

Missionaries to the Preborn

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Dear Friends of the Preborn,

Enclosed is the itinerary for the Colorado Personhood Tour! Please post it on your refrigerator or pegboard so you can remember our efforts in prayer! Also:

We will be trying to keep you informed of our efforts while we are there by putting out

E-MAILS

every few days. If you are not on our e-mail list, just e-mail us at defendbabies@missionariestopreborn.com and we'll be sure to add you so you can be better informed as you pray.

The Tour is fast approaching. We have a great photograph line-up we developed for this Tour which I can't wait to show you in our report after the Tour is over. *Thank you so much to all of those of you who gave so we could make the changes!* Thank you to those of you who gave to help others go on the trip! We can still use your help with the many expenses of this Tour.

We have great news here in Wisconsin:

The number of abortions done in Wisconsin

dropped by 14%

from 2006 to 2007! That means since we began in 1988, the number of abortions in Wisconsin has dropped by over 50%! The year we began, the number of abortions done in Wisconsin was 17,986. In 2007, the number has dropped to 8,267. We need to remember that Planned Parenthood was closed down for four months last year however, but the continued efforts of our Tours have no doubt had a huge effect over the years, as well as the continued efforts of the missionaries being out at the deathcamp here in Milwaukee whenever it is open has had a huge impact on the resulting numbers also.

Speaking of the missionaries being out at the deathcamps here in Milwaukee, we have seen many babies rescued from a brutal death this year. The Lord is doing a great work!

Just during the last two weeks

seven babies have been rescued

from a brutal death here at Milwaukee's death camps from the missionaries' efforts! One of the women who decided not to kill her baby, gave her life to Christ right in front of the deathcamp as one of our missionaries led her to the Lord! All this good news has produced needs which are talked about on the second page of this newsletter.

May the Lamb that was slain receive the reward of His suffering!

Pastor Matt Trewhella

COLORADO PERSONHOOD TOUR ITINERARY

AUGUST 18th - 29th, 2008

Mon. 8/18 Greeley

1. Hwy 34 (not Business 34) and 23rd 4:15-5:45 p.m.

Tues. 8/19 Denver -

1. Arapahoe & Boston (SSE) 7:30-9:00 a.m.
2. Cherry Creek Dr. & University (SE) 11:30 a.m.-1:00 p.m.
3. Colorado & Alameda (Central) 4:15-5:45 p.m.

Wed. 8/20 Ft. Collins

1. Mullberry & Riverside 7:30-9:00 a.m.
2. Shields & Elizabeth 9:30-10:30 a.m.
3. Prospect and College 11:30 a.m.-1:00 p.m.
4. Horsetooth and College 4:15-5:45 p.m.

Thur. 8/21 Denver

1. Wadsworth & 52nd (NW) 7:30-9:00 a.m.
2. Alameda Wadsworth (W Central) 11:30 a.m.-1:00 p.m.
3. Broadway & Hampden (S Central) 4:15-5:45 p.m.

Fri. 8/22 Colorado Springs/Pueblo

1. Colorado Springs - N. Academy and I-25 =1st light off exit 7:15-8:45 a.m.
2. Pueblo (site to be announced later)
3. Colorado Springs - Austin Bluffs & Garden of the Gods Pkwy 4:15-5:45 p.m.

Sat. 8/23 Denver/Loveland

1. Denver - Planned Parenthood & 38th and Quebec 8:00 a.m.
2. Loveland – Eisenhower (Rte. 34) & Madison 11:30 a.m.-1:00 p.m.

Sun. 8/24 Worship & Rest

Mon. 8/25 Denver

1. 38th & Quebec 7:00-8:30 a.m.
2. Rally at a park
3. 104th & Huron (N Central) 11:30 a.m.-1:00 p.m.
4. Mississippi & Abilene (E. Central) 4:00-6:00 p.m.

Tue. 8/26 Denver

1. Colorado & Cherry Creek Dr. 7:15-8:45 a.m.
2. University & Evans 11:30 a.m.-1:00 p.m.
3. Federal & Alameda 4:15-5:45 p.m.

Wed. 8/27 Denver/Boulder

1. Denver - 92nd & Sheridan (NW) 7:15-8:45 a.m.
2. Boulder - 28th and Arapahoe 11:30 a.m.-1:00 p.m.
3. Boulder - 28th & Belmont 4:15-5:45 p.m.

There will be numerous surprise stops and other activities along the Tour.

This itinerary is subject to change, therefore, if you are not traveling with the Tour and plan to come and help us for a stop or a day, call us at 414-462-3399 to see if there has been a change in the schedule!

THE BAD EFFECT OF THE ANTI-CHILD MENTALITY UPON PUBLIC POLICY IN AMERICA

by Pastor Matt Trehella

Martin Luther wrote in his day that “*There are many who do not want to have children.*” The desire to prevent offspring is nothing new. Man has always, because of self-centeredness and the pursuit of materialism and leisure, viewed the having of many children as a burden, and a detriment to self-fulfillment. But if the conditions of Luther’s day caused him to commiserate, America’s situation today would have put him in a mental hospital with severe depression. Americans have taken what Luther observed in his day to a whole new level. American Christians eat birth control pills like candy while pastors peddle the anti-child mentality in their pre-marriage counseling with the glee of a Fuller Brush salesman.

This anti-child mentality does not bode well for the future of our nation.

I have eleven children; five sons and six daughters. As our numbers increased over the years, I noticed that *I became more concerned about the public policies of our nation as the number of our children increased.* Why? Because I have a lot invested in the future of our nation – eleven children I care about deeply. I will die, and what kind of nation will I leave my children to live in?

When people do not have children, or have few of them, they do not care as much about the future of the nation because they have nothing or little invested in the future of the nation. When they die, it is over, so there is less concern over what is left behind culturally. A man and a woman who have many children however, actually care about the future of their nation because they know that after they are gone, their children and grandchildren will still be here.

I find it interesting that the founding fathers of our nation had the following priority list – God, Country, Family. The priority list of most American Christians today is – God, Family, Church, Business. *Country* doesn’t even make the list of American Christians today. Why did the founding fathers (almost all of whom were Christians) put *Country* before *Family*? They did so because they knew if the country was sound, their families were safe.

When Christians abandon the arena of public policy, whose public policy do you think is going to rule? That’s right, the policies of wicked men. Our nation is no longer sound, and our families are less safe today precisely because of our neglect of public policy.

Rev. Matthias Burnet preached an election sermon at the statehouse in Hartford, Connecticut in 1803. Near the end of his sermon, to which all the elected officials listened, he looked up at the gallery filled with citizens, and declared to them, “*To God and posterity you are accountable for your rights and your rulers. See that you preserve them inviolate and transmit them to posterity unimpaired. Let not your*

children have reason to curse you for giving up those rights, and prostrating those institutions which our fathers delivered to you.”

While Christians today are busy debating about whether or not they should involve themselves in public policy, or priding themselves in the fact that they don't 'dirty themselves' by being involved in politics, or rejoicing over the demise of the nation in regards to how it plays out on their prophecy chart (they might want to talk to the Chinese Christians of the 1940's), the Christians of Rev. Burnet's era saw plainly that involvement in public policy was one's right, one's responsibility, one's duty. Notice the generational outlook of these Christians. When reading their writings, you see they regularly appealed to "posterity" and "fathers." The future of the nation mattered to them.

The truth is - men and women who have many children tend to view being involved in public policy matters as a no-brainer.

The latest *Pew Poll* results show that Americans now view the "importance of children to a marriage" at its lowest level in our nation's history, even ranking below such things as "sharing household chores." The survey showed that, by a margin of 3 to 1, Americans say the main purpose of marriage is the "mutual happiness and fulfillment of the adults," rather than the "bearing and raising of children." The self-centered, anti-child mentality abounds in our nation. And as long as it does, the future for our nation looks bleak because the incentive to care about public policy is missing.

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Two Babies Recently Born!

The Lord has greatly blessed our simple efforts down at the deathcamps this year! We have seen a lot of women decide to turn from abortion and keep their children. Recently, two of the women gave birth to their little ones! This was a joyous occasion for both of them! The



One of the moms with her little baby.

missionaries have been able to be a blessing to these women and have pointed them to Christ and His Word. One of the moms is now attending a bible-believing church and starts college this fall!

All this good news has produced some needs. First, other women are needed to help minister and befriend these women deciding to keep their children. We only have one female missionary, and though she has been doing a great job and another sister in the Lord has been helping her, there are only so many hours in a day, and she needs help with this. If you want to minister in this way, please call our office at 414-462-3399 and let us know. Second, we are in need of all kinds of baby items; all kinds of kitchen stuff; and one woman is in need of a set of twin beds for her other children. If you can help with any of these items, again, please call our office and let us know.