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Praise for our Work

"The man, the myth, the legend...Fr. Frank Pavone! A crusader for the pro-life cause, a zealous priest, and a man I desire to imitate. The 800 plus people in



attendance at the conference today gave him the longest and most heart-felt standing ovation I have ever seen given to any speaker. It truly moved my heart. And he deserves every bit of it. Thank you, brother, for being a priest of Jesus Christ, a defender of

babies, and an example to your brother priests. May your reward in Heaven be great!" - Fr. Donald Calloway, MIC [re: Divine Mercy Conference, July 2022, Temecula, CA]

The most important elections ever for the pro-life cause

Erin Parfet, Political Outreach Associate

August has been a busy month in the political world, with a whirlwind of late summer primaries wrapping up the majority of the primary season – though a few primaries do linger into September. There has also been a flurry of activity regarding post-Roe state legislative updates, court injunctions, and a critical vote in Kansas on a constitutional amendment regarding abortion, with more of these amendments to come in various states not only in the General Election but the months and years to come.

Even if your state has already had a primary, we need to gear people up to vote for the General Election on

November 8 like never before. President Biden said that abortion is on the ballot this November, and indeed it is – though not in the way the Democrats hope. Their abortion extremism is a losing issue, and we have to continue to expose it.

Meanwhile, since the Courts will no longer so easily block pro-life laws, the time is more urgent than ever to elect pro-life lawmakers. This is the moment we as a pro-life movement have been waiting for. In the post-Roe world, we are learning it isn't just pro-life legislatures, pro-life governors and a pro-life Congress that matters (and we have to fight in all those arenas against pro-abortion laws), but also pro-life city council members, pro-life mayors, pro-life judges, and pro-life school boards.

Voter registration deadlines and early voting for the General Election will be starting in your state soon. You can find details for your state at StateElectionCalendar.org.

We need more elections volunteers to help spread the word about the different activities going on in all the states. We cannot do this without you. To get involved, please sign up at ProLifeVolunteer.com or email Erin at vote@priestsforlife.org.

The next election volunteer's meetings will be September 7, 13, 20, and 26 at 7:30pm ET on Zoom.

Dobbs: A decision heard around the world

Parliamentary Network for Critical Issues (Priests for Life)

Global reaction to the Supreme Court of the United States' (SCOTUS) decision in Dobbs has been mixed and can be described as either instilling hope or fear. Pro-life advocates are experiencing renewed hope as the Dobbs decision brings courage to national pro-life movements while pro-abortion activists respond with fear that the pro-life judicial victory which restored the right to make laws on abortion to

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elected representatives could impact their countries. On the day of the decision, Brazil issued a statement declaring that Brazil “defends life and family as Constitutional precepts” and reiterated that it promotes the right to life, from conception to natural death.

Thousands of Spaniards took to the streets in celebration. A former Minister of the Interior called the Supreme Court ruling “an element of hope and of the future” and “that with the laws that destroy human nature no future is built.”

Pro-life leaders across Latin America joyfully welcomed the Supreme Court’s decision. A pro-life leader in Mexico said the ruling sends a strong message to Latin America that “it’s possible to reverse the trend toward abortion in the laws and courts” and that it sends a message that “we must participate in the elections for government officials and the appointment of judges who respect human life at all times.”

The president of the leading pro-life organization in El Salvador said that the decision “will undoubtedly have a positive impact on Latin America.” In Ecuador, a pro-life leader exclaimed, “We have seen light in the midst of darkness!” She called the decision a perfect moment and said that it “strengthens the entire pro-life community in the world, where many countries have recently had unconstitutional attacks, unjust laws, and despite everything, today the United States gives us a wake-up call that rouses our convictions more than ever.” In South Korea, Bishop Linus Lee Seong-hyoof Suwon said that the U.S. ruling is a clarion call for the nation to change its abortion policy stating, “Life is innate and is a dignity that no one can invade through any ideology.”

Meanwhile, pro-abortion activists throughout Latin America are protesting the Dobbs decision by waving green scarves and working to overturn pro-life laws in a ‘green wave.’

Pro-abortion lawmakers in the European Parliament reacted with fear and passage of a non-binding resolution that strongly condemns the Dobbs decision. They called for abortion to be recognized as a “right” in the European Union Charter of Fundamental Rights and for all EU countries to legalize access to abortion. They also expressed fear that the decision will influence the development of “sexual and reproductive rights” in other parts of the world.

Regrettably, while speaking at the 10th Africa Conference

on Sexual Health and Rights, President Bio of Sierra Leone spoke favorably of a bill to legalize abortion that his government is advancing. He referenced the SCOTUS decision saying: “At a time when sexual and reproductive health rights for women are either being overturned or threatened, we are proud that Sierra Leone can once again lead with progressive reforms.”

PNCI will continue to monitor actions on laws and policies around the world that affect the lives of children alive in the womb but not yet born and their mothers.

The Parliamentary Network for Critical Issues (PNCI) works internationally as part of the Priests for Life family of ministries. Visit www.PNCIus.org.

Janet Morana’s new book on abortion offers educators a new tool

A new teaching tool is available to educators in schools and parishes who want to equip teens and tweens with information about abortion.

Janet Morana’s new book, *Everything You Need to Know About Abortion – For Teens*, provides age-appropriate, factual information about the child in the womb and the violence of the procedure that ends the life of nearly 900,000 children a year. Her strong, impactful and practical message leaves no doubt that abortion is not only non-essential, but harmful.

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Priests for Life once again took part in Italy’s annual “March for Life” in Rome which was held on May 21. Pictured is Bob Lalonde, Director of International Activities.

New book on abortion offers educators a new tool

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"Lives will be saved as a result of the Supreme Court overturning Roe v. Wade but abortion is still very much with us, especially in states like California, New York, Vermont, Illinois and some others," Mrs. Morana said. "Kids are hearing about abortion more than ever before, and if they're getting their news from the Left, they are not hearing the truth. My book tells it like it is."

The book should appeal to teachers, religious educators, youth pastors and anyone else who works with young people. This book is endorsed by Bishop Joseph Strickland, Bishop Joseph Coffey, Sister Dede Byrne, and many other prominent Catholic and pro-life leaders.

A bulk discount is being offered and as a special bonus, Mrs. Morana will do a free Zoom meet-the-author and Q&A with groups that have read the book.

Tan Books published *Everything You Need to Know About Abortion – For Teens* in April and sales have been brisk. To learn more about the book and to place an order, go to www.AbortionandTeens.com

Pro-life T-Shirt Day (Oct. 4) and Day of Silent Solidarity (Oct. 18)

In October, pro-lifers can take part in two activities to make it clear where they stand when it comes to protecting the unborn.

October 4 will be the third and final 2022 National Pro-Life T-shirt Day. Priests for Life Youth Director Bryan Kemper started the day in 1993 as a way to encourage pro-life youth to become involved in the movement in a more visual way.

Priests for Life is offering another brand-new t-shirt this year which you can order on page 4 or at www.prolifeproducts.org/prolifetshirts along with all of our shirts.

Another youth-inspired event started by Bryan Kemper and taking place in October is the Pro-Life Day of Silent Solidarity, on Oct. 18. Thousands of young people in high schools and on college campuses make a commitment to be silent for all or part of the day, with many taping their mouths shut with red tape, the word LIFE emblazoned across it. They will carry printed materials about why they

are giving up their voices for a day to speak up for those who have no voice in our nation – the unborn children in the womb.

Those who would like to register their participation may do so at SilentDay.org

PrayerIntentions.org and ProLifePrayers.com

Leave us your prayer intentions as often as you like at PrayerIntentions.org and we will remember you in our prayers and Masses! Visit ProLifePrayers.com for prayers and resources

September intention: That schools and universities teach the full truth about the abortion issue.

September 6 - November 8: Election Novena for the 2022 Midterm Elections (ElectionPrayer.com)

September 17-25: Novena for Priests, leading to Priesthood Sunday (PrayerCampaign.org/PriesthoodSunday)

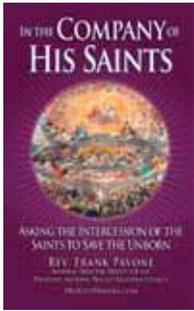
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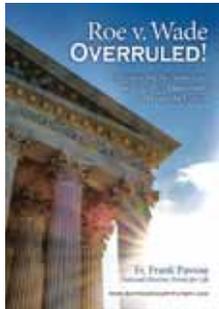


In the Company of His Saints: This brand-new prayer booklet in a series by Fr. Frank Pavone contains prayers in honor of various saints, ancient and modern, whose example inspires us to protect the unborn.

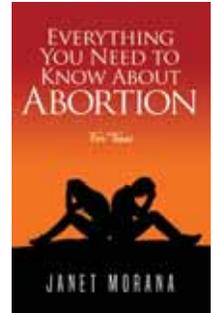


New T-Shirt: "I Survived Roe v. Wade Did Not Survive Me" - This shirt is a celebration of the overturning of Roe v. Wade. It did not survive this generation and we proudly proclaim this victory.

Roe v. Wade Overruled!: This 12-page brochure gives a very understandable explanation of the reasons the Supreme Court reversed *Roe v. Wade* and what this means for the future of the pro-life movement..



Everything You Need to Know About Abortion – For Teens: Tells the truth about the harm abortion causes spelled out in easy-to-understand chapters each built around a central theme



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