



RESPECT LIFE COMMITTEE

October 26, 2025



"The witness of our Blessed Mother [in the Gospel account of her visit to her pregnant cousin, Elizabeth,] invites us to become more aware of the needs of pregnant and parenting moms in our own parishes and communities. ...Mary's witness is an invitation to step out in love and compassion. It is a summons to make haste to help vulnerable women who may be isolated and alone." USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities
Respect Life Reflection: Called to Serve Moms in Need respectlife.org/called-to-serve-reflection

Speaker Series

(short presentations of 10 to 15 minutes, with a Q & A opportunity)

This Sunday, October 26th, following 8:30 AM Mass, in the parish hall during coffee and donuts. Who: Respect Life Committee member, Kaitlyn Osborn Topic: miscarriage support.

It's Respect Life Month!

Join Catholics nationwide in celebrating Respect Life Month.

Visit respectlife.org/celebrate

Interactive Display

We are winding down to the final days of our baptismal date interactive display, located in the front entry area of the church. Thank you to all who participated; the display would not have been complete without your participation!

Baby Bottle Campaign



This is the final weekend for the baby bottle campaign for InnerVisions HealthCare, a local unplanned pregnancy and STD medical clinic. Please return your change, cash, or checks with the bottle by **this Sunday**, October 26th. Or you may donate online www.IVHCare.org/donate/ (online select Baby Bottle Campaign, St. John's (Adel)). Whatever offering you give will help the mother and the child. Thank you and God bless you all!

If you have any questions, please contact Bryan Gonzalez at 515-280-4706. To learn more about their two clinics and life-affirming mission, visit www.ivhcare.org. We're grateful for Caldwell Parrish Funeral Home for matching a portion of the proceeds that are donated to InnerVisions baby bottle campaign this year!

More reflections, prayers, and activities of our committee may be found at
www.stjohnsadel.org/respect-life-committee