

**Endless Mountains Pennsylvanians**  
*for* **Human Life**  
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## Upcoming Events

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| May 7 10-2         | NCA Yard Sale  |
| May 12 7:30PM      | EMPfHL Meeting<br>S&S Memorial Hospital<br>Main Board Room                   |
| May 15             | Ad Deadline #1   |
| June 9 7:30PM      | EMPfHL Meeting<br>S&S Memorial Hospital<br>Education room                    |
| June 15            | Ad Deadline #2   |
| July 14 7:30PM     | EMPfHL Meeting<br>S&S Memorial Hospital<br>Education room                    |
| July 15            | Ad Deadline #3   |
| August 1           | Final Ad Deadline  |
| August 8-13        | Tioga County Fair  |
| August 11 7:30PM   | EMPfHL Meeting<br>S&S Memorial Hospital<br>Education room                    |
| September 8 7:30PM | EMPfHL Meeting<br>S&S Memorial Hospital<br>Education room                    |
| October 1-2        | Ringin In A Culture of Life<br>PPLF Statewide Convention<br>Valley Forge, PA |

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## Ringling In A Culture of Life

### 2005 Pennsylvania Pro-Life Convention October 1 & 2, 2005 — Valley Forge, PA

This past November we saw the fruits of the efforts of pro-lifers across the country with the re-election of President George W. Bush. With President Bush again in the White House, we are in the strongest position ever to see major changes in the make up of the U.S. Supreme Court and the possible overturn of *Roe v. Wade*. To be prepared for our role in Pennsylvania for this event, we need to be well-informed and ready to create a Commonwealth where abortion is no longer legal.

PA Pro-Life Federation's statewide educational convention will bring presenters who are experts in their fields and topics that are paramount to all pro-life Pennsylvanians preparing for a state without legalized abortion. Program highlights, among others, will include:

- **Mary Beliveau**, PPLF Legislative & PAC Director and **Rep. Katie True**, leader of the PA State House Pro-Life Caucus, will discuss the critical nature of preparing for an overturn of *Roe v. Wade* and how we will need to respond as pro-life citizens in our state.
- **Dr. David A. Prentice**, Senior Fellow for Life Sciences at Family Research Council and an Affiliated Scholar for the Center for Clinical Bioethics, Georgetown University Medical Center, will present the facts on cloning and stem cell research.
- **Bob Schindler**, brother of Terri Schiavo, will take us into the struggle to give his sister a chance to live and the forces of the euthanasia movement against his family's efforts.
- **Dr. Theresa Burke**, co-founder of Rachel's Vineyard retreat ministry for post abortion healing, author and psychologist whose work has focused on the trauma of abortion on women and men.
- **Dr. Angela Lanfranchi**, breast cancer surgeon, Assistant Professor of surgery at the Robert Wood Johnson Medical School, co-founder of the Breast Cancer Prevention Institute and co-director of the Breast Center at Somerset Medical Center, Somerset, NJ, will give a compelling presentation on the abortion and breast cancer link.
- **Day Gardner**, Director of Black Americans for Life, will direct a workshop on today's holocaust that is depleting the African-American population in our state and nationwide.
- **Actress, author and former model, Jennifer O'Neill**, will address the Saturday evening banquet event.

**Here's the important news:** to help cover the costs of this event as well as the publishing of a pro-life resource manual to be used as an educational tool throughout the next two years, PPLF is selling ads for the book through the local chapters. If you are a business owner, church, or non-profit organization and want to advertise in this important resource book, place your ad through EMPfHL. Individuals can purchase patron listings for as little as \$5.00. A portion of the cost for every ad placed through us comes back to our local chapter, enabling us to carry on our work in this area. The amount we receive depends on how early the ad is submitted, so the sooner you place your ad, the more our local pro-life work benefits. The first deadline is May 15th, and all ads must be submitted by August 1st.

You can download a copy of the Ad Sales Form from our web site ([www.empfhl.org](http://www.empfhl.org)) or contact Mario Branciforte at 570-724-1671 for more information. If you want to help even more, pass the word to churches, church bulletin advertisers, businesses... anyone who you think may want to help the cause for life.

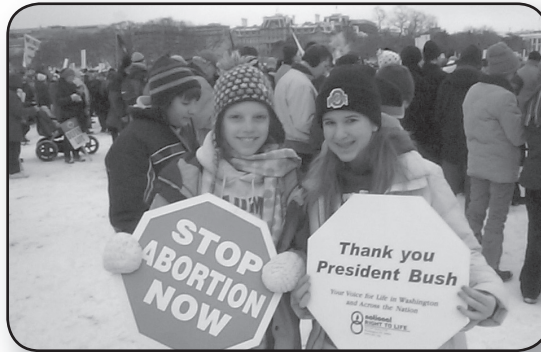
## EMPfHL at the March for Life

by Janine Maneval

My family and I attended the 32nd annual March for Life in Washington D.C. The March for Life is an annual protest march against abortion. My family and I have been going since the early 90s, and each year we are astonished and excited about the growing number of concerned Americans. However, this year, it was something else that caught my attention: the large number of young people that were present. It excites me to see that the youth of our nation are awakening to the reality of abortion, and taking the time and energy to fight back.

Many pro-life politicians and clergymen spoke at the rally that takes place before the march. President Bush addressed the crowd by phone. Everyone was especially enthusiastic because of our pro-life President.

The march was held on the 24th of January, instead of the 22nd which is the anniversary date of *Roe v. Wade*. One of the purposes of the march is to lobby congressmen, and, as many of you know, congressmen are not in on the weekends, therefore, the march was held on the Monday following the anniversary.



The March for Life is a very encouraging event because of the large number of pro-life Americans that attend. The march will be held annually until innocent unborn life is protected by law. Please consider attending the march next year; you won't be disappointed.

## About EMPfHL

Endless Mountains Pennsylvanians for Human Life is a recently formed local chapter of the Pennsylvania Pro-Life Federation. Our primary task is to keep members of the local community informed regarding pro-life issues, but when significant state or national issues are in the news, we'll also provide information to help you make informed decisions.

### What Does EMPfHL Do?

Endless Mountains Pennsylvanians for Human Life has been in existence for more than two years now, but it is still important to stop and answer the question: "What is the purpose of this organization?"

EMPfHL is involved in three areas (four if you count our monthly meetings). First: these periodic newsletters. The first issue of this newsletter, sent in October 2003, was a "Voter Alert" issue. Subsequent issues have highlighted current events, suggested action items for people to use, and kept readers informed regarding the ongoing work we do as we address issues of human life. The second area of involvement is pro-life education. Our literature table at local events distributes information to people who might not otherwise see it. The third area is to provide material support to other pro-life organizations that want to do work in our area. We'll highlight our work with Real Alternatives ([www.realalternatives.org](http://www.realalternatives.org)) in a future newsletter.

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