

Please Pray And Fast During "40 Days For Life" With Americans Throughout Our Nation

Day 13 – March 17, 2014 / Monday

"For by Him all things were created...in Him all things exist." Colossians 1:16-17

Heavenly Father, I worship You as my Creator and the Creator of all life. You sustain our existence in each moment. Hold each pregnant mother in the palm of your hand this day, so that she might be with You every moment - guided by Your Will and protected by Your Love and Mercy.

Dear Jesus, You came in to this world to save us. I pray for all those in a crisis pregnancy that they will turn to You and save their preborn child from the ravages of abortion. I pray that they will come to know that this is a very special time in their life!

Come Holy Spirit. Comfort all those in a crisis pregnancy. Inspire in them an ever-growing awareness and appreciation of the beauty of Your Creation. Encourage our lawmakers to increase funding to crisis pregnancy centers, instead of taking it away.

Day 14 – March 18, 2014 / Tuesday

"Whoever sheds the blood of man, by man shall his blood be shed; for in the image of God has God made man." Genesis 9.6

Heavenly Father, No doubt an unwanted pregnancy can cause intense stress and hardship in a variety of ways, but please enlighten the abortion-minded that the medical evidence is clear - the physical and psychological consequences of abortion can be far worse. Thank you for the 45 abortion mills that have closed and the 88 abortion workers who have quit their jobs since 40 Days for Life began in 2007!

Dear Jesus, have mercy on former abortion workers. I pray that as they turn away from abortion, they speak up for life and by revealing the horrors of abortion, they change the hearts of the pro-choice through their stories.

Come Holy Spirit. Jolt the abortionists into the reality of what they are doing! – The killing of a helpless human being! At only 22 days old a preborn's heart begins to beat, pumping their own blood! Have mercy on the abortionist that they might take this verse to heart and stop shedding the blood of the preborn – nearly 57,200,000 innocents since 1973, when abortion was legalized.

Day 15 – March 19, 2014 / Wednesday

"Near the cross of Jesus stood his mother..." John 19:25

Heavenly Father, I know You are quick to forgive those who are truly repentant. Have mercy on all those who haven't stood by their child, allowing their child to be aborted, and now come asking for forgiveness.

Dear Jesus, You must have felt so sad for Your mother Mary as she stood by You as You hung on the cross. You alone know of her pain! The pain of a woman who has had an abortion is great. Not only has her innocent child been killed but she agreed to it and scheduled it. What a terrible thing to live with! But she doesn't have to! There is Your Mercy! I pray that they turn to You, repent, and be healed. Healed of their feelings of emptiness, low self-esteem, guilt, selfishness, anger, depression, and all the other terrible feelings that result from having an abortion. Give voice to their pain so that they may change the hearts of the pro-choice.

Come Holy Spirit, help us follow the example of Mary. As Mary stood by the cross in sadness but also hope and faith, inspire us to stand up for life and put our faith and hope in Your help to overturn the Supreme Court decisions that made abortion legal.

Day 16 – March 20, 2014 / Thursday

"By your perseverance you will secure your lives." Luke 21:19

Heavenly Father, nine short months of pregnancy is a relatively small cost to pay in light of a lifetime of potential physical and mental health problems caused by abortion. Protect the innocent mother from the Culture of Death, which elevates abortion as her solution. Grant perseverance to the 64% of pregnant mother's who are being coerced into having an abortion.

Dear Jesus, grant us the perseverance to stay the course in this long drawn out struggle to end abortion in our land. Give us the diligence to pray, to learn the facts, to keep up with life news, to encourage laws that will protect the innocent, to stand up for life.

Come Holy Spirit. When I am among people who do not believe that the preborn is a human person, inspire me to speak the truth convincingly and effectively. Grant us determination and courage as we work for the Culture of Life. Inspire us to look upon the deceptive actions of pro-abortion President Obama and his appointees as opportunities to educate.