



THE
HOUSTON COALITION
FOR LIFE

Letter to Day Captains

40 DAYS FOR LIFE™ – HOUSTON

September 22 – October 31, 2021

Dear Day Captain,

Thank you for your desire to assist in the coordination of a peaceful, prayerful presence at Planned Parenthood (4600 Gulf Freeway) during the 2021 Fall 40 Days for Life (September 22 – October 31)! Because of continued concerns around Covid-19, your responsibilities have changed in some ways:

- Choose a day (or half day) that your church will cover during the 40 Days for Life (**and confirm with the Houston Coalition for Life that day is available**)
- Publicize the 40 Days for Life at your church (via bulletin, announcements, flyers, outreach to groups such as Knights of Columbus, ACTS, etc.) NOTE: Approval for all materials, postings and announcements must be approved by your Pastor before it can have the church name on it or be distributed on church property. If you have questions about how to approach your Pastor and Respect Life Coordinator, please request the "Three Point" System from Theresa@houstoncoalition.com
- Fill your church's/organization's 12 hours (or 6 hours) with at least 3 people per hour to stand and pray outside of the Planned Parenthood at 4600 Gulf Freeway (2 hour time slots recommended). **If the hours are not filled, please let us know as soon as possible so we can find back-ups.**
- Ask each participant to complete a Statement of Peace and return it to you. (Please mail these forms to us at Houston Coalition for Life. **It is very important from a legal standpoint that we receive these Statements of Peace for everyone who participates. If you need paper copies, please contact us.**
- Provide each participant with important information including parking info (park along street curbs, not in Planned Parenthood's lots) and where to stand (do not stand in the driveway, though you can cross it); **Regarding COVID-19: masks are OPTIONAL and prayer volunteers have always been encouraged to spread out and focused on prayer, not visiting.** Regarding, masks, traveling arrangements, and other coronavirus related questions or changes, you can reference HoustonCoalition.com/Stand-and-Pray or contact us. **If someone is susceptible to disease, we encourage them to pray from home; we do aim to have a minimum of 2 people per hour from 7am-7pm at the vigil site.**

Thank you for your time and effort in this life-saving campaign! For more info, feel free to call Theresa at (713)395-1330 or Julie at (713)741-8728. Please register by emailing theresa@houstoncoalition.com.

May God Bless you for all that you do in defense of the unborn and their mothers,

Programs Director
Houston Coalition for Life



Day Captain Materials



September 22 – October 31, 2021

I would like my materials customized with our church/group info:

Church/Group Date for 40 Days (between Sept 22nd – Oct 31st): _____

Hours we plan to fill:

Planned Parenthood of the Gulf Coast (full day is 7:00AM-7:00PM): ____ AM/PM to ____ AM/PM and/or

I'm interested in learning more being a Life Captain and the ongoing prayer throughout the year

Contact Person Name: _____

Phone and/or Email to be put on flyers (unless you check generic below): _____

I would like generic materials with a blank space to insert my own date and contact info.

Please check mark which forms you will need for your church/group:

Fall 2021 40 Days for Life Flyer (8 ½ x 11)

Fall 2021 40 Days for Life poster (11x17)

Participant Sign-Up/Contact Sheet

Stand & Pray Protocol Cards (details behavior expected of participants, business-card handout)

Statements of Peace (required for all participants, whether they have previously signed or not)

Return envelope for Statements of Peace (if you plan to mail completed forms back to HCL)

I would like to request an HCL speaker for a presentation or training at my church/group

Date requested: _____ Topic Requested: _____

Resources available in Spanish translation:

Fall 2021 40 Days for Life Flyer (8 ½ x 11) – Spanish version

Fall 2021 Days for Life poster (11x17) – Spanish version

Sample Bulletin Insert/Pulpit announcement – Spanish version
(Generic available, personalization will take more time)

Participant Sign-Up/Contact Sheet – Spanish version

Stand & Pray Protocol Cards – Spanish version

Statements of Peace (Promesa de Paz) – Spanish version

Return envelope for Statements of Peace (if you plan to mail completed forms back to HCL)

There are materials I would like to request which I do not see listed (please describe):

Any other questions/comments:
