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Director's Note

I can hardly believe we are on the one-year anniversary of the overturn of Roe v. Wade, it seems like it was just last month. I remember putting out a plea, in last summer's newsletter that we, as Christians, must offer a greater level of love and support to those facing crisis pregnancy and families needing a hand up. Well, you all did not disappoint! Our faithful supporters, both monetary and in-kind, have shown so much Christ filled love by making sure Hope Women's Center had what was needed to help our clients.

We are so blessed, and God has truly used His children to provide for those in need. Thank you all so much for the greater level of love and support you have shown for Hope Women's Center and our clients. Please continue to pray for the ministry. God bless you! Serving Together,

Glennon Britton

Walk for Life

This will be our 10th 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) September 30th, 2023, 10 AM to 12 PM at Covenant Reformed Baptist Church/Doodle Trail 1709 Arial Street Easley, SC. Registration Fee is \$25 which includes a T-shirt and water. (XXL + is \$28). Deadline for T-shirts is Sept 16th. Deadline for getting sponsorship names on the T-shirt is Sept 16th, S ponsor fee is \$100.00. All proceeds go to Hope Women's Center. Donations are 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, runner or as a sponsor. If you are interested, please call the Center for a registration form at 864-855-8500, or go to our website at https://www.hopewomenscenterinc.org/walkfor-life, you can print out a registration form and mail it to P.O. Box 225, Easley, SC 29641 or register online. The Walk and 3K Run is family friendly for all ages and a great way to involve your family in supporting the sanctity of life!

We look forward to seeing you there!

On Going Needs

- Baby Toiletries
- Boys & Girls clothes (18 months 2T)
- Girls Sleepers (0-3, 3-6 & 6-9 months)
- Diapers (sizes 4, 5 & 6)
- Pull-ups 4T/5T
- Formula:
 - o Gerber Soothe & Gentle
 - Enfamil AR & Nutramigen
- Pre-Natal Vitamins

What You Can Do

- Pray for the Center, staff, volunteers and families that come through our doors
- Donate needed items
- Tell others about Hope Women's Center
- Take part in the Baby Bottle Campaign
- Donate Financially

Baby Bottle Campaign

The Baby Bottle Campaign is a way for Churches, businesses, organizations, or groups to have their employees/members directly provide financial support to the ministry of Hope Women's Center. 100% of the funds go directly to Hope Women's Center and are used to transform lives and save babies. The bottles also raise awareness for those in our community about the impact Hope Women's Center has in saving lives of babies and supporting their mothers.

If you have participated in our campaigns in the past, you know how easy, successful and encouraging it can be in promoting the pro-life message. If you have not, please know that it is never too late to join! Our prayer is that all participants will be educated about the sanctity of life and know that they are making an eternal impact on the lives of the people we serve. You can be part of this vital ministry by participating in this campaign.

It's so easy!

- 1. Come pick up bottles from Hope Women's Center
- 2. Distribute baby bottles to be filled with coins, cash or checks
- 3. Gather the bottles back up
- 4. Return the bottles to Hope Women's Center

You can help enable us to continue the work God entrusted us with. Let's get started.



"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." (Eph 1:18, NKJV)

Every baby brings into the world...a Song that has never been sung, a Hope that has never been quenched, a Chance to Love and be Loved and a complete Faith in us for protection. **Your Gift Makes a Bigger Difference than You Might 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!

What does the Bible say about the unborn?

The Bible is far from silent on the topic of the sanctity of human life, especially preborn life in the womb.

"Thus says the LORD, your Redeemer, And He who formed you from the womb: "I *am* the LORD, who makes all *things*, Who stretches out the heavens all alone, Who spreads abroad the earth by Myself;" (Isaiah 44:24, NKJV)

"For You formed my inward parts; You covered me in my mother's womb." (Psalms 139:13, NKJV)

"Before I formed you in the womb I knew you; Before you were born I sanctified^[a] you; I ordained you a prophet to the nations." (Jeremiah 1:5, NKJV)

"But when it pleased God, who separated me from my mother's womb and called *me* through His grace," (Galatians 1:15, NKJV)

"And it happened, when Elizabeth heard the greeting of Mary, that the babe leaped in her womb; and Elizabeth was filled with the Holy Spirit." (Luke 1:41, NKJV)

The Lord Jesus Christ began his incarnation as an embryo, growing into a fetus, infant, child, teenager and adult.

"So it was, that while they were there, the days were completed for her to be delivered. And she brought forth her firstborn Son, and wrapped Him in swaddling cloths, and laid Him in a manger, because there was no room for them in the inn." (Luke 2:6 - 7, NKJV)