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SAVE THE DATE!



**Pregnancy Care
Center's 9th Annual
Walk For Life
SEPTEMBER 17TH**



2016 Walk for Life • PREGNANCY CARE CENTER • Saturday, September 17

Please join us for the PCC's 9th annual Walk for Life!

The Walk for Life will take place on Saturday, **September 17th** on the campus of the **First Baptist Church, Mt. Juliet**. Registration opens at 8:45am. Participants can walk at their convenience from 9:00am—11:00am.

It's easy and fun!

- ◆ Register online!
- ◆ Come rain or shine! Rain plan: walking track inside the church's gymnasium in case of heavy rain.
- ◆ 2 mile flat course. Bring the whole family!
- ◆ Walk on your own if you can't join us.
- ◆ **Free T-Shirt with \$150 raised!**

Step 1: Register online, by mail, by phone, or register in person on the day of.

Step 2: Ask EVERYONE you know to sponsor you. Can be done via email & social media using your personalized Walk for Life web page when you register online. You will be amazed how many say YES!

Step 3: Please be sure all names and addresses are complete and easy to read. Bring completed Pledge Form with you the day of the Walk (or walk on your own and mail it in).

Come enjoy some fresh air and fellowship while supporting a great ministry!

REGISTER ONLINE TODAY! WWW.PregnancyCareCenterTN.com, and click the "Support" tab.

Questions? Call 615-773-4673, email heather.pccntn@gmail.com, or contact your church liaison.



The Pregnancy Care Center empowers individuals to make life-affirming decisions through education, counseling, and compassionate care based on the ministry of Jesus Christ.

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Items Needed for Client Store:

- Diapers (all sizes)
- Wipes
- Baby wash/shampoo
- Children's story-book Bibles
- Gifts for new Dads
- NEW car seats
- New or used Large/X-Large baby shower gift bags



Thank You!

Thank you to all of you who are supporting this ministry in prayer and with your financial gifts. We appreciate every gift and every person who chooses to partner with us. By giving to this ministry you are helping to change and save lives and make a difference for Christ in our community.

A Shared Services Approach to Ultrasound

In May of this year we launched a shared services partnership with Portico Pregnancy Center of Murfreesboro. Earlier in the year Portico had begun operating an ICU Mobile Ultrasound Unit in locations around Murfreesboro and Nashville. God opened the door for our Centers to work together which has resulted in the presence of the Mobile Ultrasound Unit on site at our Center on the 2nd and 4th Monday of each month. Through this shared services approach we are now able to offer our clients a free ultrasound right outside our door! There is a lot of work and expense that goes into staffing and operating a mobile medical clinic and we are doing our part to share in the cost of operating the mobile unit when it is serving our clients. Each time the mobile unit visits our Center we will contribute \$300 toward the operating expenses. We are also in the process of training some of our staff and volunteers to serve clients while on board the bus. We've already had clients receive an ultrasound and we are so excited about the many lives that will be saved and impacted by this partnership! For more information, or to support the ultrasound partnership, please feel free to contact us.



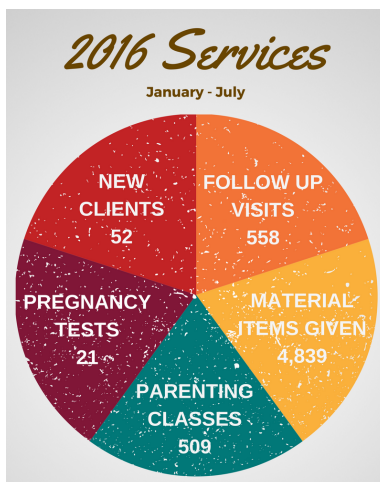
Called to Serve: Volunteer Voices by Andrea Burkeen



I have been serving at the Pregnancy Care Center for three years, this month! When I first felt the tug at my heart to volunteer at the center I had no idea what I would be doing, I just knew that my heart was being drawn. When I finally allowed myself to step outside of my "comfort zone" and "help however I could" I quickly realized that serving others at the Center would also bring tremendous blessings into my own life. As a stay-at-home mom with older children I sometimes struggled with finding my place to be needed. When I am at the Center, something takes place in me that I can't really

explain. All I know is that God is doing something in me as I sit with the clients. Some days, I am in a Bible study in the Gospel of John with a client and we are learning together. Some days, I'm sitting with a client and crying with her as she pours out her heart about a challenge she is facing. Sometimes it may be giving a hug to someone and asking her if I can pray with her. I am blessed by the opportunities I have at the Center to be a friend to someone who may not feel like they have many friends. No two days are the same. God is amazing. He truly blesses me as I am there just doing whatever He wants me to do that day. I have Hope and I love sharing that with others during the time I spend serving at the Pregnancy Care Center each week.

We're Growing! New Website & Extended Hours



In March of this year the Pregnancy Care Center launched a new website. This new website is client focused but also features sections for donors and community engagement under the **support tab**. With one centralized website, we send a clear and concise message about who we are and what we do to all audiences seeking information about us. Our new website has already generated many new contacts from potential clients and friends in the community. Visit the new site at www.pregnancycenter.com!

We are excited to announce that beginning August 2016 the Pregnancy Care Center will be adding an **additional day of office hours**. We are now open Monday-Wednesday 9am-5pm & Thursdays 12pm-7pm. You, our faithful supporters and partners in ministry, have made this possible and we thank you!



Reaching the Nations



The Pregnancy Care Center has served individuals from 16 nations



IMAGO DEI

THE IMAGE OF GOD

Pregnancy Care Center 9th Annual Fundraising Banquet



The 9th Annual Fundraising Banquet was held on Thursday, April 28th, 2016, at a new, larger location, Victory Baptist Church in Mount Juliet. 320 guests attended and learned how The Pregnancy Care Center sees the Imago Dei, or Image of God, in each person who walks through our doors. Guests enjoyed dinner while a string quartet provided background music. The program began as Board Member Scott McConnell interviewed staff members Stacey Joyce and Aron Riley on ways that the Imago Dei is seen in clients and how that concept is impressed upon them with each appointment. Executive Director Lisa Cathcart gave a ministry update, sharing the large growth from the past year and hopes for continual growth in the upcoming year. It was a blessing to hear Dr. Brent Boles from Murphreesboro explain the impact ultrasound imaging can have on someone facing a pregnancy decision. We were thrilled to announce a partnership with the Portico Pregnancy Center in Murphreesboro and their ICU Mobile Ultrasound Unit. Guests were able to tour the mobile unit before and after the banquet to get a closer look at this exciting new endeavor. Always a highlight of the evening, a video presentation shared the story of two clients and how The Pregnancy Care Center has helped them through their pregnancy and parenting choices. Following the heartfelt financial appeal given by emcee Jared Throneberry, Pastor Daryl Crouch of Green Hill Church offered the closing prayer.

Through your generosity, you gave over \$55,000 in one time gifts and monthly donation pledges. This surpassed our goal by more than \$10,000! We are so thankful to God for His provision and to all of you for your faithful giving. Because of this, we are able to immediately pursue our goals of opening on Wednesdays and offering limited ultrasound imaging to our clients! The banquet could not have been possible without the gracious support of our underwriters, who paid for the total cost of the banquet, allowing every dollar raised at the banquet to go directly to the ministry. The underwriters and vendors are listed to the right.



Emcee, Jared Throneberry



Hand painted backdrop created by Barbara Mann



Staff interview with Scott McConnell, Stacey Joyce, and Aron Riley



Thank you Table Hosts for helping to fill 46 tables!

Pregnancy Care Center

Impact Report

Total visits by year

2009-2015
698 Clients served

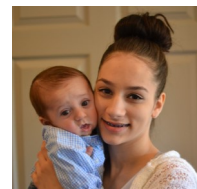
3,162 Client Visits

287 Births

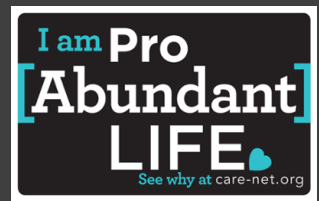
ALL GLORY TO GOD

Compassion | Hope | Help in 2015

74 Pregnancy test visits	865 Parenting classes	56 Fatherhood lessons
56 <i>Births in</i> 2015	102 NEW clients in 2015	STUDENTS 420 REACHED
22 Bible studies	8,858 Items distributed	48 Classroom presentations
2,050+ Volunteer hours	27 Church partners	593 Financial partners



- Thank you 2016
Banquet Underwriters
& Vendors!**
- AAMCO Total Car Care of Lebanon
 - Advanced Tax & Income Services
 - Advocate Marketing and Printing
 - ALCO Products
 - Anderson Marine, Inc.
 - Celebrations Catering
 - Ben & Hannah Clark
 - Cliff Carey General Contractor, Inc.
 - Crossroads Development Services, Inc.
 - Donelson Church of Christ
 - William & Dorothy Ewin
 - Frank Batson Homes
 - Dan & Jean Gant
 - Terry & Mary Gant
 - Gary Musick Productions
 - Gillispie Eye Care
 - Jim & Carol Gotto
 - Graceful Tables
 - Green Hill Church
 - Keener Marketing
 - Knights of Columbus #9282
 - Knights of Columbus #9282 Ladies Auxiliary
 - Steve & Nellie Little
 - Barbara Mann & friends
 - Jon & Joy McCandless
 - Lisa McIntosh, CPA
 - Music City Tents & Events
 - Needham's Nursery
 - Shear Grace Salon
 - Karl Sutton, Videographer
 - Victory Baptist Church
 - Wainscott Printing
 - Wilson Bank & Trust
 - Anonymous Donors



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vices & SRA Coordinator

***The Pregnancy
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501c3, ALL dona-
tions are tax
deductible.***

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Care Net Connection

Care Net is an umbrella organization that promotes, prepares, and plants pregnancy centers across North America. The Pregnancy Care Center is one of 1,180 centers affiliated with Care Net.

Care Net Mission

Acknowledging that every human life begins at conception and is worthy of protection, Care Net offers compassion, hope, and help to anyone considering abortion by presenting them with realistic alternatives and Christ-centered support.

Care Net Vision

Care Net envisions a culture where women and men faced with pregnancy decisions are transformed by the gospel of Jesus Christ and empowered to choose life for their unborn children and abundant life for their families.

Upcoming Events:

- **September 17th**—Walk for Life
- **January 15, 2007**—Nashville Praise Symphony
- **January** —Sanctity of Human Life Sunday & Baby bottle fundraisers
- **April 27th**—Annual Banquet

PCC office supplies needed:

- Coffee K-Cups
- Copy paper (plain & color)
- Tissues
- Bottled water



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Support the PCC by shopping at Kroger PCC's # is: 22015

Specific ways you can pray on our behalf:

- That those we serve will have an openness to receive the love and hope of Christ
- That the PCC will be the 1st choice for anyone facing a pregnancy decision in our community
- That the PCC will be a light in our community giving all Glory to God
- For protection for the Center and our Board, staff, and volunteers
- That each of us would continually search our own hearts in order to be vessels for His use



SAVE THE DATE!

On January 15, 2017 at 6pm, First Baptist Church Mt. Juliet will host The Nashville Praise Symphony, for *A Night of Worship Through Symphonic*

Songs. Please make plans to attend this year's **FREE CONCERT**; a love offering will be collected with all donations benefitting the Pregnancy Care Center. The evening is sure to be a blessing to all who attend!

These are exciting times to be a part of what God is doing in and through the Pregnancy Care Center. In order for this great work to continue to grow we need your help. Would you prayerfully consider making a tax-deductible donation online at www.pregnancycarecentertn.com, or by mail at PO Box. 241, Hermitage, TN 37076? Thank you for making this work possible.



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