

HEART OF AMERICA MEMORIAL WALL FOR THE UNBORN



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2015 NDR

By Barbara Saldivar

The 2015 *National Day of Remembrance for Aborted Children* took place on September 12, 2015 at the *Heart of America Memorial Wall for the Unborn*. A nice crowd of about 50 or more came to celebrate the lives of aborted children.

Andy Saldivar opened and lead the ceremony. Father John Pilcher, of Mater Dei gave a great homily. Isabel Freisberg, Sofie Friesberg, and Jaiden Roberts, school age, either sang or played an instrument for the service. Dusty Workman, *Evidence of Journey*, ministered in music by singing as well as facilitating the sound for the service.

Pastor Gary Roten spoke on life in a very tangible way by handing out a rubber baby that would be the size of a 3 month old in the womb, as well as a leaflet explaining what the baby was able to do at that point in the womb. Every one received one which was very symbolic as we sat on the ground of the Memorial Wall, remembering the babies that had passed.

Ron Challacombe sang the song *The Lord's Prayer*. The words in that song, *Forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors*, was a timely reminder of the need to love those that hurt us and how we need God's help so that we will not be tempted, for HE is the Kingdom, and the Power, and the Glory forever. AMEN!

Many Thanks to Nancy Warren for all her work in organizing this and all our events.



Stop Abortion Forever

By Pat Hollomon

S.A.F.E. Stop Abortions Forever is a new activity Christians for Life, Inc. brought forth. Several churches followed through and it was successful in those congregations.

Sunday September 13, 2015 was the first annual **S.A.F.E. SUNDAY.**

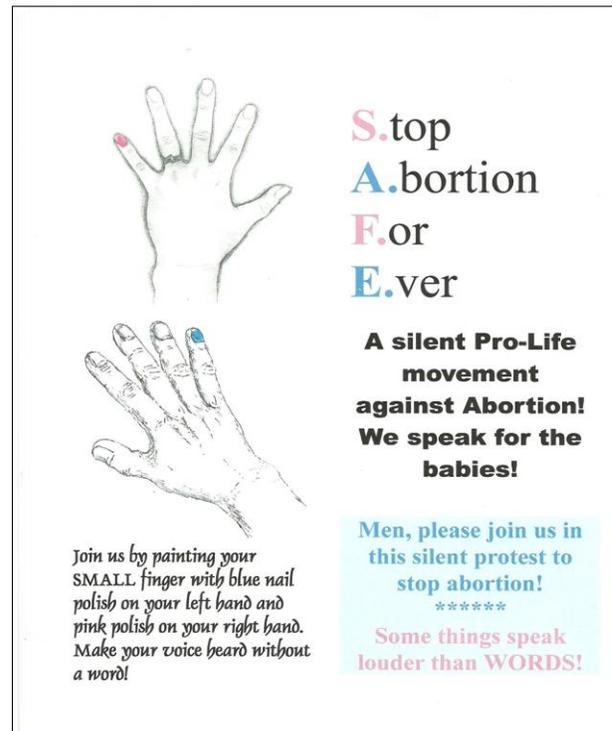
Since the most dangerous place for a pre-born baby is the mother's womb, and 60 million unborn babies have been lost to abortion since Roe V. Wade became the law of the land, **S.A.F.E** asked the Pro-life community to join to silently bring attention to the murder, atrocities and disregard of God's most perfect creation.

Local churches were asked to join **S.A.F.E.** by:

Praying for the safety of babies in the womb and for **THE DISMANTELING OF GOVERNMENT FUNDED ABORTIONS IN AMERICA BY PLANNED PARENTHOOD. ULTIMATELY WE WANT ABORTION IRRATICATED FROM OUR COUNTRY.** It was time to strike while Planned Parenthood was trying to defend the indefensible; the selling of body parts from aborted babies!

We asked congregations to encourage women, to join us by painting their left **SMALL** finger with blue nail polish and their right **SMALL** finger with pink polish. These will represent all the male and female babies who have been aborted and continue to be aborted. We hoped to make our voices heard without a word! Teenage girls were also encouraged to join in. Every time we look at our hands we were reminded to pray for an end to abortion.

Bracelets were offered to men and boys who wanted to join in.



Volunteers are always such a blessing!

Larry & Jean Coffman, Ron & Suzanne Challacombe, Andy & Barbara Saldivar, Ron Lutz, Scott McBurney, Bob Taylor, and Don Schultz, Mayor of Overbrook, KS were the board members and volunteers who came to spruce up the grounds in August 2015. Many who volunteer, find great peace in doing this type of work for the Lord.



Front left to right: Ron Challacombe, Suzanne Challacombe, Ron Lutz, Larry Coffman, and Jean Coffman. Back: Don Schultz and Andy Saldivar.

Volunteer Opportunities

By Christians for Life Board Members

There are openings for new members to join our board. We have several positions open. The requirements for board members are to attend quarterly meetings, and take turns checking the memorial grounds once a week during "their month" which should be every 4 months.

These are good positions for young people with a car and newly retired persons. We are praying for the exact right person(s) to say "yes, I want to help keep the *Heart of America Memorial Wall for the Unborn beautiful*". You may be the one, please call 785-267-5777 or email at info@heartofamericawall.org.

Donations may be made one of three ways:

Send check to: Christians for Life, PO Box 3856, Topeka, KS 66604

Endowment: Memorial Fund Topeka Community Foundation, 5431 SW 29th Street, Suite 300 Topeka, KS 66614

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