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Walk for Life

We are so excited about this year's Walk for Life! This event is the second-largest fundraiser we have each year, and it helps us continue our work in the Montgomery community. Our theme is from 2 Corinthians 5:7, "We WALK by faith, not by sight." This is a great word for our ministry, where we are constantly called to step out in faith to share the important message of LIFE with the women and men we serve each day.

The Walk will be on Saturday, May 2, at Young Meadows Presbyterian Church. This easy, one-mile walk is great for all ages. Strollers, dogs, skates, bicycles are all welcome for this family-friendly event. We'll have children's activities like face-painting and inflatables at the church after we complete the Walk, as well as some light snacks. Come at 8:30 a.m. for registration, and the Walk will start at 9 a.m.!

WAYS YOU CAN GET INVOLVED:

1. BE A COORDINATOR FOR YOUR CHURCH OR GROUP!

One of the biggest jobs for the Walk is getting the word out about it in our local churches. Would you be willing to serve as a coordinator to help people in your fellowship get involved? If you're interested in serving in this way, please email Bethany Garth at bethany@firstchoicewmc.com or call 334.260.8010.

2. BE A WALKER!

It's so easy... there's no fee to participate. Walkers simply commit to doing the event, then ask their friends and family to sponsor them. There is no minimum or maximum sponsorship amount! If you raise \$150 in pledges and gifts, you get a free t-shirt!

To make it easy for our walkers, we have a web site where you can create your own personal fundraising page. Then you could recruit sponsors via e-mail, Facebook or Twitter simply by sending out the link to your page!

Or, if you're not Internet savvy, we have pledge forms at Sav-A-Life, and you can just write down the pledges from

your friends or family. We'll take care of sending them a pledge reminder and collecting the money.

For more information or to register and set up your own fundraising page, go to our web site: www.savalifemtg.org, or give us a call at 334.260.8010.

Even if you can't make it to the event on May 2, you can ask people to sponsor you and simply walk a mile on your own! Or, maybe you just want to come out the day of the Walk and show support for Sav-A-Life, or for a friend or family member who has gotten sponsors for the Walk. All Walkers are welcome, whether you choose to raise money or not!

3. BE A SPONSOR!

Even if you can't participate, you can sponsor someone else! Just go to savalifemtg.org, follow the information about the Walk, and sponsor any Walker you choose.



NEW PEER COUNSELOR TRAINING

We will be having a new Peer Counselor Training on

**April 21, 22 9am-3pm
and April 23 9am-1pm.**

If you have ever thought you would like doing this, now is the time! We will be losing some counselors due to moving away because of taking care of family members, husband's job, etc. It is very hard to lose these women that we have grown to think of as family, sharing victories and heartache and many prayers.

It is a great opportunity for you to grow spiritually as you share the love of Jesus with those that have fallen away from Him. We ask that you give us a year of your time. Many counselors will tell you they have been here for much, much longer and always feel a loss when unable to come each and every week.

For more information contact Kasey 334.260.8010 or kasey@firstchoicewmc.com



Earn While You Learn Update

Here are a few things that have been happening with Earn While You Learn:

Chappy's Deli, Chick-fil-A, and Body Trac allowed us to place our Life Trees at their businesses during the Christmas season. This helped us restock our baby store. We are so appreciative for the help and support.

Cornerstone Christian Academy did a service project for us. They bundled diapers, hung clothes up, and folded them. Thank you Cornerstone Girls you rock!

The couple pictured on the next page has been attending EWYL. They are continuing to come to classes after their baby boy was born. We are excited about our program growing. We have had more men attending our program and would love to get more men involved to help mentor them. If you are interested in any way please contact jenna@firstchoicewmc.com. Thank you all for your help in making this a successful program!



Sanctity of Human Life Sunday 2015

We had a wonderfully successful Sanctity of Human Life Sunday for 2015! Many local churches showed their support for the cause of LIFE by taking our bulletin inserts to promote the message in their congregations.

We were also excited to offer the Baby Bottle Boomerang for local churches who wanted to go a step further for Sanctity Sunday. We had 10 churches participate this year, and together they raised more than \$8,000 for Sav-A-Life! What a tremendous blessing this has been to us. This project is simple—we provide baby bottles for participating churches, and members take them home to fill them up with loose change, bills or checks. Throwing some change in a baby bottle might not seem like much, however it makes a HUGE impact for us, by empowering our life-affirming work at Sav-A-Life to keep happening day in and day out. This project is such a beautiful picture of the work we can do when we come together as the Body of Christ, each doing a small part to add to the greater work.

A SPECIAL THANKS TO THESE CHURCHES FOR BEING A PART!

- Catoma Baptist Church
- Cornerstone Bible Church
- Covenant Presbyterian Church
- Dalraida Baptist Church
- First Presbyterian Church
- Frazer UMC Children's Ministry
- Grace at Bell Road
- Highland Gardens Baptist Church
- Holy Spirit Catholic Church Life Teen Group
- Vaughn Forest Church

Perhaps your church or group would want to participate in the future! We'll be running this campaign again this summer for those who are interested perhaps for Vacation Bible School, and again next year for Sanctity of Human Life Sunday! We want to keep giving people the opportunity to really DO something with their belief in the value of life by investing in this ministry that is on the front lines of the battle. We are grateful for your support!

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Chick-fil-A Thursday!



Eat at the Eastchase Chick-fil-A for dinner on the last Thursday of each month in 2015!

Between 5–9 p.m., Chick-fil-A will donate 20 percent of proceeds to First Choice Women's Medical Center. All you need to do is tell the cashier that you want your purchase to count for First Choice, and they'll make it happen. What a yummy way to show your support!

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NOVEMBER 20, 2014 – FEBRUARY 27, 2015

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