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Dear Friends of Soundview:

In this blessed season of Easter, we celebrate the cornerstone of our faith, the resurrection of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. We can have victory over sin because of His suffering and ultimate death on the cross. This beautiful gift came with an enormous price, the sacrifice of God's only Son. He is the Resurrection and the LIFE!

Life and death. This is what we battle every day here at Soundview. We stand in the gap for the babies, whose lives are at stake because a young, frightened woman feels she has no choice but to end the life of her unborn child. Death looms all around her. Fear drives her into the darkness of this decision. Who could possibly help this young woman who has no support from the baby's father, her own parents, family or friends? There is only ONE. Jesus Christ.

We have the privilege of introducing young women to Christ, sharing how much he loves her and the baby she

is carrying. We let her know that He has prepared a way for her to have life, hope and purpose. Transformation begins in her heart and then in her mind and she chooses LIFE.

We are filled with inexpressible joy when we see these beautiful babies born and their moms gushing with gratitude. Their stories are beautiful. In this edition, we have included just one to inspire you.

Thank you for being a part of this beautiful redemptive story of grace that we get to extend daily. We are grateful for your prayers, financial support and encouragement.

With gratitude,

Doreen Jansson

Life Disciples:

Abortion in the Church

Roland Warren, CareNet President talks about abortion being an issue that is a plank in the church's eye, as compared to the speck in the pro-choice movement's eye. See the full interview by clicking below:



In an article written by Focus on the Family, it states:

"The church has a responsibility to speak out on the sanctity of life and offer healing and forgiveness to women who have had abortions but many Pastors do not address the issue from the pulpit for fear of being seen as too political or fear of hurting those who have had an abortion. Post-abortive women and men (as well as women and families at risk for abortion) are sitting in their services every Sunday and they need to hear a teaching from God's Word regarding the sanctity of life, as well as God's grace and forgiveness."

Soundview's First Baby in East Meadow! Our Client's Story:



"Soundview was there for me during and after my pregnancy. It gave me the necessary knowledge and information needed to know how to take care my baby. I am so appreciative of the resources that Soundview provided for me. I feel like I could not have done it without the education and support that they provided.

One of my biggest fears was my parents' reaction to the pregnancy. I really didn't have support from the father of the baby either, and the life change was frightening for me. But when I went to Soundview I felt comfortable, and the atmosphere was so friendly. Seeing the ultrasound made me get attached to the baby, and it was then that I wanted to keep my baby. Before, my priority was just me. Now it's the baby. I have responsibilities... no more shopping for make-up and clothes. I really appreciated the donations of diapers and wipes, they were very helpful. I would recommend Soundview to anyone so that they could receive advice and options as I have. I know when I got the sonogram picture that I made the right choice coming to Soundview. Now I have a beautiful baby boy!"

Medical News:

QUICK BIOLOGICAL FACTS TO REMEMBER

As measured from the moment of **FERTILIZATION**:

At **3 Weeks** the heart begins to beat.

At **6 Weeks** tooth buds for "baby teeth" are taking shape in the jaw.

At **8 Weeks** the brain is producing 250,000 new neurons each minute.

At **9 Weeks** all the major organ systems are present.

Community Events Featuring Soundview:

Living Faith Church - Farmingdale - Spring Conference - Lysa Terkeurst Proverbs 31 Ministries - **SOLD OUT**

Soundview Pregnancy Services was selected to be highlighted as a ministry that impacts women. Doreen Jansson will be interviewed on stage during the conference with an audience in excess of 600 women. Due to Lysa Terkeurst's promotion on her own social media platforms, this conference will be representing churches all over Long Island, New Jersey and Connecticut. For more info go to: <http://lfcc.org/spring-conference>

Interested in Being a Partnering Church?

Calling all Pastors! If you are interested in getting to know more about the ministry at Soundview Pregnancy Services, we welcome you to come for a tour at one of our centers. We would love for your ministry team to have a first-hand look at our professional, warm environment where we minister to young women, men and families in crisis.

Our desire is to be a valuable resource to you as a Pastor and to your congregation. We provide education and resources that can truly save a life. If you would like to schedule a date to come in, please contact Julie Fehring at (631)676-7990 x203 or julie@soundviewpregnancy.com or Doreen Jansson, (631) 676-7990 x201: Doreen@soundviewpregnancy.com.



Soundview Goes to College!

College Campus Outreach:

Soundview participated in three College Health Fairs within one week!

We were at *Nassau Community College* - March 30th, *Hofstra* - April 3rd and at *Adelphi* - April 4th. Our nurses and client service coordinator were there providing free pregnancy tests with Soundview Pregnancy's card enclosed (over 250 were given out), along with medical information on STDs, the abortion pill, abortion pill reversal, post abortion syndrome, and other valuable resources. The response was overwhelmingly positive on all campuses. We are thanking the Lord for these opportunities to promote Soundview directly to the women who may need our services in the future!

Getting Involved: How About YOU? Sign Up For The Walk For Life!!

Soundview Pregnancy Services
WALK 4 LIFE
Blydenburgh Park • Cedar Creek Park
Suffolk County Nassau County
MAY 20, 2017
Registration 9:00 AM • Walk 9:30 AM - 11:00 AM
QUESTIONS? 631-676-7990

We are Announcing our 2017 Annual Walk For Life!! ONE Walk, TWO Locations!!

Please join us for our Annual Fundraiser on Sat. May 20th! We are having One Walk

at Two Locations: Blydenburgh Park in Smithtown and at Cedar Creek Park in Seaford. Choose the site that is closest to you and walk an easy 1.5 miles and have fun while standing for the Sanctity of Life here on Long Island. Registration begins at 9:00am and the Walk begins at 9:30am and ends at 11:00am.

Ask those you know to sponsor you and sign up with this link: <https://secure.ministrsync.com/ministrsync/event/?e=10239> or on our website: www.soundviewpregnancy.com. If you cannot attend the day of the Walk you can walk in your neighborhood. For questions, please contact Julie Fehring at (631)676-7990 x203 or via email julie@soundviewpregnancy.com.

Please View and Share our NEW Promotional 2017 Walk For Life Video:

<https://animoto.com/play/2w1t1Q47ljsJYeaYNu3USA>



Having A Summer VBS? Have A Baby Bottle Challenge!!

MAKE A DIFFERENCE ONE BOTTLE AT A TIME!

Add another dimension to your VBS this Summer by partnering with Soundview Pregnancy Services in a one week "VBS Baby Bottle Challenge" for the Missions Project!!

We had great success this past Summer with a church in Nassau County, where our "VBS Baby Bottle Challenge" was used to help educate and encourage the children attending their VBS in the Sanctity of Life.

This simple act of giving a child a baby bottle to fill with coins is a fun, hands-on way to help each child protect the unborn by raising money for Soundview Pregnancy Services.



VBS Baby Bottle Challenge:

- ~Easy Way To Partner with Soundview Pregnancy Services to raise funds.
- ~Only a One Week Drive, we provide the bottles and all that you need!
- ~Kids just choose a bottle and fill it up with coins, cash or checks!
- ~End of Challenge, bottles are collected and returned to Soundview for processing.
- ~Diapers and baby wipes can also be collected for donation at our centers.

Children share a special bond with the unborn because they know what it's like to be small and helpless, but they are not voiceless! Children are a vital part of the body of Christ and this Challenge will allow children to advocate on behalf of their tiny

brothers and sisters in Christ

We look forward to partnering with you this Summer!



Keep in Touch

Soundview is going Paperless in 2017!! We will be sending out our **receipts** and newsletters via email in order to bring expenses down. We ask you to keep us up-to-date on your current email address so you and your family can receive the quarterly receipts and our email-generated newsletter. **Please email** Julie Fehring, julie@soundviewpregnancy.com to provide us with your **updated email address**.

We'd love to hear from you! Please feel free to contact Diana Heuman at diana@soundviewpregnancy.com for matters concerning the Centereach Center and Ellen Holland at ellen@soundviewpregnancy.com for matters concerning the East Meadow Center. You may also contact Julie Fehring at julie@soundviewpregnancy.com for any matters relating to church presentations/tours, events, baby bottle campaigns and development.



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