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Welcome to 2022, a year when all eyes and ears will be on the United States Supreme Court as they continue to hear the oral arguments in the Dobbs v. Women's Health Organization. We continue to pray for each Justice on the Court to determine whether Mississippi can ban elective abortions after 15 weeks' gestation. We don't expect a decision until Summer, but will continue to pray for each Justice as they discern the case.

Please consider supporting our annual membership drive. Your support helps our life affirming work at a local and state level. The membership form is on the back of this newsletter.

Please join us on January 22nd, 2022 for our annual Prayer Vigil to end abortion. We will be gathering on the steps of the Bay County Building at 7 pm. See the attached flyer for more details.

Below is the list of the newly elected officers and board members. We continue to meet on the second Tuesday of every month at 7 pm. Please join us to learn more about what you can do to promote a culture of life.

Blessings, Teresa Villano President BCRTL

2022 Officers and Board Members

President: Teresa Villano

Vice President: Marianne Koerber

Secretary: Kathy Ratajczak Treasurer: Denise Davidson

Board members at large: Lisa Goss, Mark Sebald, and Dave Studniarz

Memorials/Donations

Thank you to the following generous people/organizations for their donations to BCRTL: Jeff Vella; Therese Rabish; Michael & Donna Arnold; Huron Co RTL; St. Catherine of Siena Parish; Tom & Betty Pavlov; Sharon & Glen Turow; Anonymous; Mary Ann Couture, John Davidson, Victoria Davidson & Jonathan Ross, Elizabeth & Alex Austin in honor of Denise Davidson's birthday.

Thank You

Jim Barcia and office staff for assisting us with "A Call to Prayer" event on Tuesday, November 30, 2021 for the Supreme Court Justices as they hear the Dobbs v. Jackson Health Organization. We also appreciate their help with the upcoming prayer memorial vigil on January 22, 2022.

St. Paul Lutheran Church and Pastor Dennis Matyas for hosting our annual cross display in October 2021.





Prayer warriors who came out to support our 4th Annual 40 Days for Life Campaign along with our Life Chain Event, held in October. Our activity in front of the local abortion clinic makes a difference.





Local parishes that participate in our Cherish Life Project, including Our Lady of Peace Parish, Corpus Christi Parish, Our Lady of Czestochowa Parish, St. Jude Thaddeus Parish, and All Saints Parish.

Movie goers who came out to the State Theatre in Downtown Bay City for the Roe v. Wade movie showing. A huge shout out to the State Theatre for their support of the free will offering.

We are grateful to all of you for your continued support of Life.

Annual Focus on Life Dinner

Our October 5, 2021 dinner was a grand success. Thank you to all who helped in any way and for those who attended to hear the powerful words of our speaker, Dr. Kathi Aultman. If you missed our dinner, we have a video of Dr. Kathi Aultman on our website: https://www.baycountyrighttolife.org/

SAVE THE DATE: This year's dinner will be held on Tuesday, October 4, 2022 at The Grand and our speaker will be Ed Rivet. We look forward to hosting this dinner and welcoming you back to hear another great speaker. Please stay tuned for more details later this year.

Upcoming Events

RLM Fall Conference Book Ads are available to purchase for individuals, businesses, and organizations. By placing an ad in the Right to Life of Michigan's Fall Conference Book, your business is promoted at a larger audience, plus the benefit of supporting a Pro-Life activity. Call us at 989-895-8481 to secure your place in this great Life resource.

RLM Education Fund is proud to announce our 33rd annual Oratorical Contest. This opportunity is for students in grades 9-12, who live in Bay County, to write a PRO-LIFE essay and present it to a group of leaders in our community with the chance to win monetary prizes. You may have the opportunity to speak at the State level competition. For more information, please contact us at 989-895-8481.

2022 Annual Fall cross display location has been secured. Thank you to Pat Pajot for offering to host the cross display this year. Watch for it on M13 in Oct 2022.



January 22, 2022

Prayer Vigil
To End Abortion
7:00 pm
Bay County Building
515 Center Avenue
(front steps)

Main speaker: Jim Barcia Bay County Executive



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