CBR Communiqué

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Center for Bio-Ethical Reform

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Reaching Students and Many More in Tennessee and Kentucky

Our CBR team took to the streets and to four university campuses from April 14-22, 2021 to educate the public about abortion. From March 2020 until recent weeks, people have not been out in great numbers, and some campuses did not even have students. With the gradual lifting of COVID-19 restrictions, we have been eager to reach out to the public with our key messages:

Abortion is an act of violence that kills a baby

Abortion is genocide

All lives matter – born and preborn, all races, disabled or not

The locations where we displayed our stunning prenatal photos and sobering abortion photos were:

April 12-13	University of Tennessee, Knoxville, TN
April 14	Shriners Hospital & University of Kentucky Medical Center, Lexington, KY
April 15	University of Kentucky Student Union, Lexington, KY
April 19-21	Near Vanderbilt and Belmont Universities, Nashville, TN
April 22	Downtown Nashville, TN

While at the University of Tennessee, an adult volunteer named Pam was impressed with the number of brochures our team distributed, as well as the character of the students who came over to show support; some signed up to get involved with CBR or the pro-life campus club.

One display location was in front of high-rise dorms and near the two hospitals. There was significant vehicular traffic with ample opportunity for drivers to see our photo signs. Passersby included a male professor who thanked us for being on campus with our signs. An art major named John was quite upset when he saw our photo signs the first day, but on day two he stopped to look closely and his "thinking process changed." The student told an adult volunteer named Tony that he realized it is good for young people to see the reality of abortion since they are lied to about so many things in life today. John acknowledged that our signs "might even be beneficial to my studies."

A student named Riley commented, "Someone don't have to be a Christian to see this is wrong." God has given everyone a conscience and we pray that He will prick their consciences through our photo signs.

CBR staff member Mik'aela Raymond stood holding our "All Black Lives Matter – Born and Unborn" sign while talking with a pro-abortion man near Vanderbilt University in Tennessee. He came to explain that he felt conservatives were using her as a black woman to lend credibility to conservative beliefs by pointing out hypocrisy in the pro-abortion movement and in BLM. He acknowledged the BLM hypocrisy of excluding preborn black babies because their lives don't matter to BLM. After Miss Raymond patiently worked to clarify the issues and to explain why she (and CBR) doesn't support BLM, he left with plenty of food for thought.

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We learned that a new club, Vols for Life, had been recently founded. Vols for Life had brought to their campus a speaker named Seth Gruber (a former CBR intern and founder of SethGruber.com). This club agrees with CBR, and regards abortion as genocide. Our staff will soon meet with the club leaders to work on combining our efforts. Club members already directed us to the Ratio Christi (Christian campus organization) director for UT and the region. She told CBR staff member Jane Bullington that she is extremely interested in helping connect us to serious-minded pro-life students. These are obviously promising developments.

The next campus was the University of Kentucky (UK) in Lexington. We were delighted to encounter a student who not only stood with us on the second day, but she also wants to invite us to set up the entire Genocide Awareness Project (GAP) display next year at the University of Kentucky. She actually informed her professor why she was missing class and he was amazingly supportive. For a number of years we have not had a student invitation to bring GAP on campus, so this was a profound change.

Our crew traveled on to Nashville for outreach near Belmont and Vanderbilt Universities. Both are private schools which won't permit our signs on campus, so we display them at the entrances.

While driving our photo billboard truck to Nashville, the truck's right rear outside tire decided to shed its recap tread with a loud BANG. Our driver slowed the truck to a stop alongside the busy interstate to assess the damage. Once he determined that the truck was safe to drive, he located a gas station. The mechanic who brought the replacement tire was supportive of our pro-life message and gave a discount for his services. God takes care of His people.

Our photo billboard truck drove up and down Broadway on Wednesday and Thursday. Volunteer Bill reported that at one major intersection, our crew counted approximately 6,000 cars per hour driving by our signs. The pictures are now in the heads of the drivers and passengers, and seeds of truth have been planted. He also took note of the many people on the street who took pictures of the heart-wrenching abortion images covering the sides of our truck. A number of pedestrians waved a 'thumbs-up' or mouthed "Thank you" to our drivers as they passed by.

At Belmont University, Miss Raymond handed a student a CBR brochure; he commented that he didn't yet know enough to form an opinion. Miss Raymond was encouraged that this student was open to our message. God will work on his heart and mind as well as tens of thousands of others who saw our photo displays in Tennessee and Kentucky.

University of Kentucky students spoke with CBR volunteer Gary. He traveled from Georgia to be part of our team and he has a gift with students. Wet weather does not dissuade our team from their mission.

Thank you for standing with us as we expose the lies of the enemy of our souls.

"You belong to your father, the devil, and you want to carry out your father's desires. He was a murderer from the beginning, not holding to the truth, for there is no truth in him. When he lies, he speaks his native language, for he is a liar and the father of lies."
John 8:44

Prayer Requests

- For students to invite GAP on campuses that have opened up
- For pastors to lead their flocks to stand for the sanctity of human life
- For lies to be exposed

Events

CBR Summer Intern Program
May 17 to August 6

"Choice" Signs
May 22 Glendale, AZ

Outreach at Abortion Mills
May 5, 8, 12, 19, 26
Planned Parenthood, Mission Viejo, CA

Pro-Life Training Academy/ Apologetics Training
May 26 Zoom /online

We Show the Truth While Satan's Forces Call Good Evil and Evil Good

For thirty years, CBR has used the pictures to show the humanity of the preborn child and the inhumanity of abortion. We have seen the profound effect shocking images have on people, including those who were ambivalent or even loudly and proudly pro-abortion. If you have not viewed Julie's story on our website, take a few minutes to do so. It depicts a remarkable conversion. https://bit.ly/2QOpmFE

Another new video was created by CBR-UK, and it demonstrates how quickly open-minded people can be turned around when they view abortion imagery. Take 1:46 minutes to view it. https://bit.ly/2TfUrTt

Abortion advocates operate more effectively when they hide the truth and spout lies. Planned Parenthood president and CEO Alexis McGill Johnson proclaimed it was "exciting" that the Biden administration includes "champions" of abortion who will "undo the harm" caused by pro-life policies. Biden set to immediately undo the Trump administration's pro-life policies (liveaction.org)

CBR will not cease to champion the cause of protecting the lives of preborn babies and all people vulnerable to bio-ethical abuses.

You can counter the lies of "choice" by carrying some CBR "Choice" business cards in your wallet or purse. https://bit.ly/37yKdlf If you don't have a card with you, show the person the short graphic video on our home page. https://www.abortionno.org/

CBR-Southeast created these postcards for CBR interns to distribute door-to-door last summer. The new intern team will do the same this summer as we use different methods to educate the public. Canadian CBR pioneered the "post-carding" project, and now CBR-UK does it as well, as seen in the postcard with 8 week preborn baby.)

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"Please never have an abortion in your whole life!"

Pakistani woman who lost her fertility after an abortion

This photo was taken April 29 during CBR-Pakistan's second church campaign. During a March campaign, a woman addressed the ladies in the audience by saying, "I want to share with all women I am really impressed by this team. Please never have an abortion in your whole life!" She shared that she aborted her first child due to the will of her husband, and now in the 15th year of the marriage she has never become pregnant again. She believes that she committed a sin and God punished her. At the end of the presentation, CBR-Pakistan's team members prayed for the lady.

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