# Upcoming Events

Jan. 11, Monday 6:30-7:45pm, CCRTL Meeting Vancouver Public Library, 901 "C" Street, in the Skamania Room. All are welcome.

Jan. 17, Sunday
2:30-3:30pm, ORTL
Roe v Wade Memorial Rally at Pioneer
Courthouse Square
in Portland (more
information go to
www.ortl.org

Jan. 19, Tuesday noon-1pm, March for Life in Olympia, WA (more information go to http://www.washingt onmarchforlife.org/

Jan. 22, Friday 1-2pm, CCRTL Roe v Wade Memorial Rally at Clark County Courthouse at 1200 Franklin St. in Vancouver.

Feb. 10, Wednesday 40 Days for Life. See www.40daysforlife.com

## Clark County Right to Life

A Voice for Life in Southwest Washington since 1970

January 2016

### County Fair Exhibit Goes to Church:

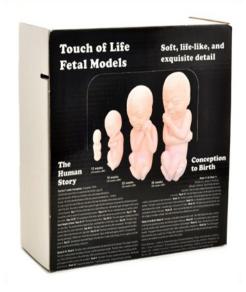
"Touching the head through the heart", Pauline Warren

A local pastor visited our pro-life exhibit at the Clark County Fair this year and saw two members of his church, Red and Pauline Warren, working there. He invited them to make a 15 minute Right to Life presentation to church members. They began their 15 minute presentation asking those present to join together in praying Psalm 139. In Pauline's words:"To God, our Father, each one of us is special, a precious human being, made in His image from conception to the end of life. We are valued and unique."

short video will show us the inside of the womb, the development of which all of us went through----even Jesus went through...in Mary's womb."
"So what do Red and I do at the fair at the Right-To-Life booth? We talk to people, little people and big people, about their development in their mother's womb and how special they are...but mostly we encourage them to hold these dolls, each one a replica of a baby in the

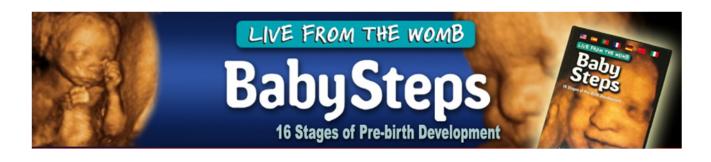
mother's womb." At this

Then she introduced Baby Steps: "This



point Red holds up one of the dolls. Pauline continues: "Nothing quite strikes the heart as holding one of these baby dolls, not just for children but for adults as well. Pregnant mommas show their children how big the baby is in her womb. It is quite moving!"

**Thank you** Pastor David Sumner and Rehoboth Messianic Congregation . **May your example inspire others.** 



#### Letter from the President

During the past year the subject of abortion has been all over the nightly news, TV shows and even the presidential candidate debates. In years past, you may have gone to work or a family gathering without the topic coming up, but no more. This represents an opportunity for pro-life people to educate ourselves and be prepared to speak up for life.

Clark County Right to Life is sponsoring the Roe v. Wade Memorial Rally on January 22, 2016. We will gather on the steps of the Clark County Courthouse from 1-2pm to remember the many millions of lives lost, hearts broken and families hurt by 42 years of legalized abortion on demand anytime before birth.

I encourage you to make your voice heard. Defend those who can't defend themselves. As one of our county fair volunteers said: We change minds through an appeal to the heart.

#### An Appeal from our Fair Exhibit Coordinator

You can save lives! You don't have to be a doctor. Please consider spending a few hours this summer staffing the booth of CCRTL at the Clark County Fair August 5-14, 2016. CCRTL reaches hundreds of people during the year, but *thousands* of fair-goers every August.

We challenge false perceptions of the pro-life message while encouraging pro-life convictions. Our volunteers reach out to fairgoers with a smile, hand stamp, balloon, and thought-provoking information. The variety of material will speak to people of all ages and backgrounds. Every stage of human life is precious, and you will feel uplifted and empowered by defending it. We can provide entrance and parking passes, so please include



Such an appeal begins with reaffirming our own commitment to respect for every human life and a willingness to support women and girls with challenging pregnancies. If you haven't already, I encourage you to reach out to Clark County Right to Life to help bring the pro-life message to your school, church, community group or neighborhood. You can contact us at 4life@clarkrtl.org. We send out regular email alerts, have a Speakers Bureau and many educational resources.

Blessings to you in the New Year,

#### Tina Bock

our booth in your summer plans. You will be equipped to speak up for unborn children and offer resources to support their mothers and you'll enjoy the fair while making your time there meaningful. Lots of planning and preparation take place before August, so we will appreciate your help to move material, assign shifts to volunteers, collect and deliver passes, and coordinate assembly and disassembly of the booth. For more information, contact Ann Makar at <a href="mailto:amakar1@gmail.com">amakar1@gmail.com</a> or 360-910-1907. Thank You.

Thank you for sharing your time, talents and treasure to make CCRTL possible. We now have online donations available on our website at *Donate Now*.