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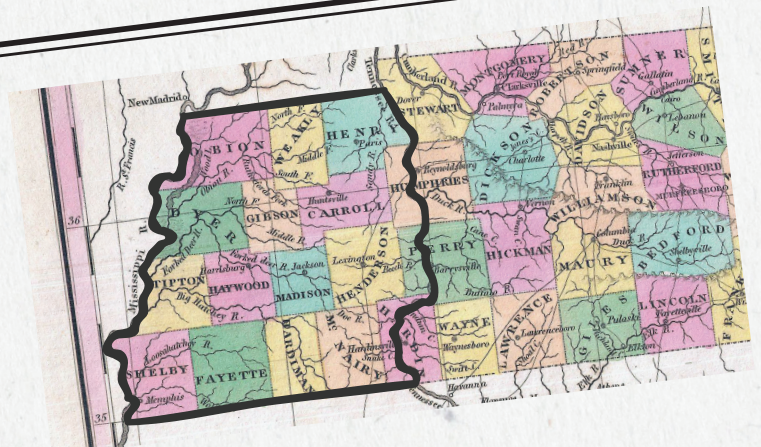
2018 WALK FOR LIFE



JOIN BIRTH CHOICE FOR THE 2018 WALK FOR LIFE

On Saturday, September 29th from 9:00 a.m. until 12 noon Birth Choice will host their annual Walk for Life. It will be held on the parking lot of West Jackson Baptist Church located at 580 Oil Well Road in Jackson, TN 38305. Please join us for a full morning of fun, fellowship, and good food. There are lots of family activities planned so bring the kids! We hope to see you there!

Birth Choice has been empowering men and women in West Tennessee to choose life since 1989.





BRENT LAMBERT
Founder & CEO

Recently, the Supreme Court of the United States ruled on a case that had the ability to extremely limit pregnancy clinics like Birth Choice, if not permanently close their doors. California passed a law that would require every pregnancy center in that state to post very visible signs in their clinics referring their clients/patients to the closest abortion clinic. There is definitely something to the saying, “As California goes, so goes the nation...” If the Supreme Court upheld this law, abortion clinics and pro-abortion organizations would have used it as a precedent to make it law in every state in the country. This would mean that Birth Choice would be required by law to post a sign referring clients to the nearest abortion clinic.

I’m grateful that the California law was challenged by prolife organizations and their attorneys, eventually bringing it before the Supreme Court. Once there, attorney Tom Glessner who spoke at one of our banquets a few years back was the very pro-life, Christian lawyer who argued the case. Praise God, in a split decision, the Supreme Court justices ruled that the California law was in fact unconstitutional. It was a huge victory for the pro-life community and the 4,000 pregnancy centers across the nation.

I can’t help but think, “What if our pro-life President’s opponent had won? What if conservative judge Neil Gorsuch hadn’t been recently added to the Supreme Court

or if his nomination had been held up until after this case was decided?” If SCOTUS had ruled against us, then the constitutional right of free speech would have been taken away from every prolife pregnancy center in the nation. It could then be used to take away free speech from many other Christian organizations as well.

If SCOTUS had not ruled in our favor, many pregnancy centers across the nation would have closed their doors because of refusal to comply with the law or being fined out of existence. The leadership of some pregnancy centers would have chosen jail by refusing to comply with that law. I would have been one of them. And how many more children would have been sacrificed? Our nation would have slipped into – no, jumped into an even larger cesspool of human degradation.

For now pro-life Americans have received a reprieve and Birth Choice will continue to fight for the dignity and the lives of unborn children and their mothers. We thank each of you for believing in and trusting us to defend the most helpless of our society.

*“They promise them freedom, while they themselves are slaves of depravity—for ‘people are slaves to whatever has mastered them.’”
2 Peter 2:19*



MOBILE UNIT UPDATE

We are continuing to move forward in this much needed addition to the Birth Choice ministry.

In the coming weeks we will be officially working to secure the \$155,000 needed to purchase the vehicle. We will also be building new relationships with pro-life churches in some of the unreached areas of West Tennessee. We hope this will help secure the ongoing

daily operational costs of the unit, an additional \$38,000 per year. Our goal is to have this vital part of our ministry up and running by our 2019 Banquet. Hopefully we will have it before then if we are able to secure those funds. If you are interested in helping Birth Choice rescue more children from abortion by investing in this exciting venture, please contact me, Brent Lambert, at 731-616-2993 or brent@birthchoice.us.



WALK FOR LIFE



SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 29, 9 A.M. AT WEST JACKSON BAPTIST CHURCH

Your official Walk for Life Sponsor form is enclosed; see details there!

WHY WALK FOR LIFE?

While walking is easy, some people (especially those introverts!) might not know how to ask friends and family to sponsor them. That's why this year we are creating the "walker's toolbox." In this free, online toolbox, you will find training videos, shareable stats and photos, example letters, and more. Look out for that tool box by following us on Instagram or Facebook or visiting birthchoice.biz.

(1) Community. Stand (or walk) in solidarity for the preborn, women, and families and raise money to share God's love with them.

(2) Fun. Music, food vendors, jumpers, games, family-friendly activities, and prizes for raising \$250 or more.

(3) Mobile Ultrasound Unit. The unit, which we will buy with the help of some of the Walk funds, will travel around West Tennessee helping women and children.

WANT TO KNOW MORE?

For more information on the Walk, call Tiffany at 731-453-8159 or email tiffany@birthchoice.us. The Walk is an Official Keep Jackson Beautiful Litter-Free Event.



CHANGE FOR LIFE BABY BOTTLE TOTALS ARE IN!

**MADISON
COUNTY RAISED:
\$38,673.48**

**GIBSON
COUNTY RAISED:
\$10,024.81**

**HARDEMAN
COUNTY RAISED:
\$2,158.32**

GRAND TOTAL: \$50,856.61 !!!

Many thanks to all the churches and church liaisons who worked so hard to bring everyone's spare change to Birth Choice. It really does add up! If your church missed this year's Baby Bottle campaign, you can still hold your own campaign using our baby bottles. For more information call Tiffany at 731-453-8159 or email tiffany@birthchoice.us. Everyone has spare change!



FROM THE HEART OF A VOLUNTEER NURSE

KIM CUPPLES

Ultrasound Nurse

I have volunteered with Birth Choice for about eleven years. My first year I served as a client advocate and for the past ten years I've served as ultrasound nurse. I was looking for a ministry opportunity when I heard about Birth Choice during an Englewood church service. I thought I was joining this ministry to help other people, but have been blown away by the changes this ministry has had on me. The accountability that goes along with the responsibility is amazing. The clients are varied, but so are the volunteers. We each bring our own strengths and weaknesses to the divinely anointed appointments.

I have had people say to me that they could never do what I do. That is so inaccurate. I just show up, be myself and let the Holy Spirit take over. Some of the best interactions with clients have happened when I came to work totally against Satan's best efforts. I have been an RN in women's and children's services for 34 years and the flicker of a new heart beating still warms mine.

One of my favorite perks is getting to hold the babies that come back to see us after they are born. I also appreciate the hugs that the broken women often need. I encourage you to allow these women to touch your hearts as well. The connections that we are able to make with some of our clients are fleeting, but some will last a literal lifetime.



FROM THE HEART OF A VOLUNTEER ADVOCATE

MARIE PUGH

Client Advocate

It has meant so much to me to be a part of Birth Choice. I thought I was coming to help other women not make the same mistake I did and to try to prevent them from dealing with the emotional trauma that comes with abortion. While I have been able to help other women during my time here, I have been most surprised by the changes God has made in me. God has worked

to change my thoughts and actions in so many areas. It has been a continuous learning experience and I feel He has stretched me and helped me to grow in ways I didn't expect. Whether through my interactions with the women who come to us for help or my time with the other workers, I learn something every time I enter the doors.

FROM THE HEARTS OF OUR CLIENTS

When our clients leave our office they are asked to fill out an exit survey. These are several comments they shared:

"These wonderful ladies did everything possible for me and it solidified my choice... everyone was nice, helpful, and genuinely cared about me. They are amazing people."

"My ultrasound made me feel more in love with my baby. I loved the whole experience. My nurse made me laugh and gave me a wonderful time while I was there."

"I can't even begin to explain how thankful I am for my client advocate and for Birth Choice. You can't imagine the great impact you have had on my life."

"Seeing the ultrasound helped me to decide not to abort my baby. Seeing my baby move was amazing."

"I was undecided about my pregnancy, but decided to choose life. Getting to see the baby [on ultrasound] really helped my decision. I loved it. Birth Choice is an awesome place."

This client had an abortion already scheduled in Memphis when she came to Birth Choice:

"My experience was wonderful and the sweet ladies were very helpful in making a stressful decision. Everyone was very supportive and did not force me to make any decision. The ultrasound showed me the baby was active and moving. Coming to Birth Choice helped me."

She changed her mind and chose life.

YOU HAVE NOT BECAUSE YOU ASK NOT

We are so grateful for those of you who have given of your time, services, and material donations to support Birth Choice. For others who may be looking for tangible ways to support this ministry, below are some current needs we have.

If you are able to help us out, please call the Jackson office at 731.664.8443 and ask for Chris or email chris@birthchoice.us; at the Gibson County office call 731.855.2900 and ask for Kelly or email kelly@birthchoice.us.

JACKSON CLINIC NEEDS

*We need some painting done at Birth Choice. If there is a volunteer who has some painting experience or may be a professional painter who can do some pro bono work, we would appreciate your help! Our outside doors are badly in need of a new coat of paint, inside and out. Birth Choice will supply the paint. Please contact Chris if you can help!

*We need several ladies who would be willing to come in weekly to volunteer in our mother/baby resource room washing, sizing, and sorting maternity and baby clothes. We also need a lady who is handy with tools to help take apart and put back together car seats, strollers, high chairs, etc. Please contact Chris if you can help!

GIBSON COUNTY CLINIC NEEDS

*We need yard work done around our facility this summer and fall and would greatly appreciate volunteers to help us out. If you or your church group would be interested, please contact Kelly.

*We love our clients and want to honor them with a neat and clean facility. We need someone who could volunteer to clean our office 2 to 4 times a month. If the Lord lays it on your heart to help, please contact Kelly.

*It has been 8 years since we added on and remodeled our building and now we really need to update the paint inside. We need someone who paints professionally or can at least paint very well to volunteer to help us. If you, your men's group, or missions group would be interested, contact Kelly.

FALL TRAINING SEMINAR

FOR NEW VOLUNTEER CLIENT ADVOCATES AND NURSES

*Just three or four hours of your time
once a week can make a difference
between life and death for an unborn child.*

Our fall training dates will be
October 2nd, 4th, 9th, 11th, 16th, 18th,
23rd, and 25th
Tuesday and Thursday evenings
6:00 – 9:00 p.m.

It's important for you to attend all sessions if possible.
(Dates are for both the Jackson and Gibson County Locations)

Request an application today!
Contact our Clinic Directors:
in Jackson, Chris Veteto at chris@birthchoice.us
in Gibson County, Kelly Wall at kelly@birthchoice.us



PRO-LIFE NEWS

WWW.LIFENEWS.COM

During the 2016 campaign season and beyond, the prolife community has awaited the promised federal defunding of Planned Parenthood. This organization receives over 1 million per day of our federal tax dollars to keep the wheels of evil turning in the destruction of our precious unborn children.



Since the promise has yet to come to fruition, many states have enacted laws to prevent state tax dollars from being funneled to Planned Parenthood. Tennessee's Governor Bill Haslam has recently followed suit. Governor Haslam signed two new laws to ensure that no state tax dollars go to Planned Parenthood and other groups that do abortions. The Title X family planning funds will be directed toward health departments and other nonprofit providers rather than abortion clinics.

This proactive move will enhance comprehensive medical care that benefits both the mother and her unborn child. This is good news for families in Tennessee. If you want to stay abreast of pro-life news both locally and nationally, visit www.lifenews.com.



WELCOME TO OUR NEW DIRECTOR OF DEVELOPMENT TIFFANY DAWSON

Tiffany is ecstatic about her new role as Director of Development! She graduated with a B.A. in Media Communications from Union University in May 2018. Passionate about the right to life since she was a little girl, she became interested in pregnancy help ministry after interning at Care Net's headquarters in Virginia last summer. Tiffany has lived in Jackson since she was three years old, was homeschooled, and attends Englewood Baptist Church. She enjoys homemaking and reading self-help articles on the Internet.

We are excited to welcome Tiffany to our Birth Choice family. We know the Lord has uniquely equipped her to bring her own special gifts and talents to this ministry.



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BRENT SADLER, PASTOR
Grace Presbyterian Church

FROM THE HEART OF A PASTOR

My passion for taking a bold stand against abortion is the conviction that God made man in His image, and that to take a human life in an unlawful way is wrong. Not only that, but I am also convicted that where God prohibits a sin, He also commands a duty. So “thou shalt not murder” (Exodus 20:13) also means “thou shalt preserve life”. This means I ought not only confess my sins of breaking this command in heart and seek forgiveness of God through Christ, but also seek the grace of God to obey Him in not committing murder, and using all lawful means to preserve life. A crisis pregnancy center is one of those means that I use to not only live out my convictions, but obey my Lord.

I am grateful that I received pastoral charge of the church at Grace Presbyterian which has supported Birth Choice since the center started. I am also grateful that I serve in a denomination in which most churches support their local crisis pregnancy centers. Were I to be in a position to lead a church to support the center, I would surely do it. Christians have an unbroken line of defending the defenseless. It’s who we are as believers in the Lord Jesus Christ. We love life.

OFFICE HOURS

JACKSON:

MON., TUES., & THURS. - 9a.m. - 8p.m.
WED. - 9a.m. - 4a.m. FRI - 9a.m. - 1p.m.

GIBSON COUNTY:

MON. - 9a.m. - 6:30p.m.
TUES. - 9a.m.-7:30p.m. THURS. - 9a.m.-2p.m.

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**Thank you, Birth
Choice, for helping
my mommy!**

S.J. Photography

FROM A BIRTH CHOICE CLIENT:

“I can’t believe I ever even considered abortion because this baby already means everything to me.... I’m so excited to be a mommy!”