

Financial Report for 2007

Beginning Balance 1/1/07	\$1,049.91
Receipts from contrib. & dues	5,402.78
Catholic Charities Grant	1,296.00
	<u>\$7,748.69</u>
Disbursements:	
Bulk Mail & P.O. Box	\$ 200.00
Newsletter: Expenses	1,152.05
Educ. Materials/Fair Supplies	766.89
3 4x8 Vinyl Banners & Signs	457.89
Billboard	958.90
Y-S Fair Booth Fee & Ins.	519.00
Web Page Expenses	482.85
Newspaper Advertising	181.63
Contrib. to A Woman's Friend	325.00
West Coast WFL/Bus	692.00
West Coast WFL/Banner	89.25
Miscellaneous	248.00
Total Disbursements:	(\$6,073.46)
Ending Balance 12/31/07	\$1,675.23

alternatives, please visit our website. You will find the link under the "Announcements" section. Be sure to take this listing with you when you or your children go to get immunized! And, if you wish to applaud AVM Biotech's dedication to producing ethical alternatives to aborted fetal cell vaccines, you can drop them a line at info@avmbiotech.com.

40 DAYS FOR LIFE, (www.40daysforlife.com) - The people at 40 Days For Life are calling the nationwide Spring 2008 event a huge success! And why wouldn't they? With more than 500 babies spared from abortion, with 5 abortion workers quitting their jobs and walking away from the abortion industry, and with 2 Planned Parenthood facilities ceasing performing abortions and another 2 abortion facilities shutting down completely, who wouldn't consider it a huge success? Our own 40 Days For Life in downtown Sacramento was the location of several baby-saving encounters! This is proof positive that even a small gathering of people outside an abortion clinic prayerfully protesting the taking of innocent life can have an impact. And what better impact could there be than saving the life of an unborn child? Won't you join us during the next 40 Days For Life campaign? Check the "Upcoming Events" section of our website at www.ystrtl.org in a month or two for details.

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, February 29, 2008 (www.hli.org) - We all know people who believe that illegal abortion is dangerous for women and that abortion should remain legal so that women will have access to "safe" abortions. Of course, we also know that legalized abortion is NEVER safe for the unborn infant and is oftentimes not safe for the woman undergoing the procedure as well. Over 250 women have died as a result of abortion since its legalization in 1973. A study published in the National Cancer Institute in 1994¹ showed that women who have had abortions increased their chances of getting breast cancer by age 45 by 50% and for women younger than 18 who abort their first pregnancy after the 8th week increased their chances of getting breast cancer by a staggering 800%! Not to mention the countless women who experience complications from abortion such as cervical lacerations, uterine, bladder or bowel perforations, hemorrhage, and serious infection among others. Well, I've discovered an organization working to dispel the myth that legalized abortion means that abortions are somehow safer. *Operation Outcry* is a project of the Justice Foundation and is a national movement of women (and men) who have been hurt by abortion and who are sharing their stories in the hope that others will be spared the immense suffering they've endured as a result of the "choice" of abortion. They are currently attempting to collect one million signed Declarations to show the US Supreme Court the size of the problem with legalized abortion and how it has hurt women. If you are among the countless women or men who have been hurt by abortion, please visit

AWF Walk for Life—A Woman's Friend reported a total of 457 walkers for the event held May 3rd at Ellis Lake, which was a record. A total of \$76,639 was raised! Vivian Hoffart of A Woman's Friend asked me to thank everyone for their participation and support. To view photos from this event and to see how much money your church raised, please visit our website and click on "AWF Walk For Life" under the "Recent Events" heading.

IN THE NEWS: IMMUNIZATIONS & FETAL TISSUE

SEATTLE, Washington, February 29, 2008 (www.cogforlife.org) - AVM Biotech Research and Development Director (and founder) Dr. Theresa Deisher released a statement saying, "We will be working to bring commercially available, morally acceptable, vaccines to the US market and to use existing technology to produce new morally certified vaccines. Revenues from the vaccine business will also further the research, development and commercialization of morally certified therapeutics in other areas of medicine as well." According to *Children of God For Life* (www.cogforlife.org) and AVM Biotech's website, many of the common immunizations currently on the market are made using aborted fetal cells. Three other immunizations currently being developed (Ebola, Avian Flu, and HIV) are also being made from aborted fetal cells. Approximately half of these immunizations have ethical versions available which do not use human embryonic cells. A statement on www.avmbiotech.com reads in part, "The use of aborted fetal tissue and embryonic cells in the discovery, development, and production of vaccines and pharmaceuticals has increased dramatically in the past decade. Without a positive alternative, obtaining new medication or vaccinations which are ethically untainted will be difficult, if not impossible. By developing moral alternatives to unethical practices, AVM Biotech seeks to relieve parents, families, medical professionals, hospitals, and health care organizations from having to choose between the health of a loved one or patient and the forced participation in a morally objectionable treatment. Our products reflect a profound respect for human life from its beginning until its natural conclusion." For the listing of aborted fetal cell line products and their ethical



Upcoming Events:

Colusa County Fair—June 5-June 8th at the Colusa County Fairgrounds. Be sure to check out the Right to Life Booth!

Rally for Life—June 18th on the West steps of the state Capitol from 11:30-12:30. Join us in persuading lawmakers to discontinue funneling millions of our tax dollars to the abortion industry.

Yuba-Sutter Fair—July 30-August 2nd at the Yuba-Sutter Fairgrounds. If you are interested in helping out at the booth, send an email to secretary@ysrtl.org or call Maureen at 673-1437.

Yuba-Sutter Fair Worker's Meeting will be July 24th at 7:00pm at St. Isidore's Parish Hall.

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www.operationoutcry.org and sign their online Declaration. You may only use your initials if you are not comfortable using your full name. By sharing your story, you can protect others from the pain you experienced and will help open the eyes of the Supreme Court and the nation to the oxymoron of "safe" abortions.

¹ Dahling J, Malone K, et al, Risk of breast cancer among young women: relationship to induced abortion. *J Natl Cancer Inst.* 1994; 86: 1585-1592.

SACRAMENTO, California—People from all over California will be gathering at the State Capitol on June 18th from 11:30-12:30 for a rally to put an end to taxpayer funded abortions. The pro-life movement is in a blessed position currently due to the state budget crisis, the recent scandal involving California Planned Parenthood affiliates over-billing the government in excess of \$180 million and their reported profit of over \$55 million for one year alone, in addition to the recent revelation of Planned Parenthood's eager acceptance of racially targeted donations. With teachers being laid-off, state parks and libraries being closed, and other adverse effects of this budget shortfall, why should Planned Parenthood continue to rake in millions in taxpayer's hard-earned money while at the same time reaping profits in the tens of millions? Join the rally and show lawmakers that we want our money going to educate our children instead of killing them! For more information on joining this historic event, contact Wynette Sills at (916)955-1577 or esills@earthlink.net.

Priests for Life comes to Yuba-Sutter! Monday, August 11th from 7:00pm-9:00pm at St. Isidore's Parish Hall. Fr. Denis Wilde from Priests for Life will speak on a variety of pro-life topics. This event is free and is open to the public.....bring a friend and spread the word!

A Woman's Friend Fall Banquet—October 11th at the Yuba-Sutter Fairgrounds. The keynote speaker this year will be BRUCE WILKINSON! Tickets are on sale now at \$30 each or \$300 for a table for ten.

A big *"Thank You"* from Jennifer Hackney to Our Lady of Lourdes student body for their \$75 donation, to the Catholic Ladies Relief Society for their \$100 donation, and to the Knights of Columbus for their \$125 donation for the Right to Life booth at the Colusa County Fair! Your generosity covered IN FULL the fee for the booth rental as well as the required insurance!

NHA TRANG, Vietnam—March 25, 2008 (The Associated Press) Tong Phuoc Phuc, a 41 year old Catholic man from a coastal town in Vietnam, has opened his door to unwed expectant mothers in a country that has one of the world's highest abortion rates. In 2006 alone, there were more than 114,000 abortions at state hospitals in Ho Chi Minh City—outnumbering births. Most pregnant, unmarried Vietnamese women have few options because shelters for unwed expectant mothers who want to keep their babies are rare. Phuc's home is one of these shelters. He promises food and a roof to women until they give birth and then cares for the children until the mothers can afford to take them. He's taken in 60 children in the past four years—half of whom still live in one of his two houses. Phuc said he made a deal with God when his wife suffered complications while in labor with their son, now 7. He vowed that if they were spared, he would help others. As his wife recovered from the difficult birth, Phuc saw many pregnant women going into the delivery room, but leaving alone. *"I was wondering, 'Where are the babies?' Then I realized they had abortions."* Phuc started saving money to buy some land outside of town and began collecting unwanted fetuses from hospitals and clinics to bury on the property. There are now approximately 7,000 tiny graves on the shady hillside. It costs about \$1,800 a month to care for all of the babies and the expectant mothers. Phuc receives donations from Catholic and Buddhist organizations as well as from individuals who have heard about his work. "I will continue this job until the last breath of my life," he says. *"I will encourage my children to take over to help other people who are underprivileged."*