

Life News

Long Island's Monthly Pro-Life Newsletter

Post Office Box 223, Ronkonkoma, NY 11779 • 631-243-1435 • www.ProLifeLI.org

Volume 37

No. 12

2010 **December** Issue

Subscription \$18.00 Annually

"And suddenly there was with the angel a multitude of the heavenly host praising God and saying, 'Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace among men of good will.' " Luke 2: 13-14

21st Annual National Night of Prayer for Life

9 PM Wednesday, December 8th - 1 AM Thursday, December 9th, 2010

Please attend your nearest location.

The hour of National Unity is from 12-1 AM Thursday, December 9th, EST.

During this hour we will be united in churches across the country in PRAYER TO END ABORTION!

NASSAU COUNTY

Our Lady of Lourdes Chapel, Massapequa Pk., 9-1 AM
 St Bernard, Levittown, 9-1 AM
 St. Raymond, E. Rockaway, 7-11
 St. Patrick, Glen Cove, 8:30-10
 Curé of Ars, Merrick, 7:30 Mass, 8:30-11:30
 Our Lady of Lourdes, Malverne, 8:30-9:30
 St. Catherine of Sienna, Franklin Square, 8:30-9:30
 St. Kilian, Farmingdale, 9-midnight
 St. Rose of Lima, Massapequa, 8:30-10:30
 St. Ignatius Loyola, Hicksville, 8:30-10
 St. Mary, Manhasset, 1 hr. after 8 PM Mass
 Holy Spirit, New Hyde Park, 7:30-10
 St. Edward the Confessor, Syosset, 9-1 AM
 St. Raphael, East Meadow*
 Sacred Heart, Island Park, Rosary w/
 Benediction at 9
 Holy Family, Hicksville, 8-10 PM

*Call for Time



SUFFOLK COUNTY

St. Rosalie, Hampton Bays, 9-1 AM
 St. John of God, Central Islip, 9-1 AM
 St. James, Setauket, 9-1 AM
 St. Patrick, Smithtown, after 7:30 Mass - 1 AM
 Our Lady of Mt. Carmel, Patchogue, 9-1 AM Chapel
 St. Francis of Assisi, Greenlawn, 9-1 AM
 Our Lady of Snow, Blue Point, 9-1 AM
 St. Matthew, Dix Hills, 7:30 Mass, 9-1 AM
 St. Isidore, Riverhead, after 7:30 Mass - 1AM
 St. Frances Cabrini, Coram, 8:30-9:30
 St. Joseph, Ronkonkoma, 8:30-9:30
 Our Lady of Queen of Martyrs, Centerport, 9-11
 Our Lady of Perpetual of Help, Lindenhurst, 9-midnight
 Sts. Philip & James, St. James, 9-midnight
 St. Louis de Montfort, Sound Beach*
 St. Joseph, Kings Park, 9-1 AM
 Christ the King, Commack, after 7:30 PM Mass -1 AM
 St. Lawrence, Sayville, 9-1 AM
 St. Joseph, Babylon, 9-1 AM
 Our Lady of the Assumption, Copiague, 8-11
 Queen of the Most Holy Rosary, Bridgehampton*
 St. Anne, Brentwood*
 St. Thomas More, Hauppauge, 8-9
 St. Anthony of Padua, E. Northport, 9-1 AM
 St. Patrick, Huntington, 7:30 Mass-10

NOTE: All vigils begin in the PM

These are the parishes that, at printing time, have registered. If your parish is not listed, please contact them. Queens & Brooklyn - please call parish for time. For further information call 631-269-6294, 631-224-1089 or 516-783-4150. You can also visit the website at www.nationalnightofprayerforlife.org.

Dear Defender of Life,

I write this just after the midterm elections which resulted in amazing pro-life gains across the country. Most governors, state legislatures and the U.S. House of Representatives are now pro-life. And in the U.S. Senate, six pro-abortion senators were replaced with six who are pro-life.

Unfortunately in New York the news is not as good. All statewide offices will continue to be held by pro-abortion Democrats. The makeup of the New York State Senate is still in doubt with three races undecided but the likelihood is that the Democrats will no longer be in control. In Nassau and Suffolk counties pro-life Lee Zeldin beat pro-abortion incumbent Brian Foley for the N.Y.S. Senate, pro-life Al Graf won a three-way Assembly race against pro-abortion incumbent Ginny Fields and another contender, and **all** pro-life incumbents won. A state Senate seat, an Assembly seat and one congressional seat remain undecided on Long Island, though all are leaning toward replacing pro-abortion incumbents with pro-lifers.

In spite of the predicted extinction of conservative and pro-life influence after the disastrous 2008 election we have clearly kept fighting and have come back convincingly. I'll remind you that that is exactly what we said we'd do. And thanks to the help of all of you who have faithfully kept supporting us we are succeeding. New York is still a very liberal state, with many pro-abortion elected officials, but I believe Long Island is experiencing the beginning of a pro-life trend which will spread statewide.

So what do we do now? We keep up the pressure. We have significantly expanded the circulation of *Life News* over the last few months to put solid pro-life information in more hands. We are hoping to keep our bus bench ads and our "Your Life in the Womb" kiosk in the South Shore Mall in place. Thanks to an extremely generous donor we have distributed over 50,000 business-size cards in English and Spanish chronicling the stages in the life of a baby before birth and supplying pro-life help numbers and web sites. We have participated in over 40 street fairs, sent busloads of lobbyists to Albany during the legislative session, and organized peaceful, prayerful vigils at various sites on Long Island including 40 Days for Life presences at Planned Parenthood in Hempstead and Smithtown. We intend to keep doing all of the above and more. (See page 8 for pictures of many of this year's activities.)

This is the time of year when you will be asked repeatedly to give generously. Please, as you are making those year-end gifts, remember your Long Island Coalition for Life with a generous monetary gift and/or the gift of your time so we can continue the momentum we have clearly built. As a completely volunteer organization with no paid staff we maximize the effectiveness of your donations to keep our many programs going. Please help us move to the day when all innocent human life, from fertilization to natural death, will be protected.

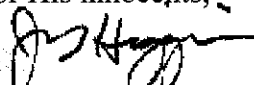
I think the following, with which I have ended this letter before, still best sums up what we are about:



I promise to stay strong for the babies. I will pray, work harder and give more of my resources than ever before in the cause for life until we will win.

Thank you for your support and your prayers.

For His innocents,


Jerome B. Higgins, D.V.M.
Chairman

P.S. Please use the enclosed postage-paid envelope and the coupon on page 11 to volunteer and/or send your year-end donation as soon as possible. We want to keep Long Island moving in the pro-life direction. Thank you.

P.P.S. Gift subscriptions to *Life News* are another way you can spread the pro-life message. Just check off the gift subscription box in the page 11 coupon and return with your \$18.00 subscription donation. Photocopy the coupon if you are making several.



FEDERAL LEGISLATION

Chances are high we will see a "Lame Duck" session of the outgoing Congress.

Among bills that may see action are - The 2011 Dept of Defense Authorization Bill (HR5136/S3454). Passed by the House, (and 'on hold' in the Senate), it contains the Burris Amendment, allowing abortions on military bases. But the Employment Non-Discrimination Act, impacting hiring by religious organizations, is unlikely to come up.

ACTION-SAMPLE MESSAGE (to both Houses):

Please oppose the 2011 Dept of Defense Authorization Bill if it contains the Burris Amendment, which permits abortions at all worldwide US military base hospitals.

CONTACT INFORMATION:

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

<u>Name</u>	<u>D.C. Phone #</u>
Schumer	202-224-6542
Gillibrand	202-224-4451

Or Email them via the Web at <http://www.senate.gov>

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

<u>Name</u>	<u>D.C. Phone #</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>D.C. Phone #</u>
Bishop	202-225-3826	Israel	202-225-3335
King	202-225-7896	McCarthy	202-225-5516

Ackerman 202-225-2601

Or Email them via the Web at <http://www.house.gov/writerep>

THE MIKULSKI AMENDMENT TO

OBAMACARE: (S.AMDT.2791 to H.R.3590), mandates free "preventive" women's medical care. Starting in Nov., a panel meets to decide what "preventive" means. Does it mean birth control; even the "more expensive/effective" IUDs or implants?

The President of Planned Parenthood says taxpayer funded contraception will save the government lots of money down the road, with less people to care for.

The Dept of Health & Human services is considering a request from the ACLU to force Catholic hospitals to perform 'emergency abortions', under the 1986 act that requires hospitals to treat all emergency room patients. UK pro-lifer John Smeaton recently told an Human Life International meeting that the idea of a "human right of abortion" flies in the face of Human Rights Treaties passed just after WW II.

The New England Journal of Medicine has an article, by a pro-Obama doctor, detailing how the new Congress could starve ObamaCare of the over 110 funding appropriations & authorizations needed for it to progress. See: <http://www.nejm.org/doi/pdf/10.1056/NEJMp1011213>

In Americanthinker.com (11/4), JR Dunn hopes that the 2010 election marks the rejection of rationalism, the 19th century idea that everything (the universe, or society, or humans) are just knowable mechanisms, that can thus be understood and improved by elite manipulators. Also in AT (10/30), a comment that government 'charity' makes us all into Scrooge. In the face of *want*, we say, "are there no government handouts, no Social Security, no Welfare?"

To discuss Federal Legislation, e-mail Charles Feldman at cdefeldman@optonline.net or phone 631-664-5744



NEW YORK STATE LEGISLATION

Watch news reports for a possible "Lame Duck" session which could be called anytime thru 12/31. In that session a vote can be taken on 'held legislation', and members who will not return in 2011 vote without consequence.

Bills to watch for and oppose vigorously include:

Reproductive Health Act S.5808
Healthy Teens Act S.3836/A.1806-A
Presumed Consent Legislation S.7725/A.9865

Note: If you wish, LICL will send an e-mail if we become aware of "Action Needed." Send your full name, mailing address, and e-mail address to jerryh7@verizon.net.

CONTACT INFORMATION:

Your NYS Senator
Legislative Bldg., Albany, NY 12247
Senate Switchboard 518-455-2800
Your NYS Assembly Member
Legislative Bldg., Albany, NY 12248
Assembly Switchboard 518-455-4100

STOP AND TAKE A BOW.

The serious voters of 2010, the untiring volunteers, the national and N.Y. S. based organizations providing information, all are to be thanked for their part in the victories of 11/2. See Page 2.

Planning a 1/24/11 Pro-Life Activity?

Are you planning a local activity to protest Roe v Wade? A witness? A special prayer service? Submit info by 12/3/10 for publication in 1/2011 *Life News*.



Publicize and join:

On Sun., 1/16/11 from 1:30-3 PM LICL will hold **FACE THE TRUTH** in front of NUMC, East Meadow.

BUS CAPTAINS for the Mon., 1/24/11 **MARCH FOR LIFE**, are asked to register early with both the March office by calling 202-543-3377 and the LICL at 631-588-0168. Extra copies of the 1/2011 *Life News* can be ordered. Call 631-588-0168 by 12/5/10.

HEALTH & SCIENCE

The Emerging Science of Fetal Origins — Part II of II



Concluded from the November issue of Life News

Frederica Perera of the Center for Children's Environmental Health at Columbia University needed control subjects for her research on environmental exposures and cancer in adults. She decided to use newborns as her controls. However, when she looked at their umbilical cord blood and placental samples she found that they had already been contaminated. Her studies have shown links to traffic-related pollution and adverse outcomes such as premature delivery, low birth weight and heart malformations. In 1998, she had pregnant women wear backpacks that measured pollutants. 100% of the women were exposed to pollutants. 40% of the children born had subtle DNA damage from the pollutants.

Other researchers are studying the effects of the fetal environment on mental health. Researchers studied children born during the famine in China in the mid-20th century. Studies indicated that children born to women suffering from severe malnutrition at this time were twice as likely to develop schizophrenia. Children born during the Arab-Israeli Six-Day War in 1967 were also more likely to develop schizophrenia. Catherine Monk of Columbia University proposes that "a pregnant woman's mental state can shape her offspring's psyche". She is studying the respiration, heart rate and nervous system arousal of pregnant women and the movements and heart rate of their fetuses in relation to challenging mental exercises. In comparing results, all the women "show physiological signs of stress in response to the tests, but only the fetuses of depressed or anxious women display disturbances of their own. This difference suggests that these fetuses are already more sensitive to stress... We know that some people have genetic predispositions to conditions like depression and anxiety, and we know that being raised by a parent with mental illness can increase the risk of mental illness in the offspring. It may be that the intrauterine environment is a third pathway by which mental illness is passed down in families. This type of research is pushing back the starting line for when we become who we are."

Dr. Matthew Gillman of Harvard has been tracking more than 2,000 children for the past 10 years. In

studying Dr. Barker's research, he realized that his study would have to begin in the womb as well. Ms. Paul writes, "already the project has begun to illuminate the fetal origins of asthma, allergies, obesity and heart disease, as well as the role of gestational factors in brain development."

Ms. Paul reports that the federally funded National Children's Study began this year. 100,000 women will be enrolled to research the developmental roots of health and disease. Women will be interviewed concerning their behaviors during pregnancy. Hair, blood, saliva and urine samples will be taken. Water and dust tests will be done in their homes. The intention is to follow both the women and children until the children turn 21. The first results are expected in 2012, reporting on premature births and birth defects.

Preventive research is also underway. David Williams of the Linus Pauling Institute is studying whether certain substances can provide lifelong chemoprotection from illness. The offspring of mice given a phytochemical found in cruciferous vegetables such as broccoli and cabbage during pregnancy were less likely to get cancer, even when they were exposed to a known carcinogen. After they were weaned, the offspring were never exposed to the protective chemicals again, but they avoided cancer well into maturity. Williams "predicts that one day, pregnant women will be prescribed a dietary supplement that will protect their future children from cancer. It's not science fiction. I think that's where we're headed."

More and more doctors are now asking patients about their birth weight and early experiences. Ms. Paul concludes, "With time and evidence, the idea that our health and well-being are shaped during gestation could also come to seem commonsensical. Perhaps our children, whose first snapshots were taken not in a hospital bassinet but inside a uterus, won't find the idea of fetal origins odd at all... Where did his particular qualities come from? Will he be strong or sickly, excitable or calm, what will his future hold? These are the questions parents have long pondered about their children. More and more, it looks as if many of the answers will be found in the womb."

Let us hope that as this science develops and the "window to the womb" is opened further, it will bring more people to a fuller understanding of and respect for the sanctity of life from the moment of conception.

Regina Carbonaro—516-795-7568—reg5carb@aol.com

The Salvation Army is a Christian organization that supports abortion in some cases. It's complete position statement is available on it's website. Please clip the message below, make copies, and place in the Salvation Army buckets this Christmas season, if you so choose. This is not an attempt to disparage the well-meaning bell ringers who stand in all sorts of winter weather to collect money for the Salvation Army to help the needy. But pro-lifers should consider giving their donations to organizations that don't believe abortion serves needy pregnant women.

I'd like to donate, but I'm pro-life... for ALL the unborn babies.

Salvation Army's position on the taking of innocent defenseless human life in the womb through abortion:

"The Salvation Army believes in the sanctity of all human life and considers each person to be of infinite value and each life a gift from God.... (Genesis 1:27)

"The Salvation Army deplors society's ready acceptance of abortion, which reflects insufficient concern for vulnerable persons, including the unborn. (Psalms 82:3-4)

"The Salvation Army recognizes tragic and perplexing circumstances that require difficult decisions regarding a pregnancy. Such decisions should be made only after prayerful and thoughtful consideration...."

It's telling that the Salvation Army can't reference Scripture to support its acceptance of abortion, even in some cases. It's troubling that the Salvation Army, which is collecting money specifically to help those in need, believes that abortion can sometimes meet the needs of a pregnant woman.

By most considerations Jesus was a 'crisis pregnancy.' WWJD?

STUDENT CONTESTS: Diocese of Rockville Centre 2011 Contest. (See 11/10 Life News.)

March For Life Student Contest

in essay, poetry and poster for Junior & Senior H.S. students.

Correction: deadline 1/3/11.

Details at March For Life website.

LICL 2011 ORATORY CONTEST

Sunday, April 10, 2011

Grades 11 and 12 Students (including Home Schooled), and Teachers call: Maryjane McQuade at 516-599-5296.

2011 National Right to Life Pro-Life Essay Contest

Sr. Cont. Gr.10-12 - Jr. Cont. Gr. 7-9

Submit essays 12/20/10-1/22/11.

nrlc.org under "Special Events," or michellefischbach@yahoo.com.

2010 L.I. COALITION FOR LIFE MEMBERS

Membership in the LICL is open to all groups who believe that innocent human life must be protected from fertilization/conception until natural death. Contact us for membership materials. We would like to recognize and thank the following organizations for their membership and commitment to the Long Island Coalition for Life:

SUSTAINING MEMBERS

Church of The Intercessor, Malverne
K of C Archbishop Molloy Council, Freeport
K of C Cmdr John J Shea Assembly, Holbrook
K of C Msgr William Delaney Council, Massapequa
Saint James RLC, Setauket
Three Village Citizens for Life, East Setauket

CONTRIBUTING MEMBERS

Holy Name of Mary Pro-Life, Valley Stream
Our Lady of Lourdes HLC, Malverne
Saint Joseph RLC, Ronkonkoma
Saints Philip & James RLC, Saint James

MEMBERS

American Family Association of NY, Port Washington
AOH Division 8, Port Jefferson Station
Christ the King, Commack
E Northport/St Anthony Human Life Comm, E. Northport
Eastern Suffolk Catholics for Life, Shirley
Families for Life, Ronkonkoma
Farmingdale Right to Life, Melville
For the Babies, Levittown
Good Samaritan Apostolate, Amityville
Holy Family RLC, Fresh Meadows
K of C Fr Thomas B Carroll Council, Valley Stream
K of C Fr William J Crowley Council, Wading River
K of C Good Shepherd Council, Holbrook

K of C Holy Mother Mary Council, Smithtown
K of C Joseph Barry Council, Hicksville
K of C Mother Teresa Council, East Setauket
K of C Our Lady of Perpetual Help Council, Lindenhurst
K of C Our Lady of the Assumption Council, Copiague
K of C Pope John XXIII Assembly, Massapequa
K of C St Regis Council, Ronkonkoma
K of C St Sylvester Council, Medford
Life Center of Long Island, Deer Park
L I Parents for Responsible Education, Smithtown
Maria Regina Human Life Committee, Massapequa
Massapequa Park RLC/OLL Pro-Life, Farmingdale
New York State Nurses for Life, Rockville Centre
Our Lady of Mount Carmel RTL, East Patchogue
Our Lady of Perpetual Help RLC, Lindenhurst
Our Lady of The Snow RLC, Bayport
Our Lady of Victory RTL Society, Floral Park
Peconic Respect Life Association, Riverhead
Respect Life Week of Prayer Committee, Farmingdale
Saint James RLC, Seaford
Saint Margaret of Scotland RLC, Selden
Saint Patrick's Pro-Life Family, Smithtown
Saint Peter of Alcantara RLC, Port Washington
Saint Sylvester RLC, Medford
South Shore Pro-Life, North Baldwin
VIVA, Wading River

DECEMBER 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!**

<u>Nassau County--Location</u>	<u>Day/Time</u>	<u>Contact Phone (516)</u>
540 Fulton Ave (Rt 24), Hempstead	(W) Sa 8 AM-1 PM	741-3405
" " "	(M) 1st Sa 10 AM	"
	Liturgy for Pre-born/Clergy	
35 Carmans Rd, Massapequa	(W) Sa 10:30 AM-1 PM	541-8056
444 Community Dr, Manhasset	(W) Sa 7-8 AM	546-0290

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

<u>Suffolk County--Location</u>	<u>Day/Time</u>	<u>Contact Phone (631)</u>
70 Maple Ave, Smithtown	(W) Wed & Sa 7-11 AM	979-7017
" " "	(M) 1st Sa 9 AM Prayer/Clergy	979-7017
595 Hampton Rd, Southampton	(W) Fr 11:30 AM	283-6829
240 Meeting House Ln-Sthampton Hosp	(W) Fr 11:30 AM	283-6829
42 First Ave, Brentwood	(W) Sa 9:40-10:15 AM	665-3630
200 Motor Parkway, Hauppauge	(M) 1st Sa 10:15 -11:30 AM	588-0168
540 E. Main St, Riverhead	(W) We 2-4 PM	722-3111
755 New York Ave, Huntington	(W) Sa 11 AM-1 PM	796-7685
450 Waverly Ave, Patchogue	(M) 1st 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 LI, 507 Fulton Ave (Rt 24), Hempstead 516-408-6300 (Bilingual counseling) Now open five days: Tu-Fr 10 AM-4 PM & Sa 9 AM-1 PM. Birthright of Nassau/Suffolk, Smithtown, call for hours 631-360-7707.
New: Life Center's RV (516 -553-5243) available each Friday in the parking lot of St Isidore's Church, 622 Pulaski St, Riverhead.

PRO-LIFE VIEWING AND LISTENING Life News will print Viewing every second month.

PRO-LIFE PRAYER OPPORTUNITIES Needed: Prayer to change minds and hearts to respect all human life.

- Mn-Sa 12/1-31 Daily ROSARY FOR LIFE following 8 AM Mass, St Rosalie Parish Center, Hampton Bays, 631-594-1381
- Mn-Sa 12/1-31 Daily 9:30 AM ROSARY FOR BABIES BORN/UNBORN, St Martin of Tours Bethpage, 516-938-1391
- Tu 6 PM & Th 2 PM (W) CENACLES OF LIFE, Rosary, Our Lady of Lourdes Chapel, Massapequa Park, 516-781-6976
- Th 12/2 1/6 (W) After 7 PM Mass ROSARY & NOVENA FOR LIFE, St James Chapel, Seaforth, 516-694-2938
- Th 12/2 1/6 (W) 7-8 PM ROSARY FOR LIFE, Our Lady of Mt Carmel RCC, Patchogue (9 AM-Midnight-Adoration)
- Fr 12/3 1/7 (W) 9:30 AM-Noon HOLY HOUR FOR LIFE, St Joseph (Chapel), Kings Park. (9:30-10:30 AM other Fridays)
- Fr 12/3 1/7 (M) 7 PM ROSARY FOR LIFE, Resurrection Church, 50 Granny Road, Farmingville, 631-698-4410
- Fr 12/3 1/7 (M) 6 PM-9 AM EUCHARISTIC ADORATION (overnight), St Matthew (Chapel), Dix Hills
- Fr 12/3 1/7 (M) 9 PM-3 AM ALL NIGHT LIFE VIGIL, Miraculous Medal Church, Point Lookout, 516-593-8849
- Fr 12/3 1/7 (M) 9 AM MASS, ROSARY & VIGIL FOR LIFE & PEACE, and 4 PM Benediction, St Mark, Shoreham
- Fr 12/3 1/7 (M) 7:30-8:30 PM PRO-LIFE HOLY HOUR, Our Lady of Victory RCC, Floral Park
- Fr 12/3 1/7 (M) 3-7 AM PRO-LIFE VIGIL, St Aloysius, Great Neck, Su 12/12, 7 PM Way of the Cross for Unborn
- Fr 12/3 1/7 (M) 8 PM-9 PM PRAYER HOUR FOR LIFE, Our Lady of Lourdes, Malverne
- Fr 12/3 1/7 (M) 9-11:15 AM PRO-LIFE ROSARY, St John Nepomucene, Bohemia, 631-589-0540
- Fr 12/3 1/7 (M) 7 PM HOLY HOUR FOR LIFE & 8 PM MASS FOR LIFE, Holy Name of Jesus RCC, Woodbury
- Fr 12/3 1/7 (M) 7 PM HOLY HOUR FOR LIFE, Holy Spirit Church, Rt. 25 & S 6th St, New Hyde Park, 516-437-6870
- Su 12/5 1/2 (W) 8-9 PM HOUR OF REPARATION TO STOP ABORTION, Our Lady of Perpetual Help, Lindenhurst
- Su 12/5 2PM DEANERY IV PRO-LIFE HOLY HOUR, St. Joachim, 614 Central Av., Cedarhurst. 516-887-2458
- Mn 12/6 1/3 (W) 7 PM ROSARY FOR LIFE AND NOVENA MASS, St Catherine, Franklin Square
- Mn 12/6 1/3 (W) After 12:05 Mass HOUR OF ADORATION & PRAYERS FOR LIFE, Notre Dame, New Hyde Park
- Mn 12/6 & 20 (M) 7:30 PM ROSARY, DIVINE MERCY, LITANY FOR LIFE, Christ the King, Commack
- Tu 12/7 1/4 (M) 9 AM-12:30 MASS-LIFE ADORATION, ROSARY, BENEDICTION, Sacred Heart, Cutchogue
- We 12/8 (See Pg. 1) 1/12 (M) 8 PM HOUR OF ADORATION & PRAYERS FOR LIFE, St Rose of Lima, Massapequa
- Fr 12/10 1/14 (M) 9 AM ROSARY FOR MOTHERS & THE UNBORN, Sts Peter & Paul RCC, Manorville, 631-874-2483
- Su 12/12 1/9 (M) 1:30 PM ROSARY FOR LIFE, Our Lady of the Snow Church, 258th & 80 Ave, N Floral Park

- Su 12/12 1/9 (M) 1:30 PM **SPECIAL NEEDS MASS** for children & adults & their families, Our Lady of Grace, 666 Albin Ave, W Babylon. For other DRVC locations: Mary Ann Russo, 516-678-5800 X 540, marusso@drvc.org
- Mn 12/13 1/10 (M) 8-9 PM **CULTURE FOR LIFE HOLY HOUR**, Molloy College, Sacred Heart Chapel 516-678-5000 x6304
- Th 12/16 1/20 (M) 1:15 PM **ROSARY FOR LIFE**, Maria Regina Chapel, Seaford, 516-541-9408
- Fr 12/17 Mn 1/24 (M) 2 PM **ROSARY FOR LIFE**, Sacred Heart, Island Park, 516-889-7018
- Fr 12/17 1/21 (M) 9 PM-5:00 AM **ALL NIGHT LIFE VIGIL**, St Francis of Assisi, 29 Clay Pitts Rd, Greenlawn. Masses 10 PM & 5 AM. Anne Murphy, 631-224-1089
- Tu 12/21 1/18 (M) 7:30-8:30 PM **ADORATION, ROSARY, PRO-LIFE PRAYER**, St Patrick Church, Smithtown
- We 12/22 1/26 (M) 3 PM **ROSARY FOR LIFE**, St Anthony of Padua, Rocky Point, 631-744-1676
- We 12/29 1/26 (M) 2 PM **ROSARY FOR REPEAL OF ABORTION LAWS**, Shrine of Our Lady of the Island, Eastport, 631-325-0661

SPECIAL EVENTS IN DECEMBER

- We 12/8 **NATIONAL NIGHT OF PRAYER FOR LIFE**, Nassau/Suffolk. See Page 1.
- Su 12/12 6 PM **SISTERS OF LIFE** speak at Our Holy Redeemer, Freeport. Topic: "Women of Grace." 516-378-0665
- Mn 12/20 7:45 PM **LICL GENERAL MEETING**, Joseph Barry Council K of C, Heitz Pl., Hicksville.
- Tu 12/28 7:30 PM **KNIGHTS FOR LIFE** meeting, Msgr. Delaney Hall, Farmingdale. Keith Wilson, 516-633-1435.

Tuesday, December 28 - Holy Innocents Masses

- 7:30 PM Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary, Centereach, celebrant Msgr. Joseph Curley. Refreshments. 631-585-8760 or 631-588-7242.
- 7:30 PM Christ the King RCC, Commack, celebrant Fr. Joseph Davanzo. Refreshments. 631-754-9141.
- 7:30 PM St Frances De Chantal, Wantagh. 516-781-2608
- 8:00 PM St Joseph, Babylon. Music by Hibernian Singers. Refreshments at Hibernian Hall. 631-598-0430
- TBA For details of the Mass to be held in Deanery IV (southwest Nassau) call Linda Kollendar 516-593-1188.



LOOKING AHEAD

- Su 1/16 1:30 - 3 PM **FACE THE TRUTH** at Nassau University Medical Center, East Meadow. 631-243-1435
- Su 1/23 3 - 5 PM **MARCH FOR LIFE MINI-RALLY**, Lafayette Park across from White House, Wash, D.C.
- Su 1/23 **MARCH FOR LIFE CONVENTION & Mn 1/24 MARCH FOR LIFE**, Wash, D.C. 202-543-3377 marchforlife.org

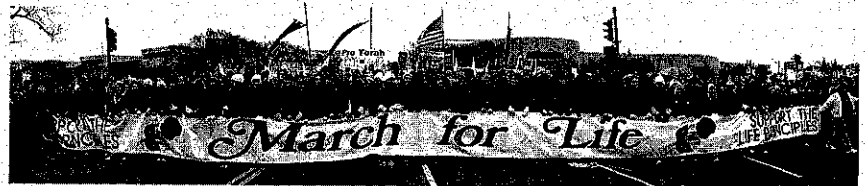
IN MEMORIAM - MILDRED JEFFERSON, M.D., MARIE SCOTT

SUBMISSION OF PRO-LIFE EVENTS TO BE CONSIDERED FOR PUBLICATION IN LIFE NEWS: Information must be e-mailed to mariemawn@yahoo.com, or sent to *Life News*, PO Box 223, Ronkonkoma, NY 11779. **DEADLINE for January, 2011 *Life News* is the 1st of December.** Permission is given for reproduction and distribution of contents of *Life News*. Credit must be given to *Life News* and to other noted sources. Call by 5th of month prior to order extra copies of *Life News*.

CHRISTMAS GIFT IDEAS: Give a gift subscription to *Life News*. (Use coupon Page 11.)

AFTER CHRISTMAS GIFT IDEAS FOR FAMILY MEMBERS: Bring teens/send college age to these Washington, D.C. pro-life events: Su 1/23 Cardinal O'Connor Conference on Life 2011 at Georgetown U. www.cardinaloconnorconference; Su 1/23

March for Life Mini Rally, Lafayette Park, near the White House; Su 1/23 March for Life Convention & Mo 1/24 March for Life www.marchforlife.org; Su 1/23 National Prayer Vigil for Life at the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception www.usccb.org/prolife; Mo 1/24 7:30 AM Rally and 10 AM Youth Mass now at two locations to accommodate the large demand: the Verizon



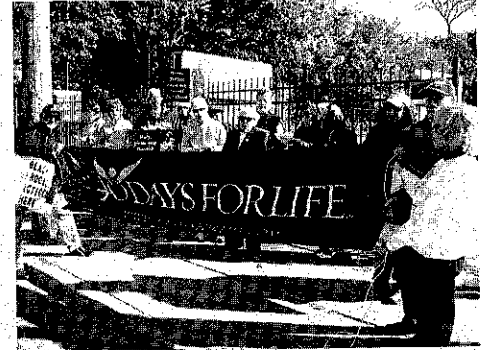
Center and the DC Armory, visit: Verizon Center Youth Rally or www.adw.org; and, the Su 1/23 Students for Life of America National Conference now at the North Bethesda Marriott, Maryland (new, larger location due to sold out crowds of 1,200 in 2009 & 2010) visit: Students For Life of America. Details on these and other March related activities in *Life News* 1/2011.

Notice: Pro-Life heroine Joan Andrews Bell badly needs someone to help her run her household in New Jersey while she is undertaking two new, difficult, pro-life projects. If anyone can help, it would be deeply appreciated. Call Joan at 908-834-2984 or John J. Broderick at 516-921-6235.

If you plan to be away for a month or more, please put a hold on *Life News* by calling LICL at 631-243-1435 with your current name and address and indicate month/s you will be away. The Post Office does not forward *Life News* to people who are away but instead returns them to us charging us return postage for each one. Another option is that you furnish to LICL a forwarding address for those months.

IF NOT US, WHO?

If you don't pray like the lives of the unborn depend on it... who will?



FORTY DAYS FOR LIFE - Fall 2010 - Hempstead and Smithtown

If you don't challenge Planned Parenthood's abortion agenda... who will?



**Unmask Planned Parenthood events at local Planned Parenthood fundraisers
Eisenhower Park 4/2010 and Glen Cove 10/2010**

*If you don't expose the evil of abortion taking place at institutions
that are based on improving lives, not taking life... who will?*



Face the Truth events at Nassau University Medical Center - January and April 2010

Thank you for your participation. We look forward to your continued support in 2011 protecting the living from abortion, euthanasia, embryonic stem research and other attacks on the right to life.

SUPPORT OUR ADVERTISERS






Life News - 9
Dec. 2010

They support the pro-life movement on Long Island by advertising in *Life News*.

 <p>Green Horizons Irrigation Co. Residential & Commercial Sprinkler Systems Servicing Nassau & Suffolk over 25 years BOB McLAUGHLIN OWNER (631) 361-6036 Credit Cards Accepted</p>	<p>SEAGULL MANAGEMENT CORP Truck Parking Space in Kings Park (631) 261-6661 (631) 544-1038</p>	<p>PETER J. SCHMITT Presiding Officer Nassau County Legislature 1550 Franklin Avenue, Mineola Phone: (516) 571-6212 Fax: (516) 571-6734 Email: pschmitt@attglobal.net Paid for by Friends of Peter Schmitt</p>	<p>QUALITY PRINTING with Personal Attention Annette Mullaney Now at EPI 50 Keyland Ct., Bohemia (631) 218-2200 Fax (631) 218-2111 Annette@epi-printing.com</p>
<p>Willow Graphics Inc. 608 Oak St., Copiague, NY Our 63rd year TEL 631-841-1177 FAX 631-842-3388 Printers of this newsletter</p>	 <p>For All Reasons . . . <i>For All Seasons</i> Providing Continued Service to the Long Island Community and the Surrounding Area's Families, Business Community & Service Organizations for Over 34 Years Bill Ferguson, Owner t. 516-223-6500 f. 516-223-6888 www.coralhouse.com 70 Milburn Ave, Baldwin, NY (Between Merrick Rd. & Sunrise Hwy.)</p>	<p>LIGHTHOUSE CATHOLIC MEDIA (631) 886-1280 tpiekut@yahoo.com JOIN THE NEW EVANGELIZATION Increase your faith & bring others back Re-energize parishes with Catholic CD's <u>Paid</u> part time positions available <i>We Train</i></p>	<p>We Buy Gold Gemaginations STERLING SILVER JEWELRY LAK FINE JEWELRY (631) 666-4181 9 No. Windsor Ave. Brightwaters, N.Y. 11718 Vita Mazza</p>
<p>R & A Construction <i>"For a More Beautiful Home"</i> (631) 732-0426 BOB BUCHTA 46 SELDEN BOULEVARD CENTEREACH, NY 11720</p>	<p>ANTHONY J. SANTINO SENIOR COUNCILMAN 4TH DISTRICT TOWN BOARD TOWN OF HEMPSTEAD 1 WASHINGTON STREET HEMPSTEAD, NY 11550-4923 (516) 489-5000 PAID FOR BY CITIZENS FOR SANTINO</p>	<p>Brookhaven Town Conservative Party <i>Fighting to Protect the Unborn</i> Co-chairman Richard Johannesen Co-chairman Kenneth Auerbach Richj544@aol.com 631-821-6234</p>	 <p>For all your Electrical needs! Light Works Electric Senior Citizen Discount Licensed Insured 631-249-2440 Dan Sherry www.lightworkselectric.4t.com</p>
<p>www.stjamesflorist.com (631) 862-9292 St. James Florist & Gift Shop <i>"where Imagination becomes Reality"</i> Flowers and Plants for all Occasions CHRISTINE GIORDANO MARIE ANNUNZIATA 213 LAKE AVENUE SAINT JAMES NY 11780</p> <p>CONFESS CHRIST BEFORE MEN Matt 10:32-33) Therefore whoever confirms me before men, him I will also confirm before my Father who is in heaven. But whoever denies me before men, him I will also deny before my Father in heaven. Dominick J. DeFiore & my special son Michael.</p>	<p>DO YOU WANT TO LOSE WEIGHT? Why pay someone else to assist you? Own your individual weight loss business in the 44 billion dollar weight loss industry. ★ Learn the industry secrets for weight loss. ★ Successful mentorship provided. ★ Read the powerful testimonials from others who have experienced outstanding results. www.trumpnetwork.com/liz 516-993-8579</p>	<p>WANT HELP? Need someone who cares to care for your loved ones? Look no further: Call Donna at 718-464-0137 or Sylvia at 646-238-4083</p>	<p>Searching the Internet? Earn money for the LICL by using www.Goodsearch.com Select LICL in the "Who Do You Goodsearch For?" box. Then begin your search.</p>

PROFESSIONAL DIRECTORY

The **FIRST** place to look for all professional services.

<p>Dr. Joseph A. Femino Dr. Andrew J. Femino Dr. Claudine L. Hoffman</p> <p>VETERINARIANS</p> <p>171 West Main Street Smithtown, NY 11787 (631) 265-7170</p>	<p>Edward J. Mohr M.D., F.A.C.S., P.C. Diplomate American Board of Ophthalmology</p> <p>OPHTHALMOLOGY</p> <p>365 Broadway Amityville, NY 11701 (631) 789-2214 <i>Office Hours By Appointment</i></p>	 <p>The Health Wave Of The Future DRX 9000 LUMBAR DECOMPRESSION</p> <p>Dr. James W. Cassillo</p> <p>5798 Merrick Road Massapequa NY 11758 Office: (516) 795-6666 www.discpainli.com</p>	<p>M. Jennifer DeMarco, D.O. Board Certified</p> <p>FAMILY PHYSICIAN</p> <p>191 Grand Central Avenue Amityville, NY (631)598-2318 2000 North Village Avenue Rockville Centre, NY (516)594-5671 <i>"Together to health—Naturally"</i></p>
<p>Dr. Mark F. Buthorn Jr.</p> <p>PODIATRIST</p> <p>Surgical & General Foot Care</p> <p>300 Old Country Rd., Ste 102 Mineola, NY 11501 (516) 747-8222</p>	<p>LACTATION CONSULTANT Board Certified</p> <p>Kathleen Waldow, RN, IBCLC</p> <p>HOME & OFFICE VISITS <u>Perpetua Lactation</u> Floral Park, NY 516-270-3159 <i>Serving Queens and L.I.</i> Helping you to meet YOUR goals</p>	<p>HealthSource</p> <p><i>Adult Medicine, Occupational Medicine and Geriatrics</i></p> <p>JOHN FOLAN, MD DIPLOMATE AMERICAN BOARD OF INTERNAL MEDICINE</p> <p>3001 Expressway Dr. N, Suite 200C Islandia, New York 11749 631-435-4358 Fax: 631-435-4583</p> <p>1743 North Ocean Ave. Medford, NY 11763 631-758-3100 Fax: 631-758-3168</p>	
<p>James T. Murphy, Esq.</p> <p>ATTORNEY AT LAW</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Personal Injury Divorce-Family Law Bankruptcy Business-Commercial Law Real Estate General Litigation Criminal Law & DWI Estate Probate Employment Discrimination <p>40 Woodbine Court, Floral Park 516-775-7008</p>	<p>LAW OFFICE OF RUDOLPH F.X. MIGLIORE</p> <p>LOCAL & CONVENIENT SERVICE MEETS POWERFUL CITY LEGAL REPRESENTATION</p> <p>SPECIALIZING IN: • ASBESTOSIS AND MESOTHELIOMA CASES</p> <p>• PRODUCT LIABILITY • PERSONAL INJURY • CRIMINAL DEFENSE</p>  <p>CALL RUDY TODAY! (631) 543-3663 Rudolph F.X. Migliore, P.C. www.migliorelaw.com</p>	<p>Holistic Family Wellness Consultant</p> <p>Veronica Anderson RN IAC</p> <p><i>"Achieving Health Naturally"</i></p> <p>(516) 354-4243</p> 	<p>Nataloni Pediatrics PC</p> <p>Roberta Nataloni MD FAAP Erica Meyer, PNP Sara McGuire, PNP</p> <p>701 Route 25A Suite B3 Mount Sinai, NY 11766 www.natalonipediatics.com</p> <p>TEL: (631) 476-7676 FAX: (631) 476-7675</p>
<p>WILLS, ESTATES, ELDER LAW, MEDICAID PLANNING</p> <p>Marilyn Heller, Esq. Attorney at Law</p> <p>Member National Academy of Elder Law Attorneys 9 Vernon Street Floral Park, NY 11001 (516) 775-2111 <i>Legal Care with Compassion</i></p>	<p>• PRODUCT LIABILITY • PERSONAL INJURY • CRIMINAL DEFENSE</p>  <p>CALL RUDY TODAY! (631) 543-3663 Rudolph F.X. Migliore, P.C. www.migliorelaw.com</p>	<p>P. De Dora, CPA</p> <p>CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT</p> <p>Phone (631) 662-4519</p>	<p>Christmas Shopping?</p> <p>For a unique gift for a business owner or professional, buy an ad in Life News.</p> 

PROMOTE THE PRO-LIFE MESSAGE

BUMPER STRIPS \$1.50 each

ABORTION STOPS MY BEATING HEART
(picture of a baby's face)

ABORTION IS NOT HEALTH CARE
(picture of a baby's face)

I'M A CHILD NOT A CHOICE
(picture of a baby's face)

Vote Pro-Life

Your Mother was PRO-LIFE

ADOPTION NOT ABORTION

PLANNED PARENTHOOD
DESTROYING A GENERATION

ONE BABY AT A TIME

Choose Life! < NEW

Abortion is Forever < NEW

Get the Facts First

PRECIOUS FEET PINS \$1.50 each

Silver Finish

Gold Finish

SELF-ADHESIVE STICKERS

\$1.00 per sheet of 30 mixed pro-life messages.

✉ Mail this form with payment (prices include postage & handling) to: L. I. COALITION FOR LIFE, MATERIALS ORDER, PO BOX 223, RONKONKOMA, NY 11779-0223

Name & address: _____

**YOUR AD
COULD BE
HERE**

Life News reaches thousands of pro-life households each month.

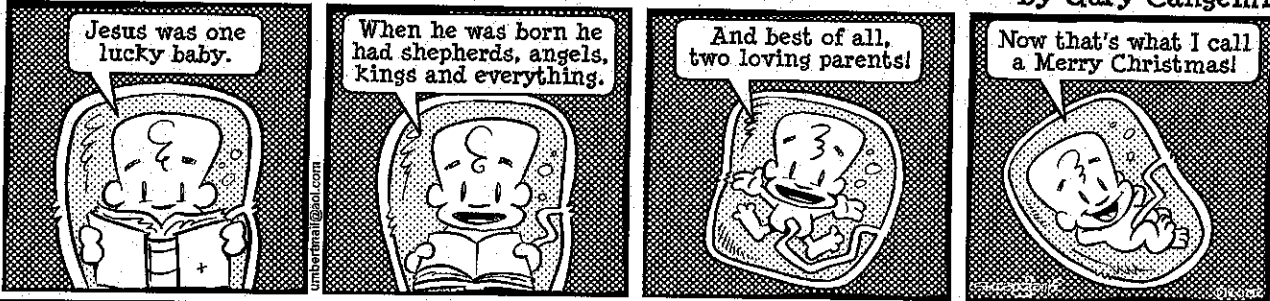
AD RATES (single box):

1 month—\$33,
3 months—\$80,
1 year—\$275

Call J. Higgins
631-751-8217

Umbert the Unborn

by Gary Cangemi



SUBSCRIPTION, DONATION, VOLUNTEER COUPON

- I am enclosing an \$18.00 subscription donation to *Life News*. This is a gift subscription.
- I am enclosing an additional gift of \$500 \$100 \$50 \$25 other \$_____ to support vital pro-life efforts on Long Island in the upcoming year.
- Please discontinue mailing *Life News*. Please E-mail *Life News* to me at _____
- I wish to volunteer, please call me at the number below.

Name: _____ Phone: (____) _____ - _____

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

Please make checks payable to **Long Island Coalition for Life** and mail to:
 Long Island Coalition for Life, P.O. Box 223, Ronkonkoma, NY 11779 (*Donations are not tax-deductible*).
 When writing or changing your will, please consider remembering the **Long Island Coalition for Life**.
Thank you for your support of our vital Pro-Life work.
 A copy of our latest annual report may be obtained from us or from the Charities Bureau, 120 Broadway, New York, NY 10271.

PRO-LIFE HELP NUMBERS NASSAU, SUFFOLK & QUEENS COUNTIES

L.I. COALITION FOR LIFE – Info on pro-life activity, speakers, legislation 631-243-1435

HELP FOR THE EXPECTANT MOTHER AND HER BABY

Life Center of L.I.-Pregnancy Care Center locations (AAA Pregnancy Options):

- Deer Park...631-243-0066 Hempstead...516-408-6300 Massapequa 516-798-9100
- Baby Safe Haven-Don't abandon your newborn – no questions asked**877-796-4673
- Bethany House: Roosevelt**.....516-868-6866
- Boro Pregnancy Counseling Center: Bayside**718-281-4357
- Bridge to Life: Flushing**.....718-463-1810
- Birthright of Nassau/ Suffolk: Wantagh** 516-785-4070 Islip631-277-3888
- Floral Park...516-502-4423 Smithtown... 631-360-7707
- Long Island Birthright: Rocky Point**631-821-9727
- Birthright of Peconic: Hampton Bays**.....631-728-8900 Southold.....631-876-5138
- Mommas House: Jericho, Glen Cove, Massapequa & Hempstead**.....516-781-8637
- Mother of Good Counsel Home: Roosevelt**516-223-1013
- The Care Center: Islandia**.....631-630-9779
- Expectant Mother Care: Corona, Richmond Hill, Hollis, Jackson Hts.**.....718-401-9400
- Regina Residence & Mary Residence/Catholic Charities-DRVC, Merrick**.....516-223-7888
- Perinatal Hospice (Hospice Care Network)**631-666-6873x203
- Int'l Pregnancy Help Line: 1-800-395-HELP Birthright Int'l Hot Line: 1-800-550-4900**
- Adoption, Foster Care, Maternity Services - Catholic Home Bureau**.....800-592-4357

ADDITIONAL PROGRAMS

Post Abortion Counseling For Women & Men:

- Rachel's Vineyard Healing Ministry.....516-523-0586.....631-RACHELL
- Rachel's Helpers.....718-939-6646 Restoring the Heart Ministries.....631-689-6686

Natural Family Planning:

- Family Life Promotion of NY (Sympto-Thermal Method)631-588-7495
- Life Center Natural Family Planning (Creighton Model).....516-798-9100
- Rockville Centre Diocese516-678-5800 x204

ABSTINENCE UNTIL MARRIAGE SPEAKERS

- L.I. Teen Freedom – Speakers on abstinence**516-804-4820

LONG ISLAND COALITION for LIFE, Inc.

Jerome B. Higgins, D.V.M.
Chairman

John J. Sandhaas
Presiding Vice-Chairman

George Frost
Suffolk Vice-Chairman

Irene Muhs
Nassau Vice-Chairman

Rosanne Jordan
Secretary

Celeste Broyles, Ph.D
Treasurer

Daniel Sherry
Immediate Past Chairman

Kevin McQuade
Educational Trust Trustee

Life News

of Long Island

MISSION STATEMENT
To promote the sanctity of human life from fertilization to natural death through education, legislative action, prayer and peaceful presence.

Long Island Coalition for Life
Post Office Box 223
Ronkonkoma, NY 11779-0223



**OUR FIRST RIGHT -
THE RIGHT TO LIFE**

NON PROFIT ORG.
U.S. POSTAGE PAID
HICKSVILLE, NY 11801
PERMIT NO. 263

RETURN SERVICE REQUESTED

**TIME SENSITIVE MAIL
PLEASE EXPEDITE**

It is God who Chooses.

He decided to choose you!

He decided to give you the right to choose, and stated profoundly to choose life that

you and your descendants may live.

He even offered a way to amend poor choices.

Choose **Him** who made a choice to love you with the risk **He** would not be loved in return. Anon.

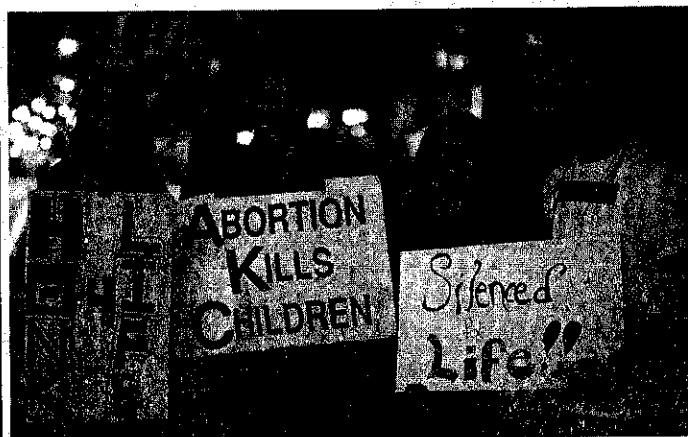


Holy Innocents Masses Tuesday, December 28

will be held in Babylon, Centereach, Commack, Wantagh and Southwest Nassau.
See Page 7 for details. All welcome!

Inside:

- Page 1 - Locations of Night of Prayer for Life
- Page 2 - Letter from our Chairman
- Page 3 - Watching Legislation
- Page 4 - Health & Science: The Emerging Science of Fetal Origins - Part II of II
- Page 8 - If Not Us, Who?



Congratulations are due the new generation of pro-life advocates. DYK: Two of the 2011 March for Life related youth events have been moved to larger facilities to accommodate demand. Pictured above are young people from the Church of the Intercessor in Malverne on the Day of Solidarity, 10/19/10.



**Wishing Everyone
a Blessed
Christmas
and Holy Days!**

