funding was unaffected. The federal government gives Medicaid funds to the states, and the states decide which entities 'qualify' for those funds. After David Daleiden's baby-parts videos came out, some states said PP no longer qualifies for Medicaid money. PP sued on behalf of 3 Medicaid patients who preferred PP. By not taking the case, SCOTUS (including Roberts and Kavanaugh) inferred individuals do "have a private right of action" to sue states for rejecting a Medicaid provider, de-

spite Medicaid rules that appear to say the opposite. On 1/18/19, three Judges on the 5th Circuit Court of Appeals overturned a lower court, allowing Texas to prevent \$3.1M of Medicaid funding to PP. The Judges cited an Office of Inspector General's report that a forensic firm had found Daleiden's videos aren't "deceptively edited," and that, at a minimum, PP had violated ethics standards. The US Supreme Court has asked PP to show that its suit against Daleiden is based on more than just 'the tapes make PP look bad' (i.e., prove what is said on the tapes is true or false). On 2/19/19, PP doctors and staff seen on Daleiden's tapes will be called to the witness stand (under oath) by the State Attorney General in Daleiden's trial on breaking California's video recording law.



NEW YORK STATE LEGISLATION

On 1/22/19, to chants of "free abortion on demand, we can do it, yes we can," Democrats passed the Reproductive Health Act, first proposed a dozen years ago. To 'celebrate', two bridges, the Al Smith building in Albany, and the top of 1 World Trade Center were lit up in pink. At the base of 1 WTC, eleven unborn babies, killed with their mothers, are memorialized with the others who fell on 9/11. The bill appears to restrict late-term abortions but contains a broad 'health' exception after 24 weeks. NYS Right to Life stated that this exception allows women to abort preborn children up to nine months of pregnancy for "age, economic, social and emotional factors, rather than" what we'd normally think of as 'health'. But this exception stems from the 1973 *Doe v Bolton* SCOTUS decision, which trumped the 1970 NYS 24-week ban. Contrary to what an under-informed public believes, abortions in NY (and the US) already occur up to birth. This NY legislation does go beyond *Roe v. Wade*, in some cases. Non-doctors can now perform abortions. The bill redefines a "person" as "a human being who has been born and is alive," and describes abortion as a "fundamental right.." NYSRTL also noted that by removing protections from illegal abortions, the bill will open the door for abuses. 'Back alley abortionists', abusive partners or parents and others will no longer face charges for illegally killing a preborn baby – even if the mother wanted her child. Old State law protected babies born alive after a 'failed' abortion, requiring a 2nd doctor for abortions past 20 weeks. That is now gone, but the 2002 federal Born-Alive Infants Protection Act still stands, yet needs improving. In addition, the bill says the state cannot "deny, regulate or restrict" abortion, even for parental consent/notification for minors, informed consent, or limits on taxpayer-funded abortions. NYSRTL predicts that this bill will also lead to the suppression of pro-lifers' freedom of speech and conscience. Doctors and nurses who refuse to help abort preborn babies could lose their jobs, and pro-life advocates could be persecuted for just speaking for life.

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Federal Legislation continued in next column...

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Life News - 4 March 2019

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To my daughter,

I thought about you when I first saw that video of the boys from Covington. I cringed in anticipation of how their seemingly bad behavior would be used to smear kids like you who go to the March for Life (or, in your case, who can't wait to go to the March for Life). I thought about you again, and more painfully, when the frame of the story widened, revealing not only facts contrary to the original narrative but also widespread bad faith and rush to judgment.

I imagined the same scene -- rowdy teens showing less-than-pristine-respect to their elders -- but with pink pussy-cat hats rather than red MAGA hats, with kids who had marched for "reproductive health" rather than unborn lives. How inspirational that story would have been, of how those pink-hatted youths stood up bravely and prophetically against an old man who tried to silence them. You're not likely to don either of those hats, but hat or no hat, we both know which treatment you'd be in for.

I thought about you when people said that these kids don't really care about abortion, that they're only at the March because their parents or their schools or their churches drag them there as props. It's true that we literally pushed you to your first pro-life event, in a stroller, not so much as a prop as to avoid paying for a sitter.

But I also remember you eight years later, how frustrated you were when we wouldn't let you take your homemade sign to that same event ("It's a prayer vigil, honey, not a protest"). I remember how disappointed you were that your new middle school didn't have a pro-life club -- so you started one. I remember how defiant you were when I suggested that it might be counterproductive to argue with your friends about abortion on the internet (to argue with *anybody* on the internet, really).

As you know, I'm not really an activist by nature, but there's no doubt that you are. The good news is that young activists are our new cultural heroes. The bad news is that you could not have chosen an issue more unpalatable to our elites. So I think "brainwashed prop" is probably the nicest thing you can expect to be called.

I thought about you when I saw folks regaling their Twitter followers with tales of how they went to the March when they were teens too -- just to get out of school for a few days! I don't doubt it. Many kids, given the choice between Algebra II and a bus ride to D.C. with their friends, will choose the latter, for not entirely unmixed motives.

But there are also lots of kids like you, who go to rallies and marches and are convicted in their hearts by the truth before their eyes. These are the kids who

go back to the March with their own kids. These are the generations of kids who make the March for Life a singular phenomenon, the longest sustained mass protest in American history.

I thought about you when a prominent religious thinker called the boy in the photograph "punchable." I thought about your sweet face, and how enlightened public intellectuals and other strangers might deem you "punchable," if you were caught for a moment smiling in the wrong way from the wrong side of their politics.

I think about all of this, about your passion and confidence, and mixed with my pride I can't help but feel a little fear for you. Not that you might be the target of a viral video or a social media mob, those are fears, unfortunately, that every mother has for a child growing up today. No, I fear because I know that, in this fight, you are facing off against all the powers of this world.

It's not just a hostile media establishment, which year after year ignores thousands of peaceful protesters on the National Mall, but will flood one boy's hometown with reporters because they don't like the look on his face. It's not just a corrupt political system, dominated by one party determined to purge its microscopic pro-life remnant and another that can't even manage to defund Planned Parenthood. Fundamentally, it's a culture that cherishes autonomy *uber alles*, and sexual autonomy at the very top of the heap, and doesn't really cotton onto people who say, "Okay, but when you get pregnant, you still can't kill the child."

And against all of that, what you do have? The truth. Yes. But in a fallen world, the truth isn't always enough, as demonstrated by our country's repeated failures to recognize the full humanity of all its people. And I fear that you might not know what you are up against, that you might not realize how uphill is the battle, and that when you find out, it might overwhelm you. Because the worst thing that could happen to you isn't doxing or bullying, much as I want to shield you from those attacks. The worst thing that could happen is that you learn to shield yourself, to armor your heart, with apathy or cynicism.

I can hear you now: "I *know*, Mom." So I'll just say one last thing. Your generation of pro-life activists has declared that it will abolish abortion. I believe this is possible, and God knows I pray that you do it. But we don't enter these battles because we know we will win. We fight because the fight for human life is worth it, win or lose. Because, in the end, the only victory you hold in your hands is in the battle to serve the truth, the battle for your own soul.

If Americans cling to the license to kill their young until the whole civilization crumbles around us, it will still have been worth saying, again and again, "That is a human being. You cannot destroy it and be blameless."

Now go get 'em, sweetheart.

Love, Mom

Kristen Grant is a mother and writer in St. Paul, MN.

"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.

Nassau County - Location

540 Fulton Ave (Rt 24), Hempstead

" " "

35 Carmans Rd., Massapequa

Suffolk County - Location

70 Maple Ave, Smithtown

42 First Ave, Brentwood

" " "

540 E. Main St, Riverhead

498 Rt. 111, Smithtown

450 Waverly Ave, Patchogue

595 Hampton Rd. S. Hampton OB/GYN

Day/Time

(W) Sa 8 AM-Noon

(M) 1st. Sa 10 AM Liturgy/Clergy

(W) Th 10:30-Noon

(W) Sa 10:30-Noon

Day/Time

(W) We & Sa 7:30-10:30AM

(W) We 10-10:30 AM

(W) Sa 9:40-10:15 AM

(W) We 2-4 PM

(W) Sa 7-9 AM

(M) 2nd Sa 10:30-11:30 AM

(W) Fr 11:30 AM - 12:30 PM

Contact Phone

917-544-0121

917-544-0121

516-270-3845

516-541-8056

Contact Phone (631)

979-8541

667-2532

665-3630

722-3111

751-7894

472-4314

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-4 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 Altice (formally CableV) Ch 20 (except where noted) through March 31, 2018:

Life Issues – hosted by LICL - Thurs., 5 PM

Life Talk - Mark Crutcher's Life Dynamics – Mon. 8 PM, Ch. 20; youtube.com/channel/UCX13pg11nqITyzlVGjJzAdQ.

EWTN CableV Ch 135, Verizon Ch 285: Defending Life hosted by Priests for Life: Sun. 11 PM; Pro-Life Weekly: Thurs. 10 PM

Long Island Teen Freedom Sexual Integrity and Risk Avoidance-a product of Life Center of L.I. - Wed., 3:30 PM

AFA of NY: Mo 8 PM Ver. Ch. 40 & Sa 11 PM, Ver. Ch. 37; YouTube Channel: AFA NEW YORK

Contemporary Social Issues: Mo 9 PM Ver. Ch 40

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All Pro-Lifers invited to march-

Ronkonkoma

St. Patrick's Parade

Sunday, March 24 - 1:30 p.m.

Line up location-Patchogue-Holbrook Rd. & Portion Rd., Ronkonkoma, NY.

March behind the Families For Life

Pro-Life banner and float. Pro-Life organizations may carry their own banner.

No individual signs please.

Sponsor: St. Regis Knights of Columbus

For information: 631-737-5120



Prayers and Stations of the

Cross for Life - Mon., 3/18 7:30 PM

Christ the King RCC, 2 Indian Head Road, Commack 11725

Other on-going prayer opportunities at CTK:

- 1st & 3rd Mon., 7:30 PM - Rosary & prayers for life;
- 4th Tues. at 7:30 - Eucharistic Healing Service

For more information: Marion 631-486-2658 or Ann at 631-754-9141.

Face the Truth -

1/20/19

More than 60 pro-lifers braved the freezing temperatures on Jan. 20th for the Roe v Wade Anniversary Memorial Face the Truth event. We lined the sidewalk along busy Hempstead Tpke. in front of Nassau University Medical Center to witness to the truth of abortion and to stand on behalf of the preborn children aborted at NUMC and throughout Long Island. The event was sponsored by the LI Coalition for Life.



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Contact: Hempstead.40days@aol.com
- 70 Maple Ave., Smithtown
Contact: 40DFLsmithtown@gmail.com
- 877 E. Main St., Riverhead
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Good Friday Silent Vigil On Behalf of Unborn

April 19 10:30 AM-Noon (rain or shine) in front of
Nassau University Medical Center (2201 Hempstead
Tpke., E. Meadow on the public sidewalk).

Many pro-lifers ask themselves how could a bill as extreme as NYS's Reproductive Health Act come to fruition. Sadly, it isn't that hard to understand. During two generations, the act of abortion has become little more than a word. For the uninformed masses, abortion is just another procedure that women go through when they have to. It's legal, so it must be safe (few stories surface about injured women). Yet how many abortion advocates and those 'neutral' on the subject have seen what an abortion looks like?

Pro-lifers are the ones who must open the eyes of the uneducated. Out of sight – out of mind. We must let sunshine into the darkness of denial.

Pro-life women, men and children are invited to take part in this peaceful, lawful Face the Truth event for the protection of life in the womb and against abortions committed at NUMC and throughout Long Island. We stand as a reminder that abortion is not healthcare. Signs provided (east end of hospital).

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