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"No human authority, not even the state, can morally justify the killing of an innocent child. This tragic transformation of a crime into a right is indicative of a worrisome decadence of civilization."
~ Pope John Paul II

CELEBRATING LONG ISLAND'S PRO-LIFE COMMITMENT

STAND UP FOR LIFE



Sunday, October 7, 2001

2:00 PM - 3:30 PM

(rain or shine)

**ALONG ROUTE 25 and ROUTE 110
Huntington, Long Island**

Rte. 110 (East sidewalk) beginning at Rt. 25
heading South for 1 mile

Rt. 25 (South sidewalk) beginning at Rt. 110
heading East for ½ mile

Signs will be distributed at site and will
read:

ABORTION KILLS CHILDREN

LOVE THEM BOTH

(with picture of mother and child)

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The answer to the question...

"What Can One Person Do?"

On Sunday, October 7, 2001 Pro-Lifers will have an opportunity to participate, once again, with family and friends, with people of all faiths, of all ages, in a huge public statement for life.

Please begin now to publicize, make plans to attend and extend an invitation to participate to your family, clergy, church members and concerned groups. 1200 persons attended **Stand Up For Life** last year.

Please mail the coupon shown below as soon as possible so that we can properly plan and fund this event. Thank you.

Deadline for supporter names to be printed on the poster/flyer is August 1st.

- ☐ I will attend and will bring _____ people. ☐ Please assign my group a specific location.
☐ Please assign my group the location used last year.
- ☐ I will display the posters in my town/church from September through October 7th. Please send me:
_____ 11x17 inch posters ☐ English (Orders of up to 25 posters are free.)
- ☐ I will distribute 8 1/2 x 11 inch flyers (flyer will show the same wording as the poster).
_____ 8 1/2 x 11 inch flyers ☐ English ☐ Spanish (Orders of up to 50 flyers are free.)
- ☐ I am enclosing \$25 to list my name or group's name (church, family, organization) as a supporter on the posters/flyers. Please list as follows (35 character maximum): **PRINT IN BLOCK LETTERS**

NOTE: The Stand Up For Life committee will not print signs to be used on Sunday, Oct. 7 because we have signs left from the previous year.

- ☐ In an effort to reach additional participants I am enclosing a donation to be used to place ads for **Stand Up For Life 2001** in newspapers on Long Island.
- ☐ I am enclosing \$ _____ as a donation in support of **Stand Up For Life** but do not print my name.

Name: _____ Phone () _____ - _____

Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Return coupon to: **L.I. Coalition for Life, Inc., PO Box 223, Ronkonkoma, NY 11779.**

Please make checks payable to: **Long Island Coalition for Life.** (Not tax-deductible)

For information please call Jack Eschmann at (516) 781-8699 or Marie Mawn at (631) 588-0168.

**YOU'RE
INVITED!**

The guest speakers for the July 23, 2001 general meeting of the LICL will be the LICL Education Committee Co-Chairpersons Johanna Cervellino and George Frost who will give an overview of their highly acclaimed high school and college presentation. A Q. & A. period will follow. The meeting will begin at 7:45 P.M. at the St. Regis Council, Knight of Columbus Hall (upstairs), Ronkonkoma.

For directions call 631-243-1435. All welcome.

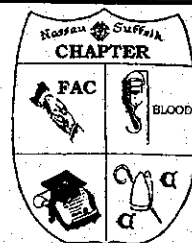
BEWARE OF PLANNED PARENTHOOD-(PP)-AN UPDATE

Portions of The 1999 Annual Report of Planned Parenthood of Nassau County were printed in LIFE NEWS, 4/01. Listed were names of PP supporters including individuals, companies, foundations, etc. It was suggested that readers consider boycotting where possible and contact PP supporters with whom they have been doing business for the purpose of educating these entities to the real mission of PP. You may obtain the two page PP article printed in LIFE NEWS, or any additional information on PP by contacting LICL at 631-243-1435.

Several faithful LIFE NEWS readers contacted LICL with comments on our April PP article. One suggested that readers make a project of contacting two PP supporters each week. Another reader offered: "Recently I learned about the St. Antoninus Institute and purchased their Pro-Life Shopping Guide for \$26 by writing to 4110 Fessenden St. NW, Wash., D.C. 20016. The guide lists companies by Corporate name, by Subsidiary or Division, by Product or Service, and by brand name. It also provides addresses..." The writer continues .. "as it is hard to boycott some of the products which you have purchased perhaps for years, I would tell people to do what they can and not to think that they can do it all. Whatever they can do will make a difference. You can easily substitute Coca Cola for Pepsi." Still, the writer emphasizes, "Letters to the companies are essential!"



CONGRATULATIONS N.Y. STATE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS



On February 8, 2001 the members of the Rt. Rev. Msgr. William A. Delaney Council #5983 passed a pro-life resolution. It was presented and passed at the N.Y. State Council convention held May 10th, 11th and 12th. Ed McKee asks all brother knights whose councils have not voted on the resolution to secure a copy of it and send a letter of support to Supreme prior to its convention in August 2001. If the Supreme Council adopts it, it will allow all councils to make known a legislator(s) voting record on the pro-life issue(s). This does not in any way endorse a candidate, it just reports the facts on the candidate's public record.

Of the eight statements in the Pro-Life Resolution the following are typical of its worthiness: to provide "every elected public official with a copy of our Order's pro-life resolution"; "publicizing our pro-life policy through ads in newspapers, magazines, radio and television"; and "taking action to ensure that our Order's pro-life policy is uniformly followed by all Knights of Columbus groups".

The Long Island Coalition for Life extends its heartfelt thanks for the dedicated work of the Delaney Council and we hope that all Knights will work together to promote the Pro-Life Resolution.

For any questions or to obtain a copy of the resolution, contact Ed McKee at (516) 454-0993.

VIDEO TAPES of Ambassador Alan Keyes' speech at the Knights of Columbus 2001 Charity Ball are available at \$13. "Charity—the Real Truth! The Need for Good Friday Christians." Call Ed Farrell at 516-593-7805

FEDERAL



THE DEFECTION OF U.S. SENATOR JAMES JEFFORDS, of Vt. From his 25 year Republican Party membership to become an Independent leaves the Senate divided at 50 Democrats, 49 Republicans and 1 Independent. His action gives the pro-abortion Democrats control of the U.S. Senate. This truly is a damaging blow to both the Presidential and Congressional pro-life agenda. The first serious effect of this changeover is that it hands over the control of all Senate committees to the Democrats. In addition, if any pro-life legislation were to come out of the House of Representatives it would require 60 votes to overcome any filibuster by pro-abortion senators.

In comparison, the above circumstances have existed for over 28 years in the New York State Assembly where Parental Notification, Parental Consent for Minors and Informed Consent legislation has failed to be voted out of committee. It makes one realize how important your vote is. Pray and vote.

THE UNBORN VICTIMS OF VIOLENCE ACT-HR. 503 passed 4/26/01, 252-172 in the House. The Senate number for this bill is S.480. This legislation recognizes two persons, the mother and her unborn child. President Bush assures us that he will sign the bill after it passes the Senate.

ACTION—Write or Call your Senators, if you have not already done so, asking they support this legislation.

Contact both: (Washington phone #)
 Senator Charles Schumer 202-224-6542
 Senator Hillary Clinton 202-224-4451
 Address for both: U.S. Senate, Wash. D.C. 20510

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

NEW YORK STATE



As of 6/8/01 the status of bills listed in LIFE NEWS, (6/01) has not changed, but there is hope that the New York State's Unborn Victims of Violence Act S.57A will be approved by the Senate. The scheduled date for adjournment of the State legislature is June 20. Except for the budget, no legislation is expected to be acted on after June 20, but that is by no means a certainty. Please continue to educate your representatives concerning Pro-Life issues.

The Family Protection Act (S.4836) has been sponsored by Senators Padavan, Maltese, Johnson and Trunzo. If one of these men represent your area please write to thank him.

ACTION—Write or Call your N.Y. Senator.

Address: New York State Senate
 Albany, New York 12247

Senate switchboard: 518-455-2800

Sample letter: Dear _____ Please support the Family Protection Act (S.4836). This bill includes consent for a minor under 18 years of age and the requirement that women be given information regarding the development of their babies, the effects of abortion on her physical and mental health, and the alternatives to abortion.

Certainly the need for such legislation in New York State is critical since girls as young as twelve and thirteen are given abortions without parental knowledge. Who is more vulnerable than a young teenager brought to an abortion clinic by a non-relative, a stranger, or an older boy friend without parental knowledge? Please help protect our unborn babies, our women and our families by supporting the Family Protection Act. Please reply. Thank you.

For information on N.Y.S. legislation call Mary Arden Smith at 516-825-4852.



HEALTH & SCIENCE REPORT

FETAL PAIN - PART II

Dr. Jean A. Wright, Medical Director, Egleston Children's Hospital and Associate Professor of Pediatrics and Anesthesia, Emory School of Medicine, testified at a Senate Judiciary Committee hearing; "... I would like to focus my remarks on the changes we have seen in the field of pediatrics, particularly the areas of neonatology, surgery, anesthesia, and intensive care. Medical knowledge in those areas provides a new standard of science upon which a very different conclusion might be reached if *Roe v. Wade* were decided in 1998, rather than the limited information that was available in 1973 ... discussion heavily focused on the issues of fetal viability."

We have all by now seen on video or heard about how the fetus moves away from pain stimuli. An excellent report @ <http://www.catholic.net/rcc/loveboth/chapter14.html> explains this reaction so well: "By 8 weeks? Show me! By this age the neuroanatomic structures are present. What is needed is (1) a sensory nerve to feel the pain and send a message to (2) the thalamus, a part of the brain, and (3) motor nerves that send a message to that area. These are present at 8 weeks. The pain impulse goes to the thalamus. It sends a signal down the motor nerves to pull away from the hurt...changes in heart rate and fetal movement also suggest that intrauterine manipulations are painful to the fetus...Pain can be detected when nociceptors (pain receptors) discharge electrical impulses to the spinal cord and brain. These fire impulses outward, telling the muscles and body to react. These can be measured...Far from being less able to feel pain, such premature newborns may be more sensitive to pain...that babies under 30 weeks have a newly established pain system that is raw and unmodified at this tender age. ... Try sticking an infant with a pin and you know that happens. She opens her mouth to cry and also pulls away. Try sticking an 8 week old human fetus in the palm of his hand. He opens his mouth and pulls his hand away."

Data in the British Medical Journal, *Lancet*, gave solid confirmation of such pain. It is known that the fetal umbilical cord has no pain receptors such as the rest of the fetal body. Accordingly, they tested fetal hormone stress response comparing puncturing of the abdomen and of the cord. They observed the fetus react to intrahepatic (liver) needling with vigorous body and breathing movements, but not to cord needling. The levels of these hormones did not vary with fetal age.

British medical experts say unborn children feel pain during abortion. They are considering the use of anesthesia for the fetus during abortion. In England, The Animal Act of 1986 (for scientific procedures) for "pre-born vertebrate animals such as rats, guinea pigs and hedgehogs, ensured that they were not subjected to undue suffering." Unfortunately our animals have better protection than the unborn. Legislation has been introduced on fetal pain management, but hasn't moved so far.

Pro-abortionists insist that the anesthesia administered to the mother during an abortion also controls the pain for the fetus. In a 1996 debate in the U.S. Congress about partial-birth abortion, pro-abortionists claimed that the anesthesia for the mother killed the baby before the abortion procedure. Top officials in anesthesia and perinatology denied this possibility. Pediatrician Sheila Carey-Kuzmic, M.D. explains, "...The majority of babies aborted by this partial-birth abortion procedure are alive and feel pain up until the end of the procedure. How can we support the claim that any infant partially delivered and then brutally killed in this fashion without any anesthesia does not suffer the pain of this barbaric method of abortion...The fact that anesthesia is now routinely used on pre-born children during fetal surgery is an obvious commentary on the unborn child's capacity to feel pain." Dr. Paddy Jim Baggot, Michael Fund Research Geneticist, responds, "It is hard to image a more painful or ignominious death for one's child."

Knowing as much as we do now about fetal pain, consider a saline abortion, in which a caustic salt solution is injected into the amniotic fluid, the fetus swallows it, and convulses, and its outer skin is burned away. Also, T. Sullivan, M.D., F.A.A.P., American Academy of Neurosurgeons states, "Dilation and evacuation for example, where fetal tissue is progressively punctured, ripped, and crushed, and which is done after 13 weeks when the fetus certainly responds to noxious stimuli, would cause organic pain in the fetus..."

We are opposed to all abortions! But, we must be realistic about what we can do in an attempt to bring about at least some humane consideration for these innocent little victims. We surely won't get any help from Planned Parenthood - "With respect to the issue of fetal pain...the weight of scientific evidence is that the fetus feels no pain at this stage." (Gloria Feldt, President, Planned Parenthood) You didn't expect a truthful response from Planned Parenthood, did you?

Dolores Andreski (516)781-5274

Regina Carbonaro (516)795-7568

NOTE: If you wish to obtain both parts of this article for posting on a website please email henryp@aero-vision.com and we will email both parts to you.

PROCESSION FOR LIFE

**Saturday,
JULY 14, 2001**

Mass: 9:00 a.m.

**Corpus Christi
R.C. Church**

155 Garfield Avenue
Mineola, New York

Sponsored by:
Office of Family Ministry
Diocese of Rockville Centre



**Rosary
Procession:**
156 Mineola Boulevard

Benediction:
CORPUS CHRISTI
R.C. CHURCH

ALL WELCOME!!

A SPECIAL INVITATION TO TEENS AND YOUNG ADULTS TO JOIN US!

Directions: LIE Exit 37, Northern State Parkway Exit 28— Go south on Willis Avenue approximately 2½ miles. Cross over Jericho Turnpike (Route 25). Continue south 6 more blocks. The Church is at the corner of Garfield & Willis Avenues.

Southern State Parkway to Meadowbrook Parkway North—Exit 1 (Old Country Road) Turn left and head west. Pass Roosevelt Field Shopping Mall on left. Continue approximately ¾ mile to Willis Avenue. (You can only turn right). Turn onto Willis and go over railroad tracks. The Church is several blocks down on the left side of Willis and Garfield Avenues.

DANA IN CONCERT A Celebration of Life



**Benefiting
The Life Center
of Long Island**

When:

7:30PM

Tuesday

July 31st

Where:

**St. Patrick's
Church**

**280 East Main St.
Smithtown, NY**

Admission: Adults \$12, Kids (7-12) \$4, Under 6 Free,
Family Maximum \$25. **To purchase ticket:** Send
your request, along with your name, address, and check
payable to - **The Life Center of Long Island,**
PO Box 468, Deer Park, NY 11729
Call 631-243-2373

DIOCESAN RESPECT LIFE 2001 SCHOLARSHIP RESULTS FOR ESSAY ▾ POETRY ▾ POSTER ▾ MUSIC ▾ ORATORICAL

ESSAY WINNERS Level I

First Place Regina Ammirati
Second Place Clare Scott
Third Place Kim Ferrari

Level II

First Place Kerry Barba
Second Place Kathleen McNamara
Third Place Colleen LaWare

ORATORICAL WINNERS Level I

First Place Ravelle Mohammed
Second Place Cheryl Theroux
Third Place Christopher Feeney
Lauren DeRespiris

Level II

First Place Kaitlin Krause
Second Place Janine Scotti
Third Place Jean Cassandra

POETRY WINNERS

Level I

First Place Joseph Gambino
Second Place Gregory Fleck
Third Place Jessica Roxburgh
Elaine DeBuona
Honorable Mention Carly Nupp

MUSIC WINNERS Level I

First Place Sarah Jane Mellen
Second Place Shane Hanlon
Third Place Amanda Agostino

POSTER WINNERS

Level I

First Place Kerry Blatt
Second Place Jason Lettieri
Third Place Annamarie Finlan
Honorable Mention Sarah Cascone

**CONGRATULATIONS
TO ALL!**



JULY 2001 PRO-LIFE CALENDAR OF EVENTS

*"Whenever Two or More
Are Gathered in My Name..."*

PRAYER VIGIL AT ABORTION PROVIDER/REFERRAL SITES

IMPORTANT: Call your local contact person before going to site. Come ONLY at "DATES & TIMES" Prescribed By Your Contact Person and **NEVER REMAIN AT SITE ALONE**. PLEASE JOIN US! PRAYER & WITNESS ARE IMPORTANT!

(M) - This event held monthly. (W) - This event held weekly on dates noted.

NASSAU

TOWN	CONTACT	LOCATION	DAY/TIME
(W) MINEOLA	516-354-6749	156 Mineola Blvd.	Tu F 3-4PM
(W) GARDEN CITY	516-354-6749	1103 Stewart Ave.	Tu W, F 9-10:30AM, Sat 7-10:00AM
(W) HEMPSTEAD	516-867-3409	540 Hemp-Fulton Ave.	Sat 7:30AM - 1PM
(W) MASSAPEQUA	516-798-2151	35 Carmans Rd.	Sat 10:30AM-NOON
(W) MASSAPEQUA	516-781-5274	930 Broadway	Sat 9:30AM-NOON
(W) SYOSSET	516-334-2569	175 Jericho Tpke.	Sat. 8-11AM

Note: Volunteers need to expand vigil at Syosset to Mon. 8-11AM, Tu. 8-11AM, W. 3:30-7PM, Th. 8-11AM & 3:30-7PM, Fr.3:30-7PM. Call 516-334-2569 to offer your hour or two weekly or monthly. Babies have been saved by quiet prayer. **Please help.**

(W) EA. ROCKAWAY	516-887-2458	123 Grant Ave.	*Time subject to change, please call ahead.
New: MANHASSET	516-741-3405	444 Community Dr.	*Please call for dates & times

NOTE: Peaceful assembly & prayer on public property near abortion site is LEGAL.

SUFFOLK

TOWN	CONTACT	LOCATION	DAY/TIME
(W) SMITHTOWN VIL	631-979-7017	70 Maple Ave.	Fri NOON - 2PM, Sat 7AM - NOON
(M) STONY BROOK	631-751-8217	2500 Nesconset Hwy.	1 ST & 3 RD Sat, 8-10AM
(W) SOUTHAMPTON	631-283-6829	595 Hampton Rd.	11:30AM every Friday
(W) BRENTWOOD	631-234-0933	42 First Ave.	8AM-10:00AM every Saturday

July

♥Mn 7/2 10PM-Ch 70; East Suffolk: *Catholics & the Abortion Issue*. Tu 7/3 10PM-Ch70; Central Suffolk and Brookhaven: *Update on Abortion & Breast Cancer*. Tu 7/10 3PM & W 7/11 9PM-Ch71; Nassau & Western Suffolk: *Eclipse of Reason*. Tu 7/10 10PM-Ch 70; Central Suffolk and Brookhaven: *First Words*. Tu 7/17 3PM & W 7/18 9PM-Ch71; Nassau & Western Suffolk: *Dedicated to Life*. Mon 7/23 10PM-Ch 70; East Suffolk & Tu 7/24 10PM-Ch 70; Central Suffolk Brookhaven: *Political Parties & Current Moral Issues*. Tu 7/24 3PM & W 7/25 9PM-Ch 71; Nassau & Western Suffolk: *Ultrasound-Window to the Womb*. Mn 7/30 10PM-Ch70; East Suffolk & Tu 7/31 10PM-Ch 70 Central Suffolk & Brookhaven: *Catholics & the Abortion Issue*. American Family Association cable programming. Call Frank Russo: 516-944-3544. Website: www.afany.org

NEW - Pro-Life Cable: Queens Ch. 67 & Brooklyn Ch. 34 Mondays 10:00AM & 6:00PM; Riverhead Ch. 70 Fridays 1:30PM; Hauppauge Ch 70 Wednesdays 8PM; Woodbury Ch 71 2nd & 4th Saturdays 8:30PM; Brookhaven Ch 71 Tuesdays 8PM - Mark Crutcher's **LIFE DYNAMICS**.

Wed

Su 7/1 8/5	♥7-8PM RIGHT TO LIFE RADIO PROGRAMMING WLUX (540 AM) Call in to program: 631-955-5400.
Su 7/1 8/5	(W) 8-9PM HOUR OF REPARATION TO STOP ABORTION Our Lady of Perpetual Help Church, Lindenhurst.
	(M) 11:15AM ROSARY FOR LIFE Chapel of Our Lady of the Snows Church; 258th & 80th Ave., North Floral Park 718-343-2491.
Mn 7/2 8/6	(M) 10AM-4PM ADORATION AND BENEDICTION at St. Rose of Lima, Massapequa, (Fr. Graham Chapel)
Mn 7/2 8/6	(W) 7PM ROSARY FOR LIFE AND NOVENA MASS St. Catherine's, Franklin Square.
Mn 7/2 8/6	♥NEW (M) 8PM MASS FOR LIFE St. Joseph's-Rectory Chapel, Garden City, NY. All Welcome.
Tu 7/3 8/7	(M) 10:00AM-3PM EUCHARISTIC ADORATION FOR LIFE St. Andrews RCC, Sag Harbor, NY. 631-725-5915.
Th 7/5 8/2	(W) 7-8PM ROSARY FOR LIFE Our Lady of Mt. Carmel RCC, Patchogue (9AM-Midnight-Adoration)
Th 7/5 8/2	(W) After 7PM Mass ROSARY & NOVENA FOR LIFE St. James Chapel, Seaford, NY 516-694-2938.
Fr 7/6 8/3	(M) 7:30 PM BENEDICTION FOR LIFE St. Boniface RCC, Elmont.
Fr 7/6 8/3	(M) 9:30PM-8AM PRO-LIFE VIGIL FOR LIFE AND PEACE St. Matthew RCC, Dix Hills 631-499-8520.
Fr 7/6 8/3	(M) 9PM-5AM ALL NIGHT LIFE VIGIL St. Frances de Chantal, Wantagh.
Fr 7/6 8/3	(M) 8PM-9PM PRAYER HOUR FOR LIFE Our Lady of Lourdes, Malverne.
Fr 7/6 8/3	(M) 8PM PRO LIFE HOLY HOUR St. Paul the Apostle RCC, Route 107, Brookville, NY.
Fr 7/6 8/3	(W) 1:00PM ROSARY FOR LIFE St. John Nepomucene Church, Bohemia, 631-589-0540.

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- Fr 7/6 8/3 (M) 8-12PM **ADORATION FOR LIFE** St. Francis of Assisi, Greenlawn, NY.
 Fr 7/6 8/3 (M) 7-8 PM **PRO-LIFE HOLY HOUR** Our Lady of Victory RCC, Floral Park.
 Fr 7/6 8/3 (M) 3-7AM **PRO-LIFE VIGIL** at St. Aloysius RCC, Great Neck; Th 7/12- 7PM Way of the Cross for the Unborn. Call: 516-482-2770.
 Sa 7/7 8/4 (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 631-738-2380.
 Su 7/8 8/12 (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.
 Su 7/8 8/12 (M) 1PM **PROJECT MERCY ROSARY TO END ABORTION** St. Francis of Assisi, Greenlawn.
 M 7/9 8/13 (M) 7:30PM **EASTERN LONG ISLAND CATHOLICS FOR LIFE MEETING**
 St. Rosalie K of C Council, Hampton Bays, NY. Call 1-800-253-5218 or 631-728-2311.
 Tu 7/10 8/14 (M) 9AM **MASS AND ADORATION FOR LIFE NOON** - Rosary; Vigil concludes with **BENEDICTION FOR LIFE** at 4PM. Sacred Heart Parish, Cutchogue.
 Fr 7/13 8/10 ♥**NEW** (M) 9AM **ROSARY FOR MOTHERS & THE UNBORN** Sts. Peter & Paul RCC, Manorville, NY. Call Ruth 631-369-7142.
 Sa 7/14 ♥ 9AM **MASS & PROCESSION FOR LIFE** Corpus Christi Church, Mineola, NY. Call 516-678-5800 ext. 508
 Free bus transportation to and from this event, leaving at 8:00AM from St. Regis K of C parking lot (Ronkonkoma, NY) Call 631-588-0168. (see page)
 Su 7/15 (M) 2PM **DEANERY 6 PRO-LIFE HOLY HOUR** Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal Church, 75 Parkside Dr., Point Lookout, NY. Call Mary Caffrey 516-887-2458.
 Tu 7/17 8/21 (M) 7:30-8:30PM **ADORATION, ROSARY, PRO-LIFE PRAYER** - St. Patrick's Church, Smithtown.
 W 7/18 8/15 ♥New (M) 7:30PM **STATIONS OF THE CROSS FOR LIFE** Maria Regina RCC, Chapel Pastoral Center, Seaford, NY. Call 516-781-5274.
 Fr 7/20 8/17 (M) 9PM-6AM **ALL NIGHT LIFE VIGIL** Our Lady of Lourdes RCC-Chapel Massapequa Park.
 For details please call Anne Murphy: 631-234-6921. PLEASE CALL FOR MASS SCHEDULE.
 Mn 7/23 (M) 7:45PM - **L.I.C.L. GENERAL MEETING** at St. Regis Knights of Columbus, Ronkonkoma, NY. Call: 631-243-1435. ALL WELCOME!
 Tu 7/24 8/28 **NEW♥** (M) 8-9:30PM **ADORATION, ROSARY FOR LIFE** Sacred Heart RCC, Island Park, NY 516-889-5318
 Fr 7/27 8/24 (M) 8-9PM **PRO-LIFE HOLY HOUR** Our Lady of Lourdes RCC, Massapequa Park, NY. 516-541-3270
 Sa 7/28 9AM-Noon - Donate an hour or two & help prepare the August **LIFE NEWS** for mailing, St. Joseph's Old School Gym 25 Church St., Ronkonkoma. Call: 631-588-4437.
 Tu 7/31 ♥7:30PM **LIFE CENTER FUNDRAISER-DANA IN CONCERT** 7:30PM. St. Patrick's Church, Smithtown. Tickets \$12; Families \$25. Call 631-243-2373 (See page 5)
 Saturdays ♥10:30PM **"DEFEND LIFE"** television series on Channels 25 & 64 from **Priests for Life - Fr. Frank Pavone.**
Priests For Life Website: www.priestsforlife.com - AN EXCELLENT PRO-LIFE RESOURCE!

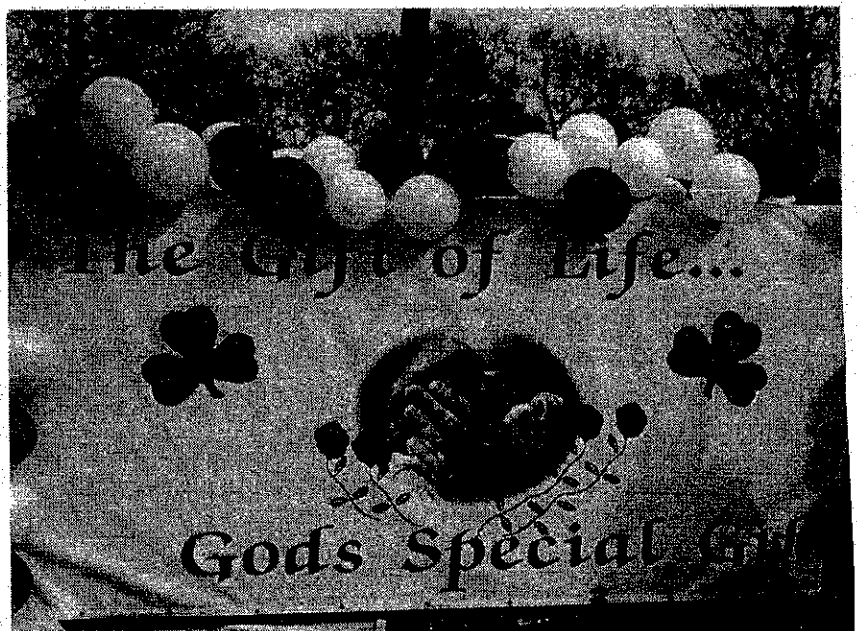
LOOKING AHEAD

- Sa 8/11 **MASS & PROCESSION FOR LIFE** St. Ignatius Church, Hicksville, NY.
 Sa 10/13 **LIFE CENTER OF LONG ISLAND DINNER** 7PM, LaGrange, West Islip 631-243-2373.

NEED A FLOAT OR PRO-LIFE BANNER FOR YOUR PARADE?

Available: 5 ft. by 11 ft., 2-sided beautiful Pro-Life banner with a picture and wording as shown. Available in English or Spanish. Please call 631-588-0168 if you are interested in borrowing either the banner or the entire float for your next parade (*shamrocks & balloons not included*).

The float (shown at right) helped spread the pro-life message this year at the St. Patrick's Day Parade in Ronkonkoma. The same float with Spanish wording was used in the Puerto Rican Day Parade in Brentwood. The Brentwood effort resulted in a call to a crisis pregnancy center.





Pro-Life Honor Roll 2001



Bro. Vincent J. Adams, St. Anthony's High School, Melville
 Msgr. John A. Alesandro, Diocese of Rockville Centre
 Dcn. James Altonji, St. Joseph, Ronkonkoma
 Fr. Douglas Arcoleo, St. Patrick, Smithtown
 Fr. Brian P. Barr, St. Anthony's High School Chaplain
 Rt. Rev. Craig Bates, Cathedral Church of the Intercessor, Malverne
 Fr. Henry I. Benack, St. Patrick, Glen Cove
 Fr. Marian R. Bicz, St. Patrick, Glen Cove
 Rabbi Moses Birnbaum, Plainview Jewish Center
 Msgr. James Boesel, Our Lady of Mercy, Hicksville
 Fr. Thomas Coogan, St. Patrick, Bay Shore
 Msgr. Joseph K. Curley, Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary, Centereach
 Dcn. Anthony W. Cuseo, Holy Name of Mary, Valley Stream
 Fr. Paul J. Dahm, Good Samaritan Hospital Chaplain
 Fr. Joseph V. Davanzo, St. Hugh of Lincoln, Huntington Station
 Fr. Donald Desmond, Most Holy Trinity, East Hampton
 Msgr. John R. Dreasen, St. Boniface, Elmont
 Fr. Paul Driscoll, St. Bernard, Levittown
 Bishop John C. Dunne, Diocese of Rockville Centre
 Fr. Thomas Edamattan, St. Patrick, Huntington
 Fr. Richard M. Figliozzi, Our Holy Redeemer, Freeport
 Fr. Francis Filmanski, St. Hedwig, Floral Park
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Inevitably in a list of this sort, some names may have inadvertently been omitted, for which we apologize. However, we intend to make this an annual recognition and will accept names throughout the year to be included on next year's list. Please submit names of clergy and religious from Long Island to the Pro-Life Honor Roll, PO Box 223, Ronkonkoma, NY 11779, with a brief explanation of the pro-life leadership shown by the person you are nominating. We hope next year's list will be even larger.

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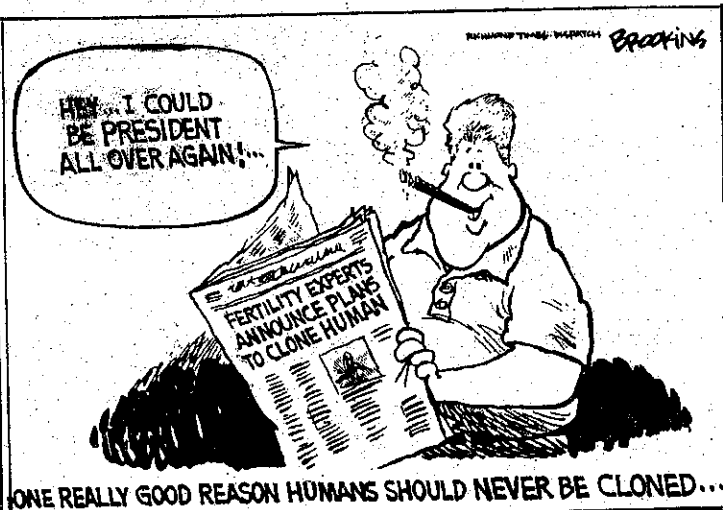
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