

Prayer Points for Closing the Kettering Abortion Mill

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The people who know their God will display strength and take action. – Daniel 11:32b

1. God is good---all the time. Let's begin by simply worshipping and adoring our Lord Jesus who is the Author and Giver of Life! He is worthy of all honor, glory, praise, and blessing. Spend some time in praise and thanksgiving to the One Who has given you life and purpose. Recall all the wonderful ways that God has shown His love to you throughout your life. Thank Him for His faithfulness, His truth, His wisdom, His goodness, His mercy, and His grace. Sing a song of praise in your heart or aloud.
-I will extol the Lord at all times; His praise will always be on my lips. – Psalm 34:1
-O magnify the Lord with me; let us exalt His Name together. – Psalm 34:3
-Enter His gates with thanksgiving and His courts with praise; be thankful unto Him and bless His Name. – Psalm 100:4-5
2. Thank God for this time You have with Him. Use these brief moments to recognize what an awesome blessing the gift of life is. Consider that humans are made in the image of God. Reflect on the value of each life in the womb.
3. Thank God that He has chosen you for such a time as this. Praise Him for placing you right where you are and making you useful to Him. Praise Him for never giving up on you! Praise Him for helping you to pray for those who may have given up.
4. Thank God that the battle belongs to Him and so does the victory. Praise Him for being with us each and every step of the way to the closing of this abortion mill. Thank Him for hearing the many thousands of prayers spoken on the sidewalks. Bless Him for the powerful answers He provides in ways seen and unseen.
5. Thank God for the opportunity and the privilege of prayer. Think about the awesome blessing of being able to spend time in fellowship with the Creator of the universe. Ask God to guide your prayers for others as you commit them to Him. ***(I exhort therefore, that, first of all, supplications, prayers, intercessions, and giving of thanks, be made for all men; for kings, and for all that are in authority; that we may lead a quiet and peaceable life in all godliness and honesty. – I Timothy 2:1-2)***
6. Pray for the woman in your community who at this very moment is considering an abortion. Consider her emotions (fear, anxiety, maybe even contempt or indifference) and pray that the Holy Spirit would minister to her, teaching her to recognize, respect, and love the “personhood” of her unborn child. Pray that she would receive from God the courage she needs to carry and deliver her baby. If you know someone personally in this situation, please mention her to our Lord by name!
7. Pray that the families, friends, and churches of those who choose to carry their babies would support their decision to give birth. Especially pray for the fathers of these babies, that they would love and support their child.
8. Pray that adoption agencies would be successful in finding loving families for babies that are placed in their care. (This is a very pro-life issue! We don't just want to see the babies born, we want to see them loved and nurtured as well!)
9. Pray for “inner conversion” of those who perform abortions in our community and those who assist them. *(Martin Haskell, Roslyn Kade, and the clinic workers)*
10. Pray for all those in the community who support, urge, and rally for abortion --- especially for those who profess faith in Christ. Pray for doctors who refer their patients to the Kettering clinic for abortions. Pray that the Holy Spirit would move them in such a way that they would realize the great detriment of the “culture of death” that they are promoting.

11. Pray for the woman whose heart is aching because she has had an abortion, no matter how long ago it occurred. Pray that God will put people in her path who will help her to heal emotionally and spiritually.
12. Pray for your local community of Christians to keep open doors and hearts to those who have had abortions. Pray that our local churches would be beacons of forgiveness, hope and healing to those who regret their decision to abort their child.
13. Pray for all those fighting abortion at any level in society. Pray for God to protect them against all evil, and grant them strength and courage to prevail.
14. Pray for all pro-life ministries, asking God to supply all their needs and to inspire them with ideas of how to appropriate His ways in the fight against abortion. (*Elizabeth's New Life Center, Miami Valley Women's Center, Dayton Right to Life, and others*).
15. Pray that the men and women in legislative authority would actively present and pass laws that respect all human life from conception to natural death.
16. Pray that the right of conscience would always be protected for all medical personnel.
17. Pray for our society that we will come to an understanding of God's design for life, especially the family unit, respecting and upholding His law above our own desires. Pray that all marriages would be open to life.
18. Pray for the pastors and priests of our churches that they would receive inspiration and strength from the Holy Spirit to remain steadfast in their convictions against the murder of innocent unborn children. Give them the boldness to clearly express their stand for life and to urge church members to do the same.
19. Pray for those who come to the abortion mill sidewalks to witness and pray, asking for their protection and for the love of God to shine through them.
20. Pray for those who do sidewalk counseling asking God to give them the Holy Spirit-inspired words to speak to each person entering the abortion mill.
21. Pray for all those who do business with this abortion facility, asking God to help them understand the financial support they are providing to those who end precious lives.
22. Pray for repentance on behalf of our nation that has allowed this legalized murder for so long. Ask God to change hearts and minds.
23. Pray for the Wright State Physicians Group for Women's Health, including Alan Marco, President and CEO, and Sheela Barhan, physician. This group has signed on to help meet the transfer agreement for the Kettering abortion clinic.
24. Pray that God will give you strength and boldness to be a voice for the "Gospel of Life" at every opportunity. Ask God to help you be still and to hear His voice letting you know in what ways He wants you to be involved with the local prolife movement.
25. Pray for the children of America, that we would help them to learn the value of life and involve them in protecting it.
26. Pray for our youth, that a new generation of those who value what God values would be trained and dedicated to defend the unborn.
27. Pray for the unification of the citizens in the greater Dayton area in standing for an end to abortion in this community.
28. Pray for those who have never been to the sidewalks to pray. Ask God to help them receive His courage to stand in defense of those who have no voice.
29. Now praise God---the Author and Creator of all life. He is worthy of all honor, glory, praise, and blessing. May His Name be glorified forever.
30. Let your heart sing of the goodness of God. Thank Him for the time you have spent in His presence. Receive the blessings of having communed with Him.

Thank you for your commitment to praying for these life issues.
The effectual, fervent prayer of a righteous man avails much. – James 5:16

