

CPLC Ministry Update

Activity for February 2009

<p>Convert-to-Life - Antoinette Wilson</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 32 women turned away from the five Dallas abortion centers; 12 hopeful turnaways. YTD Totals for 2009: 60 turnaways, 25 hopefuls. • Abortion clients at all centers: 1,359. Accepted SWC literature: 32.74%, accepted aftercare literature: 8.46%. CTL coverage at all centers: 100%. 	<p>Abortion After-Care-Healing - Caryn Stevens</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Received a total of 8 calls on the 214-544-CARE helpline, 11 calls on the 972-679-4760 Spanish helpline and 13 emails through www.racheldallas.org for information on help and healing and the ministry. • Continued to help with preparations for the Rachel's Vineyard Regional Training Conference to be held in Ft. Worth in May 2009. • Trained and put into service two new volunteers as helpline receptionists and Rachel's Vineyard Retreat™ team members. 	<p>Project Gabriel - Patty Sherrod</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1 baby born to a Gabriel mom, 3 moms paired with Gabriel Angels and 101 972-BABY DUE calls received at the White Rose Women's Center. YTD Totals for 2009: 7 babies, 5 pairings, 204 calls. • Commissioned 14 new Angels at St. Francis Anglican Church, Dallas. • Held a GEMS class on "Adoption: The Gift of Life and Love" at St. Joseph, Richardson
<p>Parish Coordination - Jim Walker</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Worked on USCCB Fight FOCA Postcard Campaign with Parish Coordinators. • Welcomed new Parish Coordinators, Erica Saz, St. Edward, Macaria Gonzalez, Nuestra Señora del Pilar, Lupita Assad, St. Luke, Irving (Spanish), Meg Fowler, St. William, Greenville. • Finalized deliveries and counting for the Fall Baby Bank campaign. 	<p>Prayer Ministry - Jacquelyn Dudasko</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Coordinated upcoming Quarterly Mass and Rosary Procession at Saint Gabriel, McKinney with procession to North Park. • Attended meeting for Roe event planned for January 2010 • Coordinated monthly Mass for requests from CPLC website. 	<p>Speakers Bureau - Sheree Havlik</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Spoke to 236 students on Abortion, Chastity, Life Issues, and Character at St. Patrick, Immaculate Conception, Good Shepherd, St. Joseph, Richardson, St. Peter the Apostle Church, Fort Worth, and St. Ignatius College Preparatory School, Arlington. • Spoke to 234 adults at St. Ann Church, Coppell, St. Edward, Cathedral Shrine of the Virgin of Guadalupe, St. Jude, Allen, and a Gabriel Angel training session on Chastity and the Life Issues. • Sheree was Dave Palmer's guest on the Guadalupe Radio Network promoting the CPLC Speakers Bureau. • Travelled to Austin to lobby state representatives to promote pro-life bills in the Texas Legislature. • Year-to-date stats for 2008/09: 1049 adults; 1757 students.
<p>Youth For Life - Jacquelyn Smith</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pure Reality on February 8th was a HUGE success with 1000 youth and adults in attendance! • Coordinated Chris Stefanick to speak at Bishop Lynch High School • Held tamale sales at St. Rita and St. Thomas Aquinas. • Mailed letters to youth ministers to recruit volunteers for the Bishop's Pro-Life Dinner. • Had a YFL booth at the Texas Students for Life College Conference. 	<p>Spanish Ministry - Aurora Tinajero</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Met with Father Wilmer Daza to plan a Spanish Diocesan-wide Marriage Congress for diocesan couples. • Met with the <i>Quinceañera</i> candidates from Good Shepherd Church to discuss the topics "The Dignity of Life" and "Abortion." • Participated in a teleconference call discussing plans for 2nd Annual National Hispanic Pro-Life Congress in San Antonio. • Led the Spanish Ministry team in planning a post-congresso seminar for parishes who wish to start pro-life groups. 	<p>Civic Action - Ron Engler</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Supported the USCCB FOCA Postcard Campaign in parishes. • Worked with the Catholic Action Team (C.A.T.) to determine long-term goals and strategies. • Supported College Pro-Life Lobby Day in Austin. • Prepared for the March 21 CAT Training.