Right to Life – LIFESPAN Educational Fund

Life is like an arch. If you discard one segment as worthless, the span collapses – the value of all life brought low.

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

Following a two decades old tradition, Right to Life - LIFESPAN announces LIFESPAN's 29th Annual Baby Shower on Sunday, March 11, 2018.

New and gently used baby items are being accepted at 37 area churches to benefit 16 local pregnancy help centers. Pro-life pregnancy centers provide pregnancy tests; many offer ultrasound examinations by licensed ultra-sonographers, referrals to medical care and material goods for babies and their mothers. Women struggling with an unexpected pregnancy will find a welcoming and safe place to discuss their concerns at these centers, which do not perform or refer clients for abortions.

Those interested in donating items to the Baby Showers are invited to call 734-524-0162 for the nearest location.

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Right to Life - LIFESPAN is a non-partisan, non-sectarian and non-profit organization dedicated to the protection of vulnerable human life from conception to natural death.

Established in 1970, it is the largest and oldest pro-life organization in southeastern Michigan. LIFESPAN serves Wayne, Oakland and Macomb Counties.



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(unless different date noted)

to benefit local Pregnancy Help Centers

Baby showers will be held at the following locations. Bring new or gently used baby items - See miLIFESPAN.org/Events for Gift Suggestions For more information, call *Right to Life – LIFESPAN* at 734.524.0162.

Gift Drop-Off ONLY – After Church Services (unless noted otherwise) In alphabetical order by City:

Sacred Heart of the Hills Church 3400 S. Adams Rd., Auburn Hills

Our Lady Queen of Martyrs Church 32340 Pierce St., Beverly Hills Weekend of March 3rd & 4th

St. Hugo of the Hills Catholic Church 2215 Opdyke, Bloomfield Hills Weekend of March 10th & 11th

Resurrection Parish 48755 Warren Rd., Canton

St. John Neumann Church 44800 Warren Rd., Canton Weekends in April

Guardian Angels Church 581 E. 14 Mile Rd., Clawson

Church of the Divine Child 1055 N. Silvery Lane, Dearborn Weekends from March 3rd - 11th

St. Alphonsus-St. Clement Church 13540 Gould St., Dearborn

St. Anselm Catholic Church 17650 W. Outer Drive, Dearborn Heights Weekend of March 10th - 11th

Assumption Grotto Church 13770 Gratiot Ave., Detroit Weekends of April 21/22 & 28/29

Brightmoor Bible Missionary Church 14544 Bramell, Detroit *<u>TRADITIONAL</u>* March 3rd- 12-3 pm

Christ the King Church 16805 Pierson, Detroit Christ Our Savior Lutheran Church 14175 Farmington Rd., Farmington Diaper Drive: Month of January 2018

St. Gerald Catholic Church 21300 Farmington Rd., Farmington Weekend of March 10th & 11th

St. Thomas the Apostle Church 31530 Beechwood, Garden City Weekend of March 10th & 11th

The River & Faith Churches Goodrich, Grand Blanc, Holly & Waterford Mother's Day - Sunday, May 13th

St. Colette Catholic Church 17600 Newburgh Rd., Livonia Weekend of March 10th & 11th

St. Edith Catholic Church 15089 Newburgh Rd., Livonia

St. Rafka Maronite Catholic Church 32765 Lyndon, Livonia

St. Mary, Our Lady of the Snows Church 1955 East Commerce Rd., Milford

St. Stephen Catholic Church 18800 Huron River Drive, New Boston

Our Lady of Victory Church 770 Thayer, Northville Throughout the Lenten Season

Our Lady of Refuge Church 3750 Commerce Rd., Orchard Lake

Our Lady of Good Counsel Church 47650 N. Territorial, Plymouth

St. Kenneth Catholic Church 14951 Haggarty Rd., Phymouth Giving Crib Weekends: March 3rd - 18th Our Lady of Loretto Catholic Church 17116 Olympia, Redford Weekends from March 3rd - 11th

St. Valentine Catholic Church 25881 Dow, Redford

St. Andrew Catholic Church 1400 Inglewood, Rochester Weekend of March 3rd & 4th

Ss. Cyril & Methodius Church 41233 Ryan Rd., Sterling Heights *<u>TRADITIONAL</u>* After all Masses on the Weekend of March 10th & 11th

St. Jane Frances de Chantal Catholic Church 38750 Ryan Rd., Sterling Heights

Christ Our Light Church 2345 Coolidge, Troy *<u>TRADITIONAL</u>* April 29th - Time: TBD

St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Senior Group 280 E. Square Lake Rd., Troy

St. Thomas More Catholic Church 4580 Adams Rd., Troy Weekend of March 10th & 11th

St. Josaphat Ukrainian Catholic Church 26440 Ryan Rd., Warren

Prince of Peace Catholic Church 4300 Walnut Lake Rd., West Bloomfield Throughout the Lenten Season

Ss. Simon & Jude Church 32500 Palmer, Westland *<u>TRADITIONAL</u>* March 11th - 1-3 pm

Moving Forward Ministries 295 S. Ford Blvd., Ypsilanti