

THE INFANT IN MY WOMB LEAPED FOR JOY



Respect Life Fall 2007

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from the U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops Secretariat for Pro-Life Activities

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This catalog includes current and most popular items; it is not intended to be comprehensive. For a complete list of resources available from the Pro-Life Secretariat, see www.usccb.org/prolife/publicat/index.shtml. Complete texts (unformatted) of major documents can also be downloaded from the Secretariat's website.

Important websites you'll want to bookmark

www.usccb.org/prolife

Site of the Secretariat for Pro-Life Activities, U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops.

www.nchla.org

Site of the National Committee for a Human Life Amendment, organizational and contact information.

www.hopeafterabortion.org

Information about abortion's aftermath and Project Rachel, the Church's post-abortion ministry; includes local contact information.

www.ru486facts.org

Factual information about the drug RU-486.

www.secondlookproject.org

Major advertising campaign urging "pro-choice" people to take "a second look" at their position on abortion.

www.stemcellresearch.org

Site of Do No Harm: The Coalition of Americans for Research Ethics. Includes background and up-to-date information helpful for the debate on stem cell research.

NOTE: Every Catholic diocese has a website. Visit your diocese's website.

RESPECT LIFE PROGRAM

BEGINS SUNDAY, OCTOBER 7, 2007

Acclaimed educational program sponsored annually by the U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops. Materials have been designed primarily for parish and other organizational use. Includes –

- Educational articles by knowledgeable authors in full-color pamphlets and full-length versions (on the all-inclusive CD)
- Program models that advance the culture of life
- Recommended resources
- Poster for churches, schools and other gathering places
- Clip art quotes for parish bulletins (on CD)
- Beautiful, full-color brochure designed and priced for mass distribution
- Liturgical suggestions for your parish for Respect Life Sunday, October 7, 2007 and other occasions.



NEW PROGRAM PACKET

Full-color pocket folder contains a full-color flyer and seven full-color pamphlet-length articles (perfect for bulletins and vestibule pamphlet racks!) on topics of current interest and a CD containing all the materials in MSWord and PDF

formats in English and Spanish, see page 4 for complete description of materials on the CD. Item #0701. Cost: \$5.50 each; 10-49 copies, \$4.50 each; 50 + copies, \$3.50 each.

COMPLETE SET OF 2007 RESPECT LIFE PROGRAM MATERIALS

Packet contains seven pamphlet-length articles, liturgy guide, one Respect Life poster (with English and Spanish on reverse sides), sample

Respect Life flyers in English and Spanish and a CD containing all the materials in MSWord and PDF formats in English and Spanish in full-color pocket folder. Item #0701CS. Cost: \$6.50 each.

ARTICLES

The following articles are available in packets (see above), or separately; Spanish translation available on the Respect Life Program 2007-2008 CD and at www.usccb.org/prolife/programs/rlp/index.shtml.

Cost: 40¢ each; 10-49 copies, 30¢ each; 50+ copies, 25¢ each. Bulk discounts available.

Assisted Reproductive Technology and the Family

by *Helen Alvaré, Esq.*

Item #0741.

Peter's Story: Discovering Hope and Love After an Adverse Prenatal Diagnosis

by *Mary Kellett*

Item #0742.

The Person with Mental Illness: Bearing God's Image

by *Rev. Richard Gill, L.C.*

Item #0743.

The Prevention Deception: How Not to Reduce Abortions

by *Richard M. Doerflinger*

Item #0744.

Abortion and Catholic Social Teaching

by *Rev. Thomas D. Williams, L.C.*

Item #0745.

Abortion and Breast Cancer: The Link that Won't Go Away

by *Angela Lanfranchi, M.D., FACS*

Item #0746.

Caring for Your Aging Loved Ones

by *Monica and Bill Dodds*

Item #0747.



RESPECT LIFE PROGRAM KIT FOLDER

Beautiful full-color 9" x 12" pocket folder.
Ideal for holding Respect Life Program articles
and related materials.

Item #0701KE. Cost: \$1.25 each; 10-49 copies, 1.00
each; 50+ copies, 75¢ each.

RESPECT LIFE FLYER "THE INFANT IN MY WOMB LEAPED FOR JOY"

In the Mystery of the Visitation, John –
although still in Elizabeth's womb – recognized
the coming of the (unborn) Messiah when he
heard Mary's greeting, and conveyed the dawn-
ing of salvation to his mother. As our culture
drifts further away from seeing the inherent dig-
nity of vulnerable humans, including those not
yet born, we would do well to reflect on God's
love for them and the lessons they can teach us.

Item #0706. Cost: \$9/100; \$80/1,000.
Spanish Item #0707.

LITURGY GUIDE

Includes preaching reflections and intercessions
for Respect Life Sunday and January 22, 2008,
as well as intercessory prayers for use through-
out the year. Features "A Novena for Life: Feast
of the Visitation" and "A Rosary for Life: The
Joyful Mysteries."

Item #0702. Cost \$1.25 each; 50+ copies, 1.00 each.

CD: RESPECT LIFE PROGRAM 2007-2008

Contains all the materials in MSWord and PDF
formats, including the full length versions of the
articles (with recommended resources and pro-
grams), liturgy guide, clip art, poster, flyer, and
pamphlet length articles in English and Spanish.
Item #0705. Cost: \$5.95.

CD: CELEBRATING LIFE 1972-2002

Every article that has appeared in the Respect
Life Program — from 1972 through 2002 — has
been compiled on a CD for easy access. This is
a resource to have at your fingertips. Fully
indexed.

Item #0212. Cost: \$9.95.

*NOTE: Posters and brochures from past Respect Life
Program celebrations are available. For a complete listing visit
www.usccb.org/prolife/publicat/index.shtml.*

POSTER: RESPECT LIFE PROGRAM

Full-color poster (17" x 22").

Item #0704. Cost: \$2.00 each; 10+ copies, \$1.75 each.
Spanish poster is printed on the reverse.



PASTORAL PLAN FOR PRO-LIFE

PASTORAL PLAN FOR PRO-LIFE ACTIVITIES: A CAMPAIGN IN SUPPORT OF LIFE U.S. CONFERENCE OF CATHOLIC BISHOPS, 2001



Response to Pope John Paul II's reminder: "What is urgently called for," he said in *The Gospel of Life*, "is a general mobilization of consciences and a united ethical effort to create a great campaign in support of life." The U.S. bishops call upon all the resources of the Church—its people, services and institutions—to work together to build a culture of life. Describes comprehensive model for pursuing this goal.

English Item #0111. Cost: \$1.95 each
Spanish Item #0112. Cost: \$1.95 each

A PEOPLE OF LIFE

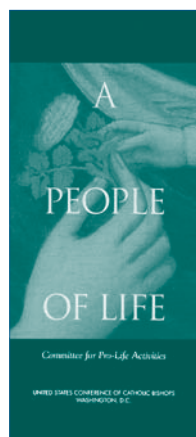
Beautiful, full-color, 6-panel brochure highlights the Pastoral Plan for Pro-Life Activities and includes suggestions for individuals and groups to help build a culture of life.

English Item #0113.

Cost: \$10.00 (package of 50)

Spanish Item #0114.

Cost: \$10.00 (package of 50)



PRAYER FOR LIFE

Beautiful card with image of the Madonna and Child on one side, with a Prayer for Life on the other. Suitable for distribution in parishes and elsewhere.

English Item #0115.

Cost: \$10.00 (package of 100)

Spanish Item #0116.

Cost: \$10.00 (package of 100)

A PEOPLE OF LIFE AND A PEOPLE FOR LIFE: AN INVITATION

by the Pro-Life Secretariat staff

2002, 6pp.

Summarizes the Pastoral Plan for Pro-Life Activities, suggests practical programs that might be undertaken by individuals or groups, and identifies additional resources.

English Item #0240. Cost: 40¢ each; 10-49 copies, 30¢ each; 50+ copies, 25¢ each.

CULTURE OF LIFE

THE GOSPEL OF LIFE AND ITS GREAT EXEMPLAR

by Helen M. Alvaré, Esq., 2005, 4 pp.

A look back at the lasting contributions of John Paul II in presenting the life issues with clarity and profound insight, particularly in his landmark 1995 encyclical, *Evangelium Vitae (The Gospel of Life)*.

Item #0543. Cost: 40¢ each; 10-49 copies, 30¢ each; 50+ copies, 25¢ each.

A CALL TO EFFECTIVE ACTION: WHEN BEING RIGHT IS NOT ENOUGH

by Mary Cunningham Agee, 2004, 4 pp.

The founder of The Nurturing Network, discusses the Christian call to provide financial, material and spiritual support for pregnant women and their unborn children and the various means of living out this call.

Item #0441. Cost: 40¢ each; 10-49 copies, 30¢ each; 50+ copies, 25¢ each.

POLITICAL RESPONSIBILITY: THE VIRTUE OF RUGGED HOPE

by Michael A. Taylor, 2003, 4 pp.

Surveys the unchanging teaching of the Catholic Church that faithful Christians are called to be active citizens, informing public debate and policies with Christian values concerning human rights and the equal dignity of all.

Item #0346. Cost: 40¢ each; 10-49 copies, 30¢ each; 50+ copies, 25¢ each.

THE QUESTION OF IMPERFECT LEGISLATION

by His Eminence, Cardinal John O'Connor 2003, 2 pp.

Two-page reprint of the late Cardinal John O'Connor's well-reasoned column discussing the issue of imperfect legislation.

Item #0348. Cost: 40¢ each; 10-49 copies, 30¢ each; 50+ copies, 25¢ each.

CREATED, LOVED, REDEEMED BY GOD. AN INVITATION TO RESPECT ALL HUMAN LIFE



This flyer reminds us that if we are to love one another as God loves us, it is our duty to build a society that protects and respects every human life from conception to natural death. Item #0606. Cost: \$9/100; \$80/1,000. Spanish Item #0607.

LIFE IS A MIRACLE

Recalls the miraculous development of human beings from one-celled embryos to complex organisms of astounding complexity and diversity. Reminds us that among all creation we are uniquely blessed to have been created in God's image and to have God-given inherent rights and dignity equal to that of every other human being.

Item #0306. Cost: \$7/100; \$65/1,000. Spanish Item #0307.

EVERY HUMAN LIFE HAS ITS ORIGIN IN THE HEART OF GOD

No human life can be outside our concern because no human life is beyond the reach of God's love. Beautiful four-page brochure, suitable for wide distribution.

Item #0106. Cost: \$8/100; \$70/1,000.

IN GOD'S IMAGE: BUILDING A CULTURE OF LIFE

by Cardinal John O'Connor, 1999, 4 pp.

Excerpts from Cardinal O'Connor's keynote address at the International Conference co-sponsored by the Pontifical Council for the Family, the USCCB Committee for Pro-Life Activities and The Catholic University of America's Columbus School of Law, March 1999.

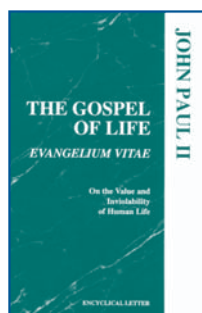
Item #0001-OCO. Cost: 40¢; 10-49 copies, 30¢ each; 50+ copies, 25¢ each.

CD: CELEBRATING LIFE 1972-2002

Every article that has appeared in the Respect Life Program—from 1972 through 2002—has been compiled on a CD for easy access. This is a resource to have at your fingertips. Fully indexed. Item #0212. Cost: \$9.95.

Note: Life Issues Forum, a biweekly pro-life column, addresses the latest culture of life issues; USCCB Pro-Life Secretariat staff rotate as authors. See Life Issues Forum in your diocesan newspaper, or access it at www.usccb.org/prolife/publicat/index.shtml.

CHURCH DOCUMENTS



THE GOSPEL OF LIFE
 Pope John Paul II's March 1995 encyclical on the sanctity and inviolability of human life. Explores the nature of contemporary attacks against life and exhorts all to proclaim and live the Gospel of life to bring about a culture of life.

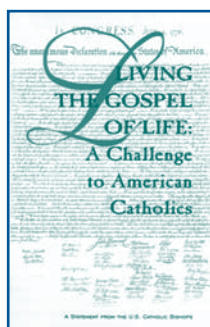
Item #9540. Cost: \$9.95.
 Spanish Item #9541.

LIVING THE GOSPEL OF LIFE: A CHALLENGE TO AMERICAN CATHOLICS

National Conference of Catholic Bishops, 1998, 40 pp.

A call to U.S. Catholics to be followers of Jesus Christ and leaders in the renewal of respect for the sanctity of life in our nation. Stresses the need to work earnestly to bring about a cultural transformation, a true renewal in our public life and institutions.

Item #9825. Cost: \$3.50.
 Spanish Item #9826.



ETHICAL AND RELIGIOUS DIRECTIVES FOR CATHOLIC HEALTH CARE SERVICES

United States Conference of Catholic Bishops 2001, 52 pp.

Ethical standards for Catholic health care facilities, flowing from Church teachings on the sanctity and dignity of human life.

Item #0118. Cost: \$2.95 each.

INSTRUCTION ON RESPECT FOR HUMAN LIFE IN ITS ORIGIN AND ON THE DIGNITY OF PROCREATION

Sacred Congregation for the Doctrine of the Faith 1987, 45 pp.

Addresses Church teaching on the respect for and dignity of human life as it applies to biomedical research and technology.

Item #8708. Cost: \$4.95 each.

DECLARATION ON PROCURED ABORTION

Sacred Congregation for the Doctrine of the Faith, 1974

Item #7412. Cost: 75¢ each.

RESOLUTION ON ABORTION

National Conference of Catholic Bishops, 1989

Statement of the U.S. Catholic bishops identifying abortion as the fundamental human rights issue of our time.

Item # 8908. Cost: \$8/100; \$70/1,000.

A MATTER OF THE HEART

United States Conference of Catholic Bishops, 2002

A Statement of the U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops on the Thirtieth Anniversary of *Roe v. Wade*.

Item #0260. Cost: \$9/100; \$80/1,000. Spanish, Item #0261.

NOTE: Complete text of above documents can be viewed online at our website: www.usccb.org/prolife/tdocs/index.shtml.

ABORTION

PASTORAL PLAN FOR PRO-LIFE ACTIVITIES: A CAMPAIGN IN SUPPORT OF LIFE

U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops, 2001

Item #0111. See page 5 for information. Cost: \$1.95 each.

ABORTION: TEST YOUR GRIP ON REALITY

USCCB Pro-Life Secretariat, 2007

An attractive two-color flyer (8 1/2" x 3" trifold) to test your knowledge on the Supreme Court's abortion decisions and the law. Great for teens!

Item #0760. Cost: \$9/100; \$80/1,000. Spanish Item #0761.

ROE REALITY CHECK

USCCB Pro-Life Secretariat, 2005

A full-color 8-page (5 1/2" x 8 1/2") booklet providing facts about the Supreme Court decisions legalizing abortion nationwide throughout the nine months of pregnancy. This well-documented resource also explains what can be expected to happen to legal abortion if *Roe v. Wade* and *Doe v. Bolton* are overturned.

Item #0532. Cost: 20¢ each; \$17.50/100; \$150.00/1,000.

ROE V. REASON

by Professor Richard Stith, J.D., Ph.D., 2005, 4 pp.

Critique of *Roe v. Wade* focusing primarily on the Court's "deeply arbitrary description of reality" in mandating that everyone assent to the obvious falsehood that location matters and a child before birth is not a child.

Item #0544. Cost: 40¢ each; 10-49 copies, 30¢ each; 50+ copies, 25¢ each.

CONTRACEPTION AND ABORTION: THE UNDERLYING LINK

by Rev. Walter Schu, L.C., 2005, 4 pp.

Offers an explanation of the anthropological, physiological and social links between contraception and abortion.

Item #0545. Cost: 40¢ each; 10-49 copies, 30¢ each; 50+ copies, 25¢ each.

ROE V. WADE: QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

USCCB Pro-Life Secretariat, 2005, 1 page.

One-page easy to read parish bulletin insert provides clear information on the Supreme Court abortion

decisions and the reasons why they must be reversed.
Item #0570. Cost: \$10/100.

A PEOPLE OF LIFE AND A PEOPLE FOR LIFE: AN INVITATION

by the Pro-Life Secretariat staff

Item #0240. See page 5 for information. Cost: 40¢ each; 10-49 copies, 30¢ each; 50+ copies, 25¢ each.

POSTER: THE CHILD BEFORE BIRTH

Beautiful 16" x 20" full-color poster of child at 18 weeks' gestation. Includes scriptural verse from Psalm 139:13-14. Shipped separately.

Item #8904; Cost \$3.25 each.

POSTER: 9 MONTHS

Full color, 11" x 17" that states: "The amount of time the Supreme Court says it's legal to have an abortion ... Have we gone too far?"

Item #0132. Cost: 75¢ each. Bulk quantities available.

Shipped separately. Can be viewed at

www.secondlookproject.org/tslp_posters.html.

POSTER: THE SUPREME COURT SAYS

Full color, 11" x 17" that states: "The Supreme Court says you can choose – after the heart starts beating, after it sucks its thumb, after it can survive outside the womb... Have we gone too far?"

Item #0134. Cost: 75¢ each. Bulk quantities available. Shipped separately. Can be viewed at

www.secondlookproject.org/tslp_posters.html.

FILM: THE RIGHT CHOICE

Secretariat for Pro-life Activities

VHS, 20 minutes, 1993

A young girl's journey from the despair of the abortion clinic to the hope of new life. The unexpected voice that guides her is that of her own unborn child.

Designed for teens. Item #9321. Cost: \$12.95.

LIFE INSIGHT

More than a newsletter, *Life Insight* is an indispensable communications tool for the abortion debate. Published six times a year. Individual subscriptions free, but donations gratefully accepted.

NOTE: Additional resources on abortion can be found at www.usccb.org/prolife/publicat/index.shtml.

POST-ABORTION HEALING AND RECONCILIATION

ENTERING CANAAN

Developed by the Sisters of Life and Theresa Bonopartis, this post-abortion healing manual contains directions and materials for one-day, weekend, and weekly spiritual retreats.

On downloadable CD-ROM: Item #0462. Cost: \$9.95.
Printed version designed for 3-ring binder: Item #0461. Cost: \$13.95.

HOW TO TALK TO A FRIEND WHO'S HAD AN ABORTION

What to say and do when a friend confides an abortion experience. Attractive and informative six-panel brochure for teens and young adults. 6-panel brochure.

Item #0120. Cost: 25¢ each; \$20/100; \$180/1,000.
Spanish Item #0121.

NEITHER DO I CONDEMN YOU

How each of us can be a catalyst for bringing God's forgiveness and healing to those wounded by abortion. Brochure.

Item #9906. Cost: \$7/100; \$60/1,000.
Spanish Item #9907.

PRAYER FOR HEALING

Prayer card asks God to forgive, heal and grant peace to mothers who have lost a child to abortion.

Item #9911. Cost: \$10/100; \$90/1,000.
Spanish Item #9912.

TRUST IN GOD'S MERCY

Answers the request of priests for a post-confession prayer card to help women accept that God truly has forgiven their sin of abortion.

Item #9913. Cost: \$10/100; \$90/1,000.
Spanish Item #9914.

POST ABORTION MINISTRY: A RESOURCE MANUAL FOR PRIESTS

USCCB Secretariats for Priestly Life and Ministry and Pro-Life Activities 1999, 25 pp. Assists priests in their ministry to those suffering from abortion's aftermath. 25-pages include practical resources, a 54-minute audio tape paraphrasing the content of the manual; all in a 3-ring binder.

Item #9916. Cost: \$9.50 each.

POSTER: "SOMETHING INSIDE DIES AFTER AN ABORTION"

22" x 17" poster. Photo of a woman's haunted eyes illustrate the message: "It has burned a hole in my soul and changed me forever." The tag line reads, "If you're suffering because of an abortion, don't suffer alone"; references www.hopeafterabortion.org for information on abortion's aftermath, and where to get help. Shipped separately.

Item #0020. Cost: \$2.00 each; 10+ copies, \$1.75 each.
Spanish Item #0021.

MINI-POSTERS

Four 11" x 12" posters, each with a quotation from a woman who has undergone an abortion. Each references www.hopeafterabortion.org. Ideal for college campuses.

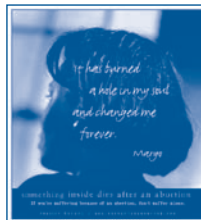
Cost: 75¢ each; 10-24 copies, 65¢ each; 25-99 copies, 55¢ each; 100+ copies, 50¢ each.

Beth: "I let you convince me there was nothing good about having the baby." Item #0126.

Margo: "It has burned a hole in my soul and changed me forever." Item #0127.

Cathi: "Not one day goes by that I don't think of my baby boy." Item #0128.

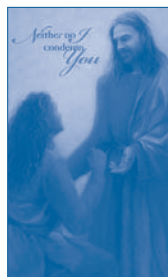
Margo (Eyes): "It has burned a hole in my soul and changed me forever." Item #0129.



PRAYER AND WORSHIP

“Parishes should include in the petitions at every Mass a prayer that ours will become a nation that respects and protects all human life, born and unborn, reflecting a true culture of life.”

U.S. Catholic Bishops, *Pastoral Plan for Pro-Life Activities*, 2001



TRUST IN GOD’S MERCY

Answers the request of priests for a post-confessional prayer card to help women accept that God has forgiven their sin of abortion.

Item #9913. Cost: \$10/100 (package of 100); \$90/1,000. Spanish, Item #9914.

LITURGY GUIDE FOR 2007 RESPECT LIFE PROGRAM

Includes preaching reflections and intercessions for Respect Life Sunday and January 22, 2008, as well as intercessions for use throughout the year. Features “A Novena for Life: Feast of the Visitation” and “A Rosary for Life: The Joyful Mysteries.”

Item #0702. Cost: \$1.25 each; 50+ copies, \$1.00 each.

(Spanish translation at

www.usccb.org/prolife/liturgy/index.shtml).

FAITH AND PERSEVERANCE: SAINTS ANNE & JOACHIM NOVENA

Saints Anne and Joachim are powerful intercessors for all married couples, expectant mothers and married couples who are having difficulty conceiving. Beautiful, full color mosaic on cover of this (4” x 6”) four-page pamphlet.

Item #0422. Cost: 25¢ each; \$15/100.

Spanish Item #0423.

A HEART OPEN TO GOD’S WILL: NOVENA TO THE BLESSED MOTHER, FEAST OF THE ANNUNCIATION

This beautiful novena to Our Blessed Mother includes an excerpt from the Gospel of Luke’s Annunciation account, the novena prayer and a reflection on the challenge of doing God’s will in today’s world. Promoters of NFP have looked to this feast for inspiration to welcome more children into the family.

Item #0726. Cost: 30¢ each; \$20/100.



PRAYER FOR LIFE

Beautiful prayer card with image of the Madonna and Child on one side and a Prayer for Life on the other.

Suitable for distribution in parishes.

Item #0115. Cost \$10.00 (package of 100).

Spanish Item #0116.

PRAYER FOR HEALING

Prayer card asking God to forgive, heal and grant peace to mothers who have lost a child to abortion.

Item #9911. Cost: \$10.00 (package of 100); \$90/1,000. Spanish, Item #9912.



NOTE: Word of Life – liturgical suggestions and parish bulletin inserts – is distributed each month to every Catholic diocese in the U.S. The Word of Life series can also be accessed at www.usccb.org/prolifelliturgy/index.shtml.

BIOTECHNOLOGY

ASSISTED REPRODUCTIVE TECHNOLOGY AND THE FAMILY

by *Helen Alvaré, Esq.*, 2007

Item #0741. Cost: 40¢ each; 10-49 copies, 30¢ each; 50+ copies, 25¢ each.

THE ETHICS OF STEM CELL RESEARCH

by *Rev. Tadeusz Pacholczyk, Ph.D.*, 2006

The author examines the moral/scientific status of adult stem cell research as compared to embryonic stem cell research.

Item #0641. Cost: 40¢ each; 10-49 copies, 30¢ each; 50+ copies, 25¢ each.

GENETIC ENHANCEMENT: CUSTOM KIDS AND CHIMERAS

by *Professor Marilyn E. Coors*, 2005, 4 pp.

An exploration of the moral and social dimensions of human bioengineering.

Item #0546. Cost: 40¢ each; 10-49 copies, 30¢ each; 50+ copies, 25¢ each.

ASSISTED REPRODUCTIVE TECHNOLOGIES ARE ANTI-WOMAN

by *Marie Anderson, M.D., FACOG, and John Bruchalski, M.D.*, 2004, 4 pp.

Authors demonstrate how profoundly dehumanizing and anti-woman current and proposed avenues of biotechnology research are, e.g., IVF, cloning, and human embryo research.

Item #0442. Cost: 40¢ each; 10-49 copies, 30¢ each; 50+ copies, 25¢ each.

STEM CELL RESEARCH AND HUMAN CLONING: QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

USCCB Pro-Life Secretariat, 2004, 1 page (front and back).

Easy-to-read parish bulletin insert provides clear information on the Catholic Church's position on stem cell research and human cloning.

Item #0470. Cost: \$10/100. Spanish Item #0471.

INSTRUCTION ON RESPECT FOR HUMAN LIFE IN ITS ORIGIN AND ON THE DIGNITY OF PROCREATION (*Donum Vitae*)

Sacred Congregation for the Doctrine of the Faith, 1987

Item #8708. Cost: \$4.95 each.

HUMAN CLONING VS. HUMAN DIGNITY

by *Richard M. Doerflinger*, 2003. 4 pp.

Human cloning is used to create life solely to destroy it—and even that is a symptom of a deeper problem.

Item #0341. Cost: 40¢ each; 10-49 copies, 30¢ each; 50+ copies, 25¢ each.

THE NEW EUGENICS: CLONING AND BEYOND

by *M. Therese Lysaught, Ph.D.*, 2002, 4 pp.

Explores the risks humanity may face if biotechnology continues to advance unchecked by moral constraints.

Item #0244; Cost: 40¢ each; 10-49 copies, 30¢ each; 50+ copies, 25¢ each.

THE CASE AGAINST FUNDING HUMAN EMBRYONIC STEM CELL RESEARCH

by *Anton-Lewis Usala, M.D.*, 2001, 4 pp.

Addresses the scientific and medical claims being used to press for embryonic stem cell research, and points to the more scientifically promising and ethically acceptable line of research based on adult stem cells.

Item #0101USA; Cost: 40¢ each; 10-49 copies, 30¢ each; 50+ copies, 25¢ each.

NOTE: Additional resources on these issues, (e.g., Congressional testimony, fact sheets, etc.) can be found at: www.usccb.org/prolifelife/bioethic/index.shtml. See also www.stemcellresearch.org.

CAPITAL PUNISHMENT

A GOOD FRIDAY APPEAL TO END THE DEATH PENALTY

Administrative Board, U.S. Catholic Conference, 1999

The bishops extend Pope John Paul II's appeal for a consensus to end capital punishment, and they urge all to work to end the death penalty.

Item #9935. Cost: 40¢ each.

VICTIM ADVOCATES AGAINST THE DEATH PENALTY

by Andrew Rivas, 2006

The author weaves together the personal stories of people involved in death penalty cases (e.g., victims' families, defense attorneys, defendants, exonerated accused) who unexpectedly become public advocates against capital punishment.

Item #0645. Cost: 40¢ each; 10-49 copies, 30¢ each; 50+ copies, 25¢ each.

JUSTICE, MERCY AND CAPITAL PUNISHMENT

by Archbishop Charles J. Chaput, O.F.M. Cap., 2005, 4 pp.

Explores the failure of capital punishment, Church teaching on the issue and a call to end the death penalty.

Item #0541. Cost: 40¢ each; 10-49 copies, 30¢ each; 50+ copies, 25¢ each.

WE FORGIVE THOSE WHO TRESPASS AGAINST US

by Maureen Kramlich, Esq., 2003, 4 pp.

Recounts the personal stories of three parents who were able to forgive their children's killers and become eloquent advocates against the death penalty.

Item #0344. Cost: 40¢ each; 10-49 copies, 30¢ each; 50+ copies, 25¢ each.

LIVING AND DYING ON DEATH ROW: AN EYEWITNESS ACCOUNT

by Joseph Ross, 2001, 4 pp.

The moving story of a prison chaplain's experience ministering to a death row prisoner.

Item #0101ROS. Cost: 40¢ each; 10-49 copies, 30¢ each; 50+ copies, 25¢ each.

THE GOSPEL OF LIFE AND THE SENTENCE OF DEATH: CATHOLIC TEACHING ON CAPITAL PUNISHMENT

by Rev. Augustine Judd, O.P., 2000, 4 pp.

Explains Church teaching and offers compelling arguments against the use of the death penalty.

Item #0001-JUD. Cost: 40¢ each; 10-49 copies, 30¢ each; 150+ copies, 25¢ each.



NOTE: For additional information and resources on capital punishment, visit www.usccb.org/sdup/national/dea.htm.

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