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ACTION ALERT!

Contact Sen. Jonathan Lindsay
at 517-373-3543 or email him at:
senjlindsey@senate.michigan.gov
Message: **Vote NO on SB 678-681**

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SPECIAL EDITION

While the 2022 Supreme Court decisions *Dobbs v. Jackson Women's Health Organization* means *Roe* and *Doe* are legally gone, we are still dealing with their terrible consequences today—and into the future.

In 2020, it is estimated by the Alan Guttmacher Institute that 930,160 abortions took place in the United States. That's 2,548 abortions every day; 106 abortions every hour; and nearly 2 abortions every minute.

Let us never forget the lives of the pre-born lost to abortion. Please join us in remembering the Unborn.

Sanctity of Human Life Sunday Service

Date: Sunday, January 21, 2024

Time: 2 pm

Speakers: Pastor Roger Sassaman
Pam Minor,
Pregnancy Helplines

St. Paul's Lutheran Church
585 W. Burr Oak
Centreville MI 49032

Michigan Senate takes up Assisted Suicide Bills

Michigan has protected the medically frail, vulnerable, and elderly by prohibiting doctors from prescribing assisted suicide drugs since 1998. Unfortunately, 10 other States and D.C. have legalized doctor prescribed death beginning with Oregon in 1997. We must make our voices heard and let our elected officials know that we do not want Michigan to join the ranks of states where our healers are turned into killers.

Points to Ponder....

Physician Assisted Suicide places the sick, vulnerable, elderly, and those living with disabilities at risk for coercion, abuse, and denial of care.

Prescribing lethal drugs to end someone's life is suicide/euthanasia. It is **NOT** "Death with Dignity" or "Medical Aid in Dying," regardless how supporters frame it.

These bills do nothing to improve or advance end of life care, and in fact instead of seeking to eliminate suffering, Physician Assisted Suicide seeks to eliminate those who suffer.

Hospice and palliative care should be offered to the terminally ill as a way to walk with the dying instead of abandoning them to self-inflicted death.

Assisted suicide is discriminatory—it singles out one segment of the population from the suicide prevention, resources, and services professionally required for everyone else.

For additional information, please see resources at: <https://bettercaremi.org/additional-resources/>

RTL St. Joseph 2024 Events

- April - Pregnancy Helpline Baby Shower with St. Clare, April 28
- Celebrating Babies in Sturgis – More info soon!
- June – Water Festival June 14 & 15
- July – Covered Bridge Days July 12 & 13

August 6 Primary—Please Vote Prolife!

- August – RiverFest August 16 & 17
- September – Day of Remembrance for Unborn September 22
- October – Dinner October 22

November 5 – ELECTION!!
Please vote Prolife!

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Right to Life of Michigan New President!

Amber Roseboom was elected the fourth president of Right to Life of Michigan. She has served as Vice President of Operations for RLM since July of 2022. She originally joined RLM in the late '90s, and then spent 20 years in the nation's capital in a variety of roles, including in the Bush Administration, and a communications and strategic planning expert for non-profit and for-profit organizations.

When asked about her role as the new president, Amber said, "There is no question that the days ahead present new challenges to the cause for life with threats to women, parental rights and children of all ages, including the unborn. Our objective at Right to Life is to ensure women who face a possible abortion are presented with the information, tools, and practical support that enable them to courageously make another choice—the choice for life."

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