

Spiritual Adoption Update

Don't forget to pray every day for the babies that we have spiritually adopted.

We start our prayers today, _____.

Our babies are due on _____.

“Behold, you will conceive in your womb and bear a son and you shall name him Jesus. He will be great and will be called Son of the Most High, and the Lord will give him the throne of David his father and he will rule over the house of Jacob forever, and of his kingdom there will be no end.”

~Luke 1:31-33

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Don't forget to keep praying for the babies that we have spiritually adopted.

They are due on _____, so on _____ they are one month old!

Month One

- Heart, backbone, spinal cord and digestive system begin to form
- Heart starts to beat on day 21
- The placenta which will provide the baby with food and oxygen begins to grow
- The baby is 10,000 times bigger than it was a month ago!



The baby is about ¼ inch long.
It is the size of an apple seed.

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They are due on _____, so on _____ they are two months old!

Month Two

- Eyes, nose, lips, tongue, and ears are forming
- Baby is moving, but its mom cannot feel it yet
- Buds that will grow into arms and legs begin to form
- Organs begin to form



The baby is about 1 inch long and still weighs less than an ounce.
It is about the size of a raspberry.

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They are due on _____, so on _____ they are three months old!

Month Three

- Teeth are appearing
- Vocal cords are also developing
- The heartbeat can be heard through an ultrasound
- Bones are becoming harder
- Eyes and ears are forming external structures
- Toes and fingers can be counted
- Finger and toenails start to grow



The baby is about 3 inches long and still weighs less than an ounce.
It is about the size of a peach.

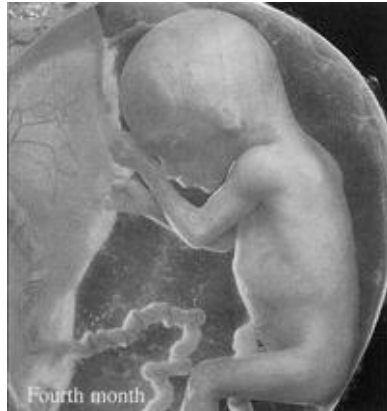
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They are due on _____, so on _____ they are four months old!

Month Four

- Reflexes are developing, like sucking and swallowing. The baby might start to suck its thumb
- Tooth buds are growing
- It is easy to tell if the baby is a boy or a girl now
- Skin is a bright pink and is transparent



The baby is about 6 inches long and weighs 6-10 ounces.

It is about the size of an onion.

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They are due on _____, so on _____ they are five months old!

Month Five

- Hair begins to grow this month
- The baby's mom can usually feel it move
- Internal organs are developing further
- Eyebrows, eyelashes, and eyelids appear
- Fingerprints are developing



The baby is about 8-10 inches long and weighs about a pound.

It is about the size of a banana.

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Month Six

- The baby can hiccup
- Eyelids can open and close
- The baby sleeps at least 12 hours every day
- Face is fully formed
- The baby will practice breathing
- Baby can still move around freely inside of mom's amniotic fluid



The baby is about 12-16 inches long and weighs about 2 pounds.

It is about the size of a cantaloupe.

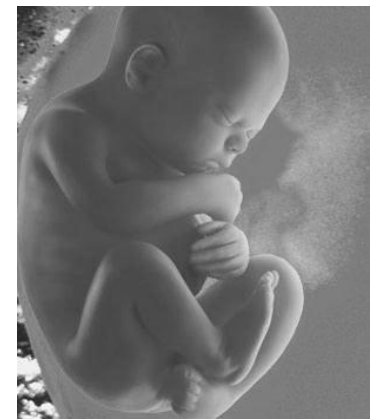
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They are due on _____, so on _____ they are seven months old!

Month Seven

- The baby's immune system is preparing for the outside world
- Taste buds have developed
- Skin is still wrinkled and red
- Fat layers are forming
- Baby has much less room to move
- The baby can see light and dark, and this might affect their sleep patterns



The baby is about 17 inches long and weighs 2-3 pounds.

It is about the size of an eggplant.

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Month Eight

- The baby grows very quickly this month
- Most body organs are fully developed, except the lungs
- The baby's kicks are so strong they can be seen from outside its mom
- Hearing is fully developed



The baby is about 16-18 inches long and weighs 4-6 pounds.
It is about the size of a pineapple.

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Month Nine

- All organs are mature now, including the lungs
- Skin is smooth and pink
- The baby may seem less active because it is out of room to move inside of mom
- It is normal for the baby to be born two weeks before or two weeks after its due date



The baby is about 19-20 inches long and weighs 7-8 pounds.
It is about the size of a watermelon.

Spiritual Adoption

Name _____

I have spiritually adopted an unborn baby and will pray for my baby every day for 9 months.

My Baby is a ☐ girl ☐ boy

Name of my Baby: _____

Due Date: _____

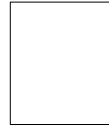
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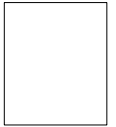


Jesus, Mary, and Joseph, I love you very much. I beg you to spare the life of the unborn baby that I have spiritually adopted who is in danger of abortion. Amen

Prayer by Venerable Archbishop Fulton J. Sheen

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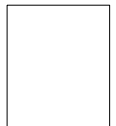
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