

### **Overview**

40 Days for Life is an internationally coordinated 40-day campaign that aims to end abortion locally through prayer and fasting, community outreach, and a peaceful all-day vigil in front of abortion businesses.

The 40 Days for Life campaign brings together the body of Christ in a spirit of unity during a focused campaign with the purpose of repentance, to seek God's favor to turn hearts and minds from a culture of death to a culture of life, thus bringing an end to abortion.

Our community will unite with hundreds of other communities from coast to coast, and internationally, for the 40 Days for Life campaign.

## **Campaign Components**

One of the strengths of 40 Days for Life is its simplicity. The campaign has three key components:

- **Prayer and fasting:** inviting people of faith throughout our city and across the country to join together for 40 days of fervent prayer and fasting for an end to abortion.
- **Peaceful Vigil:** standing for life through a 40-day peaceful public witness outside the local Planned Parenthood either in front at 929 West St., Annapolis, MD 21401 or the backside on Smithville St.
- Community Outreach: taking a positive, upbeat pro-life message to every corner of our city through media efforts, church and school outreach, petition drives, and public visibility.

# **Truly International**

By the grace of God, since launching in 2007, 40 Days for Life has rapidly become a worldwide movement.

- 1,000,000 individual participants in 1000 cities and 64 countries
- 20,000 Churches involved
- 9200 individual local campaigns conducted

## **Accomplishments**

By the grace of God, 40 Days for Life has achieved a stunning track record of life-saving results since launching in 2007 of over:

- 25694 lives saved,
- 172 abortion facilities closed, and
- 274 abortion workers quit.

#### **How YOU Can Make a Difference**

Please pray and ask God to show you the unique role He has for you in the 40 Days for Life effort:

- **Vigil participation** may be your role. God could be asking you to peacefully stand as a sign of love to women entering Planned Parenthood that people care and are praying they have courage to keep their baby, to abortion workers that they reconsider the job they have, and as a witness to the community that evil occurs inside that building.
- **Prayer volunteers** are needed to fast and petition God to bless this effort and do as He promised in 2 Chronicles 7:14; that He will hear our prayer and heal our land.
- Community outreach might be your specialty. If you're a person with an outgoing personality, please consider this. Or maybe you're being called to take a leap of faith and step out to educate your city about God's truth.

Please understand that Mothers entering abortion clinics respond to peaceful, prayerful vigil with positive signs offering help, hope, and life for their pre-born baby. It has been demonstrated that up to 75% of abortion appointments are no shows when faithful people are praying outside the abortion clinic. You can make a difference and you can save a life.

For more information and to sign up to stand vigil, go to: <a href="https://www.40daysforlife.com/annapolis">https://www.40daysforlife.com/annapolis</a>