

# CPLC Ministry Update

## Activity for May 2011

### ***Convert-to-Life - Joanne Underwood***

- 55 women turned away from the five Dallas abortion centers; 45 hopeful turnaways. YTD: 351 turnaways, 210 hopefuls.
- Abortion clients at all centers: 1,540. Accepted SWC literature: 17.08%; accepted aftercare literature: 32.5%. Total coverage at all centers: 100%.
- Met with Lieutenants Ham and Andrews of the Dallas Police Department on CPLC presence at Robinson's and Southwestern abortion centers.

### ***Abortion AfterCare-Healing - Fonda Luersman***

- Received a total of 14 calls on the 214-544-CARE helpline, approximately 15 calls on the 972-679-4760 Spanish helpline, and 7 emails through racheldallas.org for information on post-abortion help and healing.
- Spanish Rachel billboard went up on Interstate 20.
- Radio spots offering hope and healing through AAC-H completed and playing on KLTY and The WORD beginning May 22nd for 8 weeks.
- Preparations for upcoming June 24-26 Spanish Rachel's Vineyard Retreat™, and July 29-31 English Rachel's Vineyard Retreat™.

### ***Project Gabriel - Patty Sherrod***

- 1 baby born to a Gabriel mom
- 1 mom paired with a Gabriel Angel
- 139 calls to 972-BABY-DUE, answered at the White Rose Women's Center
- Hired Alexandra Cossé as the new Gabriel Angel Coordinator.
- Held final GEMS classes of the spring semester on Christian Parenting.
- Began plans for August Gabriel Angel Training at St. Jude, Allen.

### ***Civic Action - Ronda Moreland***

- Ronda Moreland began as new Civic Action Coordinator on May 2nd.
- Participated in weekly conference calls with Texas pro-life leaders and activists regarding legislative developments.
- Celebrated the final passage of two key pro-life bills, the Sonogram Bill and the Choose Life License Plate Bill.
- Traveled to Austin May 12th to visit legislators' offices about bills to defund Planned Parenthood in Texas.
- Presented Legislative Update at Quarterly Parish Pro-Life Coordinator Meeting.
- Ronda and Becky Visosky accompanied Karen Garnett to the Governor's Signing Ceremony for the Sonogram Bill.

### ***Prayer Ministry - Tom Grossman***

- Spoke at St. Gabriel Church Pro-Life Group in McKinney about prayer and the pro-life movement.
- Preparing new prayer partner initiative at local abortion centers; unveiled initiative at Quarterly Parish Pro-Life Coordinator Meeting and sought volunteers.
- Held Life Front meetings on Tuesday nights at St. Joseph; scheduled Dr. Andrew Gill as a speaker at June 28th Life Front meeting on the topic of same-sex attraction.
- Attended the annual Cemetery of the Innocents Observance at Calvary Hill Cemetery.

### ***Speakers Bureau - Sheree Havlik***

- Spoke to 107 students at St. Cecilia School and Our Lady of Angels Church on Character, Abortion and Chastity.
- Spoke to 50 adults/parents at a Chastity Seminar hosted by Our Lady of Angels Church in Allen.
- Held a Speaker Training Workshop on May 21st at St. Monica for 26 prospective speakers.
- Prepared annual mailing to principals, teachers, DREs and Youth Ministers for 2011-12 school year.

### ***Youth For Life - Jacquelyn Smith***

- Finalized all 2011 Pure Reality Chastity Rally related follow-up.
- Gave Boot Camp promotional talk to youth at St. Michael in Garland.
- Began final preparation for and promoted 2011 Two-Session Pro-Life Boot Camp.

### ***Spanish Ministry - Aurora Tinajero***

- Gave a teaching on Abortion to Spanish Pro-Life Group at St. Ann Parish in Coppell.
- Held a meeting at Nuestra Señora del Pilar with Pro-Life Group to discuss upcoming "5 Non-Negotiables" teachings.

### ***Parish Coordination - Jim Walker***

- Held Quarterly Parish Pro-Life Coordinator Meeting at St. Joseph, Richardson.
- Welcomed new Parish Pro-Life Co-Coordinator, Christina Roma, Santa Clara, Dallas.
- Picked up final Baby Banks from 2010-11 Campaign; \$89,000.00 raised so far.