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Dear Brother Knights and Lovely Ladies:

We are overjoyed with the recent establishment of the Pro-Life Fund as our newest charity in the Illinois State Family of Charities! One of the main objectives of this fund, is to help Crisis Pregnancy Centers (CPCs) pursue a **Culture of Life** by offering women an alternative to abortion.

The most recent tool in our pro-life effort is the new family of Ultra-Sound machines. Statistics have shown that clearly 80% of women that have seen their babies on an ultra-sound image, have chosen to carry their baby to term! As a personal note, our granddaughter announced we were going have a great grandson by sending us a 4th month ultra-sound picture of him!

Recently Planned Parenthood sent out a press release bragging about the fact that abortions in Illinois increased by 10%! This past year was the fourth year for their death peddling efforts to exceed a gross income of **one billion dollars** (\$1,000,000,000.00)! In the process, they have actively attempted to prevent CPCs from using ultra-sound machines on the grounds of CPCs not having qualified operators! They openly attack the Catholic Church and its Pro-Life stance on the Culture of Life issues!

Each Council is asked to send a check equal to \$1.10 for each Active Member payable to the Pro-Life Fund. The Unborn need your help! Your Council, Assembly, Chapter, and Ladies Auxiliary may want to consider having an additional fund raiser to benefit the "Pro-Life" Fund. Funds raised must be sent to: Illinois State Council K of C Charities, Inc.; PO Box 681, Kankakee, IL 60901. Be sure to indicate "Pro-Life" in the Memo Section of your check.

We must never forget the power of prayer. Our Church teaches us that prayer without good works will fail. Please help us do the good work!

Thank you for all that you do for life.

*Larry and Marge*

Larry and Marge Theriault  
Pro-Life Chaircouple

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