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LIFE CHAIN

Sunday, October 2nd

2:00 - 3:00 p.m. (Rain or Shine)

17th St. and 9th Ave., Altoona (at Station Mall Medical Center)



LIFE CHAIN is a peaceful and prayerful public witness of pro-life individuals standing for 60 minutes praying for our nation and for an end to abortion.

It is a visual statement of solidarity by the Christian community that abortion kills children and that the Church supports the sanctity of human life from the moment of conception until natural death.

Stand with thousands of pro-life individuals throughout the USA in memory of the millions of babies whose lives have been lost to abortion (over 59,000,000 since 1973).

Pray for people in crisis situations and for our nation. You'll be a light in a darkened world as you help put an end to abortion through prayer!

Bring your whole family. Lawn chairs, umbrellas and strollers are welcome and encouraged. Standing 10-15 feet apart, each participant holds one of the provided signs, proclaiming a message, such as:

- Abortion Kills Children**
- Adoption—the Loving Option**
- Jesus Forgives & Heals**
- Lord, Forgive Us and Our Nation**
- Abortion Hurts Women**
- Life—The First Inalienable Right**
- Pray to End Abortion**

Take a stand! Please join us on October 2. For more information, call 814-946-0691.

Trump, Clinton and the Right to Life

By Maria Gallagher

In spite of everything I still believe that people are really good at heart. I simply can't build up my hopes on a foundation consisting of confusion, misery and death.

The author of those words was Anne Frank, the young girl who epitomized courage in the face of terror during the Holocaust. Such wise words from a teenager whose life was cut tragically short.

I believe, like Anne, that, in their heart of hearts, people want to do the right thing. And I believe that is no less true at election time.

The problem is, there is a great deal of confusion in our overall culture and in our politics. The truth is often masked, and that makes a voter's search for the truth difficult.

But it is not impossible to discover the truth—despite media manipulation, political spin, and inflammatory rhetoric. As the old TV series "The X-Files," announced: "The truth is out there."

The truth is that life is a fundamental good, and that no one can enjoy any other right without first having the right to life. This means that the fundamental life issues—abortion, infanticide, and euthanasia—are pre-eminent issues, and should be considered before all other issues (as important as those issues may be) when voting.



Staying home on Election Day, or skipping the office of President when casting a ballot, is, in this election, a vote against babies and their mothers.

It is also a vote for a culture that fails to respect the dignity of life from conception to natural death.

The two major party candidates for President have dramatically different views on the life issues. Republican Donald Trump supports a ban on late-term abortions—abortion in which fully-developed, living babies are killed in the womb. Hillary Clinton, in contrast, voted against the Partial-Birth Abortion Ban Act, which outlawed a gruesome practice in which a baby was partly delivered, then killed.

Donald Trump supports a ban on taxpayer funding of abortion. Hillary Clinton wants to wipe out the Hyde Amendment, which bars tax funding of abortion except in the rare cases of rape, incest and to save the life of a mother. Research shows that abortion totals skyrocket when taxpayer funding of abortion occurs.

Donald Trump will appoint Justices to the U.S. Supreme Court who will strictly interpret the Constitution according to its text and history and not use the bench to legislate. Hillary Clinton has a pro-abortion litmus test for Supreme Court Justices. Because of the advanced ages of many of the members of the Supreme Court, the next President may appoint as many as four Justices. A President with a pro-abortion agenda could enshrine, or even expand, *Roe* for generations to come.

We have lost more than 59 million innocent babies to abortion since the tragic 1973 U.S. Supreme Court ruling *Roe v. Wade*. One million precious children die each year in our country because of *Roe*.

Countless mothers are left to grieve the children lost to abortion. Some turn to drugs and alcohol to numb their pain. Relationships frequently die with these abortions. Families are fractured, and limbs of the family tree are severed. For with each abortion, we lose the children, grandchildren, and great-grandchildren who may have been born to that particular person who died in *Roe's* wake. Often, the abortion is not actually the woman's choice—research shows that as many as 60 percent of abortions are coerced, meaning that a boyfriend, husband, parents or even grandparents are making the decision for her.

One of only two people will be elected President—third party candidates or write-ins simply cannot generate enough votes to win the White House.

Staying home on Election Day, or skipping the office of President when casting a ballot, is, in this election, a vote against babies and their mothers. It is also a vote for a culture that fails to respect the dignity of life from conception to natural death.

Please do not throw away your vote this critical year. Cast your vote for life. Future generations depend on it.

—Maria Gallagher, Legislative/PAC Director
PA Pro-Life Federation Blog; posted August 29, 2016

Do you know that you can register to vote online for the upcoming November election? Go to www.votespa.com. The deadline to register is October 11! Did you know that anyone turning 18 on or before November 8th is eligible to vote if they have registered by October 11th?

Only 1/3 to 1/2 of the average church congregation is registered to vote! How about sending www.votespa.com to your pastor? If you would like to have a Voter's Registration Drive at your church, Our Voter Registration Drive gives you all the ideas that you need to get everyone registered: <http://centralpaprolife.org/register/>

Abortion is legal because babies can't vote.

~ Joseph Bonkowski ~



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WHERE DO THE PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATES STAND ON



THE LIFE ISSUES!



Donald Trump

Hillary Clinton

Where do they stand on **late-term abortions**, in which fully-developed, living babies are killed in the womb?

Donald Trump supports a ban on late-term abortions.

Hillary Clinton voted against the Partial-Birth Abortion Ban Act.

What about **taking your tax dollars** to pay for abortion?

Donald Trump supports a ban on taxpayer funding of abortion. He **supports a ban** on tax funds for organizations that perform abortions.

Hillary Clinton opposes a ban on taxpayer funding of organizations that perform abortions.

What about keeping **unlimited abortion on demand throughout pregnancy** legal?

Donald Trump believes that *Roe v. Wade* should be reversed, allowing the people through their elected state representatives to once again pass laws to protect preborn children.

Hillary Clinton supports *Roe v. Wade*, which allows abortion for any reason at any time of pregnancy.

What about **appointing Justices** to the Supreme Court?

Donald Trump will appoint Justices to the Supreme Court who will strictly interpret the Constitution according to its text and history and **not use the bench to legislate**.

Hillary Clinton will only appoint pro-abortion Justices to the Supreme Court.

Note: Information obtained from documented public statements and voting records.



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2017 STUDENT ESSAY CONTESTS **PENNSYLVANIA STATE ESSAY CONTEST**

Written Copy Due: March 6, 2017

The 2017 Pennsylvania Pro-Life Federation "Be a Voice for the Voiceless" Essay Contest is open to PA students in grades 7-12. Students must write a pro-life essay about abortion, euthanasia or stem cell research. There is a 500-word limit for essays submitted by students in grades 7-9 and a 750-word limit for students in grades 10-12.

Each essay must include a cover page with the student's name, home address, home phone number, name of school (or the fact that the student is homeschooled) and grade. Winning essays will receive cash prizes.

Deadline for entries is **March 6, 2017**. Essays can be e-mailed to lifelines@paprolife.org or mailed to the **Pennsylvania Pro-Life Federation; 4800 Jonestown Rd., Suite 102; Harrisburg, PA 17109**.

NATIONAL RIGHT TO LIFE ESSAY CONTEST

The National RTL Contest is open to students in grades 10-12 (Senior Essay) and grades 7-9 (Junior Essay). Prizes awarded will be: 1st Place-\$200; 2nd-\$150; 3rd-\$100 and will be awarded in each level. Essays shall be 300-500 words in length.

For more information on the rules of entering this contest, please visit the NRLC website: www.nrlc.org.

2017 STUDENT ORATORY CONTESTS **REGIONAL ORATORY CONTEST**

Written Copy Due: February 22, 2017

Regional Competition: March 5, 2017

The Citizens Concerned for Human Life Regional Oratory Contest is open to all 9th-12th grade students in **Bedford, Blair, Cambria, Centre, Clearfield, Fulton, Huntingdon, Juniata, Mifflin and Somerset Counties**.

Students must prepare a five to seven minute pro-life talk on abortion, infanticide, euthanasia or embryonic stem cell research. Speeches must be from a pro-life perspective and delivered as written, but need not be memorized. The student may use a podium and appropriate hand gestures but may not use props.

A written copy of the speech must be emailed by **February 22, 2017** to: **Janet Creighton, contact@webparish.com**. In the email, send the following: name, address, city, county, phone, email address, school, name of parent(s)/guardian. Then call Jan, **814-623-1314**, to let her know that you emailed your entry.

Awards

Varsity (Grades 11 & 12)
1st Place \$200, 2nd \$125, 3rd \$75

Novice (Grades 9 & 10)
1st Place \$150, 2nd \$100, 3rd \$50

All regional contestants may also be a contestant for the state competition. Being a contestant for the regional competition does not automatically enroll you in the state competition. Please see the process below.



Pro-Life Dinner Invite

All regional contestants will be invited as our guests to the Bedford County Annual Pro-Life Dinner. The top two Varsity contestants will be invited to speak at the dinner.

PA STATE VIDEO/ORATORY CONTEST

PENNSYLVANIA PRO-LIFE FEDERATION

Submit video/written entry by April 10, 2017

Speak Up for Those Who Cannot Speak for Themselves!

The Pennsylvania Pro-Life Federation contest is open to high school juniors and seniors; a Novice Contest will be held for high school freshmen and sophomores.

Students must write and give an original 5-7 minute pro-life speech on abortion, infanticide, euthanasia or stem cell research. Students must video record the speech and submit the video and written speech to the Pennsylvania Pro-Life Federation by **April 10, 2017**.

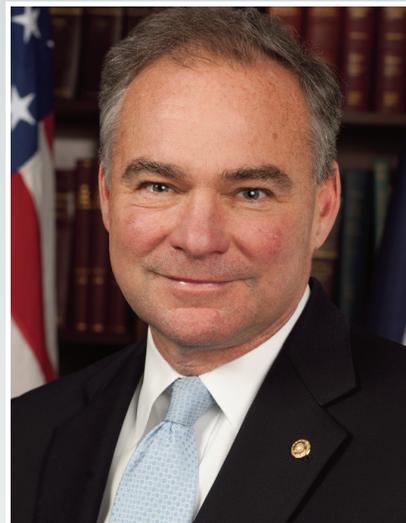
Cash prizes will be awarded. In addition, **the first-place winner of the Senior High Oratory Contest will receive an expense-paid trip for the National Oratory Contest at the National Right to Life / Teens for Life Convention, June 29-July 1, 2017, in Milwaukee, Wisconsin. For complete contest rules: www.paprolife.org or call 717-541-0034.**

WHERE DO THE VICE PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATES STAND ON



Mike Pence (R)

THE LIFE ISSUES!



Tim Kaine (D)

SUPPORTS	BAN ON LATE-TERM ABORTIONS , in which the lives of pre-born babies at five months' gestation are protected	OPPOSES
SUPPORTS	LEGISLATION PREVENTING TAXPAYER FUNDING OF ORGANIZATIONS THAT PERFORM ABORTIONS FOR ANY REASON during all nine months of pregnancy	OPPOSES
SUPPORTS	AN OVERTURN OF THE U.S. SUPREME COURT DECISION ROE V. WADE , which resulted in the deaths of more than 58 million preborn children and harmed countless numbers of women	OPPOSES
SUPPORTS	LEGISLATION which would REPEAL ANTI-LIFE PROVISIONS OF OBAMACARE	OPPOSES
100% PRO-LIFE Voting Record	<small>Note: Information obtained from voting records and public statements.</small>	0% PRO-LIFE Voting Record



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—Photo display courtesy of Right to Life - LIFESPAN

***The care of human life and happiness and not their destruction
is the first and only legitimate object of good government.***

Thomas Jefferson
~ Thomas Jefferson ~



***If life is not a continuum, from conception to natural death,
then all of us are potential victims if we fall out of favor with a ruling elite.***

~ Cal Thomas ~



***If you can't get past the candidates, think of the Supreme Court.
The next president may have as many as three (or even more)
opportunities to nominate candidates to the Court.
Do you want 30-40 more years of what we have had, or worse,
or a chance to redirect the course of our country?***

~ Diane Trombley ~



COMPARE PA'S U.S. SENATE CANDIDATES ON



Pat Toomey

THE LIFE ISSUES!



Katie McGinty

SUPPORTS	BAN on taxpayer funding of abortion operations	OPPOSES
SUPPORTS	BAN on brutal dismemberment abortions, where a preborn child is torn limb-by-limb from a mother's womb	OPPOSES
SUPPORTS	An overturn of <i>Roe v. Wade</i> to protect women and preborn children from the harm of abortion	OPPOSES
SUPPORTS	Laws which prevent the expansion of abortion , which has claimed more than 58 million preborn children since 1973	OPPOSES
SUPPORTS	Laws which protect the health and safety of women at abortion facilities	OPPOSES

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Mother Teresa used her global renown to propel the pro-life cause like no one before or since

Mother Teresa was declared a Saint by Pope Francis in a special ceremony on September 4 at the Vatican. The pro-life heroine skillfully exploited her celebrity status to propel the pro-life cause internationally like no one else before her or since.

The four feet tall Albanian nun was never afraid to speak truth to power, even when it made the powerful of the world feel uncomfortable, and she never pandered to curry their favor. Draped in her iconic white sari, she traveled the globe condemning abortion even when doing so was inconvenient and unwelcome.

While lunching at the White House, First lady Hillary Clinton reportedly asked Mother Teresa why America had not yet elected a woman president. "She has probably been aborted," Mother Teresa replied.

During her acceptance speech of the 1979 Nobel Peace Prize Mother Teresa first popularized her signature condemnation of abortion.

"The greatest destroyer of peace today is the cry of the innocent unborn child," she told the crowd of nobles, politicians and celebrities.

After a moment of deathly silence Mother Teresa continued.

"For if a mother can murder her own child, in her own womb, what

is left for you and for me? To kill each other."

"Today millions of unborn children are being killed, but we say nothing."

Then she raised her voice with alarm.

"To me the nations that have legalized abortion, they are the poorest nations. They are afraid of the little one! They are afraid of the unborn child! And the child must die. Because they don't want to feed one more child! Because they don't want to educate one more child! The child must die."

She concluded her remarks about abortion with a plea.

"Let us make a strong resolution.

We are going to save every little child. Every unborn child. Give them a chance to be born."

Her plea was not heeded, and she continued to speak for the unborn unabashedly.

In 1985 she was a special invitee at the 40th anniversary of the

founding of the United Nations during the height of the Cold War.

"We all want peace, and yet, and yet we are frightened of nuclears [weapons], we are frightened of this new disease [HIV / AIDS]. But we are not afraid to kill an innocent child, that little unborn child, who has been created for that same purpose: to love God and to love you and me."

At the 1994 National Prayer Breakfast in Washington, she surprised Bill and Hillary Clinton with scathing remarks against abortion as they sat close to her. She called abortion "a war against the child, a direct killing of the innocent child, murder by the mother herself."

"Any country that accepts abortion is not teaching its people to love, but to use any violence to get what they want. This is why the greatest destroyer of love and peace is abortion," she said.

President and First Lady Clinton remained quietly seated as the entire room erupted into a standing ovation after her speech

She also challenged those with a narrow view of feminism, such as when she said motherhood was "the gift of God to women" and that abortion destroyed it.

"Those who want to make women and men the same are all in favor of abortion," she stated in a message to the Fourth World Conference on Women in Beijing in 1995.

—LifeSiteNews.com

Pennsylvania Pro-Life Federation 2016 Celebrate Life Banquet

Featuring Archbishop Charles Chaput

Thursday, September 29, 2016

Hotel Radisson Harrisburg

1150 Camp Hill Bypass
Camp Hill, PA

Check-in begins 5 p.m.

Doors open 5:30 p.m.

Banquet begins 6 p.m.

For registration information:

www.paprolife.org

or call: 717-541-0034



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Pro-Life Christmas Cards 2016

Celebrate the birth of Our Lord and the Giver of Life, and at the same time, help our fundraising efforts. Your purchase supports the pro-life work of the Blair County Chapter of Citizens Concerned for Human Life.

To place an order or for more information, call **Pat 814-946-0681** or **Dorothy 814-505-2886**.



Madonna and Child

This selection captures the emotions of love and tenderness as Mary gently holds her Son, Jesus. The card is in brilliant colors with gold-foil ink and accents. White envelopes are included.

Actual size: 4¹/₂" x 6¹/₈" - \$7.00 per pkg. of 11

*Verse: May you rejoice
in the blessings
of His love this Christmas
and throughout
the New Year*



The Holy Family

This card portrays Mary and Joseph, lovingly gazing at the sleeping Baby Jesus. The card is in brilliant colors with gold-foil ink and accents. White envelopes are included.

Actual size: 4⁷/₈" x 6³/₄" - \$7.00 per pkg. of 11

*Verse: Come and behold Him
born the King of Angels*

*May the love of the Infant Jesus
in Whom all Life begins
be yours this Christmas and always*

Cards of other designs are also available.

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Of 12,000 Women Infected With Zika, All Gave Birth to Healthy Babies Women Don't "Need" Abortion

By Brad Mattes

All along I've felt somewhat suspect that the Zika virus is linked to microcephaly. The US Centers for Disease Control and the *New England Journal of Medicine* both concluded the link is there. Both are heavy hitters in the realm of research, however, they admit there's no studied verification.

Planned Parenthood and the abortion industry were quick to jump on the abortion bandwagon for pregnant women with confirmed or suspected cases of the Zika virus.

But a recent, expansive study has cast legitimate doubt on the Zika/microcephaly connection.

Anxiety over Zika affected the Olympic and Paralympic games in Rio, as well as impacting the cruise industry in Florida where Zika cases have been reported. Concern continues to grow.

Planned Parenthood and the rest of the abortion industry were quick to insert themselves into the medical crisis because they're absolutely desperate to link abortion to any perceived common good and **they thought the Zika virus was their ride to glory**. As a result, they've been advocating abortion for at-risk pregnant women. Planned Parenthood even hired canvassers to go door-to-door in Miami.

The New England Complex Systems Institute has shed new light on the situation and opened the possibility that the declared Zika link may be premature. The study is expansive and so credible that the *New England Journal of Medicine* published the preliminary results in spite of already concluding Zika was the problem.

The study looked at nearly 12,000 pregnant Colombian women infected with Zika. **None of them had a baby with microcephaly.**

Four cases of microcephaly were reported with women who didn't have Zika symptoms and were not part of the study, which is consistent with the normal expected number of cases.

Based on estimated numbers, there should be about 60,000 pregnant women in Colombia with the Zika virus, yet there are hardly any cases of microcephaly. If the link to Zika is legitimate, there should have been a dramatic increase in the number of babies with microcephaly.

So what is the culprit?

Some scientists believe pesticides may be the source, specifically pyriproxyfen. It's effective in controlling mosquitoes by acting as a larvicide. It interferes, the researchers say, with the development of mosquito larvae.

Do you recognize the possible link?

Pyriproxyfen may also have a detrimental effect on developing unborn babies.

More detailed information is available that explains the interactions between hormones and molecules.

Here's why American researchers may be so interested in this study.



Pyriproxyfen was sprayed in areas with a high rate of microcephaly. Even more noteworthy is that they put this chemical in the drinking water in Pernambuco, a state in Brazil at ground zero in the Zika epidemic. **The chemical was sprayed and added to the water just before the outbreak of microcephaly.**

These early findings aren't conclusive, but they do open the distinct possibility that Zika may not be the cause of the increase in microcephaly cases. We must follow the research to see where it leads and respond effectively while we protect pregnant women and their unborn babies regardless of the child's disability.

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*Bradley Mattes is the executive director of Life Issues Institute.
—LifeNews.com, September 2, 2016*



*Those who stay away from the election
think that one vote will do no good.
'Tis but one step more to think
one vote will do no harm.*

~ Ralph Waldo Emerson ~

From the President's Desk

Today, while attending a 9-11 memorial service at the Altoona Area High School, I heard Pastor Denise Arpino offer thanks for the gift of life. The main speaker, Mr. Gordon Felt, whose brother was one of the heroes on Flight 93, spoke about the vigilance needed today to protect our God-given rights to life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness. He stressed the faith in God of those who decided they were not going to simply be victims of evil incarnate.

That evening, we met our daughter, Mary, for supper at Breezwood as she was returning to D.C. from Erie. Mary reiterated the homily she had heard that morning at Mass given by a young priest who was at St. Vincent's Seminary in Latrobe on the morning of September 11, 2001.

During their morning class, having been made aware of the tragedy that had occurred in New York, the Priest-Professor noticed a large, low-flying jet passing over the seminary just off of Route 30, a scant 34 miles from Shanksville. He immediately blessed the plane and the passengers in it minutes before the crash. Shortly thereafter, they heard of a young priest, one year out of the seminary, who was driving past the Pentagon when it was attacked. He immediately responded and entered the burning building to render spiritual aid to those victims of that attack. God was lending a hand to those in need with blessing and support.

This brings us to our present situation and our time in history. Since September 11, 2001, the protection of life has taken backward steps, primarily due to the action of the courts, particularly the Supreme Court. The family has been under attack as has the institution of marriage, both of which have been traditional defenders of life.

At the present time, five states permit doctor-assisted suicide. Bills have been introduced in Pennsylvania to permit this, but because of our Pro-Life legislators, there is little chance of success at the present time.

It is our time to be vigilant and courageous. We need to elect a President who will appoint judges to the Supreme Court who will strictly interpret the Constitution. We need to continue to elect Pro-Life representatives. We need to stand up and join the battle for life, as this could be our last chance if the wrong judges are appointed to the Supreme Court. We need God to assist us at this time!

—R. Thomas Forr, Jr., President
Blair County Chapter, Citizens Concerned for Human Life

Donations have been made— In Memory of:

Charlie and Gertrude Storm

Given by: Lois J. Simanski

Donations may be made in memory of loved ones who have died or to honor someone special, and near and dear to you, for a particular occasion, or just because...Blair County *Life News* will publish your name as well as the names of those you are honoring and/or remembering. Send donations to **Blair Co. CCHL, 2715 Third St., Altoona, PA 16601.**

Regional CCHL Chapter News

The **BEDFORD COUNTY CHAPTER of CCHL** will sponsor its annual **Life Chain** on October 2nd, along Business Route 220, north of Bedford, from Bedford Elementary School to Penn St. Registration is in the parking lot of the school, from 2:00 to 2:30 p.m. The Life Chain is from 2:30 until 3:30 p.m. With the Bedford Fall Foliage traffic, a lot of exposure is expected. Contact Kathy Wenger, **839-4806.**

The Bedford County Chapter will have a Pro-Life table at the annual **Bedford Fall Foliage Festival**—October 1st and 2nd and October 8th and 9th, at the intersection of Richard and Penn Sts. Contact Lynne Crone, **276-3638.**

The **CAMBRIA-SOMERSET COUNTY CHAPTER's Pro-Life Breakfast** will be held Saturday, October 29th, at 9:00 a.m. Special guest speaker will be **Elizabeth Santorum.** The Breakfast will be held at Church of the Immaculate Conception, Grove Church Hall, New Germany. Contact Ann Poole, **472-8584.** See flier on back page.

Two **Life Chains** will be held in the Cambria-Somerset Chapter area on October 2nd. One, in **Carrolltown**, starts at St. Benedict Church, Route 219, from 1:00-3:00 p.m. Afterwards, there will be a Baby Shower in the church hall to benefit Gabriel Project. Another Life Chain will be held in **Johnstown**, at old St. Columba Church, corner of 10th Ave. and Broad St., from 2:00-3:00 p.m. Contact Ann Poole, **472-8584.**

The **CENTRE COUNTY CHAPTER** will hold its **Life Chain** on October 2nd, from 2:00-3:00 p.m., at 900 West College Ave., State College. Contact Susan Rogacs, **238-9590.**

Blair County Chapter, Citizens Concerned for Human Life, Inc.

Blair County CCHL believes that human life has value in all stages of development from conception until natural death, and is committed to speaking on behalf of those who cannot speak for themselves — the unborn, the aged, the incapacitated. Won't you please help in our struggle to preserve respect for human life? A contribution brings you our quarterly newsletter.

_____ Annual Membership \$10.00 _____ In Memory of: _____

_____ Student/Senior Member \$ 5.00 _____ In Honor of: _____

Name _____ Phone _____

Address _____ City _____ Zip _____

Please complete this form and return with your donation to: **Blair County Chapter, CCHL, 2715 Third St., Altoona PA 16601.** For more information, call **814-946-0681.** Sorry, donations are not tax-deductible.



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2016 Annual Pro-Life Prayer Breakfast

of the Citizens Concerned for Human Life of Cambria/Somerset



Elizabeth Santorum is a noted pro-life speaker, coauthor of the book "Bella's Gift" and the daughter of former Senator Rick Santorum. She also serves as the Associate Director of Advancement for the Labour Society and was named one of Red Alert Politic's "30 Under 30: Most Influential Young People in Washington, D.C."

FEATURING:

ELIZABETH SANTORUM

Saturday, October 29, 2016

9:00 AM

**Immaculate Conception Church
Grove Church Hall,
New Germany PA**

The public is welcome!

A donation of \$10 per ticket is requested.

For reservations and ticket information,

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