

Choice News

Positive perspectives on Life Events

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Bruce Coleman

THE INAUGURAL DINNER – ENTHUSIASTICALLY SUPPORTED

Rev Fred Nile MLC and Greg Smith MP launched Bruce Coleman's new ministry "The Choices of Life Inc" on Saturday 30th June at a dinner attended by two hundred supporters and friends at Epping Baptist Church in Sydney. Fred Nile stated "The abortion issue is as important as the problem of slavery was in the days of William Wilberforce two hundred years ago."



Jennifer Lane and Fred Nile



Greg Smith

Jennifer Lane also shared a graphic and moving testimony of her own abortion experience. She expressed her desire to assist other young women confronted by an unplanned pregnancy and a possible abortion decision.

Bruce, a teacher with over 30 year's experience, has developed this interactive school program during the last 9 years with NSW Right to Life. He has presented in over 250 different schools, including Christian and state schools – most with repeat visits. He has a

natural empathy with the young and brings a sensitive touch to a difficult issue.

"When shown the true facts," says Bruce, "children are usually smart enough to see that an embryo is a live human being and not just a 'blob of cells'."

A highlight of the evening was Fred Nile's commissioning of Bruce Coleman to the task of speaking at schools and training new presenters to carry the pro-life message to even more schools nationwide. "Because of the work Bruce has been doing over the past 9 years," Fred Nile declared, "I have noticed a change in attitudes regarding pro-life issues. This work must continue and Bruce has the ability and determination to do it!"



Bruce Coleman being commissioned by Fred Nile



The Bible exhorts us to "choose life so that we and our children will live" (Deuteronomy 30:19). Please pray for this work and email or phone The Choices of Life to arrange a presentation at your Church, school or group.

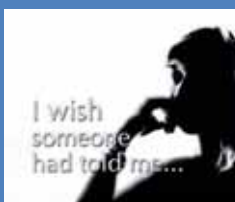
Young Australians deserve to know the scientific facts, ethics and attitudes surrounding the commencement of human life.

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Schools' Diary

Schools are currently being contacted and booked for the latter part of 2007. The response has been encouraging.

Julie – a volunteer with extensive educational experience - is ringing schools from home and making school bookings.

Julie is also undertaking training so she can take the *Choices of Life* message to students.

In August:

8th – Christian Community High School, Regents Park
– Year 7

13th – Medowie Christian School – Years 6 and 9

28th – Holy Cross College, Ryde – Year 11

30th – Holy Spirit College, Lakemba – Year 12

31st – Wyong Christian Community School – Years 6 & 9

In September:

5th – Chester Hill North Primary School – Year 6

11th – Marist College, North Sydney – Year 11

13th – Northern Beaches Christian School – Year 6 and 10

27th – Holy Spirit Primary School, North Ryde – Year 6

This is only the beginning – bookings continue to be made!

Action on the Central Coast

An enthusiastic team have come together to promote the sanctity of life on the Central Coast, north of Sydney – that includes Gosford, Wyong and surrounding districts. They are looking to provide counselling for men and women bewildered by an unexpected pregnancy. Please pray for them as they organize all the details.

Various members of the team will be involved in churches and schools throughout the area - there are over 100 private and public schools in their region.

What is their goal? To eliminate abortion on the central coast!

Do you live there? Want to be involved?

Ring Graham Freemantle for more details 0408 230 599 or 4334 6212



The Tan Family Singers
at the Inaugural Dinner -
Greg, Sonja, Natasha, Simon and Hayden

After a primary presentation one young female teacher exclaimed, "I've never seen anything like that before – it was wonderful."

Praise God for the opportunity to present the truth about life to impressionable children.



At the Inaugural Dinner – 30 June 2007

Church Presentations

- They Need to Know!

Alistair Welch writes: "The Lord is opening all sorts of doors; it is amazing to us that people are absolutely ignorant that 100,000 + abortions are happening annually in our beautiful country. I was presenting with a senior pastor yesterday who was absolutely stunned at the figure, he immediately wanted a presentation to his Church." Praise God for opening doors into churches.

August 5th – Cambridge Park Christian Community Church

August 20th-22nd – Cabramatta Jesus Family Centre – a multicultural conference

October 14th – Katoomba Baptist

1. **Praise** God for the support of generous donors.
2. **Thank** God for enthusiastic students at Christian Community High, Regents Park.
3. **Pray** for the funds and personnel for the establishment of a data base.
4. **Praise** God for Graham Freemantle and the team on the Central Coast.
5. **Pray** for the presentation to Year 6 at Chester Hill North Primary School (September).
6. **Pray** for the development of correct bookkeeping procedures with an accountant.
7. **Thank** God for Pastor Andrew Green and the support of the Cambridge Park Christian Community Church.
8. **Thank** God for those who have committed to supporting *Choices of Life* on a monthly basis and that God will raise up others.
9. **Praise** God for the faithful committee members who are working to establish *The Choices of Life*.
10. **Pray** for Julie as she rings schools and seeks to obtain speaking appointments.
11. **Pray** for the year 11 boys at Marist College, North Sydney (September).
12. **Pray** for new opportunities at the Multicultural Conference in Cabramatta 20-22 August.
13. **Pray** for the year 6 and 10 students at Northern Beaches Christian School, Terrey Hills (September)
14. **Praise** God for the encouraging response to the Inaugural Dinner and resulting support.
15. **Pray** for increasing numbers of open doors into churches to present a pro-life challenge.
16. **Thank** God for the public support of Fred and Elaine Nile for *the Choices of Life*.
17. **Praise** God for Rod Hordem who, as the Public Officer of our organisation, has organised all the legal requirements for *The Choices of Life*.
18. **Pray** for Jennifer Lane (spoke at the inaugural Dinner) as she tells her story for the benefit of others who may be facing a similar abortion decision.
19. **Pray** for increasing opportunities in schools and for people to be trained to speak on the pro-life issues.
20. **Thank** God for the opportunity at Medowie Christian School – years 6 and 9.
21. **Pray** for understanding for Primary aged students as they hear the message on the Wonder of Life.
22. **Pray** for an opportunity to visit and train interested presenters and supporters in Melbourne and Victoria.
23. **Pray** for Alistair Welch as he contacts churches on behalf of *The Choices of Life*.
24. **Pray** for continuing changes in attitudes among our young people that will impact our nation.
25. **Pray** for our doctors, nurses, lawyers, teachers, politicians that they will choose life (Deuteronomy 30:19)
26. **Praise** God for the establishment of *The Choices of Life* and the opportunities to uphold the value of life.
27. **Pray** for the Year 6 students at the Holy Spirit Primary School, Ryde (September).
28. **Pray** for the visit to Year 11 at Holy Cross College at Ryde (August).
29. **Pray** for Greg Smith and other pro-life members of Parliament that they will stand firm for life.
30. **Pray** for the year 12 students at Holy Spirit College at Lakemba (August).
31. **Pray** for Years 6 and 9 at Wyong Christian Community School (August).