

"We walk by faith, not by sight" II Corinthians 5:7

One of the great lessons of being a Christian is learning to follow the leading of the Holy Spirit, especially when our natural minds rebel. We often want to play it safe, be cautious, keeping both feet firmly inside the boat. But Jesus calls us to follow Him and trust His plan for us. The Pregnancy Help Center is answering the call. We are going to follow Him, ignoring the wind and the waves of a challenging economy!

It has become clear that our small office on Hickory Street is no longer big enough to meet the needs of our patients or staff. While the building has served the ministry well, it is time to move! Our offices are cramped and overcrowded for our growing staff and volunteers. But, most importantly, we are limited in the number of women we can serve; severely confining our ministry.



After a great deal of prayer and advice from business leaders, our Board of Directors voted to purchase a new building ! The new office, located at 4435 Florida National Drive, just off South Florida Avenue, has 2,000 square feet. This will allow us to expand the ministry of the Pregnancy Help Center and minister to hundreds more women who are at risk for abortion each year.

We were able to purchase the property at a fair price and have secured very favorable financing. Plus, with the support of some very special donors, we have already raised over \$30,000 toward our down payment!

One of the great miracles is the location of our new home, just blocks away from the abortion clinic in South Lakeland. Our ministry will be closer and more convenient, allowing us to minister more quickly and effectively to the young women who are considering abortion.

The exciting news does not stop with the purchase of a new building! We have other changes coming, that will make our ministry even more relevant to a new generation that is at risk for abortion. The goal of the Pregnancy Help Center, however, remains the same, to provide women with all the information they need to choose life. Through our dedicated volunteer counselors, medical staff and you, our supporters, we can help her make a decision for life.

Thank you for joining us on our journey! Your prayers and continued support will allow the Pregnancy Help Center to expand our reach to women at risk for abortion in the greater Lakeland area.

Together, we can walk on the water of faith!

Lynne Breidenbach Ministry Development The Pregnancy Help Center Help Line phone number is **863-393-6988.** The Pregnancy Help Center is open Mon. & Wed. 11:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. Tues. 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. Thursday 1:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m. Friday 9:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

Business number 863-682-5763

Please visit our website at **www.preghelpcenterinfo.com** or come to one of our VISION Tours to see how we are making a difference in the lives of women who are at risk for abortion.



EXECUTIVE DIRECTORS MESSAGE...

"Welcome to Life" were the words spoken by President Sebastian Pinera to the 15th miner rescued, on October 13th, from the San Jose Mine in Chile. There were many profound messages throughout this world gripping event.

First, when those around him had lost hope, President Pinera was ready to do whatever was necessary to save the 33, including a plea for help from around the world. Then the message of hope, received when the miners were believed dead, through a small borehole made by rescuers. It read, "We are here and we hope that you will rescue us."

Then, expressions of faith brought us to tears. One miner said "There were 34 of us because God was always with us." How touching to see one man step out of the capsule onto his knees in thanksgiving to God for his rescue. The teamwork of those involved in the details of the rescue effort served to inspire the world. How proud we are as Americans that NASA designed the capsule that delivered the men from their tomb, and that an obscure company in Pennsylvania provided superior drills which expedited the rescue effort.

Providence put a man in place, employed only two months at the mine, who became the foreman. He began on day 1, to ration food, to create a day and night, to figure the talents of each of the 33 so as to assign each a meaningful job in their new workspace.

Sheer joy and jubilation took place in the hearts of all of us as we watched each of the 33 miners step out of the rescue capsule.

We too are gifted with faith as we rescue the unborn every day in the Pregnancy Help Center. We believe that God is always with us.

Because we know of your faith, we count on you to help us in our rescue efforts. We know that God has blessed you with gifts and talents. Many of you have generously shared your gifts and talents with us.

Because of you, 91% of the women we serve choose life for their unborn babies. One by one each of these little ones is born. You may not hear the cheers, sirens, nor see the confetti, but know that each time a baby is saved, we rejoice along with heaven!

Welcome to Life!

Mary C. Butherford

You Gan Help Save Lives!

Volunteer Opportunities

Patient Resources

- Helpliners Schedule Appointments
- Receptionist Greet Patients
- Advocate Interview Patients

Medical Division

- Nurses (RNs and LPNs) Follow up calls, pregnancy tests, and medical histories
- Sonographers/RDMS
- Support Group Facilitator

Advancement Department

- Donor Thank You Calls
- Help With Mailings
- Church Relations
- Help Plan Events

Marketing

- Computer/Internet Design
- Graphic Design Specialist
- Public Relations Specialist

Materials you can supply

Flat screen LCD computer monitor, new baby clothes, diapers size 0-12 months, wipes, baby wash, lotion, diaper cream, bottles, pacifiers, velcro bibs, blankets.

Happy Birthday!

Thanks to your support, we welcome the following babies to our community.

August

Neveah

Angel

Taylor

Kaden

Jerica Casanee

Lilly

Tre Alyssa

Key'Modes

Giovanni

Ionathon

Demario Anthony

Isaac

July Jariah Kanyah Jayveon Kylee Connor

September

Madyson Rianna Brandon Emma Kimora Kimira Maci



YOU CAN DONATE ONLINE!

An online gift means your dollars go even further! visit http://www.preghelpcenterinfo.com

You can help build a stronger foundation for the Pregnancy Help Center and save more lives by joining the Life Choice Society:

Choice Level- Sponsor 10 women: \$1000 per year for 5 years.
Empowerment Level- Sponsor 50 women: \$5000 per year for 5 years.
Freedom Level- Sponsor 250 women: \$25,000 per year for 5 years.
Foundation Level- Contribute \$______ per year /quarter/month for 5 years.

Payments can be made monthly by credit card or by Electronic Funds Transfer (EFT) from your checking or savings account.

You can also mail your donation to: PHC, P.O. Box 2071, Lakeland, FL 33806

Your support is vitally important, it saves lives!

Brown bag it... And save a life.

What does it cost you to purchase that lunch out during a busy business day? A few dollars, maybe five, ten or fifteen bucks?

What if all of us who eat out at lunch decided that every once in awhile, we would "Brown Bag It" for the Pregnancy Help Center. The results would be lives saved.

When times are tight, we are all looking for ways to cut back, but continue

supporting the causes we believe in. Perhaps a brown bag and an apple here an there is something you could do to help us touch hearts and save lives!



"A Picture is Worth a Thousand Lives"

Tiffany came to the Pregnancy Help Center pregnant, and planning to have an abortion. She was no longer with her boyfriend and just couldn't imagine having a baby alone. As part of her appointment she was given all the information about abortion; including the procedures, cost, risks and side effects.

Tiffany was given an ultrasound, and after seeing her baby, realized she needed to at least talk to the father before she could make any decisions. Fortunately, she did come back for a second ultrasound and brought the father with her. This is the ideal situation, for an abortion minded woman to bring the father with her for the rescan. We want the father to see the heartbeat to help him come to terms with the reality of this precious life.

Praise God that he was touched by what he saw and they were able to choose life. Tiffany is receiving all her prenatal care and moving along nicely with her pregnancy.

The staff at the PHC is so grateful that, thanks to the generosity of donors like you, we are able to provide an ultrasound to every woman. The ultrasound really "speaks a thousand words" to these women and allows them to see the child they are carrying.

> Debbie Phelan Director of Patient Resources





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Mission:

To erase the need for abortion through effectively serving pregnant at risk women by transforming their fear into confidence!

Due to the excitement of our new building, our annual

"Celebrate Life Fundraiser" has been moved...

Thursday, February 10th, 2011 The Lakeland Center

Featuring

Cal Thomas as our keynote speaker

With a twice-weekly column appearing in over 500 newspapers nationwide, Cal Thomas is the most widely read and one of the most highly regarded voices on the American political scene. He is a panelist on the popular "Fox News Watch" show.

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