

# PRO-LIFE NEWS



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*"Fewer women would have abortions if wombs had windows."*

Dr. Bernard Nathanson, former abortionist turned pro-lifer, from his book, Aborting America 1979

## WHY WE MARCH

- ◆ To be a voice for the voiceless
- ◆ Because all life matters
- ◆ To remember the 55 million lives lost
- ◆ To stand in support of those hurt by abortion (*"I regret my abortion."*)
- ◆ To let our elected officials know that America is pro-life
- ◆ To demand action to protect innocent lives



Even though it's freezing in January, we will not be deterred!

Join us on Thursday, January 22. Bus sign-up in Padre Pio Gift Shop.

7 AM Mass. Bus departs immediately after Mass and breakfast in the hall.

### Upcoming Events

**Thursday, January 22**

Mass in solidarity with those attending DC March.  
Our Lady of Guadalupe  
Rt 30, Lindenwold  
6:30 PM Pro-Life Rosary  
7:00 PM Mass

## Assisted Suicide Bill Refuses to Die

New Jersey's so called "Aid in Dying for the Terminally Ill" Act is just two steps away from becoming law. The bill, S382/A2270, could be voted on by the full Senate at any time. If it passes, it goes to the Governor for signature.

Even if you have already called or emailed your state senator, **do it again**.

Let your legislator know that this bill:

- is a recipe for abuse of the elderly, the poor and the disabled who will be the first to feel pressured to die
- encourages the terminally ill and elderly to believe they are a burden on their loved ones and that suicide is the only way to lessen the burden
- invites insurance companies to deny treatment to patients with lingering illnesses, and offer only to pay for a suicide pill

*"People are terrified of becoming a burden, of being remembered as a disabled, debilitated, or even demented, person. So what starts out as a **choice** becomes a **duty** to your family and loved ones -- a duty to die."*

John B. Kelly, from the advocacy group "Not Dead Yet" which opposes assisted suicide legislation

Ask your senator to support hospice and

palliative care for those who are terminally ill or dying. Find your senator by calling the Office of Legislative Services: 800-792-8630, or go to <http://www.njleg.state.nj.us/members/legsearch.asp>.



**Congratulations to Antoinette DiGiondominico -- winner of the Baby Quilt Raffle! The raffle raised \$200 which was used to help a local pregnant woman in need. The generosity of our parish family continues to shine brightly!**