



**LIFE CENTER**  
OF LONG ISLAND  
*A Voice for the Unborn  
on Long Island*

# Life Center of Long Island

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## PEOPLE OF MISSION IN A SECULAR WORLD

Here at the Life Center we continue to support God's plan and protection for mothers and preborn babies, as well as seeking to connect with the father and his role in the plan of life.



We are constantly being challenged by the lessons taught in the secular world. We face so much antagonism towards what is true and safe for women's health.



It is common to hear that abortion is a human right, disregarding the fact that killing babies in the womb is the taking of a human life.



A few weeks ago, Janet\* came into the Massapequa center for a pregnancy test kit. She brought along a friend for support. After some discussion, I realized these girls were away from home and living in unhealthy places.



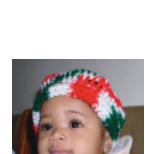
Janet tested positive and seemed surprised and concerned. Having little support can be a big factor in choosing abortion. I assured her of our ability to assist her in this journey, with resources for medical care and safe housing. Janet agreed to an ultrasound and I scheduled one for her at Mercy Medical Center shortly thereafter.



This is the time we pray for Janet, that she will have the courage to follow through and keep her appointment, because it does take courage to go against the popular attitude to just "get rid of it", as if that preborn life has no value and is expendable.



When I followed up with her a few days later, Janet sounded happy to have this new life inside of her. She is now 16 weeks along and has thankfully renewed her relationship with her family.



Contemplating this, I started to call to mind some of the clients I have worked with in the past years here at the Life Center.



Lina\*, an electrical engineer presently living in Norway with her daughters, ages 15 and 13. Her journey was a very dangerous one, as a Chinese national defying the one-child policy in place at the time.

Maria\*, now living in Pennsylvania with her daughter, Emma, a beautiful and smart 6 year-old. Maria designs t-shirts for elementary students. Her health remains a challenge, but she is hopeful for a better future.

Gwen\*, lives in the Bronx. Her child is now 13 years old and excited about Gwen's current pregnancy, expecting a little sister soon. I am happy for Gwen, a hard worker, that she has found a good man to be a responsible father to her children.



**Meg Malley**  
Massapequa/Hempstead Staff

These lives are part of the fabric woven with the help of the Life Center and its many friends. To serve one another generously, to be beacons of Christ's love to all we encounter and to continue our mission in a secular world, is the reason we are still here 35 years and counting!!



\*Names have been changed to protect confidentiality.

## Our Mission...

*"To promote, encourage, and foster public sentiment and respect for the dignity of human life... from conception to natural death."*

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GLORIA SCHREIBER

FROM THE DESK OF

*The CEO*

## Death By Mail

### The New Frontier of Abortion



**H**eartbeat International recently partnered with Charlotte Pence Bond (former Vice President Mike Pence's Daughter) and Students for Life to produce a five-episode docu-series called *This is Chemical Abortion*. The purpose of the five short films (approximately 10 minutes each) is to expose the current legal realities and medical risks of Chemical Abortion Pills. **We invite you to watch this critically acclaimed short mini-series, as a supporter of our mission and vision.**

Statistics reflect that the chemical abortion, the RU-486 (also known as the 2- day abortion pills), will shortly represent 40 to 50% of abortions in the abortion industry.

The COVID-19 pandemic was used by the abortion industry to expand the use of chemical abortion pills a.k.a. RU-486. Within this timeframe, the FDA relaxed the administration of the RU-486 enabling rapid and aggressive distribution and delivery of chemical abortions through Tele Health and mail order.

Across the country, the Life Center and other pregnancy care centers observed as much as a 48% decrease in the number of clients coming to our centers for pregnancy test kits in COVID calendar year 2020 compared to 2019 before COVID. However, because we stayed open throughout COVID we were able to **save 35 babies lives!**

With radical pro-abortion leaders in charge in Washington, the abortion lobby intends to make Death by Mail (delivering chemical abortion pills to homes without a woman ever seeing a doctor) commonplace in America within months.

*Not only will more preborn lives be lost, but it eliminates common-sense requirements for confirmation of pregnancy and supervision of abortions by physicians.*

With the surge of chemical abortions, and where the woman becomes her own abortionist at home, Heartbeat International's APR (Abortion Pill Reversal) 24/7 Hotline and Website minister to women who have taken the abortion pills, and regret doing so. Timing is critical so if it is not too late, they connect each caller to one of their national Abortion Pill Reversal medical network of over 1,000 professionals who serve in local communities across America to help women reverse their abortion.

The Life Center receives calls from the APR Hotline asking us to assist finding local Doctors here on Long Island to join their network to assist women here on Long Island, the Boroughs, and Manhattan that will prescribe/administer the reversal process through a series of progesterone levels. **So far, sadly, we have only been able to recruit one Doctor here on Long Island.**

We need YOU to take action, work alongside us, and join us RIGHT NOW to combat this Death by Mail approach in our battle to save lives. It is never too late to save women and the preborn from Big Abortion's careless agenda.

#### Take action points:

1. Watch the DocuSeries at [www.ThisIsChemicalAbortion.com](http://www.ThisIsChemicalAbortion.com)
2. Share the DocuSeries on social media for your family, friends, and peers.
3. Introduce the Life Center to Doctors who believe in our mission and vision, and who want to learn more about becoming a part of the APR Network in efforts of saving preborn lives and those of their Mothers.

#### In addition, the Life Center will:

1. Educate our supporters by e-blasting (emailing) these 5 short films directly to their email inbox. **Please contact us with your email address if you would like to receive this email and important other Life Center email updates by calling Cindy at 516-798-8746.**
2. Incorporate these podcasts onto our client website [www.womenfirstpregnancyoptions.org](http://www.womenfirstpregnancyoptions.org) and donor website [www.lifecenterli.org](http://www.lifecenterli.org).
3. Educate our **abortion vulnerable and abortion minded clients** about the RU-486 and chemical abortions in our consultation processes by obtaining and distributing educational Abortion Pill Reversal information in business card and rack card marketing resources (**please see pictures within this column**).

**Most importantly, we would greatly appreciate if you can please keep the mission and vision of the Life Center in your prayers. Prayers bring about something very powerful at the Life Center... A Change of Heart!**

Blessings,

Gloria

*Enjoy the rest of your summer!*



# THANK YOU ~ THANK YOU ~ THANK YOU!

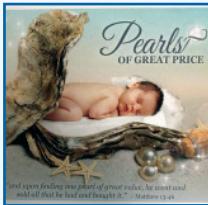
Recently the Kiwanis of North Amityville held a baby shower at Dominican Village to benefit the clients of the Life Center of Long Island. We very much appreciate the continued support of the North Amityville Kiwanis. As you can see as pictured below, their generosity is a blessing!



(Pictured left to right) Janice Bar, Amy Leftenant, President of N. Amityville Kiwanis and Louise Perrotta



## HONORIARIUM



*The Life Center of Long Island received a donation in honor of  
Rev. Denis Sweeney of Holy Redeemer College  
May he be blessed always with God's eternal love and grace.*



## IN LOVING MEMORY



*The Life Center of Long Island is grateful for donations made  
in loving memory of:*

**Andrew Buffalino**

*We commend his soul, and all the souls of the faithful departed,  
to the loving embrace of our Father.*



## CONGRATULATIONS LIFE CENTER OF LONG ISLAND!



**The Life Center of Long Island, as a registered  
501(C) (3), has once again been awarded  
the highest level of transparency with the  
GuideStar Platinum Transparency Seal for 2021!**

According to GuideStar, as of late 2020, seal holders represent approximately 5% of the more than 1.7 million non-profits registered with the Internal Revenue Service. This designation reflects the Life Center of Long Island's continued strong performance across a range of governance, financial and operational dimensions.





# SAVE THE DATE!



## LIFE CENTER OF LONG ISLAND *Our 35th Anniversary Gala!*

**Sunday, October 24, 2021**

1:00 PM to 6:00 PM

\$150 per person

**The Muttontown Club**

5933 Northern Blvd., East Norwich, NY 11731



Please contact Cindy at 516-798-8746 for additional information.



## *Our Honoree* **Paul Carpentier, MD, CFCMC**

Paul Carpentier MD, CFCMC, is the medical director for the Gianna Center of Long Island for Women's Health & Fertility. Dr. Paul and his team have been a blessing to the Life Center of Long Island, offering ultrasounds and exceptional, compassionate care to our clients in need.

## 5K RUN/WALK 4 LIFE!

**SAVE THE  
DATE!  
Sneakers Ready?**

## LIFE CENTER OF LONG ISLAND *5K Run/Walk 4 Life*

Fundraising Event

**Saturday, October 16, 2021**

Eisenhower Park  
1899 Park Blvd., East Meadow

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Fieldhouse Area Parking Field #2

For information contact  
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