

# WHAT CHURCHES CAN DO TO PROMOTE *Life*



## Get Involved

Provide an opportunity for a representative from Right to Life of Holland Area (RTLHA) to give an update about our work in the community and share how volunteers can become involved in embracing *LIFE*.



## Youth Oratory Contest

Encourage youth to participate in the RTLHA oratory contest and acknowledge teens who have participated. One idea is to recognize participants in a special way and possibly allowing them to give their speech in front of the congregation.



## Prayer

Pray a prayer of blessings for a family who is expecting a child. This shows that every child is welcomed by your faith community before he/she is born, enforcing the humanity of the unborn and recognizing a precious and irreplaceable child.



## Church Bulletins

Include RTLHA's monthly church bulletin suggestions or news in your bulletin. They provide educational information to help others stay up-to-date on *LIFE* issues.



## Sunday School

Have an adult Sunday school class focus on Life issues. RTLMI's Faith Resources web site has sample study guides which can be used.



## Prolife Books

Add a prolife book to your library and promote it in your bulletin or newsletter.



## Community Awareness

Send a representative from your faith community to a RTLHA meeting or event. This will heighten your awareness of local happenings and help keep your community informed about and engaged in local activities



## Diaper Drive

Increase your congregation's awareness of the needs of local crisis pregnancy centers by having a diaper drive.



## Newspapers

Have copies of prolife publications like the RTLHA & RTLMI News at your information desk. Contact RTLHA or RTLMI to place your order.



## Memorials

Create a cross/flag display to memorialize children lost in your community to abortion. RTLHA can help plan the display.



## Presentations

Utilize a prolife PowerPoint presentation during a service, adult SS class or other group meeting. *Created in the Image of God* is designed to be used around Sanctity of Life Sunday in January (available in Spanish). *The Story of Right to Life* can be used at any time to educate regarding the need for prolife activism and *What Lies Beneath* highlights Planned Parenthood's abortion agenda. All PowerPoint presentations and scripts are accessible from the Faith Resources web page ([www.RTL.org](http://www.RTL.org)).

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