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Roe v. Wade Memorial Face the Truth Event January 17

Sponsored by the L.I. Coalition for Life, this was the fourth Roe v Wade Memorial Face the Truth event at



Nassau University Medical Center (East Meadow). Our line of umbrellas and raincoats stretched the 1/4 mile in front of the hospital that commits hundreds of abortions each year!

Nearly 80 people braved the cold, wind and rain, calling on all who saw us to FACE THE TRUTH - face the



reality of abortion and the pain of abortion... and then Choose Life.

2004 NYS Dept. of Health Recorded Induced Abortion figures show 605 induced abortions at NUMC.

NOTE: The next Face the Truth Event at NUMC will take place on Good Friday, April 2 - 10:30 AM-Noon.

Roe v. Wade Memorial January 22

Southampton Hospital & Congressman Tim Bishop's Office

On Friday, 1/22, the Southampton Full Gospel Church sponsored a peaceful pro-life demonstration to oppose

the legalized killing of unborn children. Pastor Donald Havrilla and church members welcomed the participation of Msgr. Joseph K. Curley and parishioners from Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary Church, Centereach. The group of about 50 witnessed at Southampton Hospital, at the Hampton GYN & OB office, and in front of Congressman Timothy Bishop's office. All pro-life people should



Clergy offer closing prayer.



Southampton Hospital

remind their representatives peacefully that we count and vote. Submitted by Rev. Donald Havrilla

Note. All are invited to join the weekly Friday 11:30 am witness at 595 Hampton Rd., Southampton or the weekly Friday 11:30 am witness at Southampton Hospital. Signs provided. See Page 6.

You're Invited!

Theresa Costello and Christopher De Francis will be guest speakers on **Monday, March 22 at 7:45 p.m.** prior to the general meeting of the LI Coalition for Life. Chris and Theresa are both students at St. Joseph's

College in Patchogue and are officers in the campus Newman Club, which was started two years ago. They have been active in bringing the pro-life message to their fellow students on campus by organizing various pro-life initiatives including organizing a baby items collection to benefit the Sisters of Life. They have each engaged in public witness at Planned Parenthood in Smithtown and attended the recent March for Life in Washington, DC. They bring the life-affirming message of the dignity of the preborn to the public square. Chris and Theresa will share what it is to be pro-life college students, the works they do at St. Joseph, and how they witness to their fellow students.



The meeting will be held at the St. Regis K of C Hall, Pond Road, Ronkonkoma.

For further information call 631-243-1435 (between the hours of 9 a.m. - 7 p.m.)
Light refreshments upon arrival. **All are welcome for all or part of the evening!**



As usual, this year's March for Life in Washington was largely covered only in the letters-to-the-editor section of local newspapers. Hundreds of thousands of pro-life Americans go to Washington and the liberal press treat that as a non-event. Thanks to **Jack Barthel** in *Newsday*, and **Robert L. Dougherty** in the *Garden City News* for assuring that it wasn't completely ignored. Other successful writers of pro-life letters were **Thomas E. Dennyly**, **Howard Austerlitz** and **Denise Murphy** in *The Long Island Catholic*, **Michael P. Mulhall** in *The Wall Street Journal*, **Robert L. Scutellaro** in *Newsday* and **John McGowan** twice in *The Port Times Record*. Thanks to all who write to express the pro-life viewpoint. Please keep writing and please send us your published letters.



Bus Captains!

Thirty-six busloads of Long Island pro-lifers participated in the 2010 March for Life in DC. We are grateful to all who participated and a special "thank you" to the bus captains. We thank the bus captains also for submitting their bus lists to us so that "first-timers" can be added to the *Life News* mailing list. If you haven't already done so, please mail your lists to:

LICL at P.O. Box 223, Ronkonkoma, NY 11779.

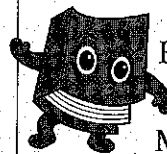
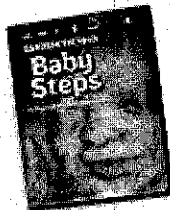
Manhattan Declaration update:



As of February 8th, 420,908 people have signed the Declaration and that number is growing! Read about MD in Feb. *Life News*. Visit www.manhattandeclaration.org to sign on, to read, or to print a copy of the Declaration. (Also available in Spanish.)

Baby Steps

See the miracle of life develop throughout a baby's 16 stages of growth. Baby Steps is a video that can be viewed online at the Long Island Coalition for Life's website, www.ProLifeLI.org.



Watching the Schools!

Has the Planned Parenthood organization been invited into your school?

Many times Planned Parenthood is invited into the health classes. Here, in addition to other teen issues slated for discussion, Planned Parenthood representatives have an opportunity to present part or all of their pro-abortion agenda. Where there is heavy resistance from parents, districts have stopped allowing Planned Parenthood access.

If Planned Parenthood is currently in your district please call LICL at 631-243-1435. Given the opportunity the LICL will send pro-life speakers to your school.

LICL SPEAKERS AVAILABLE

Our speakers are education professionals who welcome the opportunity to address students, organizations, etc. on any/all areas of pro-life concern. Call 631-243-1435.



FEDERAL LEGISLATION

HEALTH CARE REFORM: There is much uncertainty in Washington regarding what will happen next, but it appears the shortest path to the President's desk would be for the House to pass the Senate's version of the Bill. Then Sen. Reid would re-introduce the bill (perhaps with a few changes) under the Reconciliation Provision. That would mean only 51 Senators could send it on to the President, who recently told Congress, "Do not walk away from reform...when we are so close." Rep. Stupak says he has enough votes to 'affect the outcome' on health care, but if negotiations do not center on funding, there may be no chance to insert his amendment into the final legislation.

How they voted: On the 12/24/09 Senate Health Care vote, Schumer and Gillibrand voted pro-abortion.

ACTION - SAMPLE MESSAGE: The Senate Health Care Reform Bill would fund abortion and lacks conscience protection. Urge you oppose any bill that does not specifically prohibit funding of abortion, euthanasia and life-destructive technologies. "Medical procedure,"

"preventive care," "women's health" and "clinical practices" are euphemisms that must be clearly defined. "Conscience protection" for insurers, purchasers, plan sponsors, and health care workers, facilities, medical schools and pharmacies must be included.

Please contact your Senators and House Member.

CONTACT INFORMATION:

U.S. Senate, Wash. D.C. 20510

	Local Phone #	D.C. Phone # & Fax #
Schumer	212-486-4430	202-224-6542 / 228-3027
Gillibrand	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	631-951-2210	202-225-3335 / 225-4669
King	516-541-4225	202-225-7896 / 226-2279
McCarthy	516-739-3008	202-225-5516 / 225-5758
Ackerman	718-423-2154	202-225-2601 / 225-1589

Continue to monitor the news for updates. Suggested sites: NRLC.org; USCCB.org; NCHLA.org, and lifenews.com.

MILITARY BASES TO STOCK "PLAN-B"

MORNING-AFTER PILL. Officials at the Pentagon have decided [2/04/2010] to require U.S. military bases all over the world to provide abortifacient morning-after pills, or emergency contraception, reports the Associated Press.

The morning-after pill, or "Plan-B" medication, is designed to prevent sperm from fertilizing an egg if taken before an embryo's conception. However, the drug can be taken within 72 hours of sexual intercourse, and will also abort a newly-conceived embryo by preventing its implantation into the wall of the mother's womb.

Wendy Wright, Pres. of Concerned Women for America states: "It's a political tool for abortion advocates. By making this drug required, the next step will [be] making drugs like RU-486, the abortion pill, mandatory. And doctors or pharmacists who have objections will be purged from the ranks."

Adapted from LifeSiteNews.com 2/05/2010.

To discuss Federal Legislation, email Charles Feldman at cdefeldman@optonline.net



NEW YORK STATE LEGISLATION

FEMINISTS CHOOSING LIFE OF NEW YORK v. EMPIRE STATE STEM CELL BOARD.

On 10/9/2009 a pro-life women's organization filed suit to block taxpayer-funded compensation to women who donate their eggs for medical research purposes. New York is the first state to allow this. As of 2/10/2010 there has been no action on the suit.

"The ESSCB will allow researchers to compensate women up to \$10,000 for the time, discomfort and expenses associated with donating eggs for experiments." Source: *Washington Post* 6/26/2009. Pro-life advocates consider this EBCCB action unethical, Dangerous and an exploitative move that treats women's body parts as commodities.

The FAMILY HEALTH CARE DECISIONS ACT passed the NYS Assembly and must be voted on in the Senate.

ACTION-SAMPLE MESSAGE:

Please support and vote for the Family Health Care Decision Act S.3164/A.7729. This bill includes long-advocated provisions to protect those with disabilities from involuntary euthanasia.

CONTACT: Your NYS Senator

Legislative Bldg., Albany, NY 12247
Senate Switchboard 518-455-2800

Feb. 9 SPECIAL ELECTION RESULTS:

3rd Assembly District: Dean Murray, projected winner
15th Assembly District: Michael Montesano, WON

COMING: Tues., Mar. 9 - SPECIAL TOWN ELECTIONS. Vote on Brookhaven's 6th District seat and a Council seat in Southampton.

Tues. Mar. 16 - SPECIAL ELECTION for NYS Senate 13th S.D., Queens.

Note: All registered, district residents are eligible to vote in Special Elections. Ask each candidate's stand on the Life Issues. Inform pro-life voters. To determine if you reside in one of the above districts call the Board of Elections: Nassau: 516-571-2411
Suffolk: 631-852-4500.

HEALTH & SCIENCE

The Abortion/Breast Cancer Link — Part I of II



Dr. Louise Brinton was the chief organizer of the 2003 National Cancer Institute workshop that stated it was “well established that abortion is not associated with increased breast cancer risk.” In April 2009, a study released by Jessica Dolle et al. of the Fred Hutchinson Cancer Research Center contained an admission by Dr. Brinton and colleagues that abortion raises breast cancer risk by 40%. The 2009 study examined the relationship between oral contraceptives (OCs) and triple-negative breast cancer (TNBC), which is an aggressive form of breast cancer with a high mortality rate in women less than 45 years of age. The study found “a statistically significant 40% increased risk for women who have abortions and a 270% increased risk of TNBC among those who used oral contraceptives while under age 18 and a 320% increased risk of TNBC among recent users (within 1-5 years) of oral contraceptives.” Thaddeus Baklinski, in an article entitled “National Cancer Institute Researcher Admits Abortion Breast Cancer Link”, at *LifeSiteNews.com* on 7-Jan-2010 reported: “This means that women who start using OCs before age 18 multiply their risk of TNBC by 3.7 times and recent users of OCs within the last one to five years multiply their risk by 4.2 times.”

Karlen Malec, president of the Coalition on Abortion/Breast Cancer, stated in a press release, “The NCI, the American Cancer Society, Susan G. Komen for the Cure and other cancer fundraising businesses have made no efforts to reduce breast cancer rates by issuing nationwide warnings to women. Obviously, more women will die of breast cancer if the NCI fails in its duty to warn about the risks of OCs and abortion.”

Mrs. Malec referred to studies released in Turkey and China last year relating to the abortion/breast cancer link. Thaddeus Baklinski reported on *LifeSiteNews.com* on 12 Nov 2009, “Chinese researchers at the Department of Oncology at the First Affiliated Hospital of China Medical University who conducted a case-control study examining reproductive factors associated with breast cancer found a statistically significant 17% increased breast cancer risk among Chinese women who had induced abortions. Peng Xing and his colleagues also found

that, although breastfeeding protected women from any subtype of breast cancer, an increase risk of breast cancer was associated with having more children among women who delayed their first full term pregnancy (FFTP) until after age 25 and never breastfed.”

Dr. Joel Brind, professor of endocrinology at Baruch College and a director of the Breast Cancer Prevention Institute noted that Chinese studies on the abortion/breast cancer (ABC) link exclude the possibility of a flaw called ‘report bias’ because abortion is not stigmatized in China. “Communist officials forcibly abort women after their FFTP, so Chinese women are considered reliable reporters of their abortions.” He noted that the Chinese studies might actually underestimate the risk of abortion due to its high prevalence in China. Dr. Brind’s 2005 review of 10 ABC studies stated “it’s hard to do an epidemiological study accurately in communist countries where exposure to abortion affects most of the study population. Because abortion is so prevalent... women in the small, unexposed population (the comparison group) are a minority and do not represent a typical population. Rather, they’re atypical because they represent a high-risk subgroup. Women without abortions in China are more likely to be childless or to have late FFTP’s, which are accepted risk factors for breast cancer.” Baklinski commented, “Hence, if the control group in a study of breast cancer is itself a high-risk group, the heightened risk for the experimental group could actually be significantly underestimated.”

Thaddeus Baklinski of *LifeSiteNews.com* reported on 29 July 2009 that a Turkish study found a “statistically significant 66% increase in breast cancer risk among women who had induced abortions.” The researchers acknowledged that their findings were similar to the “majority of studies which have reported that induced abortion was associated with increased breast cancer risk.” Dr. Vahit Ozmen, author of the study, acknowledged the possibility of selection or information bias in the study. The study was conducted at Istanbul Medical Faculty Hospital. Contrarily, Dr. Brind suggested that “the results obtained for induced abortion likely represent and underestimate the true ABC link in the Turkish population.”

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To be concluded in the April 2010 issue of Life News.



Stations of the Cross for Life

Monday, March 15 at 7:30 PM

Christ the King RC Church
2 Indian Head Road, Commack
For information, call Ann at
631-754-9141.
All are welcome!

L.I.C.L. 2010 Oratory Contest



Sun., March 21-1:30 PM

Kellenberg Memorial H.S.
(Millennium Rm.)
Uniondale

\$1,350 in prizes offered.

Open to 11-12th grade students,
incl. home-schooled.

For information call Maryjane
McQuade at 516-599-5296

Join the LI Coalition for Life at a Long Island Ducks Baseball Game

SATURDAY, AUGUST 7, 2010 - 7:05PM

Citibank Park, Central Islip

(easy access from Southern State Parkway)

Tickets only \$14.00 each **Fireworks included!**



Name: _____

Street: _____

City: _____

Zip: _____ Phone: (____) _____

Number of tickets: _____ x \$14 = _____

Limited number of tickets available. LICL must receive checks by 6/18.
Mail form with payment to: LICL, PO Box 223, Ronkonkoma NY 11779
(Tickets distributed on 1st come 1st serve basis).
NOTE: Tickets will be mailed in July.

The LICL is a 501(c)(4) non-profit organization. Donations are not tax-deductible. A copy of our latest annual report may be obtained, upon request, from the LICL or from the Office of the Attorney General, Charities Bureau, 120 Broadway, NY, NY 10271.

Procession for Life

SATURDAY MARCH 20 - 8:30AM - 10AM

From: St. Ladislaus Church (after the 8AM Mass)
(18 Richardson Pl. at Front St. & Peninsula Blvd,
Hempstead)

To: Planned Parenthood of Nassau
County abortion facility 540 Fulton
Ave., Hempstead.

The walk is 1/4 mile. Rain or shine.

Prayer vigil at Planned Parenthood

Sponsored by Families for Life 631-588-0168.



University Faculty for Life

Sunday, April 18 - 2:00 PM

(1:15-1:55 PM light refreshments)

Speaker: **Irene V. Villacci, Esq.**

Topic: **"The Legal Dimensions of End-of-Life Issues."**

Molloy College, Rockville Centre

Amphitheater, 1st fl, Kellenberg Hall

Contact Jane Gilroy 516-379-5409;

janehgl@verizon.net



Suggested Book: "Forbidden Grief: The Unspoken Pain of Abortion" by Theresa Burke with

David C. Reardon, published by Acorn Books. Dr. Burke exposes the obstacles in the way of post-abortion healing, reviews the full range and depth of post-abortion adjustment problems and how to resolve them.



Family Life Conference

Sat. March 27 - 10 AM-3:30 PM

Mass 8:45 AM

St. Joseph's Seminary (Dunwoodie), Yonkers

Theme: **"Honoring the Legacy of Cardinal O'Connor on the Occasion of the 10th Anniversary of his Death."**

Speakers: Archbishop Timothy Dolan, Mrs. Helen Alvarez, Fr. Charles P. Connor, Ph.D., Mother Agnes Mary (Sisters of Life). \$25 inc. lunch (free for clergy, religious & students). For information: 212-371-1011 x 3195 or www.FLRL.org

All-Night Vigil For Life

Congratulations on 28th Anniversary!

Note: New Location to be announced in April 2010 *Life News*. Anne Murphy 631-224-1089.



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

MARCH 2010 PRO-LIFE CALENDAR Key: (M) = MONTHLY (W) = WEEKLY

PRO-LIFE WITNESSING SITES Prayer and Witness Save Lives!

Prayer vigil schedules at local abortion provider/referral sites are listed below. To volunteer speak with the contact person listed below before going to a site and never witness alone. **PLEASE STAND WITH US. BE A VOICE FOR THE UNBORN!**

Nassau County--Location

540 Fulton Ave (Rt 24), Hempstead

Day/Time	Contact Phone (516)
(W) Sa 8 AM-1 PM	741-3405
(M) 4th Sa 10 AM	"

Liturgy for Pre-born/Clergy

35 Carmans Rd, Massapequa
444 Community Dr, Manhasset

(W) Sa 10:30 AM-1 PM	541-8056
(W) Sa 7-8 AM	546-0290

IMPORTANT:

Peaceful assembly on
Public property near an
Abortion site is a legal
First Amendment right.

Suffolk County--Location

70 Maple Ave, Smithtown

Day/Time	Contact Phone (631)
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498 Rt 111, Smithtown
595 Hampton Rd, Southampton
240 Meeting House Ln-Sthampton Hosp
42 First Ave, Brentwood
200 Motor Parkway, Hauppauge
540 E. Main St, Riverhead
755 New York Ave, Huntington
450 Waverly Ave, Patchogue

(W) Wed & Sa 7-11 AM	979-7017
(M) 1 st Sa 9 AM Prayer/Clergy	979-7017
(W) Sa 7-9 AM	751-8217
(W) Fr 11:30 AM	283-6829
(W) Fr 11:30 AM	283-6829
(W) Sa 9:40-10:15 AM	665-3630
(M) 1st Sa 10:15 -11:30 AM	588-0168
(W) We 2-4 PM	722-3111
(W) Sa 11 AM-1 PM	796-7685
(M) 1 st Sa 10:15-11:30 AM	472-0033



Pro-Life Counseling Centers nearest to abortion sites: Life Center of LI, 35 Willow St, Massapequa at E end Sunrise Mall behind White Castle, 516-798-9100, open Mn, Tu, Th, Fr 10 AM-4 PM, Wed 10 AM-8 PM & Sa 9 AM-Noon. Life Center of L.I., 507 Fulton Ave (Rt 24), Hempstead 516-408-6300 (Bilingual counseling) open We 10 AM - 4 PM & Sa 9 AM - 1 PM Birthright of Nassau/Suffolk, Smithtown, call for hours 631-360-7707.

PRO-LIFE VIEWING AND LISTENING

- Programs weekly except Rev. Motley's "Open Mic," which is monthly
- **LIFE ISSUES -LICL** (631-243-1435 www.ProLifeLI.org) CableV Ch 20 (Public Access) We 9 PM in eastern Suffolk; Tu 9 PM central & west Suffolk. All Nassau Mn 4:30 PM Ch 115. Send comments & suggestions for programs to LICL.
- **American Family Assn.** CableV Ch 20 Nassau/West Suffolk Tu 8 PM & Ch 115 Mn 8 PM., Central Suffolk Th 8 PM, Eastern Suffolk Fr 5:30 PM, Verizon Ch 40 Mn 8 PM.
- **Contemporary Social Issues** CableV Ch 20 Th 9 PM, Verizon Ch 40 Mn 9 PM
- **M. Crutcher's Life Dynamics**-CableV Riverhead Ch 20 Mn 3:30 PM, Woodbury Ch 115 We 8:30 PM, Hauppauge Mn 3:30 PM, Brooklyn/Queens CableV Ch 67, RCN Ch 82, Verizon Ch 42, TimeW Ch all 9:30 AM.
- **Telecare** CableV Ch 29 & Verizon Ch 296-**Respecting the Gift of Life**, Mn 2 PM, We 1AM, Sa 11:30 AM
- **EWTN-TV Airing all day on CableV Ch 135, Verizon Ch 285, Direct TV Ch 370 & Dish Ch 261: Defending Life** Fr 10 PM, Sa 2:30 AM, **Rosary for Life** Sa 3:30 PM
- **Gospel of Life**-Priests for Life-DirectTV Ch 378 We 6 PM, Catholic Familyland Su 1 AM, Mn 9 AM, We 3:30 AM & Th 11:30 PM
- **EWTN-Radio-Defending Life** Su 5 AM, Sa 6:30 AM & 6:30 PM www.ewtn.com; **Catholic Connection**-Priests for Life Mn-Fr 9 AM
- **WMCA (570 AM) Focus on the Family** Mn-Fr 7:31 AM and 4:31 PM; **American Center for Law & Justice** Mn-Fr 12 Noon
- **90.7 FM Riverhead/Mars Hill-Open Mic** 3rd Fr 8-9 PM; **Albany Update** Mn-Fr 6:04 AM www.nycf.info
- **On Line: National Pro-Life Radio** at NPLR.net; avemariaradio.net; ewtn.com; gospeloflife.com/tv

PRO-LIFE PRAYER OPPORTUNITIES

- Needed: Prayer to change minds and hearts to respect all human life.**
- Mn-Sa 3/1-31 Daily **ROSARY FOR LIFE** following 8 AM Mass, St Rosalie Parish Center, Hampton Bays, 631-594-1381
 - Mn-Sa 3/1-31 Daily 9:30 AM **ROSARY FOR BABIES BORN/UNBORN** St Martin of Tours Bethpage, 516-938-1391
 - Mn 3/1 4/5 (W) 7 PM **ROSARY FOR LIFE AND NOVENA MASS** St Catherine, Franklin Square
 - Mn 3/1 4/5 (W) After 12:05 Mass **HOUR OF ADORATION & PRAYERS FOR LIFE** Notre Dame, New Hyde Park
 - Mn 3/1 4/5 (W) 7:30 PM **ROSARY FOR LIFE** follows Novena, Sacred Heart RCC, Island Park, 516-889-5318
 - Mn 3/1 (M) 7:30 PM **ROSARY, DIVINE MERCY, LITANY FOR LIFE**, Christ the King, Commack
 - Tu 3/2 4/6 (M) 9 AM-12:30 **MASS-LIFE ADORATION, ROSARY, BENEDICTION** Sacred Heart, Cutchogue
 - Th 3/4 4/1 (W) After 7 PM **Mass ROSARY & NOVENA FOR LIFE**, St James Chapel, Seaford, 516-694-2938
 - Th 3/4 4/1 (W) 7-8 PM **ROSARY FOR LIFE** Our Lady of Mt Carmel RCC, Patchogue (9 AM-Midnight-Adoration)
 - Fr 3/5 4/2 (M) 6 PM-9 AM **EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION** (overnight), St Matthew (Chapel), Dix Hills
 - Fr 3/5 4/2 (M) 9 PM-3 AM **ALL NIGHT LIFE VIGIL**, Miraculous Medal Church, Point Lookout, 516-593-8849
 - Fr 3/5 4/2 (M) 7:30-8:30 PM **HOLY HOUR FOR LIFE**, The Resurrection RCC, 50 Granny Road, Farmingville
 - Fr 3/5 4/2 (W) 9:30-10:30 AM **EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT FOR LIFE**, St Joseph, Kings Park
 - Fr 3/5 4/2 (M) 9 AM **MASS, ROSARY & VIGIL FOR LIFE & PEACE** and 4 PM Benediction, St Mark, Shoreham
 - Fr 3/5 4/2 (M) 7:30-8:30 PM **PRO-LIFE HOLY HOUR** Our Lady of Victory RCC, Floral Park

- Fr 3/5 4/2 (M) 3-7 AM **PRO-LIFE VIGIL**, St Aloysius, Great Neck; Fr 3/12, 7 PM Way of the Cross for Unborn
 Fr 3/5 4/2 (M) 8 PM-9 PM **PRAYER HOUR FOR LIFE** Our Lady of Lourdes, Malverne
 Fr 3/5 4/2 (M) 9-11:15 AM **PRO-LIFE ROSARY** St John Nepomucene, Bohemia, 631-589-0540
 Fr 3/5 4/2 (M) 7 PM **HOLY HOUR FOR LIFE & 8 PM MASS FOR LIFE** at Holy Name of Jesus RCC, Woodbury
 Su 3/7 4/4 (W) 8-9 PM **HOUR OF REPARATION TO STOP ABORTION** Our Lady of Perpetual Help, Lindenhurst
 Mn 3/8 4/12 (M) 8-9 PM **CULTURE FOR LIFE HOLY HOUR** Molloy College, Sacred Heart Chapel 516-678-5000 x6304
 We 3/10 4/14 (M) 8 PM **HOUR OF ADORATION & PRAYERS FOR LIFE**, St Rose of Lima, Massapequa
 Fr 3/12 4/9 (M) 9 AM **ROSARY FOR MOTHERS & THE UNBORN** Sts Peter & Paul RCC, Manorville, 631-874-2483
 Su 3/14 4/11 (M) 1:30 PM **ROSARY FOR LIFE** Our Lady of the Snow Church, 258th & 80 Ave, N Floral Park
 Mn 3/15 (M) 7:30 PM **STATIONS OF THE CROSS FOR LIFE**, Christ the King, Commack. See Page 5.
 Tu 3/16 4/20 (M) 7:30-8:30 PM **ADORATION, ROSARY, PRO-LIFE PRAYER** St Patrick Church, Smithtown
 Th 3/18 4/15 (M) 1:15 PM **ROSARY FOR LIFE** Maria Regina Chapel, Seaford, 516-541-9408
 Sa 3/20 4/17 (M) 3 PM **SPECIAL NEEDS MASS**, St Catherine of Sienna Center, 33 New Hyde Park Road, Franklin Sq.
 For other DRVC locations contact Mary Anne Russo, 516-678-5800 x540, marusso@drvc.org
 Su 3/21 2 PM **DEANERY VI PRO-LIFE HOLY HOUR**, St. Joachim Ch, 614 Central Ave., Cedarhurst, 516-887-2458
 We 3/24 4/28 (M) 3 PM **ROSARY FOR LIFE**, St Anthony of Padua, Rocky Point, 631-744-1676
 Fr 3/26 4/23 (M) 8-9 PM **PRO-LIFE HOLY HOUR** Our Lady of Lourdes RCC, Massapequa Park, 516-541-3270

SPECIAL EVENTS IN MARCH

- Tu 3/9 & 3/16 **SPECIAL ELECTIONS**. See Page 3.
 Tu 3/9 **PUBLIC POLICY DAY**, Albany. Sponsor: NYS Catholic Conference. For information: 516-379-8292 x215.
 Th 3/11 **DRVC RESPECT LIFE CONTEST** for Grades 7-12. Contact 516-379-8292 x 215, respectlife@drvc.org
 Sa 3/13 **HELPERS OF GOD'S PRECIOUS INFANTS PRAYER VIGIL** after 7:30 AM Mass, St Bartholomew,
 43-22 Ithaca St, Elmhurst. 718-853-2789, www.helpersny.org, frhgpi@aol.com
 Su 3/14 **RONKONKOMA'S ST PATRICK'S PARADE**. March with pro-life. See Page 8.
 Mn 3/15 7:30 PM **STATIONS OF THE CROSS FOR LIFE**, Commack. See Page 5.
 Tu 3/16 8 AM **NEW YORKERS FOR CONSTITUTIONAL FREEDOMS LEGISLATIVE DAY**, Albany. See Page 12.
 Sa 3/20 8 30 - 10 AM **PROCESSION FOR LIFE**, Hempstead. See Page 5.
 Su 3/21 1:30 PM **LICL ORATORY CONTEST**, Uniondale. See Page 5.
 Su 3/21 12:30 PM **BRIDGE TO LIFE DINNER DANCE**, Great Neck. See Page 8.
 Su 3/21 1-5 PM **LIFE CENTER OF LI SPAGHETTI DINNER & CHINESE AUCTION**, W. Babylon. See Page 12.
 Mn 3/22 7:45 PM **LICL GENERAL MEETING**, Ronkonkoma. Speakers. See Page 2.
 Tu 3/23 7:30 PM **KNIGHTS FOR LIFE** meet Msgr. Delaney Hall, Farmingdale. Keith Wilson, 516-633-1435. All welcome.
 Sa 3/27 8:45 AM Mass 10 AM - 3:30 PM **DIOCESE OF NY FAMILY LIFE CONFERENCE**, Yonkers. See Page 5.

LOOKING AHEAD

- Fr 4/2 10:30 AM-Noon **GOOD FRIDAY SILENT VIGIL AT NUMC**. See Page 12.
 Sa 4/3 10 AM **HOLY SATURDAY LITURGY FOR THE PRE-BORN**, Hempstead. See Page 12.
 Sa 4/17 11:30 AM **MOTHER & DAUGHTER (10-12 yrs. old) TEA**. Dix Hills. 516-379-8292 x215 respectlife@drvc.org
 Su 4/18 2 PM **THE LEGAL DIMENSIONS OF END-OF-LIFE ISSUES**, Molloy College. Sponsor: UFL. See Page 5.
 Tu 4/27 **LOBBY FOR LIFE DAY**, Albany. Sponsor: NYS Right to Life Committee. Bus (\$15) from Suffolk, Nassau, &
 Queens. \$15. Arthur Lange, 631-589-4751.
 Fr 4/30 6:45 PM **UNMASKING PLANNED PARENTHOOD** witness outside PP Gala, Eisenhower Park, 631-243-1435.
 We 6/23-Fr 8/6 **NRTL ACADEMY SUMMER 2010** in Wash, DC. Six week pro-life training for college students.
 Megan McCrum, nrlacademy@gmail.com, 202-626-8820.
 Sa 8/7 7:05 PM **LI DUCKS BASEBALL/FIREWORKS**. LICL Fundraiser. See Page 5.

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There were 300,000-350,000 marchers in Washington, D.C., including approximately 1800 from Nassau and Suffolk counties. Marches for Life took place across the Nation on January 22nd in memory of the more than 52 million babies killed by abortion since Roe v. Wade. There were Marches in San Francisco, CA (West Coast Walk for Life); Denver, CO; Cleveland, OH; Olympia, WA; as well as in Arkansas and New Hampshire. Go to youtube.com and type in "March for Life" for more info and to hear the speeches throughout the Country. Americans United for Life (AUL) held its first Virtual March for Life and had over 84,000 participants including many well-known figures. To find out more, go to virtualmarchforlife.com.

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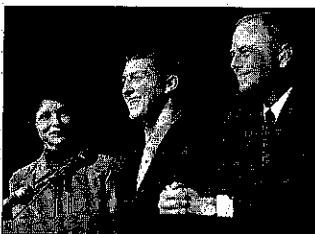


American Medical Association Resignation

Dr. David Stevens, head of the 17,000 member Christian Medical Assoc. has resigned from the AMA over its continuing pro-abortion advocacy and is advising other members to do so also. In the early 1970's, the AMA represented 75% of the nation's doctors; today only 17% are AMA members; nearly 30% being students. In actuality, the AMA only represents 160,000 out of over 1,000,000 doctors in the US. Among these, a significant percent don't always agree with AMA policy, the federal health bill being a prime example.

Adapted from: *Cincinnati RTL News Brief*, January 2010.

Super Bowl Ad



Tim Tebow with parents
Pam & Bob Tebow

CBS aired an ad paid for by Focus on the Family during the Super Bowl. The theme of the ad is "Celebrate Family, Celebrate Life" and featured Pam Tebow's choice to give birth to her child Tim in 1987. She was in the Philippines doing missionary work and

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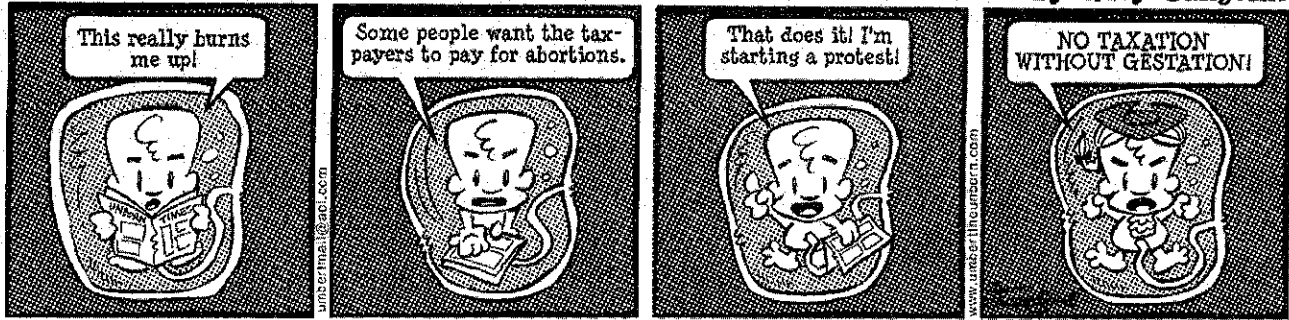
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Source: Gallop Poll, May 2009

Inside: Page 4 - The Abortion Breast Cancer Link