

JULY 2024 LIFE REPORT

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LOCAL NEWS

+National Day of Remembrance for Aborted Children is on September 14, 2024 We will have a respectful ceremony at the Knights memorial in our plot of 65 crosses. Plan to join us.

LIFE NEWS

+The signatures on the Abortion initiative are being certified. Here is a reminder of what we are fighting. What we are facing now in Missouri is pure evil : unlimited abortion on girls of any age-including late term abortions without parental consent with taxpayer money by non-medical people, with no recourse for women who are injured.

+‘I Was Gonna Be’ is a new Prolife song on the charts now by Rachel Holt. Look it up and play it often. It was paid for by Patriot Mobile.

+On 1 July a Boy Scout wrote a letter to the editor of National Right for Life. He shared his views on abortion. He summarized his position with 2 sentences. “In my opinion, abortion is a monstrosity-ending a life without a child’s choice. It’s destroying the future for a life that hasn’t had the chance to live.”How do we get this message to our young people? Let’s try.

+On July 2, Vote No on 4 was launched in Florida. Amendment 4 would create unlimited , unrestricted abortion thru birth. A 2 minute video titled Not What it Seems is now released and on TV.

+The unlimited abortion amendment is on the ballot in Colorado, Florida, Maryland, Nevada, New York, and South Dakota. Arkansa, Arizona, Missouri, Montana, and Nebraska are all out certifying signatures. We have to fight and educate folks on the ballot downside. What are we doing ?

+Nebraska voters put forth 205,000 signatures to put the “Protect Women and Children” petition on the November ballot. The initiative will create a constitutional amendment that would require parental notification and ban late

term abortion . The law would counter the pro aborts proposal that also would authorize taxpayer funded abortions. Nebraska is at 12 weeks ban on abortion.

LEGAL NEWS

+Eight people , including 75 year old Paulette Harlow, after FACE Act convictions for praying at abortion clinics, have been jailed by the Biden DOJ.

+The Biden DOJ , on 2 July sentenced Paul Vaughn to a year in federal prison using the FACE Act. His crime-praying and singing outside an abortion business with his 10 children , a year and a half ago. Thomas More Society is defending him. On 3 July Aleta Trouter, a judge in Tennessee overruled the DOJ and gave Paul 3 years probation. He will appeal the conviction. Folks we need a total change out of the Dept of Justice.

+As abortions in Indiana are down 98%, Planned Parenthood (PP) is suing Indiana Medical Licensing Board. The claim is that it is unconstitutional to let a licensed physician decide if the Life of the mother is in danger. PP tried this in Texas and failed. Stay tuned.

+For 18 months the FDA mifepristone issue has been litigating. On June 13 the US Supreme Court ruled that the Alliance for Medical Doctors did NOT have standing in the FDA mifepristone mail order case. SCOTUS ruled that the Doctors themselves weren't harmed. Thus they said the states could bring back the case as they represent those harmed. SCOTUS did not rule on the merits of the plaintiffs case. Mifepristone mailing still goes on despite the Comstock law. Kansas, Idaho, Missouri, and Texas have suits ready to file.

+On 16 June the US House of Representatives passed the Defense Funding bill with a provision BLOCKING the Pentagon from taxpayer funded abortions. Life Wins !

+The Iowa Supreme Court has upheld the "heartbeat law" They held that the Iowa Constitution has no right to abortion in it. Planned Parenthood lost again. Life Wins !

+Boone County Judge Brouck Jacobs has denied the Planned Parenthood (PP) petition to drop a suit brought by AG Bailey . The suit shows video of PP staff

explaining how they take girls out of Missouri every day for abortions. AG Bailey wants to end PP in Mo before the potential abortion ballot becomes law.

+On 17 June a Federal court in Louisiana protected Catholic employees from being forced to support employee abortions against their religious beliefs. The US Catholic Bishops vs EEOC suit challenged and prevailed against the illegal mandate. The EEOC attempted to twist the Pregnant Workers Fairness Act to be a law mandating employers to accommodate abortions vs providing workplace accommodations for expectant mothers.

+Senator Lankford and 20 other Republican US Senators asked for unanimous consent for the Conscience Protection Act on the Senate floor on 20 June. All of the democrats blocked it. The Act would protect health care workers and insurance plans from Biden Admin attack if they declined to participate in abortions . Remember this when you vote.

+The Biden HHS has twisted the Emergency Medical Treatment Act (EMTALA) to mandate that emergency rooms must do on demand elective abortions. Idaho has a law banning abortions which was suspended in Idaho courts. Idaho sued the US government. The SCOTUS declined the case. During hearings the US has now stated :1)Abortion is not required for care for mental conditions. 2) Conscience protections for doctors and hospitals apply in Emergency Rooms. The case goes back to the Idaho courts to argue ectopic , miscarriage and rape, all allowed in the Idaho law.

CHEMICAL ABORTION NEWS

+Anticipating a Trump win, 5 governors are using taxpayer funds to stockpile a 5 year reserve of mifepristone. Washington , NY, Calif, Oregon and Massachusetts. The existing Comstock Act prohibits shipping abortion pills via mail or couriers to users. The Biden admin refuses to enforce it.

CLOSING

The Catechism of the Catholic Church , paragraph 2271 states: “Since the first century the church has affirmed the moral evil of every abortion. This teaching is unchanged. Abortion either as an end or a means to end life is gravely contrary to moral law. “

