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From the Heart of the Director

One heart at a time...one life at a time

That Legal Protection Would Be Granted According to the Will and Law of God

Dear Supporters: There are two important legislative cases that are currently in the courts; one could potentially change the landscape of the abortion pill and the other could potentially affect our Center's efforts to help women who want to reverse their abortion. Below is a short summary of each case:

1) **The Abortion Pill (Mifepristone):** On March 26, 2024, the United States Supreme Court will hear oral arguments in the case, *FDA v. Alliance for Hippocratic Medicine*. This case involves the FDA's challenge of a lower court ruling that the FDA must restore patient safeguard standards to the dangerous abortion pill "Mifepristone." The FDA's drug safety program, "REMS" (*Risk Evaluation and Mitigation Strategies*) require special monitoring and administration of certain drugs, such as Mifepristone, because of their potentially harmful adverse effects. In addition to the obvious threat and intended death to unborn image bearers of God, there are concerns about the mental and physical health risks to the mother. Since Mifepristone poses life-threatening and health-endangering risks, the FDA assigned Mifepristone to its REMS program in 2011. However, during the Covid pandemic, the FDA halted enforcement of Mifepristone's safety requirements under REMS which allowed easier access through telehealth and mail-order avenues, thus eliminating in-person doctor visits and oversight while putting women at greater risk of serious complications. The High Court will determine whether or not the FDA violated the Administrative Procedure Act when it removed its original safety standards from Mifepristone.

2) **Abortion Pill Reversal:** California Attorney General Bonta is suing Heartbeat International (our prolife umbrella organization) and RealOptions Obria Medical Clinics to censor them from "*advertising Abortion Pill Reversal as safe and effective*" with claims of misleading patients/clients and false advertising. Predictably, the state's lawsuit is another attack on prolife agencies and centers who inform women of this life-saving option. The Thomas More Society, representing Heartbeat and RealOptions, has submitted a comprehensive rebuttal to the government's attempts to quench our First Amendment protections, while also presenting compelling evidence of the safety and effectiveness of progesterone for pregnant women. Not only has progesterone been utilized by OB/GYNs for decades because of its efficacy to prevent potential miscarriages, but it is also used to reverse the effects of Mifepristone. According to Heartbeat, **over 4,500 babies are alive today** because women were informed of Abortion Pill Reversal and utilized this life-saving intervention.

First of all, then, I urge that entreaties, prayers, petitions and thanksgivings, be made on behalf of all men, for kings and all who are in authority, so that we may lead a tranquil and quiet life in all godliness and dignity. (1 Tim 2:1-2)

Please pray the Lord will impart wisdom to the Courts and for the attorneys in these cases affirming life; that they will convey their arguments with clarity and accuracy; and that ultimately— legal protection would be granted according to the will and law of God.

Kathryn Enloe
Director



Welcome our New Advocate Graduates!

What a joy it is to welcome and congratulate these lovely ladies! **Ashley Kelso, Nicole Gilles** and **Shayla Stepanian** completed our 6-day advocate training. Their love for the Lord, wisdom, gentleness, and compassionate hearts will be a blessing to the clients they meet. We thank God for them and look forward to ministering together!

Therefore we ought to support people like these, that we may be fellow workers for the truth. 3 John 1:8

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Thank you Catholic Daughters!

Catholic Daughters recently hosted a baby shower for the Center and blessed us with many adorable gifts for our Mom Store! Thank you for your gracious support and for loving our clients through this life-saving ministry.

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The Center will be promoting our upcoming spring fundraiser, **Changing Babies**, that will run from Mother's Day to Father's Day. This is a fun and easy way to support the center. Churches, businesses and individuals are invited to participate. If you would like more information, please call us at 583-

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