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The most important person on earth is a mother. She cannot claim the honor of having built Notre Dame Cathedral. She need not. She has built something more magnificent than any cathedral—a dwelling for an immortal soul, the tiny perfection of her baby's body. "The angels have not been blessed with such a grace. They cannot share in God's creative miracle to bring new saints to Heaven. Only a human mother can. Mothers are closer to God the Creator than any other creatures. God joins forces with mothers in performing this act of creation... "What on God's good earth is more glorious than this: to be a mother?" ~ Joseph Cardinal Mindszenty

RACHEL'S VINEYARD WEEKEND RETREAT



Fri. May 23 to Sun. May 25, 2003

To be held at St. Joseph's Retreat House in Brentwood, New York

A Psychological and Spiritual Journey For Healing After Abortion

Experience the mercy and compassion of God. If you or a friend are hurting, please call today. Rachel's Vineyard Retreat welcomes both men and women.

For more information please call:
Frank Gariboldi at 516-523-0586
e-mail: lbg@fnol.net
www.rachelvineyard.org

CATHOLIC LEAGUE LONG ISLAND CHAPTER Annual COMMUNION BREAKFAST

Sunday, May 18, 2003

(begins with 9:30 Mass in auditorium)

Kellenberg Memorial High School
1400 Glenn Curtiss Blvd., Uniondale

Guest speaker and Pro-life advocate:

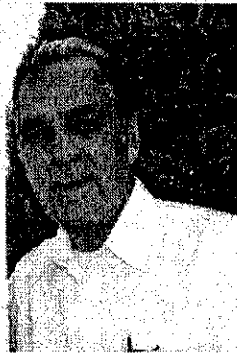
Nassau District Attorney Denis Dillon



Reservations necessary by May 9.
\$18 per adult- \$10 per student.
Make check to: Catholic League
Mailing address: P.O. Box 8131
Garden City, N.Y. 11530

For information call 516-488-3809

**STAND UP FOR LIFE—SUNDAY, OCTOBER 5, 2003—2 to 3:30 P.M.
HUNTERTON, N.Y.—A Respect Life Sunday event—Please note.**



YOU'RE INVITED!

Please join us at the LICL monthly meeting on May 19, 2003, to hear Rev. Donald Havrilla, Pastor of the Southampton Full Gospel Church, who has been striving to stop abortions at Southampton Hospital for the last 15 years. Pastor Havrilla has been leading a faithful group of weekly demonstrators who use large graphic pictures depicting the horrible death aborted pre-born babies suffer. Consequently Southampton Hospital's abortions have decreased from 115 to 20 annually during the period he and his group have been witnessing.

The meeting will start at 7:45 PM at the Saint Regis Council, Knights of Columbus hall in Ronkonkoma. For directions call 631-243-1435.

Requested by Dolores Andreski's Family— "Thank you to all for your prayers and good wishes. We ask that everyone continue to remember her in prayer." Note: Dolores and Regina Carbonaro have for many years produced the outstanding monthly Health and Science Report, Pg. 4 of LIFE NEWS. Dolores has been hospitalized for over ten weeks. She is unable to take calls or visitors.

THE PLANNED PARENTHOOD ORGANIZATION IS THE NATION'S LEADING ABORTION PERFORMER AND PROMOTER

Report on Planned Parenthood's Teen Health Conference of Friday March 21, 2003, held at the Wyndham Wind Watch Hotel in Hauppauge.

Montauk #9505
(East Hampton)
Montauk #616
North Amityville
Southampton #37

Swezey #8
(Comsewogue)
United #273
WE Transport #6136

Our volunteers stood at both entrances and observed 23 school buses or minivans and about ten unmarked cars or vans with teens attending the Teen Health Conference. This year's attendance appeared to be slightly less than last year, and significantly less than the 36 school buses and 17 cars or vans observed in 2001.

Bus/Van ID's are as follows:

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|-----------------------|-----------------------------|
| Bayport/Bluepoint #12 | Atlantic #9025 |
| Connetquot #1403 | Baumann #2104 |
| Hauppauge #2157 | John Bosch #1416 (Babylon) |
| Huntington #321 | Educational #16 |
| Huntington #511 | Educational (West) |
| Town of Islip | Intercounty (Sayville) |
| Town of Islip | Laidlaw #208393 (Wm. Floyd) |
| Kings Park #100 | McCoy #65 (Sag Harbor) |

If your school officials allowed their students to attend this Conference, you should advise your School Board/Superintendent that they are in violation of NYSED Commissioners' Regulations, Subchapter G Part 135, Section 135.3, "Health Education in Secondary Schools" which states in part that "...such instruction shall be given during an existing class period using existing instructional personnel." Using contract school buses that you're paying for to take students away from their school to the Wyndham Wind Watch for a "health conference" is in direct violation of NYSED Commissioners' Regulations.

Again, thanks to the spotters and counters and the eight others who came to pray with us on this cool, foggy, misty morning.

**SCHOOL BOARD ELECTIONS IN MAY!
PLEASE REMEMBER TO VOTE PRO-LIFE!**

**ASK CANDIDATES THEIR STAND ON
ABORTION, PARENTAL NOTIFICATION AND
ALLOWING PLANNED PARENTHOOD
INTO SCHOOLS.**

Speakers Available

The Education Committee of LICL is available to speak on "The Dangers of Planned Parenthood", "Keeping Planned Parenthood Out of Your School" and other pro-life areas of concern.

Call 631-243-1435



FEDERAL LEGISLATION

PARTIAL BIRTH ABORTION BAN PASSES SENATE. On 3/13/03 the U.S. Senate passed the Ban on Partial Birth Abortions. The ban now goes to the House where it is expected to pass easily. President Bush has indicated he will sign the ban into law.

PRESIDENT BACKS NOMINEE-President Bush has vowed that he will stand by Miguel Estrada, the first Hispanic to be nominated to the 2nd highest Court, the U. S. Court of Appeals. Estrada, a Honduras teenage immigrant who spoke very little English upon arriving in the U.S. worked hard to obtain an education and graduated from Harvard Law School. Upon becoming Assistant to the Solicitor General of the U.S. he successfully argued cases before the U.S. Supreme Court. The American Bar Association unanimously rated Estrada as "well qualified for this judgeship". Estrada is currently being blocked by Democratic Senators because he will not pledge to support abortion.

Another recent Bush judicial nominee, Priscilla Owens, is also likely to be filibustered by Senate Democrats. Please call to ask our Senators to approve both nominations.

ACTION—CALL or FAX (Numbers below)-
Senators Schumer and Clinton.

Sample Message: Please approve the nominations of both Miguel Estrada and Priscilla Owens to the Federal bench.

THE U.S. HOUSE APPROVES BAN ON HUMAN CLONING—By a decisive bipartisan vote of 241-155, on 2/27/03, the House approved the Weldon-Stupak Human Cloning Prohibition Act H.R. 534. It now goes before the U.S. Senate where some Senators are threatening to filibuster the bill to allow biotech firms to open up cloned embryo farms. Each cloned embryo results in a dead embryo, thus the term "Clone and Kill."

ACTION—CALL or FAX (Numbers below).
Senators Schumer and Clinton.

Sample Message: Please support the only true anti-cloning bill, the Brownback-Landrieu bill S.245.

Contact information: U.S. Senate, Wash., D.C. 20510

	Local Phone #	D.C. Phone & FAX
Schumer	212-486-4430	202-224-6542/228-3027
Clinton	212-688-6262	202-224-4451/228-0282

U. S. House of Representatives, Wash., D.C. 20515

Bishop	631-696-6500	202-225-3826/225-3143
Israel	631-665-7333	202-225-3335/225-4669
King	516-541-4225	202-225-7896/226-2279
McCarthy	516-489-7066	202-225-5516/225-5758
Ackerman	718-423-2154	202-225-2601/225-1589

For information on Federal legislation call John Healy 631-598-0430.

Beware—Our pro-life efforts are seriously undermined when pro-abortion officials are invited as speakers and/or photographed as participants at events of institutions whom the public perceive as pro-life.

NEW YORK STATE LEGISLATION



EMERGENCY CONTRACEPTION—Please continue to express opposition to these bills: S.202/A.15, S.3339/A.888, and S.185/A.384. If fertilization has already taken place emergency contraception causes an early abortion by altering the lining of the uterus so that an already conceived embryo will be unable to implant and continue growing. For information and about these bills and a sample letter see 4/03 *Life News*. For current status call 1-800-342-9860.

CLONING—On 3/19 Speaker Silver's bill A.6249-A, deceptively named "The Reproductive Cloning Prohibition and Research Protection Act" passed the Assembly. **This bill does not prohibit the mass cloning of human beings.** Moreover, under this legislation, **the cloned baby could develop in the womb throughout the gestation period provided that the cloned child is killed before birth.** At any time this cloned human being could be used for experimentation or to provide baby parts. Thank Assembly members Acampora, Alfano, Barra, Barraga, Conte, Ferrara, Fitzpatrick, Labriola, McDonald, McDonough, O'Connell and Raia for voting against A.6249-A. **Ask your representatives to support S.206 which prohibits all human cloning.**

ACTION—Sample Message:

(Contact you Senate and Assembly Member.)

Dear___: Please oppose all "clone and kill" legislation. Instead actively support "The Human Cloning Prohibition Act" S.206. Cloning fails to respect the dignity of human life and reduces this precious gift to a commodity. All of us wish to help those who suffer from debilitating disease. However, the stem cell research which has already proved to be beneficial comes not from destruction of human embryos but from the use of adult and umbilical cord stem cells, obtained with no destruction of human life. Say "no" to cloning human beings. Support legislation such as S.206. Please reply.

FAMILY PROTECTION ACT-now has 12 Senate and 22 Assembly sponsors. Among sponsors are Senators Flanagan, Johnson and Trunzo, and Assembly Members Alfano, Barra, Barraga, Conte, Fitzpatrick, McDonald, McDonough, O'Connell and Raia.

ACTION--Sample Message in 4/03 Life News.

(Contact your Senator and Assembly Member to either thank or request they sponsor and support.)

ACTION-Contact information:

New York State Senate	New York State Assembly
Albany, N.Y. 12247	Albany, N.Y. 12248
Switchboard 518-455-2800	Switchboard 518-455-4100
N.Y.S. Bill Status Hotline—800-342-9860.	

For information on State legislation contact Mary Arden Smith 516-825-4852.

HEALTH & SCIENCE REPORT

A SECOND RENAISSANCE
OR HI-TECH EUGENICS?

The article, 'Dazzled by the Science', by author Jeremy Rifkin, which appeared in *The Guardian* on January 14, 2003, was truly disturbing. He reported on a new movement in science and research in which biologists view themselves as creative artists rather than as engineers. Human imagination rather than divine guidance or evolutionary forces inspire them. A similar movement is occurring in the art community as well.

J. Craig Venter, the gene scientist associated with Celera Genomics, the company that was the forerunner in mapping the human genome, recently announced "a plan to create the first artificial life form in a laboratory dish...he hopes to use a \$3m US government grant to create partially man-made organisms that could produce hydrogen for fuel or break down carbon dioxide from power plant emissions. Other scientists worry that Venter's creation could wreak havoc on natural ecosystems or be used to create new kinds of biological weapons." American artist Eduardo Kac commissioned geneticists in France "to create a transgenic rabbit...with a fluorescent gene...The rabbit, which glows, is considered a living piece of genetic artistry...An exhibit titled Genesis is touring the US...many of the works...use the tools of genetic science to create living representations just as their predecessors used paintbrushes to create... The Critical Art Ensemble engages in a performance piece called GenTerra, in which it releases transgenic bacteria into the audience. Christine Paul, curator at the Whitney Museum of American Art says: 'We are witnessing the emergence of a new type of artist, the artist/scientist/researcher.'" Other works include digitally produced portraits of "hybrid cat people and tubes of real DNA suspended from the ceiling".

These new "artists" feel that their "creations" will help generate discussion over the legal, ethical and scientific issues involved in genomic science. However, Rifkin warns, "the real consequence of such art exhibits will be to legitimize the idea of a new 'artful' eugenics movement. The melding together of genetic science and artistic expression could help ease the way to a popular acceptance of Venter's new microbe, as well as cloned, transgenic and chimeric animals and designer babies. More than 30 years ago, Nobel laureate Joshua Lederberg wrote expectantly of the possibility of designing 'a useful protein from first premises, replacing evolution by art'. Recombinant DNA techniques are increasingly being viewed as the "artist's" tools of the postmodern era. With the new technologies, human beings assume the role of creative artists, continually transforming evo-

lution into works of art."

In laboratories all over the world, new hybrid creatures are being created. Sheep and goat embryos have been fused together to form a "Geep". The anti-freeze gene in a flounder has been combined with the tomato plant to make it resistant to freezes. Human growth hormones have been introduced into mice embryos, forming mice twice their normal size. Human skin, pancreases and breasts have been grown in the laboratory. Spider genes combined with goat embryos have resulted in goats that produce spider silk in their milk. Japanese scientists announced that they are planning to use tissue from a mammoth to clone the extinct animal and "display" it at an ice age wildlife park in Siberia.

Rifkin writes, "Life, long thought of as God's handiwork, and more recently viewed as a random process guided by the 'invisible hand' of natural selection, is now reimagined as an artistic medium. Freeman Dyson writes: 'It is impossible to set any limit to the variety of physical forms that life may assume. It is conceivable that in another 1,010 years, life could evolved away from flesh and blood and become embodied in an interstellar black cloud...or in a sentient computer.'...By masquerading as artistic tools, genetic engineering technologies create the illusion that the new era somehow represents a creative renaissance of sorts. Rather, the new technologies threaten to smother the artistic sensibility altogether. Art historian, Lewis Mumford reminds us, 'is essentially an expression of love, in all of its many forms...in contrast to technics, which is mainly concerned with the enlargement of human power'. Genetic engineering represents the ultimate enlargement of human power. Making decisions over what genes to insert, recombine or delete in an effort to alter, transform and redesign oneself is less an artistic expression then, and more a technological prescription. It is not art, but artifice...we mistakenly think of the new technological manipulation as a creative act, when in reality it is merely a set of choices created in a laboratory and purchased in the marketplace. The biotech revolution is the ultimate consumer playground...the new genetic technologies grant us a godlike power to select the biological futures of the many beings who come after us. This is a new and dangerous form of hi-tech eugenics whose cold engineering edge has been softened by the guise of artful expression. Beware of Venter's new creations. They may be less a harbinger of a second renaissance and more a reflection of the 'brave new world' that Aldous Huxley warned of more than 70 years ago."

Dolores Andreski and Regina Carbonaro 516-795-7568.

DON'T FORGET: Michael Fund Walkathon, 12-4, Sat. May 10th at Wantagh Park, Merrick Rd., Wantagh.

Street Fair Season:
Tables Wanted

Pro-Life tables at street fairs are a great way to reach the public that otherwise only knows about Pro-Life issues based on the misinformation campaign of the pro-abortion controlled mass media. Please call the LICL at 631-243-1435 with vendor information if there is a street fair, flea market, or health fair in your area. The LICL and local Pro-Life groups have been able to teach the truth to adults and teens with an informative, appealing display and literature. If your group is setting up a table or public outreach program, call the LICL if you would like to borrow a fetal model set or VCR/monitor and general audience videos.

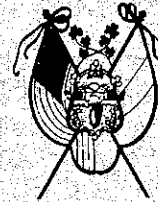
Bridge for Life
Seventh Annual 2-Mile
Walk/Stroll for Life
at Flushing Meadows Corona
Park - Rain or Shine
Saturday May 17th
10AM Registration



ALL ARE WELCOME!
Please call the Bridge to Life at
718-591-7020
www.thebridgetolife.org

Division VIII Ancient
Order of Hibernians
Respect Life Dance

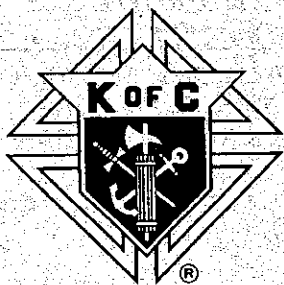
Saturday, May 17th 2003
8PM - Midnight
AOH Hall - Washington
Heights & Magnolia Ave.,
Selden, NY



Mike Keogh
will provide
Traditional
Irish Music

Cash Bar & Raffle
\$12 per person
[tickets sold at Assumption RCC,
Centereach & at door]

For information Call:
John McGowan 631-331-2111
Joe McDermott 631-588-7587
Fred Fitz 631-585-8429



Prayer
Service
For the
Unborn

A prayer service for the unborn, led by Monsignor Joseph Curley, will be held on Saturday, May 24th at 10AM at the **Memorial For The Unborn Child** at Holy Sepulchre Cemetery, Route 112, Coram. *Sponsored by the Sacred Heart Council, Knights of Columbus, Centereach, NY.* All are invited to attend, as we prayerfully remember these little ones taken from us by abortion.

For more information please call
Michael Calvitto 631-698-0335

You are invited to attend the
ALL NIGHT LIFE VIGIL

Friday, May 16 to
Sat. May 17.
9 p.m. to 6 a.m.



Our Lady of Lourdes Chapel
855 Carmans Road, Massapequa Park, N.Y.
Pastor: Rev. Robert E. Mason
Contact: Anne Murphy at 631-234-6921.

Held every 3rd Friday, this nine-hour vigil includes two Masses, Benediction, Rosary, and prayer all dedicated to Respect Life. You are welcome to participate for the full vigil or for any part of.

The ALL NIGHT LIFE VIGIL
celebrated its 21st Anniversary
March 21/22, 2003.



WITNESSING

Photos
By
Larry Cervellino



Prayer and counseling while, difficult this winter, continued on schedule and babies were saved. Often the mother is waiting for simple words of encouragement and information on available assistance and will keep her child.

The twice-weekly witness at the Smithtown site welcomed the Diocese of Rockville Centre Procession for Life on March 8th. The Care Center is planning a large witness at this site on Sat. May 17 beginning at Smithtown Gospel Tabernacle. See Pg. 12.

Prayer vigil schedules at Long Island abortion provider/referral sites are listed below. Please offer your presence and your prayers at one of the listed sites as often as possible. Please call the prayer vigil contact person at the phone numbers listed below before going to a site near you, and never remain at a site alone.

PLEASE JOIN US & BE A VOICE FOR THE UNBORN!

NASSAU COUNTY

Locations	Day/Time of Prayer Vigil	Contact Phone Number (516)
156 Mineola Blvd., Mineola	Tu, Fr 10:30-11:30AM	354-6749
540 Hempstead-Fulton Ave., Hempstead	Sa 7:30AM-1PM	741-3405
35 Carmans Rd., Massapequa	Sa 10:30AM-Noon	798-2151
930 Broadway, Massapequa	Sa 9:30AM-Noon	781-5274
175 Jericho Tpke., Syosset	Sa, Mn, Tu, Th 8-11AM; Fr 3:30-7PM	334-2569
123 Grant Ave., Ea. Rockaway	Time subject to change	887-2458
250 Old Country Rd., Hicksville	Time subject to change	741-3405
444 Community Dr., Manhasset	Sat 8:30-9:30AM	741-3405

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

SUFFOLK COUNTY

Locations	Day/Time of Prayer Vigil	Contact Phone Numbers (631)
70 Maple Ave., Smithtown	Wed & Sa 7-11AM	979-7017
2500 Nesconset Hwy., Stony Brook	Sa 8-10AM	751-8217
595 Hampton Rd., Southampton	Fr 11:30AM	283-6829
42 First Ave., Brentwood	Sa 8-10AM	234-0933

**PRAYER & WITNESS
SAVES LIVES!**

May: ♥ **American Family Association** cable TV schedule: [All Programs are on channel 20] ● Nassau/W. Suffolk: Tu. 5/6 8:30AM & Th 5/8 8PM - *What Pro-Choicers Fear about the Abortion Issue.* ● East Suffolk (RVHD): M 5/5 10PM & Tu. 5/6 10AM - *Crisis Pregnancy Centers Under Investigation.* M 5/12 10PM & Tu. 10AM - *Facing Lions.* For more info. call Frank Russo 516-944-3544.

Website: www.afany.org

♥ Mark Crutcher's **LIFE DYNAMICS-'Life Talk'** tapes are shown as follows: **Woodbury Ch20** Tuesdays 12:30pm & **Queens Ch20** Mondays 10AM & 6PM. **Hauppauge Ch 20 & BRKHVN Ch 20** Thursdays 5PM. **Riverhead Ch20** Fridays 1:30PM.

www.lifedynamics.org

♥ "Defending Life" with Fr. Frank Pavone on EWTN: Tu 5:30PM, W 5AM, Fr 10PM See: www.priestsforlife.org

- Fr 5/2 6/6 (M) 9:00AM **MASS, ROSARY & VIGIL FOR LIFE & PEACE** 4PM Benediction, St. Marks RCC, Shoreham, NY
- Fr 5/2 6/6 (M) Noon-3PM & 6-9PM **EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION FOR LIFE** St. Andrews RCC, Sag Harbor. 631-725-5915
- Fr 5/2 6/6 (M) 7:30 PM **BENEDICTION FOR LIFE** St. Boniface RCC, Elmont
- Fr 5/2 6/6 (M) 8-12PM **ADORATION FOR LIFE** St. Francis of Assisi, Greenlawn, NY
- Fr 5/2 6/6 (M) 7-8 PM **PRO-LIFE HOLY HOUR** Our Lady of Victory RCC, Floral Park
- Fr 5/2 6/6 (M) 3-7AM **PRO-LIFE VIGIL** at St. Aloysius RCC, Great Neck; M 5/12-7PM Way of the Cross for the Unborn. Call: 516-482-2770
- Fr 5/2 6/6 (M) 9:30PM-8AM **PRO-LIFE VIGIL FOR LIFE AND PEACE** St. Matthew RCC, Dix Hills 631-499-8520
- Fr 5/2 6/6 (M) 9PM-5AM **ALL NIGHT LIFE VIGIL** St. Frances de Chantal, Wantagh
- Fr 5/2 6/6 (M) 8PM-9PM **PRAYER HOUR FOR LIFE** Our Lady of Lourdes, Malverne
- Fr 5/2 6/6 (W) 1:00PM **ROSARY FOR LIFE** St. John Nepomucene Church, Bohemia, 631-589-0540
- Fr 5/2 6/6 **New (M) 7:30-8:30PM HOLY HOUR FOR LIFE** The Resurrection RCC, 50 Granny Rd., Farmingville, NY
- Sa 5/3 6/7 (M) 6PM **RIGHT TO LIFE ROSARY** St. Margaret of Scotland RCC, 81 College Rd., Selden, NY.
An outdoor Rosary at the statue of Our Lady. Call Dennis Borro 631-736-2380
- Su 5/4 6/1 (M) 11:15AM **ROSARY FOR LIFE** Chapel of Our Lady of the Snows Church; 258th & 80th Ave., North Floral Park 718-347-6070
- Su 5/4 6/1 (W) 8-9PM **HOUR OF REPARATION TO STOP ABORTION** Our Lady of Perpetual Help, Lindenhurst, NY
- Mn 5/5 6/2 (M) 10AM-4PM **ADORATION AND BENEDICTION** at St. Rose of Lima, Massapequa, (Fr. Graham Chapel)
- Mn 5/5 6/2 (W) 7PM **ROSARY FOR LIFE AND NOVENA MASS** St. Catherine's, Franklin Square
- Mn 5/5 6/2 (M) 8PM **MASS FOR LIFE** St. Joseph's-Rectory Chapel, Garden City, NY. All Welcome

- Su 5/6 (M) 3-4PM **DEANERY SIX PRO-LIFE HOLY HOUR** St. Joseph's RCC, 1346 Broadway, Hewlitt, NY. Call Mary Caffrey 516-887-2458.
- Th 5/8 6/12 (W) 7-8PM **ROSARY FOR LIFE** Our Lady of Mt. Carmel RCC, Patchogue (9AM-Midnight-Adoration)
- Th 5/8 6/12 (W) After 7PM Mass **ROSARY & NOVENA FOR LIFE** St. James Chapel, Seaford, NY 516-694-2938
- Fr 5/9 6/13 (M) 9AM **ROSARY FOR MOTHERS & THE UNBORN** Sts. Peter & Paul RCC, Manorville, NY
Call Ruth 631-369-7142.
- Sa 5/10 ♥ Noon-4PM **MICHAEL FUND WALKATHON & FAMILY PICNIC** Wantagh State Park, NY. Call Dolores & Regina at 516-795-7568 or Joan Finn 516-799-0190. (See page 12)
- Su 5/11 6/8 (M) **IPM PROJECT MERCY ROSARY TO END ABORTION** St. Francis of Assisi, Greenlawn
- Tu 5/13 6/10 (M) 9AM **MASS AND ADORATION FOR LIFE** Noon-Rosary, Vigil concludes with **BENEDICTION FOR LIFE** at 4PM. Sacred Heart Parish, Cutchogue
- Fr 5/16 6/20 (M) 9PM-6AM **ALL NIGHT LIFE VIGIL** Our Lady of Lourdes RCC -Chapel Massapequa Park
Call Anne Murphy: 631-234-6921. (See page 5)
- Sa 5/17 ♥ 9AM **WALK FOR LIFE CARE CENTER ANNUAL FUNDRAISER** worship & prayer at Smithtown Gospel Tabernacle Church followed by a prayer walk to Planned Parenthood, Smithtown. Call 631-265-3675 (See page 12)
- Sa 5/17 ♥ **ANNUAL WALK FOR LIFE AT FLUSHING MEADOWS PARK** Call 718-591-7020. (See page 5)
- Sa 5/17 ♥ 8PM **AOH RESPECT LIFE DANCE** sponsored by Div. VIII, Ancient Order of Hibernians at AOH Hall, Selden, NY. Irish music, \$12 per person, cash bar. Call John (631) 331-2111, Joe 588-7587 or Fred 585-8429 (See page 5)
- Su 5/18 ♥ 9:30AM **CATHOLIC LEAGUE ANNUAL COMMUNION BREAKFAST** following 9:30AM Mass at Kellenberg Memorial H.S. \$18 adults/\$10 students. Reserve by 5/9 - call 516-488-3809. Speaker: Denis Dillon. (See front cover)
- Su 5/18 6/8 (M) 1-4PM **SINGLE MOTHER'S SUPPORT GROUP** at "Bridge to Life" 41-23 Bell Blvd., 2nd Flr, Bayside, 718-225-2211. Queens pro-lifers may obtain the "Bridge to Life" newsletter - Call 718-225-2211
- Mn 5/19 6/16 (M) 7:30PM **EASTERN LI CATHOLICS FOR LIFE** meeting in K of C Hall, Hampton Bays, NY 631-728-2311.
- Mn 5/19 (M) 7:45PM - **L.I.C.L. GENERAL MEETING** at St. Regis K of C, Ronkonkoma, NY. (see page 2)
Speaker: Rev. Donald Havrilla-Southampton Full Gospel Church **All welcome.** Call 631-243-1435
- Tu 5/20 6/17 (M) 7:30-8:30PM **ADORATION, ROSARY, PRO-LIFE PRAYER** - St. Patrick's Church, Smithtown.
- W 5/21 6/18 (M) 7:30PM **STATIONS OF THE CROSS FOR LIFE** Maria Regina RCC, Chapel Pastoral Center, Seaford, NY. Call 516-799-0190
- Fr-Su 5/23-25 ♥ **RACHEL'S VINEYARD RETREAT** "A Healing After Abortion"-St. Joseph's Retreat House, Brentwood, NY
Call Frank 516-523-0586. Retreat welcomes both men & women. (See Front Cover)
- Fr 5/23 6/27 (M) 8-9PM **PRO-LIFE HOLY HOUR** Our Lady of Lourdes RCC, Massapequa Park, NY 516-541-3270
- Sa 5/24 ♥ 10AM **PRAYER SERVICE FOR THE UNBORN** at Holy Sepulchre Cemetery, Route 112, Coram, NY.
Sponsored by Sacred Heart Council, Knights of Columbus, Centereach. Call Michael 631-698-0335 (See page 5)
- SA 5/24 9AM-Noon** - Donate an hour or two & help prepare the June **LIFE NEWS** for mailing, St. Joseph's Old School Gym! 25 Church St., Ronkonkoma. Call: 631-588-4437. **Students gain Confirmation service hours!**
- Tu 5/27 6/24 (M) 8-9:30 PM **ADORATION, ROSARY FOR LIFE** Sacred Heart RCC, Island Park, NY. Call 516-889-5318
- Fr-Su 5/30-6/1 ♥ **UNITED FACULTY FOR LIFE 13TH ANNUAL CONFERENCE** Georgetown University, Washington, D.C..
Contact Jane Gilroy 516-678-5000 x6139 jgilroy@molloy.edu

LOOKING AHEAD

- Su 6/1 **HISPANIC DAY PARADE** 12 Noon, Walk with St. Anne's Respect Life Committee-Brentwood Call 631-951-2310.
- Th 6/19 **MOMMA'S HOUSE FATHER'S DAY DANCE** 6:30PM Coral House, Baldwin. \$60 per person -516-781-8637.
- Th-Sa 7/3-5 **NATIONAL RIGHT TO LIFE 31ST ANNUAL CONVENTION** Hyatt Regency, St. Louis, MO. Speakers, exhibits, latest information, Teens & College sessions & much more. Call 202-626-8828 or www.nrlc.org & www.missourilife.org.
- Su 10/5 **STAND UP FOR LIFE** 2PM Route 110, Huntington, NY. Call 516-781-8699 or 631-588-0168.
- Sa 10/11 **LIFE CENTER ANNUAL DINNER DANCE** Speaker Norma McCorvey. Contact the Life Center 631-243-2373
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March 2003 at the New York State Capital, Albany—a month of pro-life activity

Pro-life efforts were abundant with many Long Islanders coordinating and participating in these important events: on March 11, the annual N.Y.S. Catholic Conference Public Policy Day; on March 18, the annual Legislative Day 2003 sponsored by Rev. Duane Motley's New Yorker's Family Research Foundation, Inc. & New Yorkers for Constitutional Freedoms; on March 25, the annual New York State Right To Life Committee, Inc. Lobby For Life Day; on March 25, our Long Island Coalition for Life staffed a pro-life literature table in the Legislative Building; and, on March 25, the N.Y.S. Knights of Columbus Prayer Rally 2003 for God-Country-Family.



The newest effort, the Knights of Columbus Prayer Rally 2003, (see photo), was held on the steps of the N.Y.S. Capitol Building. Sponsors have given notice that their effort will become an annual event. After prayer and speakers the attendees went into the Legislative Building to address concerns with their Senators and Assembly Members.

Participants in picture include: Supreme Knight-Carl Anderson and Supreme Director-Robert J. Fallon. Clergy from Nassau/Suffolk include Rev. Francis Nuss, Msgr. Joseph Curley and Rev. Paul J. Dahm.

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For more information on Babies for Life Foundation, call 404-303-9187 or log-on to www.babiesforlife.org.

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To read Dr. Brind's review of the politically correct whitewash of ABC at a recent workshop of the National Cancer Institution, go to his website.

Joel Brind is a professor of Human Biology and Endocrinology at Baruch College-CUNY. The website is www.bepinstitute.org/nci_minority-rpt.htm.

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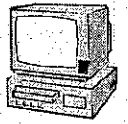
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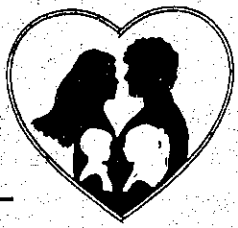
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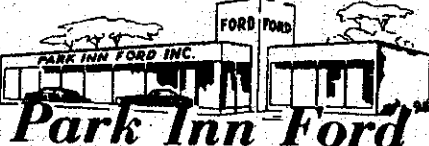
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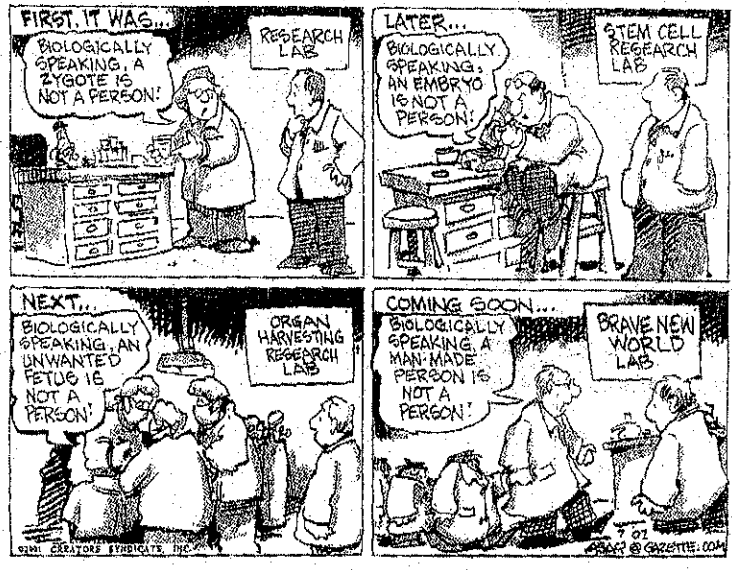
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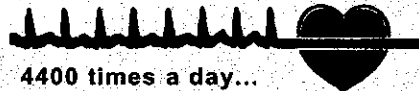
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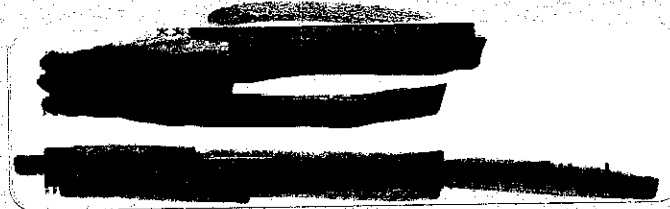
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