

APRIL 2023 LIFE REPORT

+In this report I will share with you the more significant recent events in local , legal, chemical abortion and Pro Life news. You can see this report on the OLL website.

LOCAL NEWS

+The Missouri Right to Life March for Life will be at Jeff City on Wednesday April 26 at the Capital. Go to Midwestmarchforlife.com for details. This all day event is worthy of your time to see and hear the life affirming speakers, meet with legislators and March for Life. We will carpool to Jeff City for the day. See the insert in Easter bulletin.

+ I received a letter from Mark Alford two months after I delivered to him the Roses for Life Petitions. He is proud to represent his ProLife constituents . He voted for the 11 Jan Born Alive Abortion Survivors Protection Act that passed. No new bills favoring Life.

LEGAL NEWS

+The House of Representatives controls the funds allocated in spending bills. The House actually appropriates the money. It is not automatic. Rep Chip Roy has sent a letter to the Appropriations Committee asking for language to defund the DOJ enforcement of the FACE Act. He referenced the 24 times it has been used against Pro Lifers without a conviction. Stay tuned.

+On 27 March Kansas AG Kobach asked the Kansas Supreme court to reverse its 2019 ruling creating a “right” to abort babies in the KS Constitution. The basis was that the US Supreme court ruled in 2022 that there is no right in the US Constitution to abortion.

+Wisconsin has had a ban on abortion since 1849. Pro Abortion advocates have sued to overturn the ban based on loss of revenue and hardship and access. The latest Wisconsin Supreme court election placed a leftist on the court and moved it from 3-3 to 4-2. The campaign spent \$ 10 million of the devils money. She wants unlimited abortion thru birth.

+ Michigan Gov Whitmer signed a bill to repeal a 1931 abortion ban and allow unlimited abortions without restrictions. Michigan kills 30,000 babies per year.

+New Mexico governor Grisham signed a bill on 5 April to legally protect abortionists . The law prohibits government staff from providing information or helping investigate and discipline abortionists from illegally killing babies. It fines anyone using electronic platforms to deter abortions or transgender mutilations. This attacks Pregnancy Centers, and any ProLife organization. Grisham like Pelosi claims to be a practicing Catholic.

+On 6 April Idaho Gov Little signed a bill that stops abortion trafficking of teenage girls to get a surgical or chemical abortion w/o knowledge of the parents. Penalty is 2-5 years in prison. LIFE WINS

+ Kansas passed the Born Alive Infant Protection Act that requires abortion survivors to be given the same care as babies born alive naturally . The bill passed by a 2/3rds majority. Of course Gov Kelly vetoed it. The veto was overridden. LIFE WINS

LIFE NEWS

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+On 29 Mar Students for Life was invited to host a forum at Virginia University. A mob of students and Antifa crashed the event. For 2 hours the mob violently destroyed equipment and assaulted Pro Life Students and speakers. Multiple students were injured. Campus police waited 30 minutes before stepping in. Instead of ousting the mob they removed the Students for Life . The Alliance Defending Freedom Attorneys have notified the University of a lawsuit with demands.

+On its 9th Anniversary , Sidewalk Advocates for Life recorded 20,000 babies saved. The group volunteers to go out to local abortion facilities and offer help and hope to women and families they meet. They provide intervention at 230 locations.

+Target stores now pay for employee abortions and travel expenses to other states. Target also provides group insurance plans that cover abortion. Further, Target donates money directly to Planned Parenthood. Consider who you or your family does business with.

+Alabama Senator Tommy Tuberville continues to block pentagon officers promotions . He has done so since February. He is fighting the DOD policy of taxpayers funding travel costs and time off for military and their families to take a trip to abort babies. The policy violates US Law.

+A Wisconsin district court grand jury has indicted a Wisconsin professor for the bombing of the Wisconsin Family Action Building in 2022. He was arrested on a plane to Guatemala while fleeing prosecution. He is the 3rd of 250 attackers on ProLife centers to be prosecuted. DOJ has arrested 2 others in Florida and indicted them for FACE violations. 247 to go.

+An abortion group called Elevated Access has been formed. They use volunteer pilots to fly women to abortion facilities in small planes. The devil finds donors to support this trafficking.

CHEMICAL ABORTIONS

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+ A Colorado mother took abortion pills at an abortion facility. She was a single unwed student. She immediately regretted it and contacted a Life Center to get the abortion reversal pill from a real doctor. She had a healthy baby boy. She told EWTN "It was unplanned for me, but it was God's plan for my baby." Since then Colorado passed a bill which would deny all women the abortion reversal pill. The bill also bans advertising by Pregnancy Resource Centers

+Washington state Gov has ordered /stored 30,000 mifepristone chemical abortion pills. The Dept of Corrections order was \$1.2 million of taxpayer funds. The Dept will distribute the pills. The purchase was called an insurance policy for when the Texas Federal Judge pulls the drug from the market. University of Washington also bought 10,000 pills. 9600 babies are killed in Washington every year.

BEST NEWS OF THE MONTH

+ On April 7 Federal Judge Matt Kazmarck ruled on a case brought in November by the Alliance Defending Freedom on behalf of 4 groups of doctors. The 67 page ruling suspended FDA approval of mifepristone, pulling it from the market. The ruling also bans mail order chemical mifepristone. Within 2 hours a Washington state judge stayed the ruling for 17 abortion states. The DOJ and FDA appealed 2 days later . The next higher appellate court is the 5th Circuit which approved the Texas abortion ban after Roe died. This court will likely uphold the ruling. With mifepristone pulled off the market 55% of abortions would stop. The FDA would start over on approval, likely 2 years out. **FOLKS THIS COULD BE A HUGE WIN FOR LIFE**

CLOSING

As Knights we agree that we must change the hearts and minds of mothers to choose Life. Lord Save the Unborn Children !!