


40 DAYS FOR LIFE™

Feb 10, 2016 to March 20, 2016

PLEASE JOIN ST. MARY'S PARISHIONERS AND OTHERS IN SAVING LIVES THIS LENT...

Ways You Can Help during these 40 Days...

- 1) **Sign up for peaceful prayer** at the Metropolitan Family Planning abortion facility any time from Feb 10-Mar 20 FROM 7:00am-7:00pm
Address: 5915 Greenbelt Road, College Park, Md.
 - Sign up now on your own -- see below for instructions on how to sign up.
 - If you do not want to go on your own, contact Regina Piazza at 301-520-7698. We usually have at least 1-2 St. Mary's Parishioners praying at the MFPI on Fridays from 8-10a.m. But we are not limited to just Fridays. Give us a call!!!
- 2) **PRAY!!! Please join us at St. Mary's Church any Wednesday during Lent** (except Ash Wednesday) for an hour of **Eucharistic Adoration** from 6:30p-8:00p.m.— *"An Hour of Prayer for Healing and for the End to Abortion"*. **Confessions** will be available during that time as well (*"The Light is on for You."*). A Pro-life Rosary, Chaplet of Divine Mercy or Litany will be prayed at 7:20p.m. each Wednesday: Feb 17, 24; Mar 2, 9, 16, 23). Sign up at Hospitality on Feb 6/7 or on St. Mary's church bookcases, email rpiazza@stmaryum.org or just come!!! **Address:** St. Mary's Church, 14908 Main Street, Upper Marlboro.
- 3) **Participate in other 40 Days for Life and Pro-Life Activities:**
 - **Thurs, Feb 25** Prayer Vigil at Metropolitan abortion facility site at 7p.m. *with Fr. Michael Paris, Chaplain, Catholic Student Center, University of Md.* **Address:** 5915 Greenbelt Road, College Park, Md. (approximately 1 hour) (*no rsvp needed*)
 - **Sat, February 27** Presentation on Natural Family Planning at St. Mary's Family Life Center at 10:30a.m. RSVP with rpiazza@stmaryum.org or just come!! **Address:** St. Mary's Family Life Center, 4610 Largo Rd, Upper Marlboro (behind St. Mary's School)
 - ****Sun, March 6** Prayer Service at Metropolitan abortion facility site at 3p.m. *with Fr. Thomas LaHood, Pastor St. Mary's.* **Address:** 5915 Greenbelt Road, College Park, Md. (approximately 1 hour) (*no rsvp needed*)
 - **Sun, March 13** "Living Rosary" at Metropolitan abortion facility site at 3p.m. sponsored by Knight of Columbus, Laurel. **Address:** 5915 Greenbelt Road, College Park, Md. (approximately 1 hour) (*no rsvp needed*)
 - **Sun, March 20** Closing Service at Metropolitan abortion facility site at 3p.m. **Address:** 5915 Greenbelt Road, College Park, Md. (approximately 1 hour) (*no rsvp needed*)



Peaceful prayer for the protection of life from the moment of conception to natural death.

Questions: Regina Piazza rpiazza@stmaryum.org cell: 301-520-7698 www.stmaryum.org/parish

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Overview, Vision, and Mission

From February 10 through March 20, our community will unite with many others from coast to coast – and internationally – for a major simultaneous pro-life mobilization – the 40 Days for Life campaign. Faithful believers are praying that these efforts will mark the beginning of the end of abortion.

40 Days for Life is a focused pro-life campaign with a **vision** to access God’s power through prayer, fasting, and peaceful vigil to end abortion.

The **mission** of the campaign is to bring together the body of Christ in a spirit of unity during a focused 40 day campaign of prayer, fasting, and peaceful activism, 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.

INSTRUCTIONS

**on how to sign up directly on-line
to pray at the Metropolitan Family abortion facility**

Address: 5915 Greenbelt Road, College Park, Md.

- 1) Go to <http://40daysforlife.com/local-campaigns/college-park/>
- 2) If first time, create an account (this only takes a minute)
- 3) Select dates and times that you would like to pray at the Metropolitan abortion facility

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