

# movingforward

### in a Post-Roe World

It's been over a year since Roe was overturned and only a few weeks since our last election cycle. The realities of the fight for the preservation of the tiniest humans in the womb are all too clear. These United States are intensely divided over the issue of abortion.

Pregnancy medical centers like PACN are being demonized while those who end the life of unborn babies are being celebrated. Misinformation about abortion spreads across the internet faster than you can flip a light switch. Texas women are traveling to pro-abortion states even at significant risk to their health and life. Equally troubling is that the abortion pill can be acquired online and often comes without instructions.

BUT, out of the chaos, HOPE and LIFE are springing up! The Bible reminds us again and again that the Gospel of Jesus Christ and the unchanging truth of God's Word shines brightest when the world is darkest. PACN is that bright beacon of hope.

I have never felt such deep expectation for the move of God in each of our clients' lives.

This year at PACN we have seen babies saved. We have seen clients seeking late-term abortions turn to motherhood; women who have taken the abortion pill reach out for a reversal; women making adoption plans; and others stepping fully into parenting. We have seen the transformational power of the Gospel in clients' lives and welcomed new sisters and brothers into the Kingdom of God.

I am grateful for each of you and your faithful support through your prayers, time, finances, and encouraging words that keep propelling us forward.

Friends, we must ARISE all the more in this effort to reach women and couples seeking abortions. Would you prayerfully consider giving a year-end gift to this life saving ministry?

I believe that, together, we will see a time when abortion is not just illegal, but unthinkable.

Blessings,

Jane Grondson Bonnie Thompson, PACN Executive Director

### modern adoption is a growing option

Over two years ago YOU helped PACN deepen its commitment to placing modern adoption front and center as a viable option for abortion determined clients. The subject of adoption is introduced as an option to every client seeking abortion; and in 2023, twelve of those introductions progressed to in-depth conversations, leading to eleven clients choosing life! Of these women, four have chosen to parent; four are at various stages of the adoption process; and three are just entering the decision process.

We praise God for this progress and are excited to see where He takes this in 2024!

the hope of a client

"Megan" came to PACN, experiencing anxiety related to her unplanned pregnancy. She said, "My boyfriend, 'Derick' is out of work, and I'm working two jobs. This isn't what I want life to be for a baby, so I'm undecided about this pregnancy."

Megan's ultrasound revealed that she was too early in her pregnancy to see the baby, so she agreed to return for a follow-up scan in one week. While at PACN, she gratefully accepted a meeting with a spiritual mentor, Debbie, Through tears, she expressed worry over finances and her relationship with Derick, stating, "I feel so 'stuck,' and I don't know what to do." Debbie asked, "Do you want me to tell you about Jesus? He's the only One Who has all the answers."

Megan surrendered her heart to Jesus Christ as her Savior that day. She was deeply touched when Debbie presented her with a Spiritual

Birth Certificate, a 'prayed over' scripture quilt, and a beautiful devotional Bible.

A week later when Megan returned for her ultrasound appointment, she said, "Derick and I are still processing and have not made a decision." However, when she saw the tiny baby's heartbeat, tears ran down her face. Afterward, she asked questions about medications and diet, but she did not make another appointment.

Two days later, Megan texted PACN asking for an appointment to get help with the next steps because she was feeling overwhelmed. She met with a client care manager who helped her create a 'to do' list, assisted her with both referrals and making calls to apply for services, and helped to secure a doctor. Afterward, Megan said, "I have a plan now so I know I can do this...and God is there for me."

Megan, Derick and their PACN family happily welcomed their baby into the world in September.

In 2023 at PACN: savedlives

savedsouls | ultrasounds

### savinglives

### with Abortion Pill Reversal

This year PACN is privileged to have been part of two successful abortion pill reversals that welcomed one new little life into the world in June, and our second APR baby is due in March 2024! More and more women are finding their way to truth about this life-saving option of Abortion Pill Reversal (APR) despite the well-coordinated misinformation campaign meant to cause confusion and skepticism.

We're also excited to share that one of these powerful, miraculous stories will be featured at our Spring Gala on April 12th. Until then, we encourage you to learn more about APR and continue to pray that truth would prevail so APR can become a common medical practice without political interference.

> For more information about Abortion Pill Reversal, scan the QR code below!

### didyouknow?

In 2023, almost half of PACN clients pursuing abortion disclosed to PACN medical staff that they ordered their pills **online** and received them through the United States Postal Service.



## 2023bythenumbers







3,730

**Client Visits** 

Pregnancy Tests Material Assistance Visits

\*Numbers reflected are from January 2023 through October 2023

### baby giggles & happy wiggles

Baby giggles and happy wiggles are a sign of a thriving baby. And it's baby giggles may just be the answer to world peace.

This year you helped EVEN MORE children thrive through our material assistance program. Again and again, you have responded to our clients' needs, and we are deeply grateful!

didyouknow?

PACN hosts group baby showers to

help parents get off to a great start and celebrate life. In 2023 we hosted

4 baby showers serving over 65 clients.

Besides receiving needed items like

diapers and baby clothing, many

received prayer and spiritual

counseling resulting in 6

salvations!

1.200+

each of large boxes of diapers, pacifiers, baby bottles, sippy cups & diaper rash cream

### 2,400+

each of baby wash, baby lotion, & individual packs of baby wipes



and a HUGE number of baby giggles and happy wiggles!

impossible not to smile when you encounter either of these. Let's face it.

This year **YOU** helped provide an estimated:

### the heart of the donor

We believe every life is sacred in God's eyes; and we recognize that many clients who come to PACN are overwhelmed by lack of emotional, spiritual, and financial support leading them to consider abortion. The staff at PACN acknowledge these needs and reach out with the love of Jesus.

We have been financial supporters of PACN since we moved to the area. Upon retirement, we became volunteers, and we witness the professional and skillful services that are provided. What most impresses us is the emphasis on God's sovereignty in this ministry. Each day begins with prayer. It undergirds all aspects of the ministry and is offered to every client. When we enter PACN, we feel like we are walking on Holy Ground and clients can't help but feel the love, concern, and presence of Jesus.

David & Patti V.

And let us not grow weary of doing good, for in due season we will reap, if we do not give up. | Galatians 6:9, ESV

### ourmission

PACN gives voice to the unborn by providing compassionate, Christ-centered, life-affirming care to women and men considering abortion.

### supportpacn

PACN has been able to provide services for more than 4,100 client visits over the past twelve months because of your faithful and generous support of this front-line ministry. We, and those whom we serve, are deeply grateful.

To make a tax-deductible donation, use your smart phone and take a picture of the QR code, or visit pacncommunity.org and click on the "give now" icon. Thank you!

### givetopacn

Make a one-time gift or set up a monthly donation.



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### you'reinvited

Join us at our Spring Gala - ARISE, April 12th, 2024.



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