



Life News

Long Island's Pro-Life Newsletter

PO Box 223, Ronkonkoma, NY 11779 • PO Box 247, Old Bethpage, NY 11804 • 631-243-1435 • www.ProLifeLI.org

Volume 49 No. 9

2023 **November** Issue

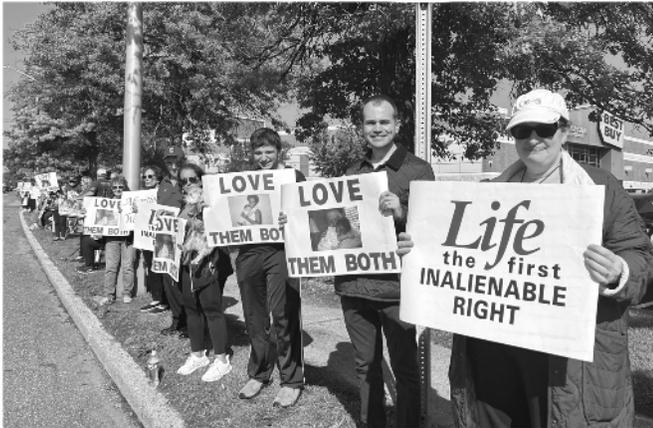
Subscription \$18.00 Annually

"While ending legalized abortion remains our preeminent priority, the most immediate way to save babies and mothers from abortion is to thoroughly surround mothers in need with lifegiving support and personal accompaniment. This is radical solidarity."

~ Bishop Michael F. Burbidge

Stand Up For Life Sun., 10/1 there were approximately 287 people in Huntington and 85 people in Manorville. Thank you to all those who attended. As you know, we have a long way to go to change the laws and hearts of people, especially in NYS. We will be faithful and remain VIGILANT and COMMITTED to defending LIFE! *"Be ready in season and out of season."* 2 Tim. 4:2

SAVE THE DATE: SUFL 10/6/24



SUFL - Huntington

Plan now to attend March for Life NY on 6/24/24!
Visit marchforlifeny.org and watch for more info in *Life News*.



SUFL - Manorville

Election Day, Tuesday, November 7, 2023

Although this is not a presidential election, it is imperative you vote! Please check to see who is running and what office they are running for so that you are well informed prior to going to the voting booth. Exercise due diligence. Vote! If you have questions regarding voting status or poll location, please contact:

Nassau Board of Elections 516-571-2411 Suffolk Board of Elections 631-852-4500

Ask your candidates where they stand on the life issues. Also see the October 2023 issue of *Life News* for information. If you have not or do not receive *Life News*, go to the website to view: prolifeli.org

- *Protecting the unborn from fertilization to natural death
- *Prohibiting the use of taxpayer funds for abortion
- *Requiring parental consent for a minor seeking abortion
- *Informed consent for a woman seeking an abortion
- *Prohibiting the legalization of euthanasia and assisted suicide
- *Banning human cloning and research that destroys human embryos for stem cells
- *Prohibiting taxpayer funding of Planned Parenthood



**You're
Invited**

The Long Island Coalition for Life general meeting welcomes all interested in pro-life activity, education, legislation or volunteering. Our November General Meeting will take place on **Monday, November 27 at 7:30 PM** at St. Joseph RCC, in the Parish Center, 45 Church St., Ronkonkoma. **All are welcome - please join us!** For further info, call LICL at 631-243-1435.

LONG ISLAND COALITION FOR LIFE EDUCATIONAL TRUST HAPPENINGS:

ATTENTION H.S. SOPHOMORES, JUNIORS & SENIORS

High school students in 10th, 11th and 12th grades, including home schoolers are invited to participate in our 20th annual Pro Life Oratory Contest. You have the voice, the enthusiasm, the spirit and the opportunity to speak up for the voiceless and marginalized members of the human family-the pre-born, the frail elderly and the disabled.

Please consider participating in the annual Oratory Contest sponsored by the Long Island Coalition for Life Educational Trust to be held at Joseph Barry Council Knights of Columbus, 45 Heitz Place, Hicksville, NY on Saturday, March 23, 2024 at 1 PM.

You will have the opportunity to express in a logical and organized way your respect for the life of every individual no matter how small or incapacitated. The first, second and third place winners will receive \$1000, \$600 and \$400 respectively. You may focus your 5-7 minute speech on one of the following topics:

- Abortion
- Assisted Suicide
- Bioethics (as it relates to pro-life)
- Black Genocide (through abortion)
- Cloning/Stem Cell Research
- Ectogenesis
- Eugenics (as it relates to pro-life)
- Euthanasia
- Fetal Development (in the context of abortion)
- Infanticide
- Legal Points – Right to Life
- Men & Abortion
- Post Abortion
- Pro Life Apologetics
- Special Needs/Down Syndrome (as it relates to pro-life)

Contestants can refer to notes during speech but should not read it. Applications are available at www.ProlifeEd.org/Events. Please return the completed application along with your written speech by 2/20/24 to MakeRoom4Him@gmail.com

The LICL Educational Trust just launched a 3 month online radio campaign with a 30-second ad mentioning various Pro Life topics, directing listeners to www.ProLifeEd.org for more info. There will be 165,000 impressions running through the end of the year.

WHAT THE MEDIA DOESN'T WANT YOU TO KNOW ABOUT THE "EQUALITY AMENDMENT"

In November 2024 a proposed state constitutional amendment, the "Equality Amendment" (S.108A), if approved by the voters, will create a state constitutional right to **"REPRODUCTIVE HEALTHCARE AND AUTONOMY"** for **"PERSONS"**. Notably absent from its text are the words and phrases "MINOR", "PARENT", "CONSCIENCE" and "LATE TERM".

This "Equality Amendment" will empower *unaccountable state judges and bureaucrats* to:

One, **DISCRIMINATE** against social workers, educators and health care workers, INCLUDING DOCTORS AND NURSES by denying them licenses if they refuse to do abortion referrals.

Two, **DISCRIMINATE** against PARENTS by denying parents the right to require their consent for their minor age daughters being given an abortion while requiring the consent of parents for their minor age daughters being given an aspirin.

Three, **DISCRIMINATE** against BABIES by denying their right to life by endorsing their killing by abortion, including painful *late term* and *partial birth* abortion, and by *infanticide through intentional neglect* if the baby is *born alive* after an attempted abortion.

Four, **DISCRIMINATE IN FAVOR OF ABORTIONISTS** by awarding abortionists the PRIVILEGE of operating without the licensing, health and safety regulations lifesaving surgeons and pharmacists must adhere to.

Please vote against the "Equality Amendment" in 2024.

Candidate Questionnaire received after October *Life News* went to print: Rose M. Walker, incumbent, is a candidate for Nassau County Legislature's District 17, on the GOP and Conservative party lines. She answered all 7 CQ questions "Yes", the pro-life answer. For the questions, please refer to October 2023 *Life News*.



FEDERAL LEGISLATION

HR.5577, the FACE Act Repeal Act, was introduced Sept. 19. The FACE Act was signed into law in 1994. It is primarily known as a law promoted by pro-abortion activists to limit pro-life activity on or near abortion facilities. It includes safeguards for houses of worship. Eight pro-lifers were recently convicted of conspiracy and FACE Act violations and sent directly to federal prison (possibly 11 years) and could be fined \$350,000 each, for entering the Wash., DC Surgi-Center abortuary. Several appeals continue. If this repeal act is passed, prosecutions that began before passage would be covered. As of this newsletter going to print, no LI Representatives are cosponsors of the repeal act. Contact your Congressperson and ask them to cosponsor this bill.

HR.4368/S.2131, the Agriculture/FDA bill failed in the House, 191-237. It had a section that would have banned the sale of the abortion pill mifepristone via mail or in drug stores. LI Rep. D'Esposito spoke against this provision. {Santos-yea || D'Esposito, Garbarino, LaLota-nay}

NDAA, the National Defense Authorization Act: The House and Senate each passed their own versions of the NDAA in July. The Senate bill would pay service-women's abortion expenses. The Hyde Amendment bans this, said Sen. Tuberville, who 'halted' 300 military promotions unless abortion funding was cut. Schumer wanted to approve all 300 by one voice vote. Votes taken mid-Sept. on three individual officers, and both sides said 'you lost'. But the 'halt' endures. Sept. 28: House passed a joint House/Senate version of NDAA, *with* abortion funding.

The Pregnant Workers Fairness Act, signed into law in 2022, is intended to protect "pregnant workers, especially those in low-wage and physically demanding jobs who have been forced to choose between their health and a paycheck." The Equal Employment Opportunity Commission wants it to cover abortion. Contact your representatives and ask them to tell the EEOC to keep abortion out of the Pregnant Workers Fairness Act. (After the Americans with Disabilities Act was passed, employment of the disabled fell from 30% to 15%. Employers feared lawsuits if an individual was fired. Will this happen to young women?)

The Supreme Court will review an Appeals Court case and decide whether to let it stand. The 5th Circuit Court of Appeals issued a decision in *Alliance for Hippocratic Medicine v. U.S. Food and Drug Administration* that found the FDA must restore critical safeguards for chemical abortion drugs. These include a seven-week gestational limit, required office visits, non-fatal adverse event reporting, and dispensation by a physician. The appeals court condemned the FDA approval process and restored the limits on the drug that the current administration had removed. The ruling also prohibited businesses from sending the abortion drugs through the mail, as that is a direct violation of federal law. However, even if the Supreme Court allows the 5th Circuit ruling to stand, NYS will have the drug available in person, and has promised to protect abortionists from criminal liability for mailing the drugs across state lines. NY has been stockpiling abortion drugs in preparation for this. The drug remains available without medical

Federal legislation continued...

oversight pending the Supreme Court's review, and abortion businesses continue to ship the drug to women.

The Supreme Court declined to review several guilty verdicts in the cases involving the undercover 'aborted baby-parts' videos, some of which imposed \$15M+ in fines.

The 5th Circuit Court upheld the lower court *Missouri v Biden* ruling, which held that the federal government cannot work with, or force social media to remove content that is protected by the First Amendment.

Terrisa Bukovinac, a member of the Progressive Anti-Abortion Uprising (PAAU) is running for President. She hopes to raise enough money to fund TV commercials, since campaign laws would allow the ads to "show the reality of abortion" uncensored. PAAU members exposed



NEW YORK STATE LEGISLATION

NYC's health system announced Oct. 2 that it is the first in the nation to offer "**on demand virtual abortion access...**

patients in New York City seeking abortion care will be able to schedule a Virtual Express Care appointment to speak with a NY state-licensed health care professional by video or phone, on-demand, for an assessment and counseling. If clinically appropriate and prescribed, patients will be able to receive a medication abortion kit at their NYC address within a few days." The service is available seven days a week. Women must attest that they will be in the city when they take the abortion drugs. A NYC address must be provided if they ask for the drugs by mail. The abortion drugs are available "to clinically eligible patients who are up to 10 weeks into their pregnancy." NYC also established an "abortion access hub" in Nov. 2022. The hub "confidentially" connects callers with abortionists in the city. Mayor Adams also signed legislation making abortion drugs free at the city's sexual health clinics – another first in the country.

New York State Equality Amendment: *Politico* reported (6/29/23) that activists in NYS have vowed to spend \$20 million to help pass the Equality Amendment at the ballot box in Nov. 2024. Creating this constitutional protection on the category of abortion allows the state of New York to use the long arm of the government to bring all its citizens in line with unrestrained access to abortion. The passage of the Equality Amendment would result in the erosion of religious liberty for many people of faith and faith-based organizations. You can be sure to expect medical workers would be compelled to participate in abortions and assisted suicide or face severe penalties or termination. This is a battle for our very souls, whether we like it or not. Educate everyone you know about the dangers of this amendment. Tell them to vote "NO" on this amendment in November 2024. (See page 2)

TAKE ACTION – For contact info on legislators at all levels go to: prolifeli.org/index.php/legislative **OR** usa.gov/elected-officials.

To discuss Federal Legislation, e-mail Charles Feldman at cdefeldman@optonline.net. To discuss State Legislation, e-mail Jim Miller at jimmiller9@aol.com.



HEALTH & SCIENCE

Abortion and Maternal Mortality

One of the talking points among those who advocate for abortion as a human right is that abortion complications contribute to maternal death and injury, and the only alternative is “safe” abortion - national laws and policies making abortion part of basic health care. Rebecca Oas, Ph.D., Director of Research at C-Fam, released a report in C-Fam’s September 2023 issue of *Definitions*, entitled “*Why Abortion is Not the Solution to Maternal Mortality*.” She stated, “for those who hold that human beings are persons both before and after birth and have intrinsic human dignity from conception to natural death – these arguments must be opposed, but to disprove them requires reexamining many of the seemingly innocuous methods and terminologies used in the field of maternal health. This paper explores the ways in which the medical and scientific fields have been weaponized against unborn human life and how ideology masquerades as “facts” and “evidence” to promote this deadly agenda.”

The World Health Organization (WHO) **defines maternal mortality** as “the annual number of female deaths from any cause related to or aggravated by pregnancy or its management (excluding accidental or incidental causes) during pregnancy and childbirth or within 42 days of termination of pregnancy, irrespective of the duration and site of the pregnancy, expressed per 100,000 live births, for a specific time period.” Oas noted that the goal of medical interventions is to provide for the survival of two patients – neither life is considered “expendable.” Sometimes, these interventions do fail. The intent of induced abortion is to end the life of the child. Since abortion complications may also claim the life of the mother, those deaths are included in maternal mortality figures. Oas argued that there is a “fundamental difference between these deaths and other maternal deaths. In one case, a natural process encountered complications that were not remedied by medical interventions (or may even have been exacerbated by them), and in the other case, an intervention with an expressly lethal intention was used to disrupt a natural process.”

The Centers for Disease Control (CDC) defines a “pregnancy related death as the death of a woman during pregnancy or within one year of the end of pregnancy from a pregnancy complication, a chain of events initiated by the pregnancy, or the aggravation of an unrelated condition by the physiologic effects of pregnancy.” Oas noted that this is a much broader definition than the WHO, and “dramatically” effects the data collected. Homicide is a leading cause of death in the US for women, and including these deaths inflates maternal death figures. (Harvard researchers argued that abortion is needed to reduce the risk of abuse and death.)

The **definition of abortion** “is not always as straightforward as it might appear,” Oas reported.

When it’s used to describe the cause of a maternal death, it “typically refers to complications of both spontaneous [miscarriage] and induced abortion caused by surgical, chemical or other means.” It is sometimes difficult, when information is not available – or deliberately withheld – to determine whether the miscarriage was spontaneous or induced. The management of the miscarriage would be the same. Oas noted that although the complications and management would be the same, the intent and the legal ramifications are different. The Dublin Declaration on Maternal Healthcare states, “direct abortion – the purposeful destruction of the unborn child – is not medically necessary to save the life of a woman...the prohibition of abortion does not affect, in any way, the availability of optimal care.” Oas states, “intention is key. In any dispute over abortion as it relates to maternal health, the question must be asked whether there *are* two lives to be saved (that is, that the unborn child is in fact still alive), and whether, as far as possible, efforts are being made to save them both.” She noted that in a situation where the mother’s life and health are not at risk, but the unborn child has a fatal condition, if an induced abortion is performed it is a form of euthanasia.

Worldwide maternal deaths fell 33% from 2000-2015. Fifty-eight countries with the highest maternal mortality rates have seen a reduction of 50%. COVID negatively impacted this decline. However, Oas stated, “interventions exist to prevent or treat most complications of pregnancy and childbirth, and further efforts are necessary to ensure that they reach women in the most poor and remote countries, regions, and situations... the lion’s share of improvements in maternal survival took place” before liberal abortion laws were passed. “The advent of modern medicine, including antibiotics, combined with the political will to ensure women’s and children’s survival, were far more consequential. By the time *Roe v. Wade* was decided, both birth rates and maternal mortality had declined.”

Maternal mortality rates in Africa are among the highest in the world, due mostly to poor access to medical resources. Abortion activists are promoting abortion as the ‘solution’ to this problem instead of better medical care to prevent hemorrhage, hypertensive disorders in pregnancy, infection, and other complications. Real, life-saving treatments need to be the priority, not abortion. Oas comments that access to quality healthcare, medicines, clean water, sanitation, transportation, and education for women and girls leads to lower maternal mortality rates. Studies also document that there are more deaths in the year following an abortion than following childbirth – limiting abortion helps to lower maternal mortality. Lower maternal mortality rates were achieved long before abortion was legalized in the West. As was done in the US prior to *Roe*, abortion activists are exaggerating maternal deaths in Africa from illegal abortions to promote legalizing it.

Abortion activists often cite the US’ higher maternal mortality compared to other developed countries in defending their argument that abortion is safer than childbirth. Abortion is seriously underreported in the US, especially now that the abortion pill accounts for over 50% of all abortions. This will lead to complications from induced abortion being attributed to spontaneous miscarriage - encouraged by some abortionists and illegal pill suppliers.

A procedure that intends to kill one human being and carries a risk of killing another can never be labeled ‘safe’.

“Whenever Two or More are Gathered in My Name”

Key: (M) = MONTHLY (W) = WEEKLY

PRO-LIFE PRAYERFUL PRESENCE. Scheduled times at local abortion provider/referral sites are listed below. To volunteer, speak with the contact person before going to a site. **Never witness alone. Your presence, if even for 30 min. a month, is important. Note:** Vigils & Witnesses are **NOT** sponsored by the LICL and are provided for informational purposes.

<u>Nassau County - Location</u>	<u>Day/Time</u>	<u>Contact Phone</u>
540 Fulton Ave (Rt 24), Hempstead	(W) Sa 8 AM-Noon	917-544-0121
" " "	(W) Th 10:30-Noon	516-270-3845
" " "	(W) Sa 10AM-Noon	516-270-3845
" " "	(W) Fr 11 AM - Noon	516-359-1298
<u>Suffolk County - Location</u>	<u>Day/Time</u>	<u>Contact Phone(631)</u>
70 Maple Ave, Smithtown	(W) Mo. 10 AM prayers w/Fr. Joe	
	We, Fr. & Sa 7:30-10:30 AM	813-3412
42 First Ave, Brentwood	(W) Sa 9:40-10:15 AM	665-3630
877 E. Main St, Riverhead	(W) We 2-4 PM	323-8001
450 Waverly Ave, Patchogue	(M) 2nd & 4th We & Sa 10 AM-noon	
	& 2nd & 4th We 3-5 PM	615-1735

IMPORTANT:

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



Pro-Life Counseling Centers nearest to abortion sites:

Women First Pregnancy Options: (Four locations): **Massapequa** 516-798-9100, 35 East Willow St, at E end of Sunrise Mall behind White Castle, (bilingual) open Mo-Fr, 10 AM-4 PM, Sa 9 AM-Noon (by appt. only); **Hempstead** 516-408-6300, 474 Fulton Av (Rt 24) (bilingual) open Mo-Fr 10 AM-4:30 PM & Sa 9AM-1PM; **Deer Park** 631-243-0066, 1767 Deer Park Ave, (bilingual) open Mo 10 AM-8 PM, Tu-Fr 10 AM-4 PM. (Closed Sa), **Smithtown** 631-656-0441, 91 Maple Ave.

Local Pro-Life Viewing/Listening:

Check EWTN Opt. Ch 135, Verizon Ch 285 for pro-life programming

Live Stream: 7 PM Mondays marchforlifeny.org/events/march-for-life-ny-livestream

Pro-Life and Pro-Family blog: rickhinshaw.com

In Vitro Gametogenesis (IVG): Japanese scientists were able to create healthy, fertile mice from artificial eggs and sperm. Modified skin cells (induced pluripotent cells or iPS cells) were converted to gametes and then used to create “artificial embryos” that were then implanted in mice uteruses. Scientists are now trying to do the same with humans. The goal of IVG is to make unlimited supplies of eggs and sperm from any cell in the human body. This would allow anyone to have a genetically related child. They believe they will have the eggs ready to be fertilized to create artificial human embryos in 5-10 years. Even though they know there are many ethical issues involved with these experiments, they are continuing with the project. They admit that years of experimentation are needed to be sure artificial IVG embryos aren’t carrying dangerous genetic mutations. How many embryonic lives will be created and destroyed in the process?

Online Pro-Life Viewing / Listening - What is Your Favorite?

Without learning about pro-life issues, it is difficult for pro-lifers to educate others and help them join the pro-life movement. Current events, pro-life apologetics, informed voting decisions – all these are key to being a stronger pro-lifer and more compelling pro-life advocate.

There are many pro-life online programs, such as radio programs, podcasts, and programs streaming on various social media platforms. “Life News” would like to hear from you! Please tell us what online pro-life programs you watch/listen to. We hope to provide a list in a future issue of “Life News” to expand readers’ knowledge of available resource options (your name won’t be included). Email the name of the program and contact link (e.g., weblink, social media platform link) and the show’s host/organization (as applicable) to: INFO@PROLIFELI.org. Thank you.

WEEKLY PRAYER OPPORTUNITIES:

- **Rosary for Life** every Fri. at 3 PM on Zoom, sponsored by DRVC OHLFB. Meeting ID: 811 9648 1100 Passcode: 20EWp7; Call In #: 1 (646) 876-9923.
- **Holy Hour for Life** - St. Joseph RCC, 59 Church St., Kings Park every Mon. at 7 PM. This is also live-streamed. For more info call 631-269-6635.
- **Right to Life Rosary** - Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Chapel, 495 N. Ocean Ave., Patchogue every Thurs. at 7 PM. For info call 631-475-4739.



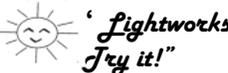
Hope and Healing after Abortion

For more information contact Sisters of Life at hopeandhealing@sistersoflife.org or 866-575-0075.

All information is confidential!

SUPPORT OUR ADVERTISERS

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

<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>James T. Murphy, Esq. 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>122 Plainfield Ave., Floral Park 516-775-7008</p>	<p>P. De Dora, CPA</p> <p>CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT</p> <p>Phone (631) 662-4519</p>	<p>M. Jennifer DeMarco, D.O. Board Certified FAMILY PHYSICIAN Drjenniferdemarco.com Rockville Centre/Amityville 516-594-5671</p> <p><i>Personalized HealthCare "Together to health—Naturally"</i></p>
<p>Dr. Mark F. Buthorn Jr.</p> <p>PODIATRIST</p> <p>Surgical & General Foot Care</p> <p>925 Hempstead Tpke. Franklin Square, NY 11010 516-352-4454</p>	<p>For all your Electrical needs! Light Works Electric</p> <p>Senior Citizen Discount Licensed Insured 631-249-2440 Dan Sherry www.lightworkselectric.4t.com</p> 	<p><i>I help people get well.</i> <i>Veronica Anderson RN IAC</i></p> <p>Holistic Wellness Consultant & Certified Integrative Aromatherapist</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • holistic health guidance • computerized assessment of body's needs • therapeutic essential oils massage • pain management + much more • client discovers and takes charge of his/her own health to regain and maintain wellness <p>www.VeronicaHolisticHealth.com (516) 502-4643</p>	
<p>Peter Podlas ARCHITECT, PC I/A SEPTIC SYSTEM DESIGN Brookhaven & the East End Remsenburg, NY www.IAsepticssystems.com 631 325-0929 ppodlas@optonline.net</p>		<p>SEAGULL MANAGEMENT CORP Truck Parking Space in Kings Park</p> <p>Roger@Skyview (631) 544-1038</p>	<p>We Buy Gold</p>  <p>(631) 666-4181 9 No. Windsor Ave. Brightwaters, N.Y. 11718 Vita Mazza</p>
<p>PLACE YOUR AD HERE CALL THE LICL AT 631-243-1436 OR EMAIL LICL4life@outlook.com</p>	<p>Janice Seaman Certified Life Coach/Spiritual Advisor Specializing in spirituality, weight management, self-sabotage, worthiness and helping clients to achieve their full potential by becoming the architect of their own victorious destiny. (516) 353-8662 Janiceslifecoach@gmail.com</p>	<p>Tri-State Merchant Services, Inc. Credit/Debit Card Processing & Check Guarantee Services POS Hardware and Software • Remote Check Capture • Gift Cards</p> <p>John P. Carro, President (631) 952-3600 sales@tmsmerchant.com www.tmsmerchant.com</p> <p>Tri-State Merchant Services Inc. is a registered ISO/MSP of Fifth Third Bank, Cincinnati, Ohio</p>	
<p><i>HealthSure</i></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 1743 North Ocean Ave. Islandia, NY 11749 Medford, NY 11763 631-435-0110 631-758-3100 Fax: 631-435-4583 Fax: 631-758-3168</p>		<p>Linda Humberger LCSW A New Beginning Counseling 631 805-4227</p> <p>Counseling with a Christian Perspective Telehealth</p> <p>Anxiety Disorders, Addictions, Relationship Issues Many insurance plans accepted as well as sliding scale.</p>	
 <p>LIVING WATERS <i>Therapeutic Catholic Counseling</i></p> <p>CAROL RUBANO, LCSW-R, ACSW Founder and Director</p> <p>Clinical Phone: 631.754.3990 Business Phone: 631.271.0913 Email: carol@livingwaterstherapy.org</p> <p>Address: 29 Clay Pitts Road Greenlawn, NY 11740 Website: livingwaterstherapy.org</p>		<p><u>Membership</u> We need your opinion, thoughts and ideas! Would your prolife organization like to become a member group? If so, contact us for an application and details. Call 631-243-1435 or email us from our website: prolifeli.org. One delegate from a member group can vote on issues brought up at the General Meeting. (Note: A subscription to the newsletter does not constitute membership.)</p>	

LONG ISLAND COALITION for LIFE, Inc.

George E. Frost, Chairman
 Peter Bertran, Presiding Vice-Chair
 Jack O'Brien, Nassau Vice-Chair
 Gerry Crosson, Suffolk Vice-Chair
 Kathleen E. Feldman, Secretary
 Frederick S. Peritore, Treasurer
 Daniel Sherry, Immediate Past Chair, & Educational Trustee
 Regina Carbonaro, Life News Editor
 Ann Cook, Life News Asst.



SUBSCRIPTION - DONATION - VOLUNTEER

I am sending a gift of: \$500 ___ \$100 ___ \$25 ___ Other ___
 I am subscribing to Life News [\$18/year]
 Please mail Life News to my address shown below
 Please e-mail Life News to me at _____
 I cannot donate now but please mail Life News to address below or e-mail to: _____
 I am enclosing \$18 for a gift subscription. Mail or e-mail to: _____
 Please discontinue sending Life News to me
 I wish to volunteer, please call or e-mail me at:
 Name: _____
 Phone: (____) _____
 Address: _____
 City _____ ST _____ Zip _____
 E-mail: _____

NOTE: Credit card donations can be made through the LICL website PROLIFELI.org.

Please make checks payable to LI Coalition for Life. Mail to LICL PO Box 223 Ronkonkoma NY 11779 (Donations are not tax deductible. A copy of our latest annual report is available from us or the Charities Bureau, 120 Broadway NY, NY 10271).

HELP NUMBERS NASSAU & SUFFOLK COUNTIES

L.I. COALITION FOR LIFE: Info on pro-life activity, speakers, legislation 631-243-1435; ProLifeLI.org
HELP FOR EXPECTANT MOTHER AND HER CHILD Pregnancy Care Center locations:
 Women First Pregnancy Options (aka Life Center of LI):
 Deer Park631-243-2373
 Hempstead516-408-6300
 Massapequa.....516-798-9100
 Smithtown.....631-656-0441
Hot Line631-243-0066
Baby Safe Haven-Don't abandon - no questions877-796-4673
Birthright:
 Wantagh516-785-4070
 Islip631-277-3888
 Rocky Point631-821-9727
 Hampton Bays631-728-8900
Birthright Int'l Hot Line:
800-550-4900
Boro Preg Ctr718-281-HELP
 Breath of Life Preg. Ctr.631-738-8829
 Bridge for Life718-463-1810
 Catholic Char. Regina Maternity Serv.516-733-7071
CGS800-592-4357
MOMMAS House: Jericho, Glen Cove, Levittown & Hempstead516-781-8637
Mother of Good Counsel Home: Roosevelt516-223-1013
Nat'l Hotline800-712-4357
Soundview Preg. Svs.:
 Centereach, East Meadow & Riverhead888-709-3227
Perinatal Hospice Prog. (Gabriel's Courage)631-465-6300
Abortion Pill Reversal 24/7 Helpline 877-558-0333
Adoption, Foster, Maternity Svs. Pregnant with child with disability?benotafraid.net
Post Abortion Counseling For Women/Men: Project Rachel Hotline.888-456-4673
Support After Abortion.....844-289-4673
Leave abortion IndustryATTWN.org.
Life Issues/Ethics
 Children of Godcogforlife.org
 Vaccines...vaccinebioethics.com



Green Horizons Irrigation Co.

Residential & Commercial
Sprinkler Systems
 Servicing Nassau & Suffolk over 25 years
 BOB McLAUGHLIN
 OWNER
(631) 361-6036
 Credit Cards Accepted



PROMOTE THE PRO-LIFE MESSAGE

BUMPER STRIPS \$3.00 each

- Abortion is Forever
- I'm a Child Not a Choice
- Vote Pro-Life
- Adoption Not Abortion
- Abortion is Not Health Care
- Unborn Lives Matter (red w/white lettering)
- Take My Hand, Not My Life
- Get the Facts First, Abortion Hurts Women, Kills Children, Breaks Hearts
- Respect Life from Conception to Natural Death
- Pregnant? We Can Help! 1-800-712-HELP
- CHOOSE LIFE



PRECIOUS FEET PINS \$2.00 each
 Silver Finish
 Gold\ Finish

SELF-ADHESIVE STICKERS

___ 2 sheets \$3.00 ___ 4 sheets \$5.50

Mail this form with payment (prices include postage & handling) to: L. I. COALITION FOR LIFE, MATERIALS ORDER, PO BOX 223, RONKONKOMA, NY 11779-0223
 Allow 2-3 weeks for delivery.

Name & address: _____

Donations are not tax-deductible.

To place an AD

Call 631-243-1435 or
 Contact Ann Cook at
 LICoalition4Life@outlook.com

In Loving Memory of Larry Cervellino

For his prayerful presence at Planned Parenthood in Smithtown from 1993-2015
Johanna Cervellino

DEADLINE NOTICE: Dec. & early Jan. events to be considered for publication in the December issue of *Life News* MUST BE RECEIVED BY November 5 Send to: Life News, LICL, PO Box 223, Ronkonkoma, NY 11779 or email: LICoalition4Life@outlook.com.

In Loving Memory of Dr. Jerome (Jerry) Higgins, DVM

"The heart and soul of the Long Island Coalition for Life"
 Compliments of Judge John Andrew Kay

Willow Graphics Inc.

PO Box 327, Copiague, NY
 Our 75th year
TEL 631-841-1177
FAX 631-842-3388
 Printers of this newsletter
In Loving Memory of John Gustaffsen



Knights of Columbus Asset Advisors
Thomas J. Farrell
 Investment Advisor Representative
 O: 631-617-3127
 Text Only: 631-318-0680
 www.kofcassetadvisors.org

Life News

of Long Island

MISSION STATEMENT

To protect innocent 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

ELECTRONIC SERVICE REQUESTED

TIME SENSITIVE MAIL
PLEASE EXPEDITE

November 2023
Thanksgiving Blessings!

40 Days for Life Fall Campaign Wed., Sept. 27 - Sun. Nov. 5, 2023

- Public right-of-way outside Planned Parenthood, 540 Fulton Ave., Hempstead
HempsteadPP40days@aol.com
- Planned Parenthood, Carmens Rd., Massapequa, call/text Paul at 516-848-1562, email paul.arena29@yahoo.com
- Public right-of-way outside abortion facility, 450 Waverly Ave., Patchogue
WaverlyAvenueRespectLife@gmail.com

Please contact the above for closing ceremonies.
Thank you for your participation.

34th Annual National Night of Prayer for Life

Fri., Dec. 8 - 9 PM to Sat., Dec. 9 - 1 AM
To register your Church or find nearest location contact Miriam 631-252-8258 or Mary 717-533-4846; e-mail: evecampfield@hotmail.com.
Website: Nationalnightofprayerforlife.org



November is National Adoption Month

It is also the month of Thanksgiving. Thank you to all those who chose life but because of circumstances couldn't raise their child(ren) themselves. And, thank you to all adoptive parents for opening their hearts and their homes to these children.

SAVE THE DATE! Fri., 1/19/24 Annual March for Life, Washington DC

Additional info in Jan/Feb 2024 edition of *Life News* and *Marchforlife.org*.

There are many State-sponsored March for Life events. Please check with your State Pro-Life organization for more info. March for Life NY will take place in Albany on Monday, 6/24/24!

Inside:

Page 1 - SUFL & Election Day

Page 4 - Health & Science:

Abortion and Maternal Mortality