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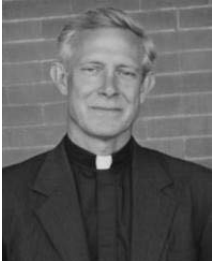
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PCUC FOUNDER'S AWARD



When the PCUC Board of Directors met to choose the person who would receive our annual Founder's Award, we had no doubt that Fr. Tim Kruthaupt was the "man of the year." Our award is named for Mary Winter, the pro-life pioneer who gathered like-minded women to respond when the dark clouds of abortion spread over the

face of our nation.

Fr. Tim comes from Indiana, PA, to pray at the abortion mills in East Liberty and downtown Pittsburgh. He brings people from several parishes along his way.

Twice a month he joins a group who volunteer to feed and clothe the homeless who live under the bridges, down by the rivers and among the twists and turns of the concrete underpasses of the city.

As we get to know this remarkable man, we learn that God called him to the priesthood after many years of service to the parishes where he lived and where his son Alex went to school. Fr. Tim's wife, Jane, died in 1981 when Alex was only 16 months old.

The Founder's Award is our way of saying "Thank you" for the inspiration, encouragement and hope that one person can give to all of us.

LIFE CHAIN IN THE RAIN WAS A FINE TIME

By Mary Catherine Scanlon



Thanks to all the Life Chain chair people who made the contacts, got the signs, put up the notices and called the local police to let them know about Life Chain. There were 81 Life Chains across PA and 33 were in SW PA.

In Etna we had our worst day, cold and rainy, and our best crowd. About 30 people stood for an hour in miserable weather. We had mostly positive responses from drivers in the steady traffic.

One car stopped, a window rolled down, a hand came out, and we were blessed with a donation. Ginnie D's grandchild represented the baby department and slept through it all.

Thousands of people across the state know that there are many people who care about babies and their mothers. God bless the hundreds who came out and made October 2 a beautiful pro-life day. [Photo is Maureen O. in East McKeesport.]

40 DAYS FOR LIFE – A GOOD START



Just a short walk from Planned Parenthood, Phil's Parking Lot on Liberty Avenue became a place for prayer, song and preaching on September 24. Bishop William Waltersheid, Rev. Shawn Kirkland and Rev. John Patterson gave us the

inspiration and courage we needed to start another 40 days of prayer, fasting and presence at the doors of Pittsburgh's largest abortion mill. Nikki Bruni, our coordinator, offered us homemade cookies on condition that we would remove the tag on the wrapper and pledge an hour of prayer at PP.

We were filled with energy and determination by the music of INTENT and the passion of their lead singer. At one point he was overshadowed by a beautiful child who led the singing and showed us how us pray with our bodies, too.

THIS BEAUTIFUL FACE IS ON RT 30



Thank you to the pro-life family in the Irwin/North Huntingdon/Jeanette area who commissioned and paid for this beautiful sign in front of Sacred Heart Cemetery.

LETTER FROM THE PRESIDENT

“And the darkness does not overcome it.”

(Gospel of John).



November, December, the early darkening, cold, flurries. Only those living in the northern climes can appreciate the light of day. And dispelling that darkness happens in many ways. Our *40 Days for Life* campaign met a lot of darkness; misunderstanding about the pro-life position, basic lies about abortion, people hurting twenty years after an abortion, lots of loneliness out there in our city and in our sad, confused world.

But because of the efforts of over 700 people, praying and fasting, the light has begun to shine through. An especially sad aspect of the darkness was the darkness suffered by post-abortion people, not knowing that there is forgiveness and healing. Can you imagine the darkness of carrying guilt for twenty years? And can you imagine the unspeakable joy of learning that there is light through forgiveness that will take away that sadness. *Congratulations to all those who participated and kept the vigil. We know lives were saved.*

In January, the March for Life will continue to shine the pro-life light on the darkness of Washington, DC, where our President and his cabinet continue to be the most actively pro-abortion administration ever seen in the United States. Nonetheless, we'll march on Washington and in greater numbers than any **“OCCUPY”** group in any city. And our agenda is straightforward, saving life from conception to natural death. I hope you are already planning to join us.

Moreover, although our activities are done publicly, most of them escape public notice. Praying and fasting is done quietly and in obscurity. Even the *March for Life* which brings up to 400,000 people to the Capital, receives very little media attention. Are we discouraged by this? Absolutely not! We only have to remember two little towns that were barely on the map, Bethlehem and Nazareth. Both obscure; Nazareth was so small that, until recently, it didn't have a main street, yet the events that began there changed the course of history.

So continue to be the light in the darkness. Keep the pro-life message shining in a world of lies and uncaring. *Merry Christmas and let's all look forward to a New Year.*

Beth

STEELERS VS NEW ENGLAND - 25-17



Sunday, October 30, 2011

CONGRATULATIONS TO
THE PITTSBURGH TEAM!

Thank you to the generous donor who gave us two tickets for great seats. We hope our winner had a great afternoon. Next year it could be YOU!

Watch for next year's game!

CALENDAR

Every Tue., Thur. & Sat. 8-11 am—Vigil at PP, Liberty Ave
Every Tue., Thur. & most Sat. 8-11 am Pro-life presence
@ Allegheny Repro., East Liberty – 412-731-3125
Every 2nd Sat. – 9-11 am – Prayer @ Youngstown Women's
Center – 724-964-8293
2nd Sun. of Feb., Apr., June, August, Oct., & Dec. 1-3 pm –
Picket Magee Hospital – Call AI @ 412-781-6836
1st & 3rd Wed. of every month—Distribute leaflets @ local
high schools. Call AI @ 412-781-6836
Every 1st Thur.. – Picket PP Bridgeville. Call 412-835-8127
(Note change for Bridgeville)
Every 3rd Mon. – Picket PP Moon Twp. Call 412-262-2317
3rd Sat. Every Month – Project Multitude @ PP 7:00-11:00
Come for all or part of the morning 724-274-4833
Call PCUC or go to www.pcuc.org for times
Sun., Nov. 27- 9:30 a.m. – Mass for the Unborn & all
causes of LIFE. St. Benedict the Moor, Center @
Crawford, uptown
Sun., Nov. 6 – Last day for 40 Days for Life fall campaign
Wed., Nov. 2 – Angels Place Halo Award Banquet
Tue., Nov. 8 – Election Day. VOTE PRO-LIFE!
Thur., Nov. 24 – Thank God for all His gifts to us
Sun., Dec. 25 – Christ is Born!

COOK BOOKS ARE A GOOD GIFT



From apples to zucchini, a cookbook can show you how to choose, cut, cook, and serve like a pro. Most recipes are family-tried and none of them call for rare or exotic ingredients that will dry up in your pantry before you finish the bottle.

Come to the office or call 412-531-9272. For \$10+ postage you can shine like a pro.

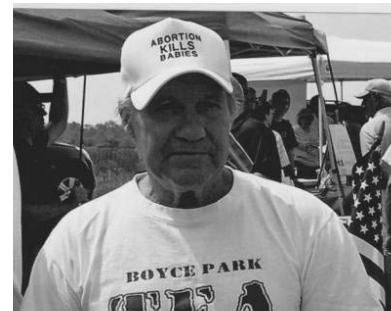
PLAN NOW FOR GIFT GIVING



Call 412-531-9272 and we will send you the colorful Christmas flyer with descriptions and prices for all the delicious treats, from chocolate baskets filled with the best selection in the tri-state area to colorful delights for treats and gifts for your hostess, unexpected guest or company party. You can also order any item and we will ship it for you.

CHECK OUT THAT HAT!

The man wearing this hat is sending a pro-life message. If YOU see someone wearing pro-life gear, say “Thank you.” Their witness can save lives. [Editor]



ENDANGERED: OUR FUTURE IN PERIL



Dr. Brian Clowes exposes organizations around the world that push population control. After Paul Ehrlich was proven wrong with his hypothesis that, “in the 1970s the world will undergo famines—hundreds of millions of people will starve to death,” other people and groups moved in with scare tactics, money and popularity in the media. Warren Buffet, Bill and Melinda Gates, even Henry Kissinger stand out as leaders. Lesser known are their minions in the fields of education and “charities” like the Red Cross and the World Wildlife Fund.

Population control is promoted to the poor as the means to a better life. Then outfits like the United Nations Population Fund offer “prizes” like appliances, money and in one case, a donkey, to men who submit to vasectomies. They require that foreign nations accept population control programs if they want to receive financial aid from the U.S.

Now Dr. Clowes and Human Life Alliance have published *Endangered: Our Future in Peril* with the goal of educating people around the world about the gruesome realities of abortion. *Endangered* has an international scope, informing about a variety of abortion-related issues, including abortion methods, the overpopulation myth, the humanity of the preborn child, as well as who’s funding and driving abortion worldwide.

PCUC has ordered a quantity. If you would like a copy, we can send it to you for the cost of postage. Call the office, and we can give you details.

“180” MOVIE WILL OPEN YOUR EYES



We pretty much presume that the average person on the streets of our cities knows enough history that if they were asked, “Do you know who Adolph Hitler is?” would know the answer. This 33 minute movie removes that presumption and from there the questions are designed to help people think. You can watch as “pro-choice” men and women actually THINK about the issue. You can watch as they change their minds. Go to www.180movie. It’s a half hour of time well-spent.

FEWER DOCTORS WILL DO ABORTIONS



A new study provides good news for pro-life advocates, as it shows fewer doctors are willing to perform abortions than before. The situation is that if abortion is less available, there will be fewer abortions.

The new report, published in the journal of Obstetrics and Gynecology, finds 97% of physicians surveyed say they have encountered patients wanting an abortion while only 14% of doctors are willing to do an abortion. That’s lower than the 22% of doctors who said they would do an abortion in the last poll in 2008. Christian doctors were less likely to be abortionists.

ARE YOU AN ORGAN DONOR?



When he spoke at the PCUC Celebrate Life Banquet, Dr. Paul Byrne’s address left no doubt about the conflict between love for our fellow man and the reality of federal organ donor programs.

We’ve known for a while that vital organs are of no use for transplantation from a dead body. What we did not know is the deliberate deception that takes place when organs are wanted for transplant. Dr. Byrne offers a booklet with information that explains in fuller details the process of obtaining organs for transplant and the **federal regulations** that must be followed.

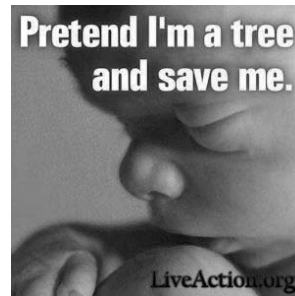
Did you know that a federal mandate issued in 1998 states that physicians, nurses, chaplains and other health care workers may not speak to a family of a potential organ donor without first obtaining approval from the regional organ retrieval system? The truth of the death of the organ donor, the gruesome facts of which are not learned until after the procedure has been completed, leaves family/loved ones isolated in guilt, pain and horror.

Go to The Life Guardian Foundation for more information: www.thelifeguardian.org, or you may stop at the office or call PCUC for a copy of the booklet. We can mail it to you for \$1.25 including P/H.

IT’S SO EASY



For a one-time charge of \$44, your auto can bear an attractive PRO-LIFE license plate. Of the \$44, PA will receive \$24, and \$20 will go to pregnancy support centers in southwestern PA. To date, gifts to agencies around the commonwealth total \$22,160. To get your plate, visit www.pachoose-life.org or call 1-215-885-2919. Or call PCUC 412-531-9272 and we will send you the application.



“In The Beginning”



Seeing a need to teach younger children about the sanctity of all human life, Nancy Amorose developed a program utilizing sacred scripture, the Catechism of the Catholic Church and Catholic tradition. The program has age appropriate objectives which can help children make wise choices in life. The program includes student handouts and prayer cards as well as teacher and parent information. It is approved as a supplemental resource to the Catholic Vision of Love curriculum. Call Nancy at 877-556-9696.

CELEBRATIONS AND MEMORIALS

In Honor of Richad Manski from Marie Mankos
In honor of Catherine Pfeifer from Mrs. Margaret Jacoby
In honor and memory of John Ploeger, Esq.,
from John E. and Constance W. Kunz
In honor of David Croxton on his 72nd Birthday, November 6,
from his loving wife, Judy
In honor of Aunt Helen Halluska on her 90th Birthday
from Helen & Frank Cindrich
In honor of Dr. & Mrs. Ken Garver as they celebrate their
65th Wedding Anniversary from Helen Cindrich
In honor of Mr. & Mrs. William Turocy as they celebrate their
50th Wedding Anniversary from Dick & Gerry Cortes
In honor of Church & Rosemary Horvat on their 50th Wedding
Anniversary from Helen & Frank Cindrich
Birthday Remembrance (9-26-97) for Riley Sara Hough
from Bill & Kim Chester
Happy Birthday to Nicholas Burick from his loving
Grandmother, Rachele Sharpic Hager
Memory of Steve Kolcun from Patricia Torkos
In memory of the Unborn from Sandra K. Strong
Memory of Virginia A. Richert from Patricia Torkos
Memory of Joseph Shuba from Mrs. Joseph Shuba
Memory of Joseph P. & Annelle Devlin from Margaret Devlin
Memory of William L. Kubic from his wife, Roberta
Memory of Susan O. Pierce from Marie Mankos
Memory of Jack Laylock from Valerie Laylock
Memory of Alfred Crytser from his daughter, Diane M. Krsul
Memory of Anna L. Geimer, mother of Claire Dorsch &
her siblings, from Pat & Gordon Eakin
Memory of Anna L. Geimer from
Vincent I. III and Heidi Pullara
Memory of Anna L. Geimer from Dorothy Hancock
Memory of Anna L. Geimer from William & Rosella Kolling
Memory of Anna L. Geimer from George & Linda Peiritsch
Memory of Anna L. Geimer from Stan & Carol Oslosky
Memory of Anna L. Geimer from Virginia Petricca
Memory of Anna L. Geimer from Joseph & Linda Paul
Memory of Anna L. Geimer from her Granddaughter,
Veronica Dorsch & her husband, Marc Girard
Memory of Anna L. Geimer from Howard Reed
Memory of Anna L. Geimer from
Corrina N. & Michael S. Whyte
Memory of Anna L. Geimer from
Thomas J. & Joan V. Disantis
Memory of Anna L. Geimer from Rita Razum
Memory of Anna L. Geimer from Lou & Ginny Berteotti
Memory of Mrs. Eleanor (Lena) Maglico Scanga
from Emma & John Pastorek
Memory of Lillian DeSimone from Linda M. Shekdar
Memory of Julia Piegdor from Mary A. Smoley
Memory of Barbara C. McKenna from Mr. Joseph McKenna
Memory of Jim Krummenacher from Joan & Bob Newman
Memory of Jim Krummenacher from Helen & Frank Cindrich
Memory of the deceased members of PCUC
Westmoreland Chapter:
John Fox
Ray Reiter
George Trach
Mary Kay Homich
Rita McElfresh from Friends and Colleagues

SAME PLACE, DIFFERENT NAME

alpha omega center
SLIPPERY ROCK, PA

The Slippery Rock Crisis Pregnancy Support Center is now the Alpha Omega Center. They will use both names during an interim period. Their phone number remains the same, 724-794-3325, and the address is still P.O. Box 353, Slippery Rock, PA 16057. However, their physical location will change from 115 Franklin St. to 255 Grove City Rd., Slippery Rock. Executive Director is Bonnie Schaefer.

WHEN YOU GO TO THE POLLS



Remember there are many people who want to vote pro-life but do not know who to vote for. When you go to the polls, you can ask for extra LIFEPAC flyers, or you can make copies for your neighbors and distribute them at the polls. Your neighbors will be grateful. We will elect more pro-life candidates, and our goals will be just a wee bit closer

ANNA LEOPOLDINA GEIMER



It was only a brief time ago that family and friends were celebrating the 100th Birthday of Anna. Her kindness and generosity were a blessing to her church, her community and to the pro-life family in Pittsburgh. May she rest in peace.

BABY JOSEPH GOES HOME



In March, doctors at a Canadian hospital were hours from removing his life support, but Fr. Frank Pavone and his staff went to Canada and brought Baby Joseph back to Cardinal Glennon Hospital in St. Louis where doctors performed a tracheotomy. Baby Joseph went back to his home in Windsor, Ontario.

The Maraachli Family knew their baby had a rare, progressive neurological disease. They had watched Joseph's brother die from the same disease. They only wanted to take him home and love him until the inevitable end. They loved him unconditionally. He lived and was loved for six more months. The value of his life was not measured by his illness or by the decisions of those who considered it worthless. It was a gift and a blessing for his family and all who love life.

BABY BELLA: A SYMBOL OF LOVE



They said she would die before birth; then she was not supposed to live a day. But God does not work on man's time. Bella is the joy of all her family. We pray for them.

PEOPLE CONCERNED FOR THE UNBORN CHILD CHRISTMAS CARD FOR 2011

“NO ROOM AT THE INN” In the classic style of Fontanini,



we see the Holy Family in soft shades of green, rust, cream & brown.

SCRIPTURE: “The angel assured her: The Holy Spirit will come upon you and the power of the most high will overshadow you; hence, the holy offspring to be born will be called Son of God.”

GREETING: May all the Blessings of the Infant Savior be yours at Christmas. And may His divine presence enrich your life throughout the New Year.

“MARY’S TREASURE” (Bellotti photo) Mary’s first treasured moments with Jesus are shared with His angels.

Scripture verse: “In the presence of the angels I will sing your praise.” Psalm 138:1 **Greeting:** O Holy Night! God sent us His most precious gift, His Son. May our lives reflect that gift to all the World. May the blessings of Christmas be yours throughout the year ahead.

“NEWBORN KING” (Bellotti photo). Mary and Joseph gaze with love and wonder on their precious child. **SCRIPTURE:** “She gave birth to her firstborn son and wrapped him in swaddling clothes and laid him in a manger because there was no room in the place where travelers lodged.” Luke 2:7 **GREETING:** On the night that He was born, Mary and Joseph gazed on their baby with wonder and love. On this Christmas we keep the baby Jesus close to us now and forevermore. Photo is in soft tones of cream, brown, green and blue.

“ASLEEP IN A MANGER” Stained Glass. **SCRIPTURE:** “She gave birth to her firstborn son and wrapped him in swaddling clothes and laid him in a manger because there was no room in the place where travelers lodged.” Luke 2:7 **GREETING:** He is born as a gentle babe to bring our hearts His gift of Love. Christmas joy, peace and blessings to you.

“JESUS AND THE DRUMMER BOY” (Limited quantity) Bellotti photo. Touching depiction of the small shepherd’s gift of music to the infant. **SCRIPTURE:** “Make a joyful noise to the Lord, all you lands! Serve the Lord with gladness.” Psalm 100:1-2. **GREETING:** May the wonder of His birth touch your heart. May His coming be a gift of love and peace at Christmas and throughout the year.

“HOLY FAMILY” a reminder for us that Jesus came for everyone. **SCRIPTURE:** “The virgin shall be with child and give birth to a Son and they shall call him ‘Emanuel,’ a name which means ‘God is with us.’” Matthew 1:23. **GREETING:** As we rejoice in the miracle of His birth, may the Lord of Life bless you this Christmas and throughout the coming year.

“ADORATION OF THE SHEPHERDS” Bellotti photo. Our first photo card. **SCRIPTURE:** “When the angels had returned to heaven, the shepherds said to one another, ‘Let us go over to Bethlehem and see this event which the Lord had made known to us.’” Luke 2:15. **GREETING:** May His word be the light of your life, His will the joy of your life, His love the heart of your life. Blessings to you at Christmas and always.

“MOTHER AND CHILD” Bellotti photo. The child Jesus under the loving gaze of Mary. Soft tones of blue, brown and gold. **SCRIPTURE:** “You shall conceive and bear a son, and give him the name Jesus. Great will be His dignity and He will be called Son of the most high.” Luke 1:31-32. **GREETING:** Joy in the Christ Child at Christmas. God’s blessings in the coming year.

REGIONAL DISTRIBUTORS

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New cards, “No Room at the Inn” are \$6.00/set of ten cards with envelopes. All other cards are \$5.00/set. To order by mail, please add \$2.50/Set for postage & handling for one set and \$.50 for each additional set. To guarantee delivery, mail orders must be received at PCUC by Friday, December 12, 2008.

Send mail orders to:
People Concerned for the Unborn Child
3050 Pioneer Avenue, Pittsburgh, PA 15226
If you plan to purchase your cards at the PCUC office, please call before coming. 412-531-9272.

Indicate number of sets you want to order:

- Newborn King - \$5/Set
- Asleep in a Manger - \$5/Set
- No Room at the Inn (new for 2011) - \$6/set of 10 with envelopes
- Mother and Child - \$5/Set

- Mary’s Treasure - \$5/set
- Holy Family - \$5/Set
- Jesus and the Drummer Boy - \$5/Set
- Mother and Child - \$5/set

NAME _____ PHONE _____

ADDRESS _____ CITY, STATE, ZIP _____

I AM ORDERING _____ SETS @ \$6/SET = \$ _____ AND _____ SETS @ \$5/SET _____ Total Sets _____
 Postage _____
 Total _____

FRANCISCAN STUDENTS SHINE FOR LIFE



More than 150 students from Franciscan University in Steubenville,

OH, held their weekly prayer vigil at the abortion mills in East Liberty. After a morning of prayer, the students prepared for another adventure to draw attention to the right to life of every human being.

PCUC helped with the project by bringing pizza for lunch.

These beautiful men and women are the future of the pro-life movement. They will be leaders in our country and around the world. Everyone is welcome to join them. Call 412-531-9272 for information or a contact at Franciscan.

CATHOLIC MENS' FELLOWSHIP



Members of the Catholic Mens' Fellowship prayed while standing close to the white arc where pro-lifers are prohibited from stepping in front of the doors of an East Liberty abortion mill. Men from West Newton, Elizabeth and White Oak held the vigil. East Liberty accommodates two abortion mills in their community. More information: check *Catholic Men's Fellowship Pittsburgh* on your computer.

NON-INVASIVE DOWN SYNDROME TEST

A new non-invasive test for Down syndrome will soon be offered in 35 cities. According to an article in the journal **Genetics in Medicine**, it picks up 98.6% of Down syndrome children and has a false positive rate of only 0.2%.

Pro-lifers do not see this as a happy discovery. We know that our children with Down syndrome are already among the most endangered human beings on earth. We are not impressed that insured women will only be about \$235 out of pocket.

Sequenom, the manufacturer, has named the test MaterniT21, ironic in view of the fact that nearly all of the children detected with the test will be aborted. Of course media releases from the company tiptoed around that probability.

Down syndrome experts fear that non-invasive tests will eliminate Down syndrome children. Meanwhile, if you do the research, you find that other arms of science and medicine are very hopeful about new and helpful discoveries that will improve and enhance the lives of these precious children.

CITY REPEALS BAN ON LEAFLETING

By Kathy Ramsey

As was reported in the last *Newsletter*, the City of Pittsburgh's ordinance on leafletting was repealed. However, there have been some misconceptions perpetrated by the media about our case.

First, the media made it sound as if we were claiming that this was all about restricting pro-life speech. We NEVER made that claim. For myself, Al Brunn and our attorneys, **we did not at any time, either in or out of court; claim that the ordinance was targeting pro-lifers or pro-life speech.** What myself and Mr. Brunn happen to leaflet is pro-life literature and we had to present to the court what we leaflet as evidence. That's all. The **ordinance did not** in any way restrict leafletting because of the content of the message(s) contained within the leaflets and we never claimed that it did. We knew that the existence of the ordinance stemmed from issues of litter in an area of the city known as the South Side Flats.

Second, Mr. Brunn and I were not seeking damages/ money from the city as part of the case. The settlement of \$35,000 was for the lawyer's fees and was paid directly to our attorneys by the City of Pittsburgh.

There were many restrictions on leafletting in this ordinance from leafletting cars to distribution of leaflets by hand and even restrictions on door-to-door leafletting.

Leafletting Cars Banned: **The ordinance stated** that anyone who wanted to leaflet cars was banned from doing so UNLESS he got **permission from the owner of every car** he wanted to leaflet. In relevance to the 14th Amendment, courts have ruled in many cases that an "undue burden" cannot be placed on a person's constitutional rights. How could anyone gain the permission of the owners of every single car in a parking lot or on a street to place a leaflet on his car? Within reason, he couldn't, hence an "undue burden" existed and that is unconstitutional. The **presumption of the law** is that every person would want to receive information unless he states otherwise. This is why "No Solicitation" signs exist. If this presumption didn't exist the 1st Amendment would have no meaning. *[More about this case in a future issue. Editor]*

KEEP BILLBOARDS ON THE TURNPIKE



We must keep this message of hope and help for mothers and at two sites on the PA Turnpike. It is lit at night and visible from a long distance. Please keep her message alive with a donation to the PA Foundation for Life, P.O. Box 12741, Pittsburgh, PA 15241.

“40 DAYS FOR LIFE” AT PP

Have YOU spent an hour or two in prayer in front of the area’s largest abortion mill? We are grateful and proud of the people from all over southwestern PA who have taken a few hours out of their busy lives to make sure that we have a peaceful, prayerful presence at Planned Parenthood, 933 Liberty Avenue, downtown Pittsburgh.



Last Tuesday the morning shift was jolted when a young father and mother crossed the street and went in, taking with them two young children. Later, the father came out with the children. Whether she was told to or not, the little girl held her head down, never looking to the left or right. Please remember this family in your prayers.

The little fellows below were witnesses for the sanctity of life.



When the shift manager for Tuesday, October 11, made her report, the people who were praying during those hours were delighted to learn that while they were keeping vigil, a young mother changed her mind about having an abortion.

PREBORN BABY DIED ON FLIGHT 93



Although he/she was not counted as a passenger on Flight 93, the preborn baby of Lauren Catuzzi Grandcolas and her husband was listed among those murdered when their plane crashed in Somerset, PA.

We mourn the loss of all those who died, including the smallest.

TRUTH ON ABORTION & BREAST CANCER

The Coalition on Abortion/Breast Cancer says CBS News and Health.com have damaged their credibility by publishing identical statements that falsely claim the abortion-breast cancer (ABC) link is a myth.

“We expect CBS News and Health.com to duck the challenge...,” said Karen Malec, president of the Coalition on Abortion/Breast Cancer. “After behaving like snipers, they cut and run. They should be ashamed of themselves.”

The Breast Cancer Prevention Institute reported last week that 53 of 66 epidemiological studies reported an independent link between abortion and breast cancer, meaning that abortion leaves the breasts with more places for cancers to start (in addition to the loss of the protective link of childbearing).

National Cancer Institute branch chief Louise Brinton co-authored a 2009 study on the use of the birth control pill and triple-negative breast cancer. She and her colleagues included breast cancer among “known and suspected risk factors” for the disease and found a statistically significant 40% increased breast cancer risk among women who had abortions. They concluded abortion is a risk factor for breast cancer. Source: *ABC Newsletter*

GRATITUDE AND PRAYERS FOR A FRIEND

The Pittsburgh pro-life family had a good and generous friend in Mr. Jim Krummenacher, who died on October 22, 2011. Jim’s love for God’s children led him to commission an artist to fashion and construct two large bronze



monuments.

The smaller disc (left) depicts Psalm 139. It sits behind the larger (about 200 pounds) piece with the faces of children of many lands and an embryo.



At the top, “Let the little children come to me and do not hinder them.” The sad words “missing” and “aborted” sit above the words, “In memory of those lost ones who will never play with these happy ones.”

Mr. Krummenacher asked PCUC to help him to find a home for his tribute to the children. We are very grateful to Bob & Joan Newman, Carolyn Sopher and Fr. Jim Wehner who arranged for the monument to be displayed at St. Thomas More Church on Ft. Couch Road in Mount Lebanon. Also, thank you to the mason who built the base to enhance the beauty of Mr. Krummenacher’s gift.

PENNSYLVANIA FOUNDATION FOR LIFE AND

People Concerned for the Unborn Child

Invite you to our

PRAYER BREAKFAST FOR LIFE

Saturday, January 14, 2012

10:00 a.m.

Comfort Inn

699 Rodi Road, Penn Hills

412-244-1600



***GUEST SPEAKER: Most Rev. William J. Waltersheid, STL
Auxiliary Bishop of Pittsburgh***

Directions to the Restaurant

From Pittsburgh: Follow I-376 (Parkway East) toward Monroeville. Comfort Inn is located just off Exit 81/Penn Hills/Rodi Road. (Do not use Monroeville Business District). As you exit, the road to the Comfort Inn is your first right hand turn just before the BP Service Station. Bear right up the hill.

From PA Turnpike: Exit at Interchange for Monroeville/Pittsburgh. Head west on Rt. 376 toward Pittsburgh. Take Exit 81 off 376/Penn Hills/Rodi Road. As you exit, the road to the Comfort Inn is your first right turn, just before the BP Station. Bear Right up the hill.

Make check payable to PA Foundation for Life. Mail to People Concerned for the Unborn Child, 3050 Pioneer Ave., Pittsburgh 15226

Name _____ Phone _____

Street _____ City, State, ZIP _____

____ I have enclosed \$ ____ for ____ breakfasts @ \$15.00 each

____ I would like to reserve a table of ten (10) for \$150.00. Deadline: Jan 9, 2012

Are you coming with Friends/Family? Whose name will identify your table? _____

I cannot come to the Breakfast, but I would like to make a donation: \$ _____. Thank you.