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So God created mankind in his own image, in the image of God he created them; male and female he created them. Genesis 1:27

We are all created in the image of God! We are all loved beyond comprehension! God has wonderful plans for each and every person! Every year on the third Sunday in January we remember that all life is precious and should be protected from natural birth to natural death. We remember the sanctity of human life! For those of us called to serve in pregnancy center ministry, we have the opportunity every January to raise awareness of the sanctity of life and the free services we provide to help those who may be facing a pregnancy decision. Churches around the United States use the day to celebrate God's gift of life, commemorate the many lives lost to abortion, and commit themselves to protecting human life at every stage. Join with us as we mourn the loss of over 60 million unborn babies since abortion was legalized in the United States. Join with us in prayer as we minister to men and women facing a pregnancy decision. Join with us in celebrating the brave moms and dads that have chosen life in the face of adversity – they are heroes! Stand with us for life by praying, volunteering and supporting Caring Choices financially so that we can continue to be the hands and feet of Christ to those in need.

Sanctity of Human Life Sunday will be remembered this year on January 16, 2022. You will find Caring Choices and "Gianna" (our Mobile Medical Unit) at Calvary Chapel of the Finger Lakes (1777 Rochester Road, Farmington, NY) for both of their Sunday services (8:30 am & 10:30 am). Join us to witness the power of ultrasound and an opportunity to see the mobile unit in person!

COMING NEXT SPRING: Stay tuned for information about an exciting concert event to be held at Calvary Chapel of the Finger Lakes to raise funds for the Mobile Medical Unit.

MAKING A DIFFERENCE FOR LIFE

Andrea Johns, Mobile Unit Director

A young woman approached the van looking for an ultrasound; she was 37 weeks pregnant and had no insurance. Shortly after the ultrasound started, she was sharing that she really hadn't decided whether she was going to keep the baby or not. She had financial and home circumstances that were making her question her decision to keep this baby. She went on to tell me there was a local doctor who was willing to go through the abortion procedure if she came in before she went into labor. We spoke at length about her baby, how much hair she had on her head and how long her fingers were! I gave her lots of ultrasound pictures to take home. We prayed together and, as she was leaving, she said "I'll definitely keep the baby if I go into labor soon". We continued to pray for protection over that momma and baby.

It's moments like these that make you sit and cry at the feet of our Savior, begging for healing for our country. We live in a country that not only allows abortion, but celebrates it. 1 John 4:4 says "But you belong to God my dear children, you have already won a victory over these people because He that is in you is greater that he than is in the world."

About a week later she called and said she had her baby and it was a girl! She was so happy to be a mom and has since continued to visit our center. Praise the Lord for a true answer to prayer!

GIVE NOW TO MAKE A DIFFERENCE FOR LIFE

Since we launched the Mobile Medical Unit on September 16, 2021, we have seen 14 clients! For every client seen on the van, there are many other interactions of equal value value that happen on the sidewalk. We have been so

blessed to work closely with **ROC Love Will End Abortion** and their efforts to pray and reach out to women and men on the sidewalk outside of Planned Parenthood. Without this partnership we would be much less effective at this location. We have performed 8 ultrasounds on the van since we launched and, while we may not always know the outcome of a woman's pregnancy, we do know that introducing a mother to the child growing inside them can move them to choose life.

Caring Choices is a donor-supported ministry and all our funds come from individuals just like you. Please consider becoming a monthly partner to support the work of saving babies from abortion! Your support will help provide necessary training and resources as well as offset the costs to operate the Mobile Medical Unit.

To donate specifically to the Mobile Medical Unit, please select this purpose from the drop-down menu on our donate page or specify in the memorandum section of your check. Go to **www.caringchoicesphc.com**.

TRUE LOVE COMES TO ROCHESTER

Caring Choices would like to thank Focus Pregnancy Center, Fr. Jim Hewes and the many financial supporters who made it possible to bring the True Love Health Mobile Medical Unit to the Rochester community. Caring Choices Pregnancy Help Center leases the van from Focus Pregnancy Center and oversees the operation of the van, services provided and staff/volunteers. We offer free limited ultrasounds, pregnancy tests and STD testing in two locations. On Monday the Mobile Medical Unit is parked at 441 Parsells Avenue in Rochester from 8:30-3pm. On Tuesdays & Thursdays the unit can be found at the intersection of University Avenue between Gibbs Street and Scio Street from 8:30-3pm. Clients can connect with us at

www.TrueLoveHealth.com or 1-833-4TRULOVE. For ongoing support, clients are referred to our pregnancy help centers located in Webster (35 Curtice Park) or Rochester (651 Chili Avenue).



JOIN OUR MOBILE MEDICAL TEAM!

Have you dreamed of a job where your passion and skills collide? Do you have a desire to serve women and men while saving precious lives through the power of pregnancy help? If you answered "YES!" to these questions, Caring Choices may be the place for you! We are expanding our Mobile Medical Team and searching for sonographers and female peer counselors. If you would like to know more about these exciting opportunities, contact Andrea at 585-235-0690.



Andrea (center) pictured with Dorothy & Deanna Joy from ROC Love Will End Abortion

Thank you for your support!