



# Hope Women's Center

Summer 2022

## *From the Director*

What a year 2022 has been so far! Praise God for the overturn of Roe! However, it is not over and more than ever we must show the loving kindness of Christ. We, as Christians, must offer a greater level of love and support to those facing crisis pregnancy and families needing a hand up.

The increasing price of gas and food is making it harder than ever for families to make it without a little help. We have already seen an increase of clients coming for assistance and seeing clients that normally do not need our assistance but cannot find formula for their babies. I'm so thankful for God's faithfulness and how He continues to provide what is needed. We are truly blessed.

I'm thankful for my wonderful assistant, Tiffany Porter: she truly shows the love and kindness of Christ to all of our clients and helps keep me on track. I could not do this without her and our awesome volunteers. Also, I'm so thankful for a wonderful Board. Our board members truly love the Lord and want to see the Center thrive. As well, I'm truly grateful for all of you for your support of Hope Women's Center. Please continue to pray for us.

Serving Together,  
Glennon Britton

## *Walk for Life*

This will be our ninth year for the Walk for Life. We have been blessed with the community supporting us in the past and anticipate the same again this year. We will be walking (God willing) October 8, 2022, 10AM to noon at Covenant Reformed Baptist Church / Doodle Trail 1709 Arial Street Easley, SC. Registration Fee is \$20 which includes a T-shirt and water. (XXL T Shirt fee is \$23). Deadline for T-shirts is September 16. Deadline for getting sponsorship names on the T-

shirt is also September 16. Sponsor fee is \$100.00. All proceeds go to Hope Women's Center. This year The Knights of Columbus is graciously partnering with the Center to provide lunch. Hot dogs, chips and drink will be available after the run. Donations greatly appreciated! God has always proven Himself faithful in meeting our needs through this event. We need YOU to come support this ministry either as a walker or as a sponsor. If you are interested please call the Center for a registration form at 864-855-8500, or go to the website ([www.yourservant.com/hope](http://www.yourservant.com/hope)), print out a registration form and mail it to P.O. Box 225, Easley, SC 29641. We are so thankful for all those who come to walk in support of the unborn. Please pray this year will be successful. This is a great opportunity for entire Sunday School classes to come together and enjoy a morning of fun and fellowship for a Christ-centered cause. We look forward to seeing you there!!

## *Roe v. Wade*

It was a first in history, when SCOTUS reversed *Roe v. Wade* after 49 years of legalized abortion in the US. It was the return of law and the Constitution. It was a decision that would decentralize power into the states. But that's not the end of it: it's only the beginning. Will the social revolution continue with the vision of sex without procreation, sex without responsibility, 100% access to abortifacients? Will the dissolution of the family, of marriage continue? Will the churches engage a nationwide repentance on these matters? Thank God, three of five Supreme Court Justices went the right direction. But what will the voters do in November? And what will the churches do in response? Thirty percent of millennials call themselves homosexual and incredibly, the percentage isn't much different for

“born again Christians” (28%). The salt has lost its savor, now only fit for the dunghill (Matthew 5:13). The severity of the sins of abortion and homosexuality and the judgment of God have been too much ignored by the Christian church. We need to plead with God for true heart revival in our country. “Lord, I have heard the report about You and I fear. O Lord, revive Your work in the midst of the years, in the midst of the years make it known; in wrath remember mercy” (Habakkuk 3:2).

### *What We Offer*

- ❁ Pregnancy Test at no charge.
- ❁ Information concerning pregnancy/prenatal development.
- ❁ One on one peer counseling (relationship and abstinence).
- ❁ Long term counseling during pregnancy.
- ❁ Referrals to other Christian ministries and community agencies (medical, financial, shelter, homes, adoption).
- ❁ Maternity/baby clothes and supplies.

### *What You Can Do*

- \* Pray!
- \* Volunteer as a peer counselor.
- \* Take part in the baby bottle program.
- \* Donate maternity and baby needs.
- \* Tell others about Hope Women’s Center.
- \* Donate financially.

### *Baby Bottles*

We have had many churches doing baby bottles. Just pick up a baby bottle from the Center, either for yourself, your Sunday School Class or your Bible study group. At the end of the day, fill it with the loose change in your pocket or purse. You’ll be amazed at how quickly it fills. Then, return it to the Center. It is a great blessing for us to see so many bottles being brought in filled with money.

### *On Going Needs*

Hope Women’s Center tries to provide anything a baby up to the age of 24 months might need. As with any “family” our stock frequently needs to be replaced and often our needs vary.

Right now with the formula shortage we need formula; Gerber Soothe and Extensive HA, Enfamil AR and Nutramigen and Similac Alimentum. We need boys and girls pull-ups and to replenish our supply of boys and girls clothes and pajamas sizes 18 months to 2T. We always have a need for soap, shampoo, lotion, and other baby toiletries. Thank you ever so much for your consideration of these needs.

I pray that the eyes of your heart may be enlightened so that you will know what is the hope of His calling, what are the riches of the glory of His inheritance in the saints. – Ephesians 1:18

### *Your Gift Makes a Bigger Difference than You Think!*

Thank you to the many of you who support us with monthly, quarterly and yearly gifts. Because of you, lives are impacted and lives are saved through this ministry. Your gifts define the word “partnership,” which describes a union of people dedicated to a particular calling. In our case, we partner as we reach out to those facing unplanned pregnancies, presenting the hope of Jesus Christ as we offer life-affirming alternatives to abortion. These are two of the highest callings imaginable and together we are indeed partners!

### *SC Legislation*

The second regular session of the 124th South Carolina General Assembly has adjourned pursuant to the provisions of S. 1325, the *Sine Die* Resolution. They will not reconvene until January. Please be sure to exercise your right to vote in November, remembering that the men and women elected will be the ones making the laws for us come January. Be much in prayer for our Governor and our legislators.