

WE PRAY...

Day 36	Wed, March 29, 2023	For the gift of openness to children.
Day 37	Thu, March 30, 2023	That we will each submit ourselves this day as a living sacrifice to God, giving all that we have in us for those being sacrificed on the altar of convenience.
Day 38	Fri, March 31, 2023 Friday in Lent	That those standing in peaceful vigil will extend mercy and grace to others as they remember that Christ did not treat us as our sins deserve.
Day 39	Sat, April 1, 2023 First Saturday	That volunteers will replace exhaustion or discouragement with rejoicing over the miracles we have seen thus far, and enthusiastic service as God takes us on to victory!
Day 40	Sun, April 2, 2023 Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord	To keep our eyes fixed on the New Jerusalem, where death will be no more.
Day 41	Mon, April 3, 2023	That the witness of 40 Days for Life bears abundant fruit, and that we begin again each day to storm the gates of hell until God welcomes us into the gates of heaven.

Source: <https://www.40daysforlife.com/en/resources-devotionals.aspx>



We Join Our Daily Prayer Intention
With Those Standing Vigil
to **End Abortion** and for the
Conversion of Hearts and Minds -
In Our Community, Our Commonwealth,
Our Country, and Our World

40 Days For Life Spring 2023 Campaign
February 22 to April 2, 2023

If my people who are called by my name humble themselves, and pray and seek my face, and turn from their wicked ways, then I will hear from heaven, and will forgive their sin and heal their land.

~2 Chronicles 7:14

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Day of Preparation	Tue, Feb 21, 2023	For God's blessing upon all participating in the coming 40 Days for Life campaign.
Day 1	Wed, Feb 22, 2023 Ash Wednesday	That we may use these 40 Days for Life to plead for God's mercy and grace upon all those involved in the sin of abortion.
Day 2	Thu, Feb 23, 2023 Thu after Ash Wed	That pastors may not be distracted from the priority of caring for human lives.
Day 3	Fri, Feb 24, 2023 Friday after Ash Wed	For God's gift of strength as we strive to protect human life during 40 Days for Life.
Day 4	Sat, Feb 25, 2023 Sat after Ash Wed	May the mystery of the incarnation increase our zeal for defending life.
Day 5	Sun, Feb 26, 2023 1st Sunday of Lent	May the truth of the final judgment shape our thoughts, priorities, and choices here on earth.
Day 6	Mon, Feb 27, 2023	That knowing the shortness of life, all may value it more deeply.
Day 7	Tue, Feb 28, 2023	May we have a heart and a zeal to save the poor and release the oppressed.
Day 8	Wed, March 1, 2023	May the spirit and example of the Good Samaritan fill the hearts and minds of all our citizens.
Day 9	Thu, March 2, 2023	May we grow in joy, knowing we serve a living God.

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Day 28	Tue, March 21, 2023	For the conversion of abortionists and all abortion advocates.
Day 29	Wed, March 22, 2023	In praise of God for His compassion in pardoning our sins and forgiving our transgressions and that He delights in showing mercy.
Day 30	Thu, March 23, 2023	That those tempted to abort may understand that their child is already present, and already a real person.
Day 31	Fri, March 24, 2023 Friday in Lent	For the medical community, that the truth they know about the human body may become awe and wonder at the God who made it.
Day 32	Sat, March 25, 2023	For the end of abortion <u>and</u> for the expansion of the pregnancy help center movement worldwide.
Day 33	Sun, March 26, 2023 5th Sunday of Lent	May we absorb the truth that God is paying attention to us, and to each human life, personally and individually.
Day 34	Mon, March 27, 2023	May we come to know that divine life, in relationship, creates human life.
Day 35	Tue, March 28, 2023	For post-abortive women who cannot forgive themselves; may they understand that there is no condemnation for those who are in Christ Jesus.

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Day 18	Sat, March 11, 2023	For a flowering of the joy of parenthood.
Day 19	Sun, March 12, 2023 3rd Sunday of Lent	For a renewal of our zeal to offer generous help to the unborn and their families.
Day 20	Mon, March 13, 2023	That we may realize the generational impact of abortion.
Day 21	Tue, March 14, 2023	That we each will daily put on the full armor of God, so that we are strong in the Lord and the power of His might.
Day 22	Wed, March 15, 2023	May those who hold life as trivial realize that we live because God wills it so.
Day 23	Thu, March 16, 2023	For the strength to love those who do not love us.
Day 24	Fri, March 17, 2023 Friday in Lent	That God will continue to bless the efforts that have gone into the 40 Days for Life campaign, as we trust Him for the results.
Day 25	Sat, March 18, 2023	For the conversion of all those who refuse to acknowledge that human life belongs only to God.
Day 26	Sun, March 19, 2023 4th Sunday of Lent Laetare Sunday	That those who have forgotten their purpose may discover it in God and therefore have the courage to choose life.
Day 27	Mon, March 20, 2023	For humility in our work for God's Kingdom.

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Day 10	Fri, March 3, 2023 Friday in Lent First Friday	For our local pregnancy help center.
Day 11	Sat, March 4, 2023 First Saturday	That when those representing Planned Parenthood and other abortion groups see volunteers for 40 Days for Life, they see ambassadors of Christ, and may each volunteer be consciously aware at all times we represent Him.
Day 12	Sun, March 5, 2023 2nd Sunday of Lent	May the King of the Universe, who entered this world as a helpless infant, give us the humility to be healed.
Day 13	Mon, March 6, 2023	For all fathers who are terrified of being fathers.
Day 14	Tue, March 7, 2023	That the abortionists and all workers in abortion facilities would be troubled in their souls regarding their work and would seek truth.
Day 15	Wed, March 8, 2023	May God's people awaken to the fact that we are our brothers' keepers.
Day 16	Thu, March 9, 2023	For the mothers going into pregnancy help centers.
Day 17	Fri, March 10, 2023 Friday in Lent	May all understand more deeply that the pro-life message is rooted in the two basic truths of life: 1) There is a God; 2) He isn't me