



Catholic Prayer Campaign May the Supreme Court Overturn the Tragic Decision of Roe v. Wade



Join Us for A Special Mass for Life
with Archbishop Aymond
St. Dominic Church
6:30 PM Friday, June 10th

INTRODUCTION

As our nation awaits the U.S. Supreme Court's decision in *Dobbs v. Jackson Women's Health Organization* that could alter or overturn *Roe v. Wade*, we join together in prayer and expectant hope that states will again be able to protect women and children from the injustice of abortion. As we affirm the value of every human life, we welcome the possibility of saving countless unborn children as well as sparing women and families the pain of abortion. As a Catholic community, whether in a parish, in a school, or a ministry, please join in prayer for life and the Supreme Court.

MORE RESOURCES

For more Prayer Resources, visit the U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops' PrayForDobbs.com Campaign.

HOW TO TAKE ACTION

- Ensure your community supports mothers and babies in need by implementing the USCCB's Walking With Moms In Need Program. Visit www.WalkingWithMoms.com or contact the Archdiocese of New Orleans Respect Life Office at NolaCatholic.com/respectlife.
- Pray a decade of the Rosary for this intention (usccb.org/how-to-pray-the-rosary).
- Choose a favorite food or beverage item that you have regularly and give it up for a day. Consider abstaining from meat, giving up your morning coffee, or sacrificing snacks or desserts.

SUGGESTED PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFUL

*For the Justices of the Supreme Court of the United States, that God may grant them wisdom and courage to make decisions that safeguard the rights of the least among us.
We Pray to the Lord*

*For every little child and especially for those who live in their mother's womb, that they might grow in the image and likeness of the God who made them;
We pray to the Lord*

*For all babies whose lives are threatened by abortion, that God's grace may protect them and keep them safe;
We pray to the Lord*

*That the Lord, who rescues the life of the poor from the power of the wicked, might send an angel to guard and protect all unborn children;
We pray to the Lord*

*For the many parents who turn to abortion in a moment of desperation, may they come to know the peace of our Father's healing grace.
We pray to the Lord*

*For the children who have died from abortion in our nation, That they may feel the loving embrace of Christ;
We pray to the Lord*



SUGGESTED COMMUNITY PRAYER

*Heavenly Father,
Thank you for creating each of us,
including our unborn brothers and sisters,
in Your image and likeness.*

*We ask for your protection on
all precious babies waiting to be born.
We lift up their mothers and fathers
in their moment of need.*

*We pray for the Justices
of the Supreme Court of the United States
as they reconsider Roe v. Wade.
Please grant them wisdom to make decisions
that safeguard the rights of the least among us.
Grant them the courage to stand for truth
even when they face opposition.*

*We pray for our nation that we may
ensure that every life be cherished
in the laws of our nation
and the hearts of our people.*

We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen

