

CPLC Ministry Update

Activity for January 2015

Convert-to-Life - Joanne Underwood

- 56 women turned away from the three Dallas abortion centers; 35 hopeful turnaways. YTD Totals: 56 turnaways, 35 hopefuls.
- Abortion clients at all facilities: 2,736; accepted SWC literature: 16.2%; accepted aftercare literature: 28.77%. Total coverage at all facilities: 100%.
- **Assisted in coordinating Roe Memorial Rosaries with approximately 250 attending.**
- Spoke to 80 students from Collin County and Richland Community Colleges.

Abortion AfterCare-Healing - Eileen Kuhlmann

- Received 7 calls on English helpline, 1 on Project Joseph helpline, 12 on Spanish helpline, and 2 emails.
- **Presented Project Joseph to Knights of Columbus, Post-abortion Healing to 50 at Divine Mercy-Mesquite, and ambo talks following all St. Elizabeth Ann Seton-Plano Masses; assisted in coordinating Life Issues talks to seminarians.**
- Conducted Rachel's Vineyard™ Retreat #32 in Spanish with 15 people attending.
- Staffed information table at the Roe Memorial / North Texas March for Life Ministry Fair.

Project Gabriel - Patty Sherrod

- 75 calls received on the 972-BABY-DUE helpline answered at the White Rose Women's Center. YTD Total: 75.
- Three moms referred to Project Gabriel and one paired with an Angel. YTD Totals: 3 referrals, 1 pairing.
- One baby born to Gabriel mom. YTD Total: 1 birth.
- **Held a Gabriel Angel "Refresher Course" introducing 13 Angels to new technology and resources in Project Gabriel.**
- Held a team meeting to finalize plans for the GEMS spring semester beginning February 21.

Spanish Ministry - Aurora Tinajero

- Gave Life Issues talk to RCIA parents at Mary Immaculate, Farmers Branch.
- Assisted with bilingual Roe Memorial Mass and provided educational materials at Roe Memorial / North Texas March for Life Ministry Fair.
- **Gave presentation at Latinos por la Vida March for Life Conference in Washington, D.C.**
- Gave Character talk to CCD students at Mary Immaculate-Farmers Branch.

Prayer Ministry - Susan Platt

- Continued planning for 2015 Roe Memorial Events including convention center site visits and planning meetings with Diocesan Office of Worship and CPLC staff and volunteers.
- **Helped coordinate Roe Memorial Events with over 5,000 attendees at Mass and 12,000 marchers in the North Texas March for Life.**
- Coordinated dates and locations for Quarterly Masses and Rosary Processions with Convert-to-Life / Sidewalk Counseling Ministry.

Speakers Bureau - Sheree Havlik

- **Gave 31 presentations to 914 students at Mount St. Michael, St. Michael-McKinney, St. Maria Goretti, St. Mark, St. Joseph-Richardson, OLPH School, Nuestra Señora del Pilar, Mary Immaculate, Prince of Peace on Abortion, Life Issues, Chastity, Character, March for Life, Five Non-Negotiables, Life: The Greatest Gift.**
- Gave 8 presentations to 292 adults at Redemptoris Mater and Holy Trinity Seminaries, Mary Immaculate, St. Rita, UNTHSC Medical School, and Nuestra Señora del Pilar on Bioethics, End-of-Life Issues, Life Issues, Foundations of Life, 5 Non-Negotiables, Women's Mental Health after Abortion, and Talking to Your Kids about Sexuality.

Youth For Life - Jacquelyn Smith

- Set dates for Boot Camp 2015 (June 26-28 and July 24-28).
- Held a YFL Leadership Council Meeting.
- **Met with a Catholic Girl Scout to help guide her Gold Award pro-life project.**
- Staffed information table at Roe Memorial Fair.
- Prepared for YFL Pro-Life Lobby Days in Austin and researched 2016 DC March for Life trip.

Civic Action - Susan Platt

- **Participated in planning meetings for Catholic Faith in Action Advocacy Day on March 24.**
- Followed litigation in San Antonio postponing opening of new Planned Parenthood mega abortion facility.
- Continued monitoring 5th Circuit Court of Appeals for anticipated ruling on HB 2 provisions.
- Tracked life issues through social media.

Parish Coordination - David Carr

- Continued planning the February Parish Pro-Life Coordinators Meeting at Our Lady of Angels-Plano and encouraged attendance at subsequent Advocacy Day training.
- **Worked with the Knights of Columbus to help as marshals, ushers, and color corps escorts at the 2015 Roe Memorial Mass and North Texas March for Life.**