

# POSITIVELY PRO-LIFE

**MARCH 2023** 

## **ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING**

Tuesday, March 28, 2023

St. Anthony's Hall, 5340 - 4th Street SW

## **Keynote Speaker**

Jutta Wittmeier, Executive Director Calgary Pregnancy Care Centre

"Making a Difference"

**Time:** 6:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

RSVP: pro-life@shaw.ca



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# The Hike for Life Brings Free Educational Programs to Schools

by Monique Achtman, Educational Resource Consultant

We have been offering two Respect Life educational programs in schools for 40+ years and we're still going strong! Teachers are currently booking us for the *Respect You: You* 

**Matter** and the **Respect Life**: Fetal Development presentations in their classrooms free of charge, thanks to our donors and supporters. We always receive positive feedback from the teachers and the students. The children and young people connect with the message that every human life is precious, especially theirs. This includes those who were born well before them (parents, grandparents, aunts, and uncles). It also includes those to come in the future (their nieces

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Kids are fascinated by our life-size fetal development models

and nephews, their children, and grandchildren). No matter which Christian denomination you follow, our faith tells us that every human being is a precious gift from God, and we are all connected.

Our fetal development presentation supports science that confirms that human life begins at conception. Our students are engaged in the interactive presentation and always like the opportunity to see and touch the life-size fetal development models.

We were pleased to have a display set up at the Calgary Teachers Convention in February. We engaged in positive, and sometimes not-so-positive, discourse with some attend-

ees who were challenged by what they saw at our display. Although we are only invited into Catholic schools so far, it was still appropriate that our booth was included as an important educational resource in schools, and in the community. The fetal development program is available to teachers who teach human sexuality, biology, and religion to their students in grades 6-9.

The Calgary Teachers Convention is open to teachers

from the Calgary Board of Education and Calgary Catholic School District. Our presentations support the Alberta Education curriculum for grades 4-9.

Join us at the 43<sup>rd</sup> Annual Hike for Life at Prince's Island Park on Saturday, May 13. Register your team (parish, family, CWL, K of C, youth group, or school) or sign up as an individual at www.calgaryprolife. com (Hike for Life). Funds raised support respect-life programs at schools and more.



# **Respect Life Display Banners Available Now!**

## Calgary Pro-Life Assn.

The collection of banners with pro-life messages is growing! Fill in the Banner Request form below to book a banner, or two, and share a silent, but powerful, pro-life witness at your convention, or in your parish. Respect Life banners can encourage your community to raise pledges to financially support the free Respect Life educational programs in our schools.



To book a banner for upcoming events: Fill in this form, or email pro-life@shaw.ca to arrange delivery, drop off and pick up in Calgary.

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# 43rd Annual HIKE FOR LIFE

JOIN US!

**Prince's Island Park** 

Sat. May 13, 2023 8:30 a.m. - Noon Check in at the ENMAX Stage

# **10K HIKE TO PROMOTE RESPECT FOR LIFE**



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PLEASE REGISTER & PLEDGE ON-LINE... www.calgaryprolife.com

#### **EVERYONE IS INVITED...**

Bring your family and friends of all ages.

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Your support brings educational "Respect Life" programs to schools and communities.

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# An Easter Trayer for Life

Lord Jesus Christ,

As we come to the season of Easter, this season of new life, we pray that all children of God, whether in the womb, vulnerable, ill, or of advanced age, may live their lives and be protected by their families, our community and our world.

Be with us as we continue to promote respect for every human life from conception until natural death, in Your name.

We draw strength, confidence, and joy from Your victory over death, for you are Lord forever and ever.

Amen.

## **UPCOMING DATES**

Tuesday, March 28, 2023

Annual General Meeting • in person

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6:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.; Refreshments.

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April 9, 2023 Easter Sunday

May 13, 2023 43<sup>nd</sup> Annual Hike for Life (10K) Prince's Island Park, ENMAX Stage Team and Individual Registration: www.calgaryprolife.com (Hike menu)

May 14, 2023 Mothers' Day Rose Sale at participating churches



## School Presentations March - June 2023

Teachers: Book a presentation using our convenient on-line booking calendar: https://koalendar.com/e/ meet-with-cpl-life-affirmingprograms

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