

Youth Outreach Report – 2020

Standard Activities

This first section outlines the standard activities of Stand True, which, of course, were reduced in scope in 2020 because of the pandemic.

Stand True Pro-life Outreach (www.StandTrue.com) is the Youth Outreach of Priests for Life. The founder and director of Stand True is Bryan Kemper, who travels the nation and the world mobilizing youth to stand up for the unborn and providing them cutting edge resources to do so. As one of the standard messages of Stand True declares, ***“This is the Generation that will Abolish Abortion”***.

The report below provides a glimpse into some of the day by day activities of our Youth Outreach.

Silent Day – Each year, in mid-October, Stand True sponsors the “Pro-life Day of Silent Solidarity,” on which thousands of students express their opposition to abortion and their solidarity with its silent victims by spending the whole day without saying a word.

Pro-life T-Shirt Day – Stand True promotes a national pro-life t-shirt day by which countless people spread the pro-life message by what they wear.

Social Media Outreach – Stand True is part of the Priests for Life social media outreach which is a leading force in the pro-life movement in utilizing social media to reach, encourage, and mobilize the youngest generation of pro-life activists, as well as many others who have been in the movement longer. Stand True helps to train other pro-life leaders and groups on how to use the power of social media to help the cause of life.

Abortion Mill Protests – Stand True witnesses at abortion mills around the nation, and helps others to learn how to do the same.

Youth Conferences – Stand True brings the pro-life message and resources to pro-life youth conferences and other pro-life conferences and rallies around the world. For many years, Stand True has also had a key role in the official youth rally that is held annually at the National March for Life in Washington, DC.

Christian Concerts – Stand True develops relationships with Christian artists and brings the pro-life message and resources to concerts and music fairs.

Some Daily Activities –

Design and develop pro-life graphics for Stand True and other branches of Priests for Life as well as other pro-life groups

Run Social Media Campaigns for Stand True and other Priests for Life branches using Facebook, Instagram, Twitter, Parler, YouTube, Periscope and more. This includes compiling a library of Social Media tools for projects like Healing the Shockwaves of Abortion (AbortionShockwaves.com).

Design, develop and run the Stand True section of our Priests for Life online store (ProLifeProducts.org) for a collection of pro-life t-shirts, stickers, buttons, patches, posters, wristbands and more.

Summer Outreach

Every Summer Stand True travels all over the country speaking, training and setting up booths at events. We participate in events like Christian Music Festivals, National Right to Life Convention, Survivors Pro-life Training Camp and many more.

A Look at Our Activities for 2020

Winter

Stand True Presence at the March for Life in Washington DC:

Stand True helped lead protest and rally at Planned Parenthood sight in DC along with Priests for Life and other pro-life organizations.

Booth at Geaux Forth Rally for Louisiana Right to Life

Booth at March for Life Exhibit

Booth at Students for Life of America conference

Bryan Kemper spoke at the Official March for Life Youth Rally

Stand True marched in the Annual March for Life

Stand True helped with the Silent No More Rally at Supreme Court

Stand True set up booth and participated in the West Coast Walk for Life

Stand True led prayer at Planned Parenthood in San Francisco

Stand True participated in Rev. Walter Hoye's Walk for Life in Oakland, CA

Bryan Kemper represented Priests for Life and Stand True at the March for Life Chicago.

Bryan Kemper participated in the Pro-life Leaders meeting in Florida at Priests for Life headquarters.









Spring

Bryan Participated in Rally at Supreme Court for the *June Medical Services* Louisiana Abortion Case.

Stand True ran social media campaigns including twitter takeovers, tweetfests, graphics and live broadcasts.

Bryan spoke did media and some online speaking.

Stand True participated in National Pro-life T-shirt Day, an event started by Bryan Kemper.

Bryan attended pro-life strategy meetings via Zoom with many pro-life leaders.

Summer

Stand True normally participates in many summer outreaches including summer concerts, Survivors Pro-life Training Camp, DC activities and conferences. This year because of Covid all travels were canceled.

Stand True concentrated most of its efforts on Social Media campaigns for get out the vote efforts.

Fall

Stand True participated in the local Life Chain in Troy, OH.

Stand True spent most of the Fall working on the social media projects of Priests for Life Much of our day to day activities we centered around the Social Media needs of all of the PFL branches of ministry.

Stand True continued to use most of its efforts on Social Media campaigns for get out the vote efforts.

December

Much of December is normally spent on planning for the March for Life and Walk for Life as well as year-end work.

Bryan Is working on his second book to be released in the spring.

Bryan Kemper and Janet Morana worked on next year's launch of a revamped Stand True Youth Pro-life Outreach website.