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Advancing, Defending, and Equipping West Virginia's Families



Remembering the Victims of Abortion

The Illuminate Campaign is a united effort to show our state the need to ensure that the abortion industry of West Virginia is operating safely.

Because West Virginians fund a significant portion of the state's busiest abortion clinic, the general public has a right to expect - as a matter of public safety - that the abortion industry will abide by reasonable regulations that will protect the health and safety of the sisters and daughters of this state.

We believe that abortion is a moral tragedy that ought to be ended in this state. Nevertheless, while it is legal, we are committed to exposing the abortion industry and bringing their dangerous work out into the safety of the public light.

We are motivated by the words of Ephesians 5:11-13:

"Take no part in the unfruitful works of darkness, but instead expose them. For it is shameful even to speak of the things that they do in secret. But when anything is exposed by the light, it becomes visible."

Update: Why should you partner with us in the Illuminate campaign?

When we started the Illuminate Campaign we never imagined it would gain the attention of state media, legislators, the attorney general, and abortion advocates.

Now, after just a few months our goal to see reasonable health and safety regulations placed on the abortion industry are within reach. Here's what's happened so far:

- 1. We filed a lawsuit on behalf of Tia Gravely against the largest abortion clinic in WV for forcing her to undergo an abortion against her will, with almost no anesthesia, and then botching it.
- 2. We launched the Illuminate Campaign with the goal of exposing the secrets of the abortion industry in WV and bringing them to public light.
- 3. Attorney General Patrick Morrisey asked for public comments on the state of abortion in WV.
- 4. We have been able to mobilize 20 thousand grassroots partners across the state to actively support our efforts to protect women and children.
- 5. We are helping lawmakers with draft language for regulations on the abortion industry that would protect the health and safety of women.

What you can do to partner with us and see this campaign succeed:

- 1. **Pray**. We can't do anything apart from the power of the Holy Spirit working in us and through us.
- 2. **Speak.** Email or call your legislator and let them know you support reasonable health and safety regulations.
- 3. **Share**. We are seeing widespread support for the Illuminate Campaign, the more that know about it the more likely we will succeed.
- 4. **Give.** Campaigns like Illuminate have many costs associated with them. If God prompts you to give be assured that your gift will be used to defend life.

To donate make a check payable to The Family Policy Council of WV and simply write Illuminate in the memo line.

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