## **HAPPY MOTHERS' DAY • HIKE FOR LIFE • ROSE SALE**



## **THANK YOU**

FOR SUPPORTING CALGARY PRO-LIFE EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS AND MORE!

THE 42<sup>nd</sup> ANNUAL HIKE FOR LIFE WILL BE A VIRTUAL EVENT AGAIN THIS YEAR.



# POSITIVELY PRO-LIFE

**MAY 2022** 

## **Respect Life Presentations**

by Monique Achtman, Educational Resource Consultant

We continue to adapt to the recommendations for sharing our two life-affirming, educational Respect Life presentations in school classrooms. A few 8<sup>th</sup> grade students from Prince of Peace School generously shared testimonials of what they learned from the *Respect You: You Matter* presentation in April:

"We can grow as individuals and strengthen ourselves spiritually and mentally, also physically." ~ *Anezka* 

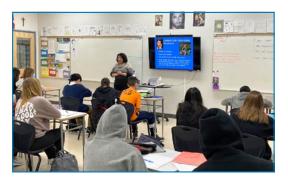
"If you think you don't matter you're wrong... you do matter." ~ *Mason* 

"It's pro-life because it inspires joy, happiness and how to live a meaningful life and how much we're worthy and how much we matter to others, us and God." ~ *Liv* 

"The presentation respects pro-life because it shows that people care for you." ~ Rachel

"Lose fear." ~ Gabriel

"That we should care for ourselves and that we all matter and we all have a purpose on earth." ~ *Avery* 



"It tells us we matter and God will always be there for us, even in our low times God is always there." ~ **Helen** 

Respect You: You Matter focuses on respect for one's own life reflecting on the aspects of the body, mind and soul; and taking good care of all of these. This enables us to respect each life we connect with from the past, in the present, and in the future.

Thankfully, we have many in-class bookings scheduled in May and June for the *Respect Life: Fetal Development* presentation, sharing the miracle of human life from conception until birth, and beyond. We show and tell using video, and lifesize fetal development models. This is always a fascinating experience for the students!



## THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT

Two fund raisers, along with memberships, and monthly donations, support the educational pro-life work that we do in schools.

The Hike for Life virtual campaign is scheduled from May 7 - June 11. Registration and online pledges can be filled in on line via our website at www.calgaryprolife.com.

The Mothers' Day Rose Sale will be held at participating churches (listed on the back of this page) after Masses on Saturday, May 7 and Sunday, May 8, 2022.

## Calgary Pro-Life Assn. Virtual Hike for Life Pledge Sheet

The **Virtual Hike for Life** will run as it has during the past two years. You are invited to join us in prayer and intention for respect for life while doing a 10K hike, walk, run, mountain climb, or bike ride in your community. Thank you for supporting educational pro-life presentations to students in schools and beyond. To keep the integrity of the fundraiser, please commit to 10K (1.5 hours) and receive pledges for your effort to show a public witness to furthering a pro-life culture in our society, and in the world.

Register as a team (leader), under a team, or as an individual on our Hike for Life webpage accessible via **www.calgaryprolife.com**. You will receive a link to share your own fundraising page (on-line pledge sheet) with your family, friends, colleagues, neighbours, etc.

Should you prefer an "old-fashioned" pledge sheet, please contact us at (403) 243-0691. Or you may fill in the form below. We will arrange for pick up of the funds raised this way, as we do not have set office hours at this time.

Hiker's name and phone number	
Sponsor's Name	
Phone	
Address	
City	Province
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Hike for Life Donation: \$	Interac: director@calgaryprolife.com

#### CHARITABLE B/N: 10683-0995-RR0001

## **Thank You!**

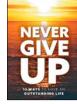
#### by Calgary Pro-Life Assn. Board of Directors

Special thanks to all who attended our 2022 Annual General Meeting on March 21. And thank you to Tom Shindruk, author of *Never Give Up! 12 Ways to Have an Outstanding Life*, our keynote speaker that evening.

Did you miss the AGM? Tom's inspiring speech was recorded and can be seen on our website, www.calgaryprolife.com.



Tom Shindruk



## **UPCOMING DATES**

May 7 - June 11, 2022 Virtual 42<sup>nd</sup> Annual Hike for Life Registration: www.calgaryprolife.com



### May 8, 2022 • Happy Mothers' Day Mothers' Day Rose Sale

at these participating churches:

- St. Peter's
- St. Bernard
- St. Pius X
- St. Luke's
- St. James
- Sacred Heart
- St. Anthony
- Holy Spirit
- St. Cecilia
- St. Patrick
- St. Bonaventure
- St. Albert the Great
- St. James, Okotoks
- St. Michael's, Black Diamond
- Our Lady of the Rockies, Canmore

### School Presentations April - June 2022

Teachers are invited to book free classroom presentation(s) using our convenient online booking calendar: https://koalendar.com/e/meet-with-cpl-life-affirming-programs

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Thank you for your continued support!

