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Image of Aborted Baby's Foot Shows Humanity of 17-Week-Old Baby Killed in Abortion

A pro-life group has accused an Ohio abortion facility of throwing a dismembered, aborted baby

away in a dumpster.

Ohio Right to Life said Wednesday it found the remains of an aborted baby at about 17 weeks gestation discarded in dumpster behind Ohio Women's Center (NEOWC) abortion clinic. Mike Gonidakis, president of Ohio Right to Life, said in a statement. "This child suffered doubly at the hands of the abortion industry: first, by being subjected to a brutal death by dismemberment and second by the degradation of his or her broken body being dumped into the trash like garbage."

[LifeNews.com 7/12/21](https://www.lifeneews.com/7/12/21)

Court Says Law Mandating Trans Pronoun Use A Violation Of Free Speech

A California court ruled unanimously that a state law requiring the use of preferred pronouns by nursing home workers violated their free speech rights. Violators of the law faced the possibility of being charged with a misdemeanor and a \$1,000 fine, or even a year in jail.

<https://www.dailywire.com/news/1a-win-court-says-law-mandating-trans-pronoun-use-a-violation-of-free-speech>

Amid Catholic Opposition, States Are Legalizing Composting Of Human Remains



Washington, Colorado and Oregon are now among the U.S. states that have legalized the process of converting human bodies into soil, a procedure the Catholic Church said fails to show "respect for the body of the deceased." Meanwhile, California and New York are seeking to be next in line to allow human composting. <https://www.ncronline.org/news/earthbeat/amid-catholic-opposition-states-are-legalizing-composting-human->

House Panel Backs Abortion

The House Appropriations Committee advanced an appropriations bill without the Hyde Amendment, which has prohibited funding of abortion since Congress first passed it in 1976. Rep. Kay Granger, R-TX, said: "The removal of this provision is deeply troubling to me, both morally as well as what it means for the appropriations process and bipartisanship moving forward."

<https://www.catholicnewsagency.com/news/248387/appropriations-bill->



University of California San Francisco Found Harvesting Body Parts from Aborted Babies

Newly uncovered documents show the University of California San Francisco (UCSF) is callously harvesting body parts of aborted babies and using them for gruesome experiments. UCSF is known for their inhumane experiments on unborn children. They perform live dismemberment abortions, tearing an unborn child apart limb from limb, all under the guise of research.

Some late-term abortions have had babies born alive who survive the abortion but then are left to die or be killed after birth. A UCSF professor once said that abortion survivors "should not necessarily receive" medical care. [PA Family Institute 7/9/21](https://www.pafamilyinstitute.com/7/9/21)

This kind of horrific destruction of life follows the same grotesque patterns uncovered at the University of Pittsburgh. To learn more about what's happening right here in our state and to take action, visit [PittExposed.com](https://www.pittpost.com).

Senate Passes Legislation Restricting Imports From Uyghur Forced Labor

The Senate passed legislation restricting imports made by enslaved Uyghurs in China. The legislation directs the head of U.S. Customs and Border Patrol to apply a "rebuttable presumption" that goods made in the Xinjiang area are made with forced labor unless it can be proven to the contrary. The bill faced no opposition and was passed on a voice vote.

<https://www.catholicnewsagency.com/news/248386/senate-passes-legislation-restricting-imports-from-uyghur-forced-labor>

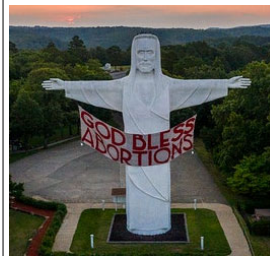
Gates Foundation Plans \$2.1B For Contraceptives, 'Gender Equality'

The Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation will begin a push for increased access to contraceptives over the next five years as part of their new \$2.1 billion venture toward furthering "gender equality".

Melinda Gates cited the need for women to "control their bodies and their futures."

<https://www.catholicnewsagency.com/news/248252/gates-foundation-plans-21b-for-contraceptives-gender-equality>

Sacrilege



Pro-abortion activists hung a 44-foot banner reading "God Bless Abortions" on a 65-foot tall statue of Jesus called "Christ of the Ozarks" in northwestern Arkansas. The abortion activists disguised themselves as a construction crew to sneak into the property, and then used pulleys and climbing gear to hang the banner. <https://www.foxnews.com/us/god-bless-abortions-banner-christ-ozarks-statue-arkansas-activist-art-group> 7/10/21



PROJECT MUSTARD SEED

This month we are writing to:

eBay

Operations: advertising/marketing/public relations (Where), computer (platforms), e-commerce, internet (communication/search: Corrigan, platforms, websites).

Please write to:

Mr. Jamie Iannone
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San Jose, CA 95125

www.ebay.com

eBay has been on The Boycott List since 2007 and we last wrote to them in January 2016. Since that time there has been a change in the position of President and CEO.

**Tell him to
stop funding
Planned
Parenthood**

ESPN Honors Chris Nikić, First Person With Down Syndrome To Complete Ironman Triathlon



Last November, Nikić stunned the world when he finished the Ironman Florida competition in 16 hours, 46 minutes and 9 seconds — 14 minutes under the 17-hour cutoff time. The race consisted of a 2.4-mile swim, a 112-mile bike ride, and a 26.2-mile marathon run. Perseverance was something that Nikić possesses in spades, showing largely through his “1% better” mantra, in which he strives to do just 1% better than he did the day before at his

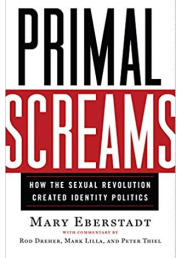
goals.

This earned Nikić the Jimmy V Award, given as part of ESPN's ESPY Awards, which air each year on ABC and help to raise awareness and funds for the V Foundation for Cancer Research. The Jimmy V Award was named for basketball coach Jim Valvano, who died of metastatic adenocarcinoma, a glandular cancer that spreads to the bones, just a year after being diagnosed, whose motto was “Never Give Up.”

In addition to the Jimmy V Award for Perseverance, he's also nominated for the “Best Athlete with a Disability, Men's Sports” category.

<https://www.liveaction.org/news/down-syndrome-ironman-nikić-espn-award/>

The Gift Of Siblings



Catholic author Tom Hoopes writes about the 10 ways siblings improve your life – based on insights from a new book from researcher Mary Eberstadt. Hoopes writes: “A study Eberstadt cites shows that the likelihood of divorce later in life can be predicted by the number of siblings one has now: more siblings mean less divorce. Growing up seeing the opposite sex up close makes siblings

'more confident and successful in the romance market,' she writes, and siblings teach you how to 'share resources, bargain and take turns' — prerequisites for marriage.”

<https://www.thegregorian.org/2021/studies-show-10-lifelong-benefits-siblings-bring>

'Frankenscience': This Bizarre Chinese Experiment Is Beneath Human Dignity



Chinese scientists from the Naval Medical University in Shanghai recently published alarming research aimed at manipulating male rats with transplanted uteruses to carry to term.

The experiment involved conjoining a male and female rat by cutting their sides open and stapling the two rats together so that they shared blood, then transplanting another female rat's uterus into the male, transferring embryos to both uteruses, then using the female's pregnancy hormones to run through their shared blood keep both embryos alive in both the male and female conjoined rats.

The bodies of mammalian males are not biologically equipped to bear and nurture offspring, and as this experiment painfully shows, they require female biology (both a uterus and female pregnancy hormones) to get even a very low number of surviving pups. Only the embryos in transplanted uteruses of male rats developed abnormally and the death toll of embryos in the transplanted uteruses of male rats stands at an astounding 96.4%. This experiment is bad science to serve an ideology.

[National Catholic Register 6/29/21](https://www.nationalcatholicregister.org/2021/06/29/21)



The Pro-Life Movement Has a New Pro-Life Flag, and it Celebrates Moms and Babies

The pro-life movement now has an official flag: a mother's hands circled around a baby's footprints with two pink and blue stripes over a white background. “With two feet (child), two hands (mother), two stripes, and two main colors, it emphasizes the TWO lives present in a pregnancy and the love the pro-life movement shows to both,” the project website states.

The white background on the flag represents non-violence and the innocence of the unborn child, while the baby's feet are based on the iconic Precious Feet pin, a symbol of the pro-life movement for decades. The pink hands surrounding the feet represent the pregnant mother protecting her child, and the heart in between the baby's feet symbolizes the pro-life movement's love for both mother and child.

<https://www.lifenews.com/2021/07/26/new-pro-life-flag-celebrating-moms-and-babies-wins-vote-to-represent-pro->

Notre Dame Students, Faculty Are Trying To Keep Chick-fil-A Off Campus



A group of Notre Dame students and faculty are apparently outraged at a proposed Chick-fil-A on campus because they claim the fast food restaurant has a “long history of antagonism toward the LGBTQ+ community.” Chick-fil-A was founded in 1946 “to glorify God by being a faithful steward of all that is entrusted to us.”

<https://www.campusreform.org/article?id=17786>