



We're Having a Baby Shower!

We at Right to Life of Midland County are happy to show our support of babies, both born and unborn, by sponsoring our first annual baby shower to benefit local crisis pregnancy centers. Our shower comes at the culmination of our Spiritual Adoption. For 40 weeks we have been praying every day to save the life of an unborn baby in danger of abortion. Now it's time to spiritually welcome that baby to the world by helping area moms choose life.

The shower is being held at St. Brigid Church, 207 Ashman Street, Midland on Sunday, May 18 from 1:00 – 3:00. We will have representatives from both Pregnancy Resource Center and Pregnancy Aid of Midland County there to receive gifts and answer any questions you might have. Stop by and drop off a gift or stay for the whole two hours – food, games and fellowship!

Gift suggestions include but are not limited to: diapers of all sizes, but especially the larger sizes, wipes, formula, cribs, high chairs, strollers, new car seats, new or gently used baby and maternity clothes or a cash donation. Checks should be made payable to either Pregnancy Aid of Midland County or Pregnancy Resource Center. Gifts can be wrapped or unwrapped.

Come out on Sunday, May 18 and show your support for the miracle of life!

Health Hut

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Hours:
Monday - Saturday
9:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.
Thursday till 8:00 p.m.

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“It is a very great poverty to decide that a child must die that you might live as you wish.”

Mother Teresa of Calcutta

Your 2008 Right to Life of Midland County, Inc. officers and board members are:

*President: Joe Sheffbuch, Vice President: Julia Hoving,
Treasurer: Joanne Bober, Secretary: Stephanie LaFramboise,
Board Members: Liz Pahl, Lorie Shane, Kamila Turowska,*

Coming Up...

Besides the Baby Shower, mark down these event:

- The Memorial Day Parade
- Midland County Fair, August 10 – 16. We need about 60 people to volunteer 2 – 3 hours during fair week to keep our booth staffed. Call if you are able to help.
- Rummage Sale – June 20/21 start cleaning those closets!
- Adopt – A – Highway: Date & time to be announced, but probably mid-July & mid-September
- Focus on Life Dinner: Thursday, October 2. Dr. Theresa Burke will speak about her work with post-abortive men and women
- Life Chain: Sunday, October 5.



From left to right: Lauren Smith, Danelle Isenhart, Martin Card & Ben Dvorak

Oratorical Contest

Congratulations to Lauren Smith who placed first in our local pro-life High School Oratorical Contest. Speaking against Embryonic Stem Cell Research, Lauren represented our affiliate at the state competition in Holt, MI on May 3. Although she didn't place there, she did very well against some tough competitors. Congratulations Lauren!

Our congrats also goes out to Ben Dvorak, who placed second for our affiliate, Martin Card, taking third and Danelle Isenhart rounding up a talented group of speakers! These youths have bright futures ahead.

Thanks to the Community Church of the Nazarene and Pastor Terry Turner for hosting the event.

Knights of Columbus

GRAND KNIGHTS

Dennis Taylor
St. Agnes

Mike Grekowicz
Father DuRussel

Tom Erickson
Cardinal Hickey



FINANCIAL SECRETARIES

Frank Cieszlak
St. Agnes

Paul Card
Father DuRussel

Bruce Grant
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 Cardinal Hickey Council No. 14056 of Midland
Support the work of Right to Life of Michigan!

Yes! I want to be a member of Right to Life of Midland County, Inc.

Enclosed is payment for: _____ New membership or: _____ Renewal() \$5.00 Student () \$8.00
Senior () \$12.00 Single () \$18.00 Family
() \$25.00 Silver () \$50.00 Gold () \$75.00 Platinum () \$_____ Extra Donation

****_____Yes, I Would Also Like To Volunteer My Time****

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Being a public spokesperson for RTL | <input type="checkbox"/> High school oratorical contest (Spring) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Making phone calls for membership drives | <input type="checkbox"/> Adopt-a-highway cleanup (April & September) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Making phone calls to lobby politicians | <input type="checkbox"/> Midland County Fair booth (August) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Coordinating community events | <input type="checkbox"/> Life Chain (October) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Fundraising | <input type="checkbox"/> Rummage sale |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Working on newsletter | <input type="checkbox"/> Focus on Life dinner |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Being a church representative for _____ Church | |

YES, make our Right to Life funds do more! Send my newsletter by e-mail to my address below

Name _____ Date _____

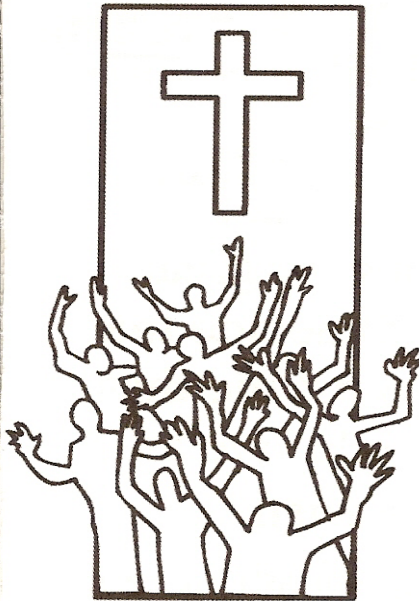
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Midland Area Catholic Churches



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Midland MI 48642
989 631-4447

Saint Brigid Parish

207 Ashman Street
Midland MI 48642
989 835-7121

Blessed Sacrament Parish

3109 Swede Avenue
Midland MI 48642
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Calendar of Events

Sunday, May 18, *Baby Shower*, 1:00p.m – 3:00p.m., St. Brigid Catholic Church, 207 Ashman. Let's shower our local Moms to be with needed support!

Friday/Saturday, June 20/21 *Rummage Sale*, 9:00 – 2:00 & 9:00 – noon, 2807 St. Mary's.

Thursday, June 12, *Monthly Meeting*, 7:00p.m., Library Conference Room B. Join us!

Thursday, July 10, *Monthly Meeting*, 7:00p.m., Library Conference Room B. Hope to see you there!

Sunday, August 10 – Saturday, August 16, *Midland County Fair*. Stop by our booth or volunteer a couple hours that week!

Thursday, August 14, *Monthly Meeting*, 7:00p.m., Library Conference Room B. Please come and give us your input!

Thursday, September 11, *Monthly Meeting*, 7:00p.m., Library Conference Room B.

Thursday, October 2, *Focus on Life Dinner*, - speaker Dr. Theresa Burke