

For the FYI

Priest/Parish Secretaries

Annual *Gift for Life* Campaign to benefit Gabriel Project / Project Rachel

Parish secretaries should have received packets containing ways to help raise funds for Gabriel Project pregnancy assistance and Project Rachel post-abortion healing ministries. Efforts include asking parishes to consider having a parish giving tree during at least one Sunday in Advent and/or asking youth groups to help make tree tags. Last Advent parishes raised a record \$120,000 primarily to fund pre-natal care and professional counseling. For more information, contact us through the Family Life Office at (703) 841-2755 or download materials at: www.arlingtondiocese.org/giftforlife. Please also see attached double-sided flyer for use in parish bulletins.

Bulletin Announcement:

Give a *Gift for Life*: Support Women, Children and Families (version #1)

Please give a *Gift for Life* this season by supporting the Gabriel Project pregnancy assistance and Project Rachel post-abortion healing ministries. Your tax-deductible contribution will make a life-changing difference for an expectant mother or a person wounded by abortion. Donate online and/or download certificates to give a *Gift for Life* in honor or memory of a loved one at: www.arlingtondiocese.org/giftforlife. For more information, please contact the Office for Family Life at (703) 841-2755.

Give a *Gift for Life*: Support Women, Children and Families (version #2)

One grateful mother who received prenatal care thanks to 2009 Gift for Life donations wrote, "I really can't say 'thank you' enough to you and everyone at Gabriel Project for your help throughout my pregnancy. Your group is a shining example of the pro-life movement in action, equipping women in tough situations to carry on their pregnancies and keep their babies. I'm staring at my new son as I write this, and I cannot imagine life without him." Please give a *Gift for Life* this season to help Gabriel Project fund a mother's maternity care. Donate online at www.arlingtondiocese.org/giftforlife.

Pulpit Announcement

Give a *Gift for Life*: Support Women, Children and Families (version #1)

Please give a *Gift for Life* this season to help an expectant mother or a person wounded by abortion. One grateful mother who received prenatal care thanks to 2009 Gift for Life donations wrote, "I really can't say 'thank you' enough to you and everyone at Gabriel Project for your help throughout my pregnancy. Your group is a shining example of the pro-life movement in action, equipping women in tough situations to carry on their pregnancies and keep their babies. I'm staring at my new son as I write this, and I cannot imagine life without him." You can now donate online at: www.arlingtondiocese.org/giftforlife. Thank you for your support of the Gabriel Project pregnancy assistance and Project Rachel post-abortion healing ministries.