

The ultimate measure of a man is not where he stands in moments of comfort and convenience, but where he stands at times of challenge and controversy. — Martin Luther King, Jr.

Cincinnati Abortionist Changes Location

The Women's Medical Center abortion facility at 3219 Jefferson Ave. in Clifton near the University of Cincinnati has changed location to 11250 Lebanon, Rd., US Route 42, Sharonville, OH. This location is within feet of Liberty Sharonville Pediatrics, whose doctor Dr. Steve Brinne, MD, had an *Enquirer* letter to the editor published protesting the close proximity of a business that kills unborn babies.

The Women's Medical Center is one of several abortion facilities owned by abortionist Martin Haskell, who pioneered the gruesome late-term partial birth abortion procedure. The Clifton location is said to be closed, but planned use for the property is not known at this time. Sharonville residents and sidewalk counselors have been praying at the new location, and regular coverage is planned.

Gilkey Windows Helps Pro-Life Leader

Early December the home of national pro-life leaders Joe and Ann Scheidler was vandalized when pro-abortion demonstrators threw bricks through two front windows very early in the morning. One brick contained a threatening note that identified the pro-abortion reason for the attack.

Upon hearing of the destruction, pro-life Cincinnati businessman Mike Gilkey, owner of Gilkey Windows, contacted the Scheidlers and offered to replace their windows at no cost—not only the two broken but all the windows in the Scheidler's living and dining rooms.

"We are so grateful to the Gilkey family and company," Joe Scheidler told LifeNews.com. *"I hope any pro-lifer who needs new windows or doors will turn to Gilkey."*

Judge Rules Against Cincinnati Planned Parenthood

Hamilton County Common Pleas Court Judge Jody Luebbers ruled in December on the case of the minor girl who was the victim of statutory rape by an adult male then brought to Planned Parenthood of Southwestern Ohio for an abortion. The ruling states that Planned Parenthood failed to obtain informed consent for the abortion from the child, required under Ohio law. The case has been in progress since 2005. The attorney for the young girl, Brian Hurley, received Right to Life of Greater Cincinnati's 2010 Life Award at its annual Evening for Life banquet last October.

40 DAYS FOR LIFE - March 9-April 17, 2011

Can you sacrifice at least one hour during Lent to stand for life as part of the Spring 40 Days for Life campaign? Greater Cincinnati will unite with hundreds of other locations throughout the United States in peaceful, fervent prayer



for an end to the abortion holocaust in America. This massive coordinated pro-life mobilization has saved the lives of at least 3,000 babies in the three years since the campaign spread nationwide.

Whether you belong to a church respect life group seeking to involve more members in a meaningful pro-life activity, or you are an individual searching for a way to become more active in the movement, please go to www.40daysforlife.com to familiarize yourself with 40 Days for Life or contact Mary Clark at cincinnati40days40@live.com or 513/791-4039 with any questions or to find out how you can become involved.

5K Pro-Life Run/Walk & Family Fun Run

Plan now for Cincinnati Right to Life's 2011 Pro-Life 5K Life Run/Walk and Family Fun Run, Saturday, May 7, 8:30 a.m., Winton Woods. Build teams, collect sponsors, and register at www.5krun4life.org for this wonderful event, with events for serious athletes plus fun for all including families with children. Come celebrate spring, Mother's Day and God's precious Gift of LIFE! (www.5krun4life.org or 513-728-7870)



"We hold these truths to be self-evident, that all Men are created equal, that they are endowed by their Creator with certain unalienable Rights, that among these are Life, Liberty, and the pursuit of Happiness."

United States Declaration of Independence

New Billboards' Message of Hope

In collaboration with a generous donor and ChurchAds.net, Cincinnati Right to Life posted Christmas billboards in five Cincinnati locations, proclaiming a message of hope.

This simple illustration emphasizes that Jesus



Christ came to the world both human and divine, and in so doing, sanctified the birth process for every person. His birth is the message of Christ's Love for all, no matter our age, race, ability, poverty or wealth, or place or residence. Local news outlets covered the story, which was picked up in cities nationwide.

Elementary Students' Poster Contest

Right to Life of Greater Cincinnati is accepting submissions for our 9th Annual Right to Life Poster Contest for students in grades K-8. A 1st place \$25 prize plus 2nd and 3rd place ribbons are awarded for the winners in categories K-2, 3-5, 6-8., The deadline for entry is March 31. For entry forms and contest rules see www.CincinnatiRighttoLife.org or call Karen at the Right to Life office (513.728.7870, ext. 206).

Area Pro-Life Events

Son Rise Morning Show 740AM, every Tues., 7:20 a.m., pro-life radio news spot with host Brian Patrick & CRTL Exec. Dir. Paula Westwood. (sonrisemorning-show.blogspot.com)

HEART Post-Abortion Support Groups, begin Feb. 2011, location, dates and times provided to registered participants only; completely confidential (513/985-9959, heart@evecenter.org)

Helpers of God's Precious Infants Pro-Life Mass & Prayer Vigil at Planned Parenthood, Feb. 19, 26 & March 5, 19, 26, 23; 8 a.m. at Holy Name Church, Auburn Ave., Cincinnati; Feb. 12 & March 12, 8:30 a.m. at St. Teresa of Avila Church, Western Hills (513/984-6742)

First Saturday Pro-Life Rosary & Mass, March 5, 9 a.m., followed by coffee and speaker (513/522-7247)

Mary's Mantle 2nd Saturday Pro-Life Mass & Prayer Vigil at Planned Parenthood, Feb. 12 & March 12, 8 a.m. at Holy Name Church, Auburn Ave., Cincinnati (513/258-7620)

Third Friday Right to Life Mass, Feb.18 & March 18, noon; Our Lady of the Holy Spirit Center, Norwood, OH

Spring 40 Days for Life Campaign, begins March 9 – April 17 in front of Planned Parenthood, Auburn Ave., Cincinnati (513/791-4039, cincinnati.days40@live.com, www.40daysforlife.com/cincinnati)

Pregnancy Center West 27th Annual Luncheon, March 12, 11 a.m, The Farm, Anderson Ferry Rd., prizes, great food, raffle, silent auction, and more; \$20 (513/244-5700)

Cincinnati Right to Life Annual Meeting, March 16

Cenacle for Life, every Sun., 3-4 PM, The Church of the Resurrection, First St., Price Hill; including Eucharistic Adoration, Rosary and other prayers (513/922-4231, CenaclesofLife.org)

Thank you to all who donate in Memory of loved ones.

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Dr. Willke Writes

OBAMA ADMINISTRATION RELENTS ON STUDY:

A study showing that abstinence education works was not released by the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services. The study surveyed 1,000 adolescents and concluded that "adjusting for all other factors, parent and peer influences are more consistently associated with differences in adolescent's attitudes about sex and abstinence topics in a class or program," i.e., parental attitudes and advice are the most important. The Obama Administration does not support abstinence education, and this taxpayer-funded study and its results were withheld until public pressure initiated release.

ONE-MAN DEATH PANEL:

In July, President Obama ignored the U.S. Congress with a recess appointment and installed Donald Berwick as head of Medicare. This recess appointment overruled the Senate, which likely would not confirm a man who is an open advocate of medical care rationing. In the *Journal of the American Medical Association* (JAMA), Dr. Berwick wrote, "Most metropolitan areas in the U.S. should reduce the number of centers engaging in cardiac surgery, high-risk obstetrics, neonatal intensive care, organ transplantation, tertiary cancer care, high-level trauma care and high technology imaging." Berwick has been called a one-man death panel.

OBAMACARE LAWSUIT MAY PROCEED:

A federal judge in Florida has ruled that the lawsuit led by 20 U.S. States' Attorney Generals against the new national healthcare law may proceed to trial, over the objections of the U.S. federal government.

2009 OHIO ABORTION STATISTICS:

The most recent report, *Induced Abortions in Ohio*, gives the latest abortion statistics available, from 2009. According to the report, abortion numbers statewide are the lowest in 13 years at 28,721 (29,613 for 2008). The decreasing trend is also reflected in local counties. Hamilton County still has the third highest abortion total after Cuyahoga and Franklin Counties, but with a decrease to 2728 abortions in 2009 (3125 in 2008). Butler County numbers decreased to 707 (754 in 2008); Clermont County to 293 (321 in 2008); Warren to 244 (270 in 2008). Kudos to all who work to decrease, and one day end, abortion.

OHIO FETAL VIABILITY ABORTION BAN:

A bill has been introduced in the Ohio House of Representatives, to ban abortions after 24 weeks of pregnancy, or past 22 weeks if a test determines an unborn child is "viable" and can live outside the womb. The bill includes stringent standards for viability testing and a reporting requirement to hold physicians accountable for late term abortions permitted to save the life of the mother, with no exception related to the woman's mental health." Planned Parenthood's research arm, the Alan Guttmacher

Institute indicates that 1.5 % of abortions occur after the 21st week, and 88% within the first eight weeks of pregnancy. Ohio Right to Life executive director, Mike Gonidakis, estimates that the bill will save approximately 700 babies per year.

KENTUCKY JUDICIAL BYPASS:

The Kentucky Court of Appeals ruled in January that minors from other states may ask Kentucky judges to give them permission to have abortions without their parents' knowledge or consent. In a sealed 2-1 ruling, the majority said it was compelled to make the ruling despite "significant reservations" about allowing Kentucky judges to make such serious decisions for girls from other states.

ALL PLANNED PARENTHOODS MUST ABORT:

A Texas Planned Parenthood affiliate has disaffiliated from Planned Parenthood Federation of America because the national organization is requiring at least one facility in all its affiliates to perform abortions. Former Planned Parenthood affiliate executive director, Abby Johnson, testifies that superiors told her, "abortion needs to be your priority because that is where our money is."

SCHIAVO JUDGE RETIRES:

Judge G. Greer permitted disabled (not dying) Terri Schindler Schiavo's husband to disconnect her feeding tube and allow her to starve and dehydrate to death. Greer has retired from the bench, after receiving awards and praise for his deadly ruling.

Membership 2011

Right to Life of Greater Cincinnati exists to educate and inform the seven-county area of pro-life issues and concerns. Please renew or begin your membership today, as well as encourage others to do so. Membership levels start at \$10 individual, \$15 family, \$25 honorary, and \$100 patron. Your contribution will be used for Right to Life efforts, and all donors receive our monthly newsletter, all special mailings, and free use of the Right to Life resource libraries. Mail your membership today!

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