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Changing and Saving Lives at Care Net Post-Roe

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We rejoice that abortion on demand is no longer available in Kentucky. Unfortunately, most women who experience unintended pregnancy are still seeking abortion services. Many travel out of state while others find ways to obtain abortion pills online. We strive to reach these women with life-affirming services before they have an abortion.

I would like first to thank you for your faithful prayer and financial support. You have allowed Care Net to excel in changing and saving lives this year! As of August 30, we report a 59% increase in abortion-minded women choosing Care Net medical services for pregnancy testing. We also report a 61% increase in abortion-minded women choosing to have an ultrasound to confirm their pregnancy. To date we are happy to report that 1,438 babies have been given life after their mothers saw them on ultrasound!

Since the ruling on the *Dobbs* case, we have new challenges to overcome to reach women most vulnerable to abortion. Advertising is now rocky terrain for pregnancy resource centers, as online advertising and Google My Business have added restrictions that purposely limit our ability to attract women seeking abortion. Women are rushing to obtain abortion pills, which must be used

very early in pregnancy. We have responded by carefully crafting our advertising strategy and expanding our medical services to meet women in their time of need, resulting in our greatest year of saving lives thus far!

We also report a 33% increase in mentoring program enrollment. We anticipate and plan for great growth in parenting support services post-*Roe*. Churches and individuals have been made aware of the increased need to offer additional support to women and men as they navigate an unintended pregnancy and parenting. We are currently collaborating with churches to engage our clients and introduce them to the church.

The post-*Roe* atmosphere has had an impact on our financial budget as well. Among necessary adjustments are increased security monitoring and intensive training for our nurses. Because of these and other increased expenditures, we also have an increased need for financial support to excel in our mission to save lives.

Together with you who support this ministry, we create a culture of life as we educate, support, and empower men and women before, during and after an unplanned pregnancy. Thank you for being a vested partner with us for life.

1,438 babies (and counting)

have been given life by Care Net clients since Nicholas's Ultrasound Room opened in 2006. Ultrasound, a "window on the womb," powerfully confirms the beginning of human life and is a vital tool for presenting life options to our clients.

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24-Hour Client Hotline

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Donor Website

carenetnky.org

Client Website

pregnantoptionsnky.org

Yes for Life

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Q What is the Yes for Life Amendment?

The amendment will affirm that there is no right to abortion or the funding of abortion in Kentucky's constitution. This important language will prevent state judges from asserting their own preferences over the will of legislators and the voters.

Q Isn't abortion a political issue?

Pro-life Kentuckians understand that protecting the sanctity of life isn't a political stance but a fundamental moral foundation. The Yes for Life Amendment will prevent state judges from prioritizing their own abortion politics over the people.

What's a DAF?

Matt Darpel, President, Care Net Board of Directors

A donor-advised fund (DAF) is an investment account for the sole purpose of supporting charitable organizations you care about. You can support any IRS-qualified public charity with grant recommendations from the donor-advised fund.

How a DAF works: you make a tax-deductible donation of cash, stocks or non-publicly traded assets such as private business interests to be eligible for an immediate tax deduction. DAF contributions are irrevocable; funds cannot be returned to the donor or any other individual or used for any purpose except grantmaking to charities. Total fees typically amount to about 1% of the balance.

How do I benefit from using a DAF? While you decide which charities to support, your donation can potentially grow, making even more money available for charities. Most sponsoring organizations have a variety of options from which you can recommend an investment strategy for your charitable dollars.

Also, instead of keeping track of every receipt from every charity you support, you need receipts only from your DAF contributions. When you're ready to support your chosen charity, you can log in to your account and recommend a grant to any IRS-qualified public charity.

Some donations may make you eligible for other tax benefits:

- If you donate cash via check or wire transfer, you're generally eligible for an income tax deduction of up to 60% of your adjusted gross income.

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- Donating appreciated securities instead of liquidating the asset and donating the proceeds can maximize both your tax benefit and the overall amount available for grants. These donations provide two tax benefits: 1) eligibility for an income tax deduction of the full fair-market value of the asset, up to 30% of your adjusted gross income; and 2) eliminating capital gains tax on long-term appreciated assets, as long as they've been held more than a year.

Contact your financial advisor for more information and advice, including incorporating DAF in your estate planning.

Golf 'Fore' Fathers Enjoys Perfect Day

We welcomed 124 golfers to Aston Oaks Golf Club August 12 to enjoy lunch from Izzy's, take chances on raffles, and bid on exciting silent auction packages before heading out for 18 holes under perfect blue skies. Texas Roadhouse wrapped up the day with a barbecue dinner.

All this fun supports Care Net's Fatherhood and other parenting classes for a year!

To join the fun next year or be a sponsor highlighted all year, contact Joy at directorofdevelopment@carenetky.org.

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See hole, silent auction and raffle sponsors at carenetky.org.



Lunch from Izzy's before heading out.



We welcomed not only the most fun golfers but also the most stylish.

Dedications

IN MEMORY

Aborted babies
by Jan Hawkins
Fred Fischer by Judith Fischer
Sharron Gabbert by Loretta Hall
Robert F. Greene
by Charles Jr. & Kathleen Lester
by Tom & Mary Blom
by Robert & Patricia Bernard
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Julie Lukens by Joseph & Eva Lukens
Robert Scott, M.D.
by Tom & Renee Huth
by Mike & Meg Monahan
by Jeffrey & Stephanie Schmitter
by Stephen & Catherine Roeding
by David Bauman
by Mike & Mary McKeown
by Leo & Maureen Meyers

IN MEMORY

Daniel Joseph Stange
by Richard & Barbara Egan
by Don & Judy Griffin
by Thomas & Amy Teofilo
by Paul & Alvera Tipton
Robert Louis Steuber Jr.
by Mark & Barbara Wells
by Jane Topmiller
by Kevin Flerlage
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by Thomas & Marta Vennemann
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by Joan Nienaber
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by Norb & Mary Steuber
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by Regina Casey
by Gary & Deborah Marsh
by George, Laura & Emma Heins
by Mark & Laura Kathman
Ed & Virginia Stewart
by Martin & Mary Ryan

IN HONOR

Kevin Cranley by Gary & Lynne Hood
Bill & Kim Dehlinger
by Deacon David & Marianne Meyer
by Michael & Brenda Pope
by Dennis Klocke
Julia Greene by Daniel & Cathy Feldmann
Kim Lampe
by Jeffrey & Beth Hudepohl
by Dr. Jean Solon
by Angela Simons
by R. Jeffrey & Jennie Schlosser
by Eric & Patricia Steinman
by Cris & Holly Collinsworth
Mary Ellen Meier
by Daniel & Cathy Feldmann
Anne Pampuch
by Daniel & Cathy Feldmann
Tom Ruberg by Dan & June Owens
Supreme Court overturning *Roe v. Wade*
by Michael & Betty Forge
by Daniel Sparks
Union Baptist Church Mothers
by Union Baptist Church
Megan Weaver by Stephanie Vorhees
Ruth Weil by Richard & Mary Chase
Martin & Sheila Zalla
by Michael & Kathleen Barker

To dedicate a gift in someone's honor or memory, call 859-431-9178 or note your intent on your check or in the Note section of the online form.

Thank You, Churches!

These churches participated in Care Net's 2022 Mother's Day/Father's Day Baby Bottle Campaign. Our three annual Baby Bottle Campaigns—January, May-June and October—are a fun and easy way to engage your church, organization or family in the pro-life conversation and support. Learn more at carenety.org/baby-bottle-campaign and choose your campaign!

Beaver Lick Baptist Church
Bethany Lutheran Church
The Bridge Community Church
Christ Baptist Church
Crittenden Baptist Church
Cynthiana Baptist Church
DeMossville Baptist Church
Dry Ridge Baptist Church
First Baptist Church of Walton
Glencoe Baptist Church
Grace Pointe Community Nazarene Church
Hebron Church of Christ
Hebron Lutheran Church
Independence New Life Nazarene Church
Kento-Boo Baptist Church
Knoxville Baptist Church

Main Street Baptist Church
Marcus Crooked Creek Baptist Church
Mary Queen of Heaven Parish
Mason Baptist Church
Mercy Ridge Community Church
New Bethel Church
New Columbus Baptist Church
Oak Island Baptist Church
Oak Ridge Baptist Church
One Hope Community Church
Pleasant Home Baptist Church
Rosedale Baptist Church
Sand Run Baptist Church
Sherman Baptist Church
Sherman Full Gospel Church
St. Augustine Parish

St. Barbara Parish
St. Catherine of Siena Parish
St. Henry Parish
St. John the Baptist Parish
St. Mary of the Assumption Parish
St. Matthew Parish
St. Patrick Parish of Maysville
St. Patrick Parish of Taylor Mill
St. Paul Parish
St. Timothy Parish
Turner Ridge Baptist Church
Unity Baptist Church
Vineyard Christian Church of Florence
Walton United Methodist Church
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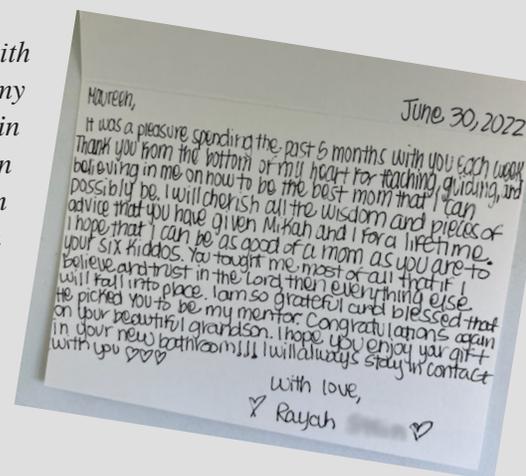
MISSION STATEMENT

We are a Christ-centered organization existing to educate, support and empower people before, during and after an unplanned pregnancy, while uplifting the sanctity of human life.

Thank You for Believing in Me

Rayah confirmed her pregnancy with an ultrasound at Care Net in December 2021. Two weeks later she met for the first time with her mentor, Maureen Schwarber. Over the next five months, Maureen guided Rayah through several of the classes Care Net offers expectant and new parents. After her son, Maddex, was born, Rayah sent this beautiful photo and the note below to Maureen.

It was a pleasure spending the last five months with you each week. Thank you from the bottom of my heart for teaching, guiding, and believing in me on how to be the best mom that I can possibly be. I will cherish all the wisdom and advice that you have given Mikah and I for a lifetime. You taught me most of all that if I believe and trust in the Lord, then everything else will fall into place. I am so grateful and blessed that He picked you to be my mentor. I will always stay in contact with you.



Rayah's letter beautifully illustrates the intentional care and relationship we offer our clients. Our mentors walk alongside them, rejoicing together, teaching, listening, encouraging and loving. What a blessing to see the fruits of their service.

To explore opportunities to be a volunteer mentor, go to carenety.org/volunteer

