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**Right to Life – LIFESPAN’s  
35<sup>th</sup> Annual Baby Shower**  
**Sunday, March 10, 2024\***  
*(\*unless different date noted)*  
to benefit local Pregnancy Help Centers

Baby showers will be held at the following locations.

**More locations are added almost daily!!! Visit [miLIFESPAN.org](http://miLIFESPAN.org) for updates!**

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, Auburn Hills**  
3400 S. Adams Rd. \*End of April–Beginning of May

**St. John Fisher Chapel, Auburn Hills**  
3665 E. Walton Blvd. \*April 14 (11-12:30 pm)

**St. Hugo of the Hills Church, Bloomfield Hills**  
2215 Opdyke

**St. John Neumann Catholic Church, Canton**  
44800 Warren Rd.

**Sacred Heart Church - Youth Ministries, Dearborn**  
22430 Michigan Ave. \*March 3

**St. Thomas the Apostle Church, Garden City**  
31530 Beechwood Ave.

**St. Edith Catholic Church, Livonia**  
15089 Newburgh Rd.

**St. Genevieve-St. Maurice Women’s Sodality, Livonia**  
29015 Jamison St.

**St. Joseph Catholic Church, Lake Orion**  
715 N. Lapeer Road

**St. Colette Catholic Church, Livonia**  
17600 Newburgh

**St. Michael the Archangel Church, Livonia**  
11441 Hubbard. \*April 14

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

**St. Kenneth Catholic Church, Plymouth**  
14951 Haggarty Rd. \*March 9/10, 16/17, & 23/24

**Our Lady of Victory Church, Northville**  
770 Thayer \*Lenten Collection

**Our Lady of Loretto Church, Redford**  
17116 Olympia \*March 2/3 & March 9/10

**Presence Church, Romulus**  
33200 Ecorse Road

**St. Mary Catholic Church, Royal Oak**  
730 Lafayette Ave.

**St. Paul Lutheran Church, Saint Clair Shores**  
22915 Greater Mack Ave.

**St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Church, Troy**  
280 E. Square Lake Rd.

**St. William Church, Walled Lake**  
531 Common, \*May 2024

**St. Patrick Catholic Parish, White Lake**  
9086 Hutchins Rd.

**Don't see your Church listed? Call the Main Office today to register! 734.524.0162**



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*Choose a location near you, drop off some new baby items and help our local moms and their babies. Sometimes, just knowing that there are resources available through local pregnancy help centers means the difference between aborting a baby and giving a baby LIFE!*



**WAYNE COUNTY Church Notes**

**February 2024**

Hello Pro-life Heroes,

Thank you again for your participation in January events such as the Rose Mass, Luminaries for Life, National Pro-Life T-Shirt Day and the Youth Bus Trip to the National March for Life.

The most important event of February is our **Wayne Chapter Church Representative Meeting on Saturday, February 10**. This will take place in the cafeteria of St. Michael Catholic School from 10am-12pm. St. Michael Catholic School is conveniently located at 11441 Hubbard St. in Livonia (just south of Plymouth Rd between Farmington and Merriman). We last held a Church Rep meeting in 2022 and it was very productive. It is vital that as many Church Representatives, volunteers, and those potentially interested in becoming involved as Church Representatives are in attendance! The agenda will include sharing the priorities of the Chapter Board of Directors in 2024 and collaborative time to listen to and discuss feedback from all of you about what is working well and what needs to improve in our Chapter.

The biggest upcoming event is **LIFESPAN’s 35<sup>th</sup> Annual Baby Shower on Sunday, March 10**. Churches throughout Southeast Michigan will collect baby supplies and cash donations which will benefit several local problem pregnancy centers. Contact Chris at the *LIFESPAN* Main Office at 734-524-0164 to add your community to the list of Baby Shower participants.

**Office Manager Opening**

Former Office Manager Pam Jankowski resigned for a full-time position elsewhere and we wish her all the best. Please post the ad for the Office Manager position included in these notes and share the posting with anyone you think may have interest.

**Temporary Office Hours**

**TUESDAYS & THURSDAYS 10:30AM-3:00PM (staffed by Board volunteers)**

**SATURDAYS 1/27, 2/3, 2/17, 3/2 9:00AM-1:00PM (staffed by Chapter Director)**

**Ask pro-aborts to Describe what they Defend!**

Yours in LIFE,

Timothy Pruse

Wayne County Chapter Director

## Wayne County Chapter Church Notes February 2024

**February 3-4: Right to Life – LIFESPAN Church Rep & Volunteer Meeting**  
LIFESPAN Wayne Chapter invites all current Church Representatives, volunteers, and anyone interested in assisting LIFESPAN's efforts to our semi-annual Church Representative meeting next **Saturday, February 10** from 10am-12pm at St. Michael Catholic School in Livonia in the cafeteria. We will discuss pro-life opportunities and challenges you are seeing in your own communities. It is very important for as many Church Reps as possible to meet and discuss where we are currently and where we can best make an impact in the future. If you are not a Church Rep, but want to find out what a Church Rep does, please attend this meeting! Call the office at 734-422-6230 or contact Chapter Director Tim Pruse at [tpruse@milifespans.org](mailto:tpruse@milifespans.org) for more info.

**February 10-11: Right to Life – LIFESPAN End Both Abortion & Modern Slavery!**  
As it is Black History Month, LIFESPAN would like to reiterate our defense of human dignity in all its forms. The two greatest evils in American history are slavery and abortion. The Radiance Foundation, headed by our April *Be the Change* youth conference speaker Ryan Bomberger, established the End Both campaign which can be found at <https://radiancefoundation.org/endboth>. The campaign details that 56 million abortions occur annually, killing preborn babies equal to 0.8% of the world's population. In 1860, 25 million people were enslaved worldwide, equal to 1.9% of global population. Today, 27 million people are enslaved, which is 0.4% of global population. To fight abortion and modern slavery/human trafficking with local action right now, see <https://milifespans.org> and become a LIFESPAN member today!

**February 17-18: Right to Life – LIFESPAN A Personal Testimony to Young Women**  
The Wayne Chapter Director attended the 2024 *March for Life* and will reflect on that in the March. On January 20, the *West Coast Walk for Life* marched in San Francisco. The featured speaker, Kaya Jones the former lead singer of the rock band Pussycat Dolls, began speaking against abortion following her regret over abortions she had before turning her life over to God. To young women, she says, "You will regret it (abortion) your whole life. Even if I become a mother tomorrow, and I'm happily married, and all is well, I'm still going to regret the three children I didn't have." Her new album includes the song *Breathe Into Me* and Kaya says the song is, "Meant to show young women how important it is to choose life. You can be successful and be a Mom. Even if you are scared; it is OK to be scared." Visit <https://milifespans.org> to become a LIFESPAN member today.

**February 24-25: Right to Life – LIFESPAN 35<sup>th</sup> Annual Baby Shower is March 10**  
LIFESPAN's 35<sup>th</sup> Annual Baby Shower to benefit local Pregnancy Help Centers takes place on Sunday, March 10\* (\*some churches use expanded or different dates\*). At least 20 churches are participating this year. The Baby Shower accepts new baby items and monetary donations that go directly to benefit the 13 participating local pregnancy help centers in Southeast Michigan. This is a great way for God's pro-life people to demonstrate our willingness to serve mothers and babies in need of financial assistance. Through such a loving approach, we will overcome the powers of evil in God's time! Visit <https://miLIFESPAN.org> or call 734-524-0162 for the most updated information on Baby Shower locations near you.

## Help Wanted: Wayne Chapter Office Manager

**Position Overview:** This is the perfect opportunity for an individual interested in part-time employment in a position that truly makes a positive difference for the preborn and other human beings endangered by the Culture of Death. The first duty of the Office Manager is to be the on-site presence who greets visitors to the office and answers phone calls and emails. The Office Manager enters and manages member and supporter data, assists the Wayne Chapter Director in editing and printing regular Chapter publications, and serves as Secretary at Chapter Board meetings. The Office Manager works closely with the Wayne Chapter Director to plan and execute Chapter events, campaigns, communications, and volunteer efforts.

**Location:** The LIFESPAN Wayne Chapter office in Livonia (Schoolcraft between Merri-man & Farmington). Consistent office hours and days can be adjusted to the Office Manager's availability on a seasonal basis.

**Right to Life-LIFESPAN** is the oldest local grassroots pro-life organization in Southeast Michigan, founded in 1970. We are a non-sectarian 501(c)3 non-profit organization dedicated to the protection of all human life from conception to natural death. Our efforts focus on pro-life education and outreach through our two chapters (Wayne Chapter & Oakland-Macomb Chapter), Generation Truth youth outreach, and Wee Care, which provides baby items to mothers in need. The Wayne Chapter serves communities in Wayne County, southwestern Oakland County, and surroundings to the west and south.

**Starting Salary:** \$14.50/hour with opportunity for regular increases based on demonstrated competence

### Qualifications:

- Proven support of the Pro-Life cause & willingness to follow & share developments in the life issue
- Must possess ability to communicate professionally with customers, members, volunteers, & colleagues via phone, email, & in-person
- Must be responsible, organized, and exhibit professionalism
- Available to work 2-3 days/week (15-20 hours/week); possibility for additional hours if interested in also serving as LIFESPAN Assistant Youth Director
- Willingness to assist at select LIFESPAN events outside normal business hours (approx. 6 events/year)
- Basic knowledge of Microsoft Word & Excel required; Knowledge of Microsoft Access preferred

**Interested parties are asked to please contact Wayne Chapter Director Tim Pruse via email at [tpruse@milifespans.org](mailto:tpruse@milifespans.org) or via mobile phone at 248-376-7071.**