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45th Annual MARCH FOR LIFE

Friday, January 19, 2018- Washington, D.C.

Plan now to March and to Visit Your
Senators and Representative

Thurs., 1/18 & Fri., 19: Conference & Exhibits
Renaissance Washington DC Downtown Hotel, 999 Ninth Street
NW & K Street, Washington, D.C., 20001

Thurs., 1/18-Sat., 1/20: Evangelicals for Life Conference
for more info Evangelicalsforlife.org

Thurs., 1/18: 1-4:00 PM Law of Life Summit for leaders and
students at Renaissance for more info lawlife.org

Fri., 1/19 12 Noon Rally & March: National Mall - 12th St.; March up Constitution Ave. to Supreme Court &
Capitol Building.

Fri., 1/19 Rose Dinner 6 PM at Renaissance; Keynote speaker: Pam Tebow. For information contact March for
Life office at 202-234-3300, e-mail info@marchforlife.org.

Fri., 1/19: 3:00 PM Silent No More testimonies outside U.S. Supreme Court

There are so many more events, please go to the March for Life website at: www.marchforlife.org.



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with the LICL: Nassau buses- 631-289-2095; Suffolk
buses - 631-472-4314. Parish buses must also register with
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portation from Nassau & Suffolk** may call LICL at 631-
243-1435 (from 10AM to 7PM) to locate nearest bus.
LICL urges each bus to send a team to visit your area repre-
sentative. Call early for appointments and advise LICL of
times. **Note:** Team may need to leave Rally site early to
complete appointments. Send/e-mail photos of your group
in DC to your local media. Please return your sign-in lists
to LICL, PO Box 223, Ronkonkoma, NY 11779.

Annual Knights of Columbus

Pro-Life Mass - Sun., Jan. 21
St. Patrick Cathedral, NYC



Transportation available from Msgr. Delaney
K of C, Farmingdale - 8 AM breakfast; 8:30 bus departs;
10 AM Mass at Cathedral; Brunch on return compliments
of Chapey Funeral Home - Cost \$20/pp
RSVP: Keith 516-633-1435; Chick 516-349-6244

Peaceful Pro-life Demonstration

to oppose the legalized killing of unborn children.

Monday, Jan. 22 10:45 AM prayer at the
Southampton Full Gospel Church

130 County Road 39, Southampton 11968

Followed by witnessing at Southampton GYN
& Southampton Hospital.

If weather threatens, call the Church at 631-283-6829.

Diocese of Rockville Centre Jan. 19 March for Life

- ◆ 11:15 AM Diocesan gathering Southeast corner of
15th St. NW & Constitution Ave.
- ◆ 12 Noon Rally; 1 PM March
- ◆ 2-4 PM Prayer Service & Blessing at St. Joseph's on
Capitol Hill, 313 Second St., NE (blessings every 15
min., refreshments for marchers); 516-678-5800,
Ext. 626/381; e-mail respectlifeoffice@drvc.org.
- ◆ For information on Youth program; including Mass,
concert and praise & workshop call Marianne at
516-678-5800, (Ext. 615).

Diocesan Respect Life signs available while supply lasts,
call 516-678-5800 x626 for pick up at the Diocese, 50
North Park Ave., Rockville Centre 11571. Please call the
day before you pick up the signs.

Jan. 22 Prayer Vigil in Smithtown

11:30 AM Prayers at the Memorial to the Unborn in
St. Patrick Cemetery, Mount Pleasant Rd.

(just N. of Rt. 347), Smithtown.

12 Noon Prayer Service at Planned
Parenthood abortion provider
70 Maple Ave., Smithtown.

Refreshments at St. Patrick's following
prayer service. For information call

631- 724-8721 before 8:00 PM



You're Invited! The Long Island Coalition for Life general meeting welcomes all interested in pro-life activity, education, legislation or volunteering. Meetings begin at **7:00 PM**. Upcoming meetings are **Jan. 22** St. Regis Council K of C Hall, Rosevale Ave. & Pond Rd., Ronkonkoma 11779 & **Feb. 26, 2018** Joseph Barry Council K of C Hall, 45 Heitz Pl., Hicksville 11801. Suffolk County Comptroller, **John M. Kennedy, Jr.** will be our guest speaker at our January meeting. John is a life-long resident in Suffolk County and will speak to us about our First Amendment rights and the "bubble zone" issue.

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

THANK YOU! The LICL is most grateful for the use of facilities for our meetings provided by Joseph Barry K of C Council, Hicksville, St. Regis K of C Council, Ronkonkoma, and the Life Center of Long Island. We also thank O'Keefe CPA, LLC for their donated accounting services. Our sincere thanks also go to all our contributors, volunteers and those who have prayed in support of our pro-life endeavors. May God richly bless you.

2018 Oratory Contest

Sponsored by the Long Island Coalition for Life

Attention High school juniors and seniors including home schoolers, you have the voice, the enthusiasm, the spirit and the opportunity to speak up for the voiceless and marginalized members of the human family-the pre-born, the frail elderly and the disabled. Please consider participating in the annual Oratory Contest. You will have the opportunity to express in a logical and organized way your respect for the life of every individual no matter how small or incapacitated.

What: Pro-life speech (5-7 minutes in length) on Abortion, Euthanasia, Assisted Suicide, Health Care Rationing or Cloning/Stem Cell Research

Eligibility: 11th and 12th graders, including home-schooled students

When: Sunday March 18, 2018

Where: Kellenberg Memorial High School, Uniondale

Topics: Any aspect of a topic listed above, presented from a pro-life perspective

<u>Local Prizes:</u>	<u>First</u>	<u>Second</u>	<u>Third</u>
	\$500.00	\$300.00	\$200.00

CONTEST APPLICATION FORM (please print)

Student's Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Telephone: () _____ Age: _____ Grade in school: _____

E-mail address: _____

Name of school: _____

Student's Signature: _____

Parent's Signature: _____

Mail application by **January 31, 2018** to: Maryjane McQuade,
40 William St. Malverne, NY 11565; 516-599-5296)

Mail or e-mail written speech by **February 12, 2018** to address above or to: mjkev@verizon.net



FEDERAL LEGISLATION

On Dec. 13, the House and Senate announced they had ironed out the differences between their versions of the Tax Reform bill [HR.1]. Only the House bill included a provision allowing expectant parents to open a '529 College Savings Plan' for their preborn child. (First Tax Code recognition of the Preborn!) Odds are low the Bill retained this 'College' plan, but the full text won't be known until a day after this *Life News* issue is finalized. NOTE: "You can include in medical expenses the amount you pay for a legal abortion." - *IRS Publication 502(2017), p.5*

The **HR.3354 Spending bill** includes the *Conscience Protection Act* and several other pro-life provisions. It awaits action, as the federal govt. seeks to fund itself.

In 2016, the Supreme Court sent the 'Little Sisters' case back to the Appeals Courts, telling them all to 'work things out'. In Oct. 2017, HHS expanded the religious & moral exemptions for its abortifacient/sterilization/contraceptive mandate. Now, California & Pennsylvania, joined by Delaware, Maryland, NY and Virginia, have filed suit against the (conscience protecting) exemptions. Alex Azar, HHS secretary nominee, said in hearings the agency must take conscience into policy considerations.

Flush with its 'victory' in forcing HHS to facilitate an abortion for an undocumented minor (*see LN, 12-2017, p3*), the ACLU now wants HHS to provide abortions for 43 additional minors in similar circumstances. Eleven States have joined the federal government in urging SCOTUS to vacate the original ruling which allowed the teen her abortion.

At recent G7 and G20 meetings, the US tried to apply existing UN agreements to the term "sexual & reproductive health," to make clear that abortion was not included. The final documents simply omitted the term.

We are still awaiting Senate action on **S.1922/HR.36**, the *Pain-Capable /20 week abortion ban*.

More Pro-life bills awaiting House or Senate action:

- HR.147** Prenatal Nondiscrimination Act (PRENDA)
- HR.217** Title X Abortion Provider Prohibition Act
- HR.656** Women's Public Health and Safety Act
(Gives States ability to exclude abortion providers in Medicaid)
- HR.684** Every Child Is A Blessing Act
- HR.718** Protecting the Dignity of Unborn Children Act
- HR.853** Defund abortion providers
- HR.1192** Dismemberment Abortion Ban Act
- HR.1628** American Health Care Act (replace Obama Care/defund PP)
- HR.2918** Patients First Act (promoting ethical stem cell research)
- HR.3676** Sanctity of Life Act of 2017
- HR.7/S.184** No Taxpayer Funding for Abortion Act

- HR.37/ S.220** Born-Alive Abortion Survivors Protection Act
- HR.354/S.241** Defund Planned Parenthood
(Redirects funds away from PP and affiliates)
- HR.644/S.301** Conscience Protection Act
- HR.681/S.231** Life at Conception Act of 2017
- HR.692/S.224** Child Interstate Abortion Notification Act (CIANA)
- HR.3181/S.1530** Medicare Choices Empowerment/Protection Act (Puts pro-Life & pro-Death 'advanced directives' on equal footing)
- S.260** Repeal Independent Payment Advisory Bd. ("Death Panel")

Anti-Life bills currently in Congress

- H.J.RES.33/S.J.RES.6** Constitutional "Equal Rights Amendment" (The Old 1972 Equal Rights Amendment, brought back again)
- H.J.RES.53/S.J.RES.5** ERA "back-from-the-dead" resolution (Says 1972 ERA will become law if 3 more States ratify it)
- HR.1322/S.510** "Women's Health Protection Act" (Abortion Without Limits Until Birth Act)
- HR.4082/S.1985** Protect Access to Birth Control Act (Nullifies expanded Conscience protection in HHS Mandate)
- S.210** Nullification of pro-life "Mexico City Policy"
- HR.771** "EACH Woman Act" (pro-abortion funding)
- HR.2797/S.1334** Patient Choice and Quality Care Act of 2017 (End-of-Life advanced care directives. Many drawbacks).

ACTION ITEM - Participate in the March for Life in DC on January 19th, or support & pray for those who go. If you go to Washington, you can be a Lobbyist for a day.



NEW YORK STATE LEGISLATION

Once the new legislative session opens in Albany in January, Compassion & Choices (formerly the Hemlock Society) will again be pushing for NY to join Oregon, Washington, Vermont, California and Colorado in legalizing doctor prescribed suicide. Please contact your NYS Senator and Assemblyperson and ask them to oppose the Medical Aid in Dying Act. Euthanasia and assisted suicide involve someone facilitating the death of another. This is dangerous and can lead to abuse and exploitation of those who are most in need of our care and protection.

To discuss Federal Legislation, e-mail Charles Feldman at cdefeldman@optonline.net.

To discuss State Legislation, e-mail Jim Miller at jimmiller9@aol.com.

HEALTH & SCIENCE

FETAL DEVELOPMENT SCIENCE



Paul Stark, a member of Minnesota Citizens Concerned for Life, wrote an opinion piece at LifeNews.com (10/8/15) and stated, “Before deciding how we ought to treat the unborn – a moral question – we must first be clear about what the unborn is. This is a scientific question, and it is answered with clarity by the science of human embryology.” Stark wrote that the facts of reproduction are clear. At fertilization, the sperm and egg cease to exist. ‘Fertilized egg’ is an inaccurate term. A zygote – a single cell with 46 chromosomes (23 from each parent) is what exists. This is the point of conception – the beginning of a new human organism. Zygote, embryo and fetus refer to the developmental stages of a human being.

Stark continued by pointing out the “four features of the unborn (i.e., the human zygote, embryo or fetus) [which] are relevant to his/her status as a human being. First, the unborn is living. She meets all the biological criteria for life: metabolism, cellular reproduction and reaction to stimuli. Moreover, she is clearly growing, and dead things (of course) don’t grow. Second, the unborn is human. She possesses a human genetic signature that proves this beyond any doubt... Living things do not become something different as they grow and mature; rather, they develop the way that they do precisely because of the kind of being that they are. Third, the unborn is genetically and functionally distinct from (though dependent on and resting inside of) the pregnant woman. Her growth and maturation are internally directed, and her DNA is unique and different from that of any other cell in the woman’s body. She develops her own arms, legs, brain, central nervous system, etc. To say that a fetus is part of the pregnant woman’s body is to say that the woman has four arms and four legs.... Fourth, the unborn is a whole or complete (though immature) organism. That is, she is not a mere part of another living thing, but is her own organism – an entity whose parts work together in a self-integrated fashion to bring the whole to maturity. Her genetic information is fully present at conception, determining to a large extent her physical characteristics (including sex, eye color, skin color, bone structure, etc.); she needs only a suitable environment and nutrition to develop herself through the different stages of human life. Thus, the unborn is a distinct, living and whole human organism – a full-fledged member of the species *Homo sapiens*, like you and me, only at a much earlier stage in her development. She is a human being.”

Leading scientists and embryology textbooks confirm this fact. Stark acknowledged that the texts and individuals could be cited “ad nauseam”. One of the most widely used embryology texts, *The Developing Human: Clinically Oriented Embryology* by Keith L. Moore and T.V.N. Persaud, states, “Human development begins at fertilization when a male gamete or sperm (spermatozoon) unites with a female gamete or oocyte (ovum) to form a single cell – a zygote. This highly specialized, totipotent cell marked the beginning of each of us as a unique individual.” Dr. Micheline Matthews-Roth of Harvard Medical School stated, “It is

scientifically correct to say that an individual human life begins at conception, when egg and sperm join to form the zygote, and this developing human is always a member of our species in all stages of its life.” After hearing expert testimony, the official report of a 1981 US Senate judiciary subcommittee stated, “Physicians, biologists, and other scientists agree that conception marks the beginning of the life of a human being – a being that is alive and is a member of the human species. There is overwhelming agreement on this point in countless medical, biological, and scientific writings...no witness...raised any evidence to refute the biological fact that from the moment of conception there exists a distinct individual being who is alive and is of the human species.”

Stark stated that the claim “no one knows when life begins” is repeated so often that it must be addressed. He acknowledges that there is “debate about when a human being becomes (if she isn’t by nature) valuable and deserving of full moral respect.” However, “the strictly biological matter is clear...The life of a human being...begins at conception.” The argument that sperm and egg are also human because they have the *potential* to become a child is “bad biology. The sperm and egg are simply parts of larger organisms. When they unite they cease to be and something new comes into existence: the zygote, a whole organism with the active capacity to develop into a mature member of its species, given only a suitable environment and nutrition. Each of us was once a zygote, but none of us was ever a sperm or egg.”

There are those who compare the zygote or embryo to other somatic cells which are human, living and possess a full genetic code. But these cells are not actual human beings. There is a critical difference between body cells such as skin cells and a zygote or embryo. The zygote or embryo “is a distinct and complete individual whose parts work together in a coordinated fashion to develop the whole to maturity.” Skin cells and other somatic cells “function as mere parts of a larger organism.” Another argument that is made is that since very early embryos can split into two distinct embryos (twinning) then the early embryo is not a unitary individual. Stark noted that if a flatworm is cut in half, or an organism is cloned, “a single organism gives rise to two distinct organisms. In both cases the original entity is a unitary, self-integrating, whole individual. The scientific evidence shows that the embryo likewise functions as its own organism, from the zygote stage forward, regardless of whether twinning occurs.” There are also those who claim that human life doesn’t begin until the unborn develops a brain. Stark argued, “brain death is accepted as a criterion only because it signals the end of the body’s ability to function as an integrated organism, for which the brain, in older humans, is essential. After brain death there is no longer a unitary organism. By contrast, the embryo is a unitary organism from conception, actively developing to the next stage of human life. The brain, at this earliest stage, is not yet necessary for her to function as such.”

Stark concluded, “Because the scientific facts are clear, the permissibility of taking human life hinges on a moral question. Do all human beings merit full moral respect and protection, ...or only some?”

"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
" " "	(W) Th 10:30-Noon	516-270-3845
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
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	472-4314
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-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., 1:30 PM Life Talk - Mark Crutcher's Life Dynamics – Wed., 10:30 PM
 EWTN CableV Ch 135, Verizon Ch 285: Defending Life hosted by Priests for Life: Wed. 3 AM & Fri. 11 PM
 Pro-Life Weekly: Sun., 10 AM, Mon., 3:30 AM & Thurs., 10 PM
 Long Island Teen Freedom Sexual Integrity and Risk Avoidance-a product of Life Center of L.I. - Mon. 3 PM
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Listen to pro-life radio on the Internet: blogtalkradio.com/march4lifeny-radio

Upcoming Events:

Sat., 2/17- **Helpers of God's Precious Infants** pray at abortion site following **7:30 AM** Mass at St. Paul-St. Agnes, Congress & Court Streets; Brooklyn 718-624-3425; Bishop Tiedemann

Sat., 3/10 **Helpers of God's Precious Infants** pray at abortion site following **7:30 AM** Mass at Queen of Martyrs, 110-06 Queens Blvd., 718-268-6251; Bishop Sanchez

Entering Canaan - Women:

Mercy Retreat (for those in healing) **"Reclaiming Our Children"**- 3/9-11/18; Info: Theresa Bonopartis 877-586-4626, lumina@postabortionhelp.com (contact Theresa for dates for upcoming Men's retreats)

Days of Prayer & Healing: 2/10,(English) 2/24 (Spanish) 866.575.0075 (toll free) hopeandhealing@sistersoflife.org

Day of Prayer: 3/4 DRVC; Patricia Fox 516-678-5800; Exts. 626 & 381; 888-456-4673; www.respectlife.drvc.org

Vaccine Update

Children of God for Life (COG) reported in late October that a morally produced shingles vaccine has received FDA approval for licensing in the US. Shingrix, made by Glaxo SmithKline (GSK) is produced using Chinese hamster cells. Merck's Zostavax uses aborted fetal cells. In September, the FDA unanimously endorsed Shingrix as a product of choice. COG stated that not only is Shingrix morally produced, "but it is also a far superior product as evidenced by lengthy clinical trials. [Shingrix] maintained 90% efficacy in those 70 years old and above with 95% immunity maintained after 4 years...Merck's Zostavax is only 38% effective in people over 70 and only 40% duration of immunity after 4 years. Shingrix combines a protein from the chickenpox virus... [with a] unique component made from the bark of the Quillaja saponaria (soap bark) evergreen tree... COG is hoping that with the advancement of Shingrix, GSK could also produce a moral version of the chickenpox vaccine. Merck's Zostavax is simply a stronger version of its chickenpox vaccine, so it seems possible that GSK could weaken Shingrix for a chickenpox vaccine." Debi Vinnedge, Executive Director at Children of God for Life said, "This is a problem we have dealt with for years and we cannot thank GSK enough for doing it right. There is absolutely no reason to use the remains of aborted babies to produce vaccines." Scientists at Sound Choice Pharmaceutical Institute have been fighting for years for a superior vaccine product that is ethically produced. They focus on "the potential harms of human fetal cell contaminants in vaccines made from human fetal cell lines." Dr. Theresa A. Deisher of Sound Choice stated, "As scientists working towards ending human exploitation in biomedical research, we are thrilled about the approval of Shingrix vaccine in the US." She urged consumers to continue to demand that pharmaceutical companies provide alternatives for unsafe health products. To download an updated vaccine chart listing vaccines produced with aborted fetal cell line products and ethical alternatives, go to cogforlife.org and select "Vaccines" in the menu. You can also see an updated chart of products made using aborted fetal products at the COG website by selecting "Fetal & Stem Cell" in the menu. For more information on Sound Choice, go to SoundChoice.org.

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March For Life 2018

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Suggestion: Take a photo of your pro-life group against the MFL crowd. Write a brief caption, such as: Pictured are members of ABC parish/youth group at the March For Life in Washington D.C. on January 19, 2018. These pro-life advocates joined hundreds of thousands at this event calling for an end to abortion and return to respect for the life of unborn babies. Mail or e-mail your photo/caption to a local paper (e.g. LI Herald or Anton Community Newspapers). Bring pro-life news to your neighbors!

Youth Attending March for Life - Feedback Wanted! If you are 10-16 years old and attend the 2018 March for Life in D.C., the LI Coalition for Life wants to hear about your experience. Please tell us in about 25 words what you thought of the March for Life. We hope to publish some of your feedback in Life News. Please e-mail or mail your feedback to us at: info@prolifeLI.org or LICL, PO Box 247, Old Bethpage NY 11804 - to be received no later than 2/4/18. Include your Name, Age, Town, and who you went to the MFL with (e.g. school, parish, family). Thank you for attending the MFL and sharing your thoughts with us.

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Roe v Wade Memorial
Face the Truth

Sun., Jan. 21, 2018 1:30-3 PM

In front of Nassau University Medical Center, 2201
Hempstead Tpke, (Rt. 24), East Meadow, NY

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Pro-lifers are asked to join the vigil on behalf of the hundreds of unborn children tragically aborted at NUMC.

Hibernians Bus to the March for Life

The Ancient Order of Hibernians are organizing buses in both Suffolk and Nassau to the 2018 MARCH FOR LIFE. Bus will leave Nassau County 5:15 AM from Massapequa & Suffolk County 4:45 AM from Port Jefferson. Donations are welcome to offset the cost. All are welcome to spend the ride time with their members and friends as room allows. For more information email Jack at AOH11@Live.com.

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