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Why Do Democrats Hate the Mexico City Policy?

As we knew he would, and following the lead of Democrat presidents Bill Clinton and Barack Obama, President Biden reversed the Mexico City policy, once again forcing U.S. taxpayers to fund abortion overseas.

Why is the Democrat Party so enamored of abortion that its leaders want to export its poison ideology to other countries?

Simple. It's the same reason they've vowed to repeal the Hyde Amendment and failed to pass a law protecting newborn survivors of abortion. It's what Planned Parenthood wants.

The Mexico City policy, which dates back to the administration of President Ronald Reagan, denied *continues on page 2*



Fr. Frank Pavone and Bryan Kemper march behind the banner at the scaled-down 2021 March for Life



Bryan Kemper, Janet Morana and Fr. Frank Pavone at the 2021 March for Life

Born-Alive Bill and the 2022 Elections

The reintroduction of the Born-Alive Abortion Survivors Protection Act provides a great opportunity for Americans who value the sanctity of life to get to work on the 2022 elections.

This bill strengthens protection for children who survive abortion. The fact that this happens, and that existing protections are inadequate, can be studied at BornAlive.US.

We know that the Democrat-controlled House and Senate of the 117th Congress will not pass this legislation, even though it does not restrict abortion. It's simply an acknowledgment that *Roe vs. Wade* was about babies in the womb, not outside the womb.

Our job now is to challenge our elected representatives and senators to support this bill, or to explain to the voters why they don't. Democrats have already voted against it in February. Let's not allow voters to ignore it.

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funding to international family planning organizations that performed or promoted abortion.

The policy was expanded under President Trump to include organizations working in all areas of global health and was renamed Protecting Life in Global Health Assistance (PLGHA).

Abortion advocates call the policy the “global gag rule” and insisted it would negatively impact the health of people around the world. Analysis of its impact showed that it did no such thing.

A review last summer (PriestsForLife.org/plgha.pdf) revealed that the U.S. maintained global health assistance to 98 percent of the overseas healthcare organizations that received funding prior to the policy’s implementation. Two notable exceptions were organizations that preferred abortion to U.S. health assistance.

Those two organizations? The International Planned Parenthood Federation and MSI Reproductive Choices (formerly Marie Stopes International). They want their money back, and after Planned Parenthood pledged to spend \$45 million to elect Biden and other Democrats in 2020, the party was beholden to the nation’s biggest abortion seller.

And so on Jan. 27, Biden paid his debt to Planned Parenthood. The responsibility for the blood of the babies killed and the damage done to families by these abortions rests upon him and all who voted for him.

National Pro-Life T-Shirt Day Is April 27

Stand True, the youth outreach of Priests for Life, is getting ready to relaunch National Pro-Life T-Shirt Day on April 27.

2 The new effort will establish three days each year when pro-lifers around the country will be urged to proclaim their pro-life beliefs on a t-shirt. National Pro-Life T-Shirt dates for October and January 2022 will be announced later in the year.

Stand True founder and Priests for Life Youth Outreach Director Bryan Kemper is leading the initiative that is actually a perfect fit: He has been designing pro-life shirts for years, and wears one just about every day.

“Pro-life t-shirts are conversation starters,” Bryan said. “It’s rare that I will go through a full day without getting a comment on one of my shirts. Some people are supportive and some say they think abortion should be legal. It’s with that second group of people that I have had my most fruitful conversations. I’ve found that very often, these people had never before had a conversation with a pro-lifer. I know that eyes have been opened and minds have been changed.”

To see our new and existing t-shirt designs, go to ProLifeProducts.org and make sure to order a shirt in time for April 27.

‘Pink Wave’ Carries Record Number of Republican Women to the House

The number of Republican women serving in the House and Senate increased from 22 in 2018 to 36 in 2021. Many of them flipped seats in blue districts, including 10 of the 14 seats to change parties in the House.

Rep. Kat Cammack, R-Florida, whose mother was advised to abort her, told Christian Broadcasting Network “We’re going to be very, very vocal on the issue of abortion and pro-life issues, and using that platform as the youngest Republican woman in the country, I think it’s important because I think it is really my peers, my generation that is most impacted by the issue of abortion.”

At 32, Rep. Kat is the youngest member of the incoming Republican House delegation.

Other new Republican women include the first Iranian-American in the House, Oklahoma’s Stephanie Bice, one of the first Korean-American women in Congress, California’s Michelle Steel, and the first Republican Native American woman, New Mexico’s Yvette Herrell. All of these women have big plans for their first term.

Rep. Nicole Malliotakis, representing Staten Island and part of Brooklyn, will serve on the House Foreign Affairs Committee. “I’ll work to build on President Trump’s trade & peace deals,” she Tweeted, “support freedom & democracy throughout the world, hold China accountable and support policies that put #AmericaFirst.

The Annunciation and the Unborn By Fr. Frank Pavone

The Feast of the Annunciation, March 25 has a special importance for the pro-life movement.

The significance exists on several levels.

The Annunciation, when the Virgin Mary is told that she has been chosen to be the Mother of the Savior, constitutes the moment when “the Word became Flesh.” The eternal Son of God began existing as a human being not at His birth at Bethlehem, but within the womb of Mary.

God was once an unborn child. Every unborn child, therefore, is in some fashion united with God. As the Second Vatican Council asserted, “By his incarnation the Son of God has united himself in some fashion with every human being” (Pastoral Constitution on the Church in the Modern World (GS), 22).

There is also the mystery of Mary’s freedom, her “Fiat” -- “Let it be done to me according to your word” (Lk. 1:38). This is freedom of choice which serves the truth, as opposed to “pro-choice” which claims to create its own truth. This is choice at the service of life, rather than the perverted choice to take life.

The Annunciation is celebrated in some countries as the Day of the Unborn Child, and that would be a great observance for us as well. It was also on this day, in 1995, that St. John Paul II issued that great encyclical *The Gospel of Life*. This would be a good occasion to read it, along with our study guide, at GospelOfLife.org.

Let us celebrate the Annunciation with greater solemnity and recommit ourselves to love and serve the weakest among us!

See PriestsForLife.org/Annunciation.

Priests for Life at the United Nations

Our International Outreach team will be actively involved, as it is every year, in the United Nations 65th Session of the Commission on the Status of Women, March 15 thru 26. This year’s session will again be virtual and the theme is “Women in Public Life – Equal Participation in Decision-Making”. Priests

for Life submitted a new statement urging action to “end prenatal sex selection abortion recognized in the Beijing Platform for Action as an unethical act of violence and discrimination against women and girls that begins the cycle of violence that impacts women and girls throughout their lives.” The full statement is available at PriestsForLife.org/03-21-csw.pdf.

Please leave us your prayer intentions, as many as you have and as often as you like, at PrayerIntentions.org, and we will remember you in our prayers and Masses!

ProLifePrayers.com is our main prayer website. Visit there often for prayer campaigns, intentions, and resources.

March intention: For the success of efforts to represent the pro-life message in the secular media.

April intention: That God may strengthen the clergy and laity who suffer ridicule and rejection for their pro-life convictions.

March 25: Annunciation (PrayerCampaign.org/Annunciation)

March 31: Anniversary of the death of Terri Schiavo (PrayerCampaign.org/Terri)

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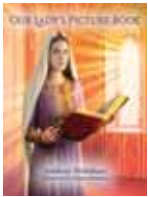
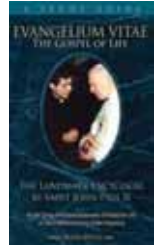
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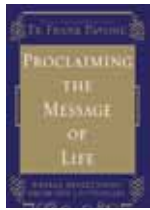
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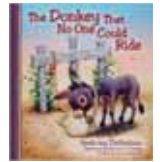
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