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## Life Newsbytes

**Pregnancy help centers in the U.S. were responsible for saving more than three-quarters of a million lives at risk for abortion in a five-year time span, a new reportsays.** In June, Charlotte Lozier Institute (CLI) released a report from data collected during a five-year period that highlights the positive impacts pro-life pregnancy centers have on women, families, and unborn lives. The study found that “since 2016 more than 800,000 human lives have been saved through the community-based care of pro-life pregnancy centers, which provide local women with tangible support to address challenges related to pregnancy.” “More than any other group, pro-life pregnancy centers are best equipped to support women facing unintended pregnancies in a post-Roe America,” said CLI associate scholar Moira Gaul. The report, “Lives Saved Impact at U.S. Pregnancy Help Centers,” covered the years 2016 to 2020 ... Within that time, CLI researchers discovered an estimated 828,131 unborn lives were saved from abortion by the services and programs offered by pro-life pregnancy centers, such as medical-grade pregnancy tests, limited obstetrical ultrasounds, abortion pill reversal, lay counseling, and in-house and community resources. CLI’s research found that currently there are more than 2,700 pro-life pregnancy centers providing support for pregnant women ... through nearly 15,000 staff and almost 54,000 volunteers, including 10,200 licensed medical professionals. (*Pregnancy Help News*, 8/29/22; *CLR LifeWire*, 9/8/22)

## Speaking up For Life

“Abortion isn’t somebody else’s issue. It’s your business, it’s my business, and it’s our business. It’s our issue as Christians, it’s our issue as citizens, and it’s our issue as human beings. Abortion and the sanctity of every human life matter very much for elections—more so than anything else. And it matters for much more than elections. It’s a whole life issue!” *Pastor Michael Salemk, Executive Director, Lutherans For Life*

“God says you are vital. You are crucial. His Body is incomplete without you. He says that to each of us, and I believe God wants us to see and say that about each other—despite our perceptions of one another.” *Mona Fuerstenau*

“Creation is preaching a message about its Creator. He is wise. Kind. Brilliant. Powerful. Limitless. Combine those qualities with His reckless love for us found on the cross, and you have a God who can strengthen trembling hearts and weak knees. You have a Creator worth worshipping.” *Rev. Mike Novotny, Time of Grace*

**Since 1973:  
63,459,781  
abortions in  
America**

Source: [www.lifenews.com/2022/01/07/63459781-babies-have-been-killed-in-abortions-since-roe-v-wade-in-1973](http://www.lifenews.com/2022/01/07/63459781-babies-have-been-killed-in-abortions-since-roe-v-wade-in-1973)

**Y4Life in Washington, D.C.**  
January 19-21, 2023

## Conference and March

**Open to all high school and college students!**

<b>Thursday</b> <b>19</b> <b>January</b>		<b>Blessed with Hope</b> @ 6 PM ET
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Registration and Exhibits</li> <li>• Opening Devotions: Rev. Bryan Wolmueller</li> <li>• Introductions and Icebreakers</li> <li>• Y4Life Conference Session 1: Blessed with Hope Rev. Bryan Wolmueller</li> <li>• Music, Sign-making, Exhibits, and Social Time</li> </ul>
<b>Friday</b> <b>20</b> <b>January</b>		<b>Blessed from the Beginning</b> @ 9 AM ET
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Y4Life Conference Session 2: Pre-natal Development with Dr. Donna Harrison</li> <li>• Pre-March Devotion: Rev. Harrison Goodman</li> <li>• March for Life: Rally, March, and Testimonials</li> <li>• Dinner on own</li> <li>• Exhibits, Social Time</li> <li>• Devotion and Post-March Discussion</li> <li>• Y4Life Conference Session 3: Panel Discussion on CRT and Cultural Marxism</li> </ul>
<b>Saturday</b> <b>21</b> <b>January</b>		<b>Blessed for Serving</b> @ 9 AM ET
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Y4Life Conference Session 3: Standing Firm in the Face of Persecution with Chaplain Craig Muehler</li> <li>• Y4Life Conference Session 4: Shining Light in the Darkness - Human Trafficking Survivor with Keeya Vawar</li> <li>• Closing Devotion: Rev. Michael Salemk</li> </ul>
		<b>Ends @ Noon ET</b>
<b>Location:</b>		Hilton Crystal City at Reagan National Airport 2399 Richmond Hwy, Arlington, VA 22202
<b>Cost:</b>		Conference is FREE for registered youth. Rooms cost \$120 per night with group rate, up to 4 people per room. Breakfast included. Limited availability.
<b>Registration:</b>		Register with QR code or at <a href="http://y4life.org">y4life.org</a>
		<b>Conference registration closes</b> <b>Dec. 15, 2022</b>

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