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UPCOMING EVENTS - October 2021

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(All dates below are pending resolution of COVID-19 Crisis)*

| 3rd Monday | Monthly meeting at 5p.m. at Right to Life Office |
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| October 3, 2021 | National Life Chain 2-3:30pm |
| October 30, 2021 | Lifetech Conference 9:00-3:00pm at Sacred Heart Parish, New Carlisle |
| January 21, 2022 | March for Life in Washington D.C. |
| January 21, 2022 | Springfield News Sun ad for Life |
| ???? | Clark County Right to Life Oratory Contest |
| ???? | Pro-Life Education Fair |
| May 8, 2022 | Mother's Day |
| May 30, 2022 | Memorial Day Parade |
| June 18, 2022 | Annual Ride, Walk, Run for Life |
| July 22-29, 2022 | Clark Co. Fair Baby photo Contest and Facebook Contest |
| September 10, 2022 | National Day of Remembrance at St. Bernard Cemetery 10:00am |

"Before I formed you in the womb, I knew you." (Jeremiah 1:5)

LIFELINES October 2021



LIFETECH CONFERENCE 2021

Saturday, October 30, 2021

9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. (Tentative)

“The LifeTech Conference is an annual pro-life science & technology conference where speakers present a variety of issues of interest to pro-life people. Our mission is to discuss issues related to all facets of scientific inquiry related to the dignity of human life, from before birth into old age; from abortion to end-of-life issues and everything in between.

The 18th Annual Lifetech Conference is coming on Saturday, October 30th, 2021, and is currently planned to be a mixed in-person and virtual affair. The physical location will be at the Father Paul Vieson Center at Sacred Heart Church in New Carlisle. (209 W. Lake Ave, New Carlisle, Ohio 45344) Our expected speakers currently are listed on our website]. Please keep in mind that the speaker list can change; also, while we hope to have an in-person component this year, uncertainty about potential covid restrictions may force us to do this conference online, similar to what we did last year. (Which went pretty well, all things considered!)

The latest information will be posted on our web site at lifetechconference.org. In addition to those updates, video, audio and supporting materials from all of the previous years are available for viewing.

For information or questions, please email us at info@lifetechconference.org.”



REMEMBRANCE DAY FOR THE UNBORN

September 18 was the National Day of Remembrance for the Unborn. The Infant Section of St. Bernard Cemetery in Springfield was the site for this public memorial prayer service which Clark County Right to Life sponsors each year. Fr. Frank Pavone, a nationally known pro-life leader was a co-founder of this event in 2013. The unborn must always be prayerfully remembered. Since 1973, over 62 million have been aborted.

We were blest with beautiful sunny weather that morning in Springfield. Reflective prayer was the focus. Participants included Pastor Alan Cain who offered the opening and closing prayers. Fr. Elijah Puthoff presented a brief history and the current situation of the abortion tragedy in our country. He reminded us of the challenge to focus on the **ISSUE** to eliminate its occurrence. Shannon Henderson was the soloist for several hymns. Her musical talent is so appreciated. Community awareness was raised by the local newspaper publicity message which Clark County Right to Life submitted.

Contact our office for the September 2022 service date and encourage others to join us. Innocent life in the womb must always be honored. Prudent pro-life action must always begin with prayer.

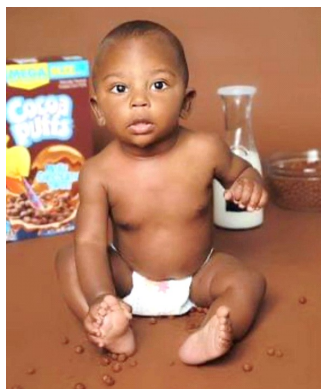
Winners of the 2021 Baby Photo Contest sponsored by Clark County Right to Life



Clark County Right to Life 2021 Baby Contest

The Right to Life baby contest at the Clark County fair 2021 was a great success. We had 9 contestants this year at the fair, and we also had 43 contestants online. For the contestants at the fair the Winners of the donation prizes were: 1st place winner, Julianne Bauer, who received \$75, 2nd place Grace Lynn Dixon, who received \$50 and 3rd place winner, Aria Haurer, who received \$25. For the contestants online the Winners were: 1st place winner, Genesis Exon, who received \$75, 2nd place Cassius Hookfin, who received \$50 and 3rd place winner, Oakley Hauk, who received \$25. It would be impossible to choose the winners by how cute they are since they were all adorable.

Congratulations to the parents of the winners and our heartfelt thanks to all who entered their babies. Thanks to all the booth workers who did such a great job and those behind the scene who pulled it together. The proceeds from the contest help pay for the fair booth and any extra will go to promoting respect for the sanctity of all human life. May God bless you and your precious babies. Be looking for the baby contest at the Clark County Fair again in 2022.



Genesis Exon



Cassius Hookfin



Oakley Hauk

Birth Cards Sent to Parents of Newborns

To show appreciation to parents that *Choose Life*, we send a special birth card to thank parents for giving their child the gift of life. From September 2014 to December 2020, we have mailed 7098 cards to mothers giving birth at Springfield Regional Medical Center. These mothers are from Clark County and surrounding counties.



PRO-LIFE WEBSITES

The following state and national websites can assist one in answering the pro-life call in a variety of ways. Use your talents to defend the sanctity of human life. Communicating with one's political leaders at all levels is so important.

lifenews.com

40daysforlife.com

thomasmoresociety.org

rtlaohio.org

sidewalkadvocates.org

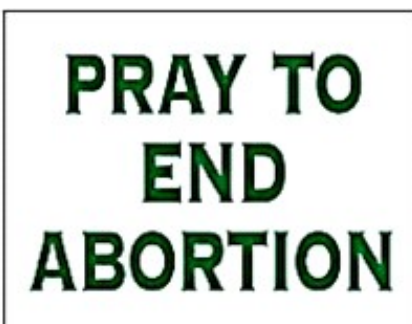
ohiolife.org



NATIONAL LIFE CHAIN WITNESS

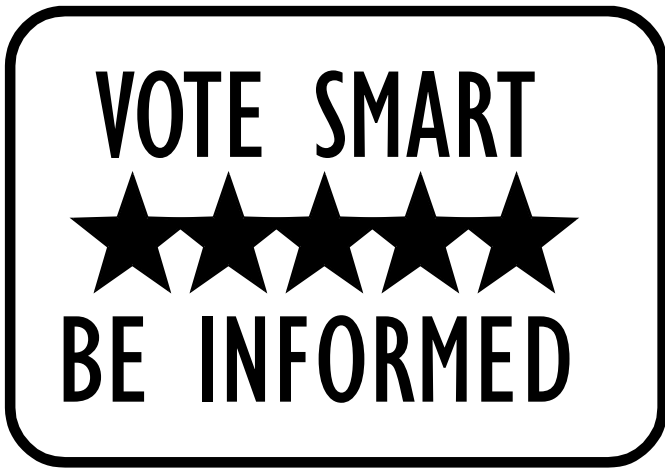
Reserve some of your time on Sunday afternoon, October 3 to participate in a public pro-life event. Nationally, prayerful public sidewalk witnesses are being held for the healing of our world. In Springfield, the location is the 950 North Bechtle Avenue sidewalk area. The witness begins at 2 P.M. and will conclude at 3:30 P.M. Your presence is appreciated-even for 15 to 30 minutes.

Pro-life signs will be provided by Clark County Right to Life or you may bring your own sign. Please encourage your friends to join us that afternoon for a memorable experience.



NOTIFICATION OF ADDRESS CHANGE

If you have changed your residential address and receive the Right to Life newsletter by conventional mail, please telephone or email the Right to Life office of your current address. That information is on the front page of the newsletter. In this way, the postal carrier will not be returning them to our office. It will eliminate mailing expense for us. Thank you.



2021 FUTURE ELECTION

The November Election Day is not too distant. Candidates' qualifications and understanding of the issues are so important for responsible voting. If a candidate has a website, insight can be provided in that way. There is an abundance of candidate "vote for me" signs on residential and business grounds in Springfield. The question is: "Can you convince me that you are the one who deserves my vote?" That is the reason that research is so essential rather than making an emotional "guess" on Election Day.



Office Building Needs Repairs

Our office building at 815 W Main St. is over 100 years old and in need of much repair. Can you help with structural, electrical, plumbing or other skills? Please call now to volunteer. All our personnel are volunteers and we have no paid employees.



TRIUMPH FOR THE UNBORN

How did the citizens of Lebanon, Ohio convince the City Council to pass an ordinance to forbid abortion within the limits of their city? They zealously communicated to council members that abortion is murdering a baby. The result was that City Council's unanimous vote on May 25, 2021 forbids killing the unborn. Lebanon is the first Ohio city to become a Sanctuary City. What a magnificent blessing this is ! Pro-life values reign in Lebanon, Ohio because of the insistence of so many in the community for an ordinance. Will there be more Sanctuary towns and cities in the state of Ohio? ***Your help is needed.***



Clark County Right to Life Officers

Elected on 9-19-20

President: Steve Cornett

Vice President: Shelby Lindner

Secretary: Lois Bravard

Treasurer: Ed Russ

Clark County Right to Life Committees

Finance: Ed Russ

Education: Pam Juergens/Dave Banaszak

Legislative: Ed Russ/Bandon Harris

Membership: Bandon Harris

Youth Membership: Shelby Lindner

Office Manager: Dave Banaszak

Volunteer Coordinator: Ruth Eblin

Newsletter Editor: **Vacant**

***Be Sure to Contact Your
Representatives***
Clark County Representatives

State Rep. District 74: Bill Dean
(614) 466-1470

State Rep. District 79: Kyle Koehler
(614) 466-2038

State Senator District 10: Robert Hackett*
(614) 466-3780

Clark County Commissioners:
(937) 521-2055
Rich Lohnes,
Lowell McGlothlin,
Melanie Flax-Wilt

US Congressional District 8: Warren Davidson
(937) 339-1524



Submissions for Lifelines Newsletters

To submit to an article for Lifelines send articles by email to
info@ClarkCountyRightToLife.com by the following dates:
April Lifelines by March 15, October Lifelines by Sept. 15

HELP!!!!!! We are looking for a volunteer for our Lifeline Newsletters-
Call the office to volunteer.

I want to begin or continue membership in Clark County Right to Life!

Name _____
Address _____
City and Zip _____
Phone _____
Email _____

Check here to receive Newsletter by email
Check here to continue or not continue to receive newsletter by mail

Donation enclosed (\$20 Membership or More) _____ (THANK YOU!)

Participate i Ride Run or Walk for Life,(June) (No Entry Fee) _____

I can volunteer to help Right-to-Life with (circle as many as you like):

Fundraising Contacting officials Fair/Baby contest Speaking Office work Web Site
Ads/Marketing Newsletter Ads/petitions Membership Legislative Education Maintenance
Other ways I want to help _____

We are a 501-c (4) organization and we do not have the same tax deductibility as a 501-c (3) organization.