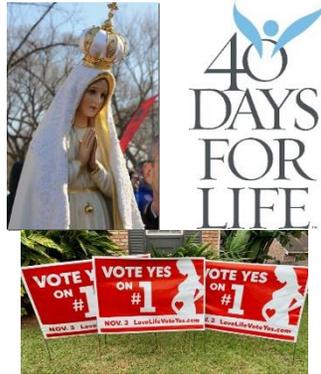


Sunday October 4, 2020

PASTOR'S CORNER

Upcoming Pro-Life Activities



October is pro-life month in the Catholic Church – a month to celebrate the dignity of every life from conception to natural death. Our parish will have a number of pro-life activities and events in October.

On October 3-4, the weekend homilies will focus on the dignity of human life. We will promote the Love Life Amendment to the Louisiana Constitution – Amendment #1 on the ballot for the November 3 election. If the U.S. Supreme Court one day reverses *Roe v. Wade* and says that abortion rights belong to the states and not the federal government, the Love Life Amendment will provide constitutional protection for unborn children in Louisiana and will prohibit public funds in support of abortion. Our bishops and Church are hugely in support of this Amendment. We have a limited number of yard signs in support of the Amendment available for pick up at the Parish Office.

On Sunday, October 11, our parish will have a day of prayer at the Abortion Clinic on General Pershing Avenue in New Orleans (one block from Ochsner Baptist Hospital). We will pray there from 7 am to 7 pm and will need 4 prayers for each hour. We are doing this in conjunction with St. Catherine Parish. Sign-up for the Day of Prayer is at Church on October 3-4. Please consider signing up to pray in support of life.

On Saturday, October 10, our Parish will host the Fatima Rosary March. There will be Eucharistic Adoration on the front steps of the Church at 12 noon with the Rosary Procession along Metairie Road following and then an outdoor Jambalaya meal. The cause of this year's March is Defense of Life and Peace in the upcoming elections. This is a great event. If you haven't participated before, consider doing so this year.

Through these activities and events, may we give good witness to the dignity of life.

God bless,
Fr. Joe