

Life from Conception to Natural Death, Changing Hearts and Minds

2022/23 Annual review of prolife activities and Future dates for Action!

December 2022 started with Prolife Masses in Hythe and a very successful Coffee Morning with Bring and Buy and Childrens Games with a Xmas theme. Raising over £400

The 10million Prayers for 10million aborted babies was ongoing from January to the Abortion Act Anniversary with much support locally and we know many of these prayers are ongoing.

Pancake Event was on a Sunday Morning for the second time in it's 35 years and attracted many from across the area, Folkestone, Hythe and Ashford. Raising another £400.

2023 campaigns with letters to MPs and petitions

1. Have covered the tragic cases of Lily aborted at 30 weeks by the unregulated (and without any medical supervision) DIY pills, only to be used up to 9weeks and 6 days. We have booklets detailing facts and figures relating to DIY abortion pills, please ask for a copy.
2. Coerced abortion, Research is showing just how many abortions are coercion by others close to the mother. Booklets on request.
3. British taxes funding China's policies against human rights.
4. Attempts to introduce Assisted Suicide particularly from the Scottish Parliament and even more so with the new leader, HUMZA YOUSAF.
5. Finally, the **Freedom of Speech** we take for granted in our Democratic Nation is being restricted and even banned in different areas. The Universities realized a tad too late that their complaints about having prolife debates has led to the very nature of University being a place for open debate being stifled and have at the last minute fought against restrictions. However, Parliament still voted 266 to 116 for Buffer zones around abortion clinics AND the **banning of silent prayer** in public places!! Isobel Vaughan-Spruce is one of several arrested for apparently praying silently.....and released.... as how could they prove it? Fortunately, Suella Braverman didn't implement this new ill thought out piece of legislation..... Please pray the next Home Office MP also sees its dangers.

THANK YOU FOR ALL YOUR LETTERS, EMAILS AND SIGNING OF PETITIONS.

March for Life September 2nd: saw 8 from our group covering Folkestone, Hythe and Ashford, join 7,000 in London. Well done to them but we need so many more if we are to make any impact such as recent Marches we've seen on the News!!

Thanks to a generous and anonymous donation: 6 attended the **National Conference** in September and came back inspired and motivated.

Centre for Bio-ethical Reform UK (CBRUK) are training several of our group to go onto the streets with information and posters to meet the general public and discuss these issues. There was also a very good questionnaire for research purposes which was done throughout the year in different Kent towns by many in our group.

OPTIONS: Our local Crisis Pregnancy Service, continues to get calls from women in crisis. But the majority of calls are now after the abortion.....DIY Pills at home, mean the mother now sees her lost

baby and the grief and regret stage are happening much faster than with previous surgical abortions. OPTIONS asks for our prayers and especially for more counsellors.

Future Events: Please put in Diaries to promote even if you can't be there

CBRUK Leafleting Friday 8th December 10-11am. Debrief over coffee afterwards. Can you join us if only for a part. We work in pairs with key people responsible for any door stop conversations that occasionally occur.

CBRUK leaflet picture of an 8-week living embryo, 'The Christmas you never knew' and info on back relates beautifully to the Nativity.

Sunday, 11th February, 10.30am: Pancake Event will be in Hythe RC Hall, Mill Road

Annual ProLife Chain, commemorating the Abortion Act. Usually the Saturday closet to 27th April. We hope to join the Rochester group for bigger impact.

March for Life coffee mornings TBC

Opening of Bluebell crisis pregnancy service in Ashford, date TBC

CBRUK Street Information dates for Kent tbc throughout the year.

Folkestone Street Stands to resume with foetal models and leaflets.

Tiny Feet Clubs for church Youth groups to be re-established.

Thank you for all you do. Please help us make more impact to change the Hearts and Minds of our Nation so that abortion becomes unthinkable again. We know there are better ways forward.

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