

LIFE Pregnancy Center

Mission Statement

The LPC Mission Statement is the declaration of the ministry's purpose and function. It provides direction for the LPC and helps the leadership maintain focus.

The Mission of the LPC is to uphold the sanctity of life; promote sexual integrity; offer practical pregnancy, parenting, and post-abortive support; and share the Biblical message of salvation.

Vision Statement

The Vision Statement describes the ultimate expectations for the LPC. The vision of the LPC functions as the guiding star for the future of this organization and describes the intended goals that will result from the commitment of service.

The Vision of the LPC is to build a culture of life and to see lives transformed by the Gospel of Jesus Christ, for the Glory of God.

Statement of Faith

All services provided by LPC, including (but not limited to) literature, educational resources, and counsel, will be founded on the LPC's Statement of Faith, Statement on Marriage, Gender, and Sexuality, and Statement on the Sanctity of Human Life.

We believe in one God eternally existing in three persons: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

We believe in God the Father; whose creation reveals His unparalleled power and whose love extends to every person even before each is born.

We believe in the deity of Jesus Christ, in His virgin birth, in His sinless life, in His miracles, in His atoning death on the cross in our place, in His bodily resurrection, in His ascension to the right hand of the Father, and in His future personal return in power and glory.

We believe that human beings are created in God's image, but because of human sin against God, that image was defaced and fellowship with God was broken.

We believe that God has demonstrated His love for lost and sinful humanity, in that while we were yet sinners, Christ died for us. We believe that the Holy Spirit convicts us of sin and leads us to experience God's salvation through faith in Jesus Christ as Savior and Lord, who alone reconciles us to God and who is restoring God's image in us.

We believe in the ongoing ministry of the Holy Spirit, who empowers us to live Godly lives and to express our personal faith through good works.

We believe in life after death of both the saved and the lost; the saved to dwell in God's presence forever, and the lost to exist without God.

We believe that the Bible is the inspired, infallible, and uniquely authoritative Word of God, and our guide in faith and life.

We believe in the Body of Christ, which by the Holy Spirit is bound together in spiritual unity and sent out in gifted diversity to accomplish Christ's mission in the world.

Statement on the Sanctity of Human Life

We believe that all human life is sacred and created by God in His image. Human life is of inestimable worth in all its dimensions, including pre-born babies, the aged, the physically or mentally challenged, and every other stage or condition from conception through natural death. We are therefore called to defend, protect, and value all human life. (Ps 139.)

Statement on Marriage, Gender, and Sexuality

We believe that God wonderfully and immutably creates each person as male or female. These two distinct, complementary sexes together reflect the image and nature of God. (Gen 1:26-27.) Rejection of one's biological sex is a rejection of the image of God within that person. Accordingly, our communication with clients and all other persons reflects the reality of God's created order; put simply, we use male pronouns to refer to those persons who are created biologically male, and female pronouns to refer to those persons who are created biologically female.

We believe that the term "marriage" has only one meaning: the uniting of one man and one woman in a single, exclusive union, as delineated in Scripture. (Gen 2:18-25.)

We believe that God intends sexual intimacy to occur only between a man and a woman who are married to each other. (1 Cor 6:18; 7:2-5; Heb 13:4.) We believe that God has commanded that no intimate sexual activity be engaged in outside of a marriage.

We believe that any form of sexual immorality (including adultery, fornication, homosexual behavior, bisexual conduct, bestiality, incest, and use of pornography) is sinful and offensive to God. (Matt 15:18-20; 1 Cor 6:9-10.)

We believe that in order to preserve the function and integrity of LPC, as the local Body of Christ, and to provide a biblical role model to the LPC's clientele and the community, it is imperative that all persons employed by LPC in any capacity, or who serve as board members or volunteers, agree to and abide by this Statement on Marriage, Gender, and Sexuality. (Matt 5:16; Phil 2:14-16; 1 Thess. 5:22.)

We believe that God offers redemption and restoration to all who confess and forsake their sin, seeking His mercy and forgiveness through Jesus Christ. (Acts 3:19-21; Rom 10:9-10; 1 Cor 6:9-11.)

We believe that every person must be afforded compassion, love, kindness, respect, and dignity. (Mark 12:28-31; Luke 6:31.) Hateful and harassing behavior or attitudes directed toward any group or individual are to be repudiated and are not in accord with Scripture nor the beliefs or practices of the LPC.

Signature

Date

Code of Christian Conduct

In accordance with the Statement of Faith, the LIFE Pregnancy Center is a Christian ministry. As such, faith in Jesus Christ is essential to the mission and vision of the Pregnancy Center. The Pregnancy Center requires all employees, volunteers and board members to act in accordance with the Statement of Faith and adhere to this standard of conduct. Failure to adhere to these standards of conduct could result in the termination of the relationship between the employee, volunteer or board member and the LIFE Pregnancy Center.

As an employee, volunteer or board member with the LIFE Pregnancy Center, I affirm the following:

I believe that all human life is sacred and created by God. I believe in the sanctity of human life from conception until natural death. I therefore reject abortion in all forms.

I believe that God intends sexuality to occur only between a man and a woman who are married to each other. I believe that God has commanded that no intimate sexual activity be engaged in outside of a marriage. I therefore commit to celibacy outside the confines of marriage.

I believe that any form of sexual immorality (including adultery, fornication, homosexual behavior, bisexual conduct, bestiality, incest, or use of pornography) is sinful and offensive to God. I therefore commit to refrain from such behaviors.

I believe that God wonderfully and immutably creates each person as male or female. These two distinct, complementary sexes together reflect the image and nature of God. Accordingly, my communication with clients and all other persons reflects the reality of God's created order, put simply, I will use male pronouns to refer to those persons who are created biologically male, and female pronouns to refer to those persons who are created biologically female.

Signature

Date