



# Special Delivery

Semi-Annual Newsletter for Pregnancy Ministries, Inc.



You are invited  
to celebrate with us!

## **Celebration & Fundraising Dinner**

Thursday, October 13  
6:15 pm at Antrim Brethren In Christ Church

God has truly done wonderful things at PMI and in the lives of our clients! We know that He will continue to do wonderful things at PMI as we look towards the future.

Please join the celebration on Thursday, October 13. The dinner will be held at Antrim Brethren in Christ Church and will be catered by Mrs. Gibble's Restaurant.

Our guest speaker this year is Toni McFadden. Toni is a Pro-Life Advocate and speaker. She is also the founder of the program, "Relationships Matter". Toni has a burden to expose the lies of abortion, especially within the Black community. She shares her abortion story of regret with transparency while leaving her listeners with hope.

If you have not attended our dinner in the past, this is an evening of celebration for what God has done for PMI. It is an evening to raise essential funds for PMI and to celebrate with us the lives that have been touched and saved in the last year.

To reserve your seat, you may mail the reservation form included in this newsletter, go online to [pregnancyministries.org/events](http://pregnancyministries.org/events) or call the Chambersburg Center at 717-267-3738. We can't wait to celebrate with you!

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Greencastle, PA 17225  
717-597-2447

**Waynesboro**  
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Waynesboro, PA 17268  
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## In Memory

Gifts were given  
in memory of:

*Michael Glover*  
by Stanley Burkholder  
Lois White Crut

*Bernice Nunemaker*  
by Diane Nunemaker

## In Honor

Gifts were given  
in honor of:

*The 4 women who  
blessed her with  
10 grandchildren*  
by Patricia Schweitzer

*Dr. Craig Stone's  
Retirement*  
by John Tavaglione

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# Walk for LIFE '22



We had a great time at our 2022 Walk for Life events in May & June! We had well over 125 walkers and volunteers who came together to make a public statement to support the lives of the unborn.

Over \$30,000 has been raised so far! All of the funds raised through our Walk for Life will help in supporting our four centers in various ways.

Thank you to all who participated, volunteered or sponsored. We are grateful for you!



## A special thank you to:

Tim Fisler, Keller Williams Keystone Realty  
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Timmons Oil Inc.  
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Crossroads Church  
Madeira Chiropractic & Rehabilitation  
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Sight & Sound Theatre  
DelGrosso's Park & Laguna Splash  
Stephanie Maria Photography  
Giant Food Stores, Chambersburg  
The Butcher Shoppe  
Kenny's Grill & Ice Cream  
Cluggy's Amusement Center  
Grand Point Church  
Camp Joy El  
State Line United Methodist Church  
The Connection  
Representative Paul Schemel & wife Lucy

## Top Prize Winners

Top Team - Greencastle Baptist Church  
Tickets to Sight & Sound - David & Kathryn Long  
Tickets to DelGrosso's Amusement Park & Laguna Splash - Karalee Frey  
30 min session with Stephanie Maria Photography - Sandy Krieger



## A Message from the Executive Director

by Susie Barry, Executive Director

It has been almost six months since I have stepped into the role of Executive Director here at PMI. I have experienced challenges over these past months but have learned so much and look forward to what is ahead for PMI. I am thankful for Linda Barr and the many years that she has served this ministry and time she committed to mentoring me for this position. June 30 was her first official day of retirement and I pray that she is blessed beyond measure!

Since the last newsletter, we have welcomed the following new staff: Trina Embly: Outreach & Event Coordinator, Niki Miller: Shippensburg Center Director, and Hannah Anderson: Chambersburg Administrative Center Director. We are grateful for each of them and the gifts they bring to our ministry!

As we enter the second half of 2022, with the overturn of Roe vs Wade, there are a lot of unknowns. I am sure you have all heard the saying..."We may not know what the future holds, but we know who holds our future." What a comfort it is to know that we serve a God who loves us and is in control of what is to come. We trust Him for protection of our centers, staff, board members, volunteers, and clients.

Thank you all for your continued financial support and prayers! Without these, we would not be able to accomplish our mission.

Exodus 14:14 (KJV)

14 The Lord shall fight for you, and ye shall hold your peace.



## Clients Are Increasing

by Daria DeRogatis-Smith, RN Nurse Manager

Spring started out a bit slow with ultrasounds but it has certainly picked up for summer. We average eight ultrasounds each month. June was super busy as we ended the month with fourteen.

I am also pleased with how our STI testing has increased for our Waynesboro and Greencastle Centers.

As far as filling those Nurse Manager shoes...it continues to challenge me but I am persevering and up for the task. I continue to covet your prayers.

I am blessed to have two rewarding client stories. Both clients came in undecided. They had their ultrasounds but left still feeling undecided. I asked each one if I could check on them in a couple of weeks and each said, "Yes". When I called the one back, as soon as I identified myself, she said, "I decided to keep my baby and found out it's a boy!" When I was finally able to reach the other, she too had decided to keep her baby and was getting the much needed support of her family. Praise God!

I currently have another abortion-minded client that had an ultrasound and left feeling emotional but still undecided. Please be in prayer for her. I have attempted to follow up with her but have been unable to contact her.

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## A New Position at PMI

by Robin Kell, Director of Center Operations

"Trust in the Lord with all your heart and lean not on your own understanding; In all your ways acknowledge Him and He shall direct your paths." Proverbs 3:5-6

I have served as the Shippensburg Director for seventeen years and I have enjoyed every minute of it. As director of Center Operations, I am looking forward to working with all of the PMI staff. Together we're changing hearts one life at a time. As I like to say, I am still riding on the same bus, just a different seat.

Even though Roe vs. Wade has been overturned, it is not the end. It is a new battle which the Lord will help us fight. Our prayer is that women will continue to find PMI first. It is our desire to share truth with her. Women will still be seeking abortion and we are ready to serve them with compassion, hope and help. Pray for us as we serve the most vulnerable in our community.



## Exciting Times at Chambersburg PMI

by Deb MacAskill, Chambersburg Client Services Director

It is a joy to welcome Hannah Anderson as the new Administrative Director. We also have a new volunteer receptionist, Cheryl Clever, who is onboarding after completing the spring training. We are grateful that God has been leading more clients to us, and we have the opportunity to show them the love of Jesus.

On the donor side, we have had lots of diapers provided for our clients, donated baby equipment to be given out, and many churches doing Baby Bottle Fundraisers. We are grateful to the generous members of our community!

Recently I was assisting clients who were shopping in our Clothing Closet for maternity clothes. They were very excited when they found some clothes "to purchase" with their Baby Bucks. One of the clients was quite uncomfortable in the clothes she was wearing as her baby bump had grown. She was so pleased to see all we had to offer. Since moms have been doing some shopping, we could use more donations of summer maternity clothing. Thank you so much for helping us serve our clients well!



## Meet the New Chambersburg Admin Director

by Hannah Anderson, Chambersburg Administrative Director

God's plan to lead me to serve in this capacity at PMI was intentional, filled with winding roads and lots of growth. The first time I learned about PMI was in early elementary school, helping my parents seal envelopes for send-outs. As they talked about the ministry and its goals, I was wide-eyed with curiosity. Since then, my interest and support in PMI's mission never waned. I helped do yardwork for Pregnancy Ministries with my youth group in middle school. In high school, God strengthened me in dedication and seriousness as I participated annually in events such as the March for Life in Washington, D.C.

Throughout my years growing up, I continued to hear new reports of PMI through our church. We saw God's hand working in Chambersburg and other areas through this mission-minded ministry. Because of this, I am delighted to have the opportunity to work alongside other volunteers and workers with a genuine desire to serve Christ. I am also comforted by the presence of godly mentors as I learn and prepare myself for the journey ahead.





## Exciting Times in Shippensburg

by Niki Miller, Shippensburg Center Director

It is an absolute blessing to be a part of this amazing ministry! I have been learning my role here at PMI for the past few months and God continues to amaze me. Summer for this center is usually slower, and this is giving me some time to prepare for a busy fall, winter and spring. Each interaction I have had so far has been powerful.

We have several Earn While You Learn clients currently. Each one is learning so much about their pregnancy and what to expect when their babies are born. One week we received a donation to our center, it was the exact amount we needed for a crib for one of these clients. What an exciting day it was when we dropped her crib off at her home. The impact you get to make in the lives of these women is powerful too! Thank you for supporting and praying for Pregnancy Ministries!



## Greetings From Waynesboro

by Sara Hollinshead, Waynesboro Center Director

Donors may not realize it, but not all of our clients are teens with unplanned pregnancies. Some are actually older, more experienced moms who find themselves in a similar situation. One of our clients was just that person. Having given away all of their baby items, she was thrilled to have us come alongside her for emotional, spiritual and physical support. She just recently gave birth to a healthy little boy and although she and her husband may not currently have a vehicle large enough in which to transport all of their children at the same time,

there has been plenty of room in their hearts for this little guy! Our client recently told me that our friendship "is yet another wonderful benefit" that came from the birth of her son, and I feel the same way! God's blessings are new every morning. Great is His faithfulness!



## Happy Summer!

by Cindy Rotz, Greencastle Center Director

Happy summer to you all! Here in Greencastle we are enjoying summer days and looking forward to Old Home Week. Hope you can stop in to see us.

Over the past several weeks we have had an increase of STI clients. We are thankful that they are coming to our centers for testing and treatment.

We have a mom who came to us when she was six weeks pregnant and is now ready to give birth to her baby girl. We celebrate with her as she begins this new journey into motherhood. It is a joy to watch moms like this learn and grow through our EWYL Program. Pray for this mom and many more like her as they choose life.

Thank you for your prayers and donations, and we ask that you continue to pray for the safety of our centers, staff, volunteers, and clients.



## Restore Update

by Ruth Schuler, Restore Director

We are about halfway through the year 2022 and I'm busier with clients seeking help after abortion than I've ever been. This spring I finished my first male study. God provided a third party that both the client and I were comfortable with along with the strength and discernment to lead this client to healing. I'm always blessed by how God comes through with healing in His timing and way. Pray with me about how God will use this man's testimony to touch other men

and women.

As we celebrate a move in our culture to value life in the womb, may we also have empathy for those who continue to face difficult pregnancy decisions and those struggling with past choices of abortion. We want men and women to know PMI and the Restore program are a safe place to find help.

*Fall Training  
is coming!*

**Training begins**

**October 25!**

Training for receptionists and client advocates will be held this fall. Specific dates are not yet set but will be soon.

Call any center for a volunteer packet and more information on these positions and positions that do not require the training.

# Celebration & Fundraising Dinner Reservations

Thursday, October 13

Antrim Brethren In Christ Church

24 Kauffman Road East, Chambersburg

*Dinner begins promptly at 6:15 pm*

YES! Include me in PMI's Annual Celebration & Fundraising Dinner.

There will be \_\_\_\_\_ person(s) in my party.

*Please print clearly:*

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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