

Intentions

January 22, 2016

Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children

(and anniversary of Roe v. Wade)

For an end to abortion and for the legal protection of unborn children everywhere;

We pray to the Lord:

For women experiencing an unplanned pregnancy:

May they be treated with kindness and receive support in welcoming their unborn children;

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For unborn children who are in danger of abortion:

May they be given the chance to live the life God has planned for them;

We pray to the Lord:

For those who are suffering after abortion and desire help:

May God grant them the courage to seek healing and peace through the Church's Project Rachel Ministry for post-abortion healing;

We pray to the Lord:

For those who work in post-abortion healing ministries:

May the Holy Spirit work through them to bring healing, freedom, and peace to those wounded by abortion;

We pray to the Lord:

For medical staff caring for infants not expected to live long after birth:

May they affirm the priceless worth of each child's life, no matter how brief;

We pray to the Lord:

For parents who have received a prenatal diagnosis of disability or illness:

May the Lord fill their hearts with peace and help them to trust in His loving plan for their child's life;

We pray to the Lord:

For those who doubt the value of their lives:

May they see themselves as the irreplaceable gift to the world that they are;

We pray to the Lord:

For all members of the Church:

By exemplifying the Father's mercy in our lives, may we bear witness to the truth that every life is worth living;

We pray to the Lord: