

## Prayer To End Abortion

“**Lord God**, I thank you today for the gift of my life and for the lives of all my brothers and sisters. **I know** there is nothing that destroys more life than abortion, Yet I rejoice that you have conquered death by the Resurrection of your Son. **I am ready** to do my part in ending abortion. Today I commit myself Never to be silent, Never to be passive, Never to be forgetful of the unborn. **I commit myself** to be active in the Pro-Life movement, and never stop defending life Until all my brothers and sisters are protected, and our Nation once again becomes A Nation with liberty and justice Not just for some, but for all, Through Christ our Lord. Amen!” - **Father Frank Pavone**

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- Bishop Salvatore J. Cordileone, Oakland Diocese
- Dr. Jim Garlow, Skyline Church, Rancho San Diego
- Pastor Antoine Lamar Miller, Rehoboth Christian Fellowship
- Prima Mosely, Neighborhood Church

“The **Issues4life Foundation** is dedicated to protecting human life from the moment of our biological beginning until death. Whether helping women victimized by the false promises of the abortion industry, or comforting people who are in pain, or suffering, our response will be biblical, rooted in prayer and in defense of the inviolability of human life.” – Waler Hoye II

# Sanctity of Human Life

## East Bay Interfaith Memorial Prayer Service Friday, January 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2010

**"Theme:** Speaking for Those with No Voice." - **Scripture:** Psalms 138:13-16



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## Welcome to the Cathedral of Christ the Light,



January is Sanctity of Life month, when we celebrate the inherent **dignity and beauty** that lies within all human being no matter their size, race, gender or developmental state. The writers of the **Declaration of Independence** remind us that “we all have been endowed by our creator with certain inalienable rights, the right to **Life, Liberty, and the Pursuit of Happiness.**” As a Foundation, Issues4Life endeavors to honor and protect those right by advocating for those who are most vulnerable among us, especially those who cannot speak for themselves.

Since the 1973 Roe vs. Wade decision to legalize abortion **over 50 million babies** have been aborted in the United States; by an unprecedented and unnecessary attack on the sanctity of life. That’s over 50 million heart beats stopped, over 50 million children without the opportunity to run, play, and enjoy the life that God has given to them.

Therefore, **it is our desire to celebrate God’s gracious gift of life, His grace** toward those who have participated in the abortion process, to memorialize the children who have been lost to this epidemic, and to be infused with hope by God precious Spirit as we labor to end abortion and exalt life in this generation.

**Rose Ceremony:** Roses will be presented in Honor of the over 50 million babies that have been aborted since the Roe vs. Wade Decision in 1973 and their parents. **Please follow the directions of the \_\_\_\_\_.**

# Order Of Service

Welcome  
**Jonathan Maddox, Master of Ceremonies**

**Scripture: Psalms 139:13-16**

**Prayer: TBA**

**Testimony of God’s Love**  
**Sister Prima Marquez-Mosely**

**Ministering Grace**  
**to Post Abortive Women**  
**Pastor Antoine Lamar Miller**

**Advocating for Life**  
**Dr. Jim Garlow**

**God’s Gracious Gift of Life**  
**Bishop Salvatore Joseph Cordileone**

## Rose Ceremony

**Prayer of Life**  
**Shawn Hayes, Stand for Truth Ministries**  
**Appreciation / Announcements / Benediction**