

Dear Friends of Life,

The last few weeks have been heavy.

To our great sadness, we have watched together several tragedies involving innocent human lives becoming victims of senseless violence.

There is no place for this in our culture, and we continue to wholeheartedly commit ourselves to building a world that loves and respects the dignity of human life.

While we are prepared and committed to continuing the hard work of taking a stand for what is right, I'm sure you'll understand that we must weigh the safety of those in our care, especially during this time of heightened alert.

But perhaps in doing so, there is a path for us to enter even deeper into our mission, relying on the grace that has shaped our heart and the will of our cause for decades.

With this in mind, we are going to pivot our plans for the Annual Life Chain scheduled for Sunday, October 5.

For this year, instead of standing streetside with signage, we will host a gathering in the prayer garden right outside our office from 2-3 pm on October 5 (2004 Ironwood Circle, South Bend, IN 46635).

Together we will lift up the intentions and requests of the pro-life movement. A meditation will be offered, originally written by Mother Teresa, which reflects on Christ's deep thirst for all souls...a longing shared from within the pro-life community.

Please join us for prayer at 2pm, followed by a light reception indoors. Refreshments will be provided, and you'll have the chance to tour the HerMichiana mobile unit and pray for our clients while aboard.

If you have any questions or concerns, please reach out via email at executivedirector@prolifemichiana.org. I'd love to talk with you personally.

In Christ's love,



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