

JULY 2021 LIFE REPORT

In this report I will share with you the more significant recent events in legal news, prolife news and local news.

LOCAL NEWS

+Missouri Right to Life – The next meeting of our local chapter of Missouri Right to Life will be at 7pm on 13 July here in Henderson Hall. We welcome any one to join and work to protect life. The web link is righttolife@missourilife.org . For further information contact Gary Wolz at gnwolz@att.net .

MRL has the mission to “promote the sanctity of all innocent life. “ Sounds like what we as Knights can and should support.

Gary Wolz is the President . Any words to the group Gary ?

PRO LIFE NEWS

+The Biden proposed 2022 budget removes the Hyde Amendment. The Hyde Amendment has for 45 years prohibited federal funds from being used for abortions thru Medicaid.

The Hyde Amendment saves 50 to 60,000 babies per year.

+Please go to the votervoice.net/USCCB home site . Therein the bishops have set up emails to our Representative Hartzler , Senator Blunt , Senator Hawley, and Biden where you can express your opinion on removing the Hyde Amendment. It takes less than five minutes.

+Chemical Abortions- a doctor in London, Dr Dermot Kearney publicly promotes the abortion reversal pill progesterone to counteract abortion drug mifepristone and save the baby. 68% of mothers who take the pill give birth to healthy babies. The abortion chain Maria Stopes International sells the abortion drug without restriction (as does Planned Parenthood) and forcefully tells clients the reversal pill doesn't work. Dr Kearney has been suspended from practicing medicine. There is a real risk of doctors who practice and prescribe the reversal pill to suffer the intense attacks from Planned Parenthood.

+In Spokane, Wa a newly formed Church called Church at Planned Parenthood holds Church services at the abortion shop , but after hours. The church members include state reps, 2 local churches and 4 pastors. Of course PP is asking a judge for an injunction. The new church also holds services outside abortion shops in Tennessee, Georgia and other states.

+Bill and Melinda Gates foundation will spend 1.4 billion dollars over the next 5 years paying for abortions by building a network of facilities worldwide plus sending abortion drug kits across the world. Buffett, Soros,Bloomberg, Bezos also donated totaling 5 billion which equates to 3 1/3 million abortions.

+ Planned Parenthood sex education programs distribute flyers in schools that lead students to believe the following are true :

You do not need to get parents permission for an abortion.

You are allowed to get a prescription for birth control without your parents permission.

You can buy condoms at any age.

You can buy the abortion pill at your pharmacy without a prescription at any age.

You can lawfully have intercourse at age 11.

Planned Parenthood has multiple lawsuits over these flyers . PP uses 3rd parties to teach sex education in schools , paid for by federal grants all without the parents knowledge or consent.

The Iowa Supreme court on 30 June upheld a 2019 law disqualifying PP from sex education grants and the related school sex education in 31 schools and 12 Youth groups . 8 other states have rejected PP as a sex education provider.

+Body Parts Research- On 26 June 137 Republicans sent a letter to Xavier Becerra demanding the HHS stop using tax dollars to fund experiments using baby parts to create humanized mice or to grow body parts.

LEGAL NEWS

+ Pelosi has blocked requests for a vote on the Bill to Ban Taxpayer Funded Abortions 35 times in July. The bill would make the Hyde Amendment permanent. This refusal is pure EVIL.

+On 2 July Louisiana governor John Edwards signed the Abortion Reversal Pill Disclosure Act. The bill requires abortion shops to inform women that the first abortion drug can be reversed and the baby saved if they change their mind and take progesterone protocol soon. The abortionist or pharmacy must provide a written disclosure statement to the mother to co—sign and keep before the second abortion pill is given.

+ Gov Parson signed the 2022 operating budget bills after the General Assembly passed renewal of the Medicaid Healthcare tax that funds Mo Medicaid. The bill SB1 extends the tax 3 years. It has language that prohibits Medicaid funds to pay for chemical abortions or devices inducing an abortion. Mo state law already bans Medicaid from funding surgical abortions. Gov Parson is preparing executive orders to remove Planned Parenthood as a Mo Medicaid provider. Planned Parenthood does the “bait and switch “ to get Medicaid Health Services money and then diverts it elsewhere.

+Mo Att General Eric Schmitt has petitioned the SCOTUS to overturn an 8th Circuit Court ruling to strike down the 2019 Mo law HB 216 Mo Stands for the Unborn. HB 216 prohibits abortion at 8 weeks after a heart beat is detected. The AGs petition relates to viability of the baby and the standard used. Roe held that viability was after 24 weeks . Today babies are viable after 14-15 weeks . The decision is expected summer of 2022.

If you ever get to hear Eric Schmitt speak, you will know for sure that he is ProLife.

+Ohio Gov Mike Dewine signed a bill that will fund \$6 million to ProLife Pregnancy centers. The bill also protects doctors and medical professionals from being forced to perform abortions. The bill requires insurance companies to create policies for businesses and religious organizations that do not include abortion coverage.

FYI- Mo provides \$60 million to our Pregnancy Centers .

+New Hampshire passed a bill that prohibits abortions after 24 weeks. Violators face felony charges of 7 years prison. New Hampshire is the 44th state to ban late term abortions .

+Sterling City, Tx on 24 June became the 32nd city in the US to enact a prolife ordinance that bans abortions within the city limits. It prohibits chemical and surgical abortions. It fines the abortionist and pulls their license. Planned Parenthood sues every sanctuary city. So far Federal Judges have thrown out all the suits. The ordinance stops PP from setting up abortion shops and shuts down the existing shops.

+On May 17 the Supreme Court agreed to hear Dobbs vs Jackson , a Mississippi law that bans abortions after 15 weeks. The crux of the argument is “viability”

Today's babies are viable after 14 weeks. In 1973 Roe v Wade was decided on viability in the 3rd trimester. This case could overturn Roe and move the legal authority back to the states . Pray for the case to start the path to major reductions in abortions. The SCOTUS will now hear arguments in September with a ruling as late as May/June of 2022

CLOSING

Archbishop Aquila of Denver , in response to pro abortion “Catholic “ politicians receiving the eucharist after publically supporting abortion thru birth. He said:

As Jesus said to the disciples , the road that leads to eternal life is narrow and those who take the wide road are headed for eternal damnation.

As Knights we agree that we must change the hearts of mothers to choose life.

A baby is God's opinion that Life Should go on.

Lord Save the Unborn Children