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**Toronto Right to Life in Action
 Photo Gallery**

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**2015 Christmas Cards
 Order yours today!**

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YOU ARE APPRECIATED!

Toronto Right to Life expresses sincerest thanks to our supporters for your continued dedication to advancing our work throughout the GTA. Each phone call and envelope received from you and your involvement at events serves as a constant motivator for our team of staff and volunteers to relentlessly

continue carrying out the mission of TRTL every day. We live in an era where it is all too easy to be overwhelmed by the number of challenges to our work. Your commitment to advancing pro-life education with us is an inspiration.

are also preparing for our annual Student Life Link conference on Thursday, February 18th, 2016. With approximately two hundred students each year, this conference not only educates students but also empowers them to become active as pro-lifer leaders. We look forward to seeing new students participate and leave ready to bring the pro-life message back to their own schools!

Our focus in recent months has been on our strategy of effective pro-life education that inspires effective pro-life action. On Monday, November 16th our board and staff look forward to taking time at our Annual General Meeting to share with you not only what we've been up to but what we have planned – we need your continued partnership to build a culture of life. We are thrilled to announce our guest speaker is human rights lawyer Faye Sonier who will be taking a close look at freedom of conscience as it relates to building a culture of life. The event is free and open to the public; we encourage you to invite friends!

An extra special thanks goes to the wonderful volunteers that have enthusiastically offered their time this year. They have helped tackle the nitty-gritty of not-for-profit work, assisted in making the office move happen, prepared hundreds of Christmas Card packages in time for our annual Christmas Card Campaign and much more! We would especially like to recognize Jess Zhen and Carlos Aguilar for their outstanding behind the scenes work and commitment to helping carry out the Christmas Card Campaign with great excellence.

An important part of our current work is to recruit and equip speakers for our Speakers Bureau. We are preparing to serve at least twenty GTA schools with classroom and assembly presentations. These presentations will educate students on life issues, especially abortion, and call students to action to build a culture of life. Many of our new recruits are passionate pro-life post-secondary student volunteers. We are thrilled to give young pro-life leaders a chance to develop their skills while carrying out our mission. We are still looking for new recruits and we encourage any pro-lifer, regardless of experience, to apply to be part of this team for grade school or community presentations. Training is provided. We

TRTL continues to welcome volunteers! We especially need TRTL Representatives for the Delta Bingo charity program. This is a significant monthly fundraising program for TRTL. Volunteering just two hours can help provide more than \$400 for TRTL! If you enjoy a social environment and are available for a minimum of two hours a month (daytime or evening), we need your help! Enthusiastic volunteers are also needed in the office for immediate administrative assistance. Sign up before November 30th by contacting Vanessa at (416) 483-7869 or via email at office@righttolife.to.

Join us for the
TORONTO RIGHT TO LIFE

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Monday, November 16, 2015, 7pm
 North York Central Library - Central Auditorium
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Bingo Reps Needed

Would you like to support life, connect with others and have fun at the same time? One way TRTL receives financial assistance is through the Delta Bingo charity program which helps fund our various initiatives on a monthly basis. We are currently looking for individuals to represent Toronto Right to Life during Bingo sessions once or twice a month throughout the year at Delta Bingo, located at 1799 St. Clair Ave. W. Sessions take place during evenings and weekends with some also scheduled during the day. Volunteers can choose which session(s) they attend and work in teams of two in order to provide information about Toronto Right to Life during bingo games. It's simple, it's fun, and it raises thousands of dollars for our educational work each year!

If you are interested or would like more information please contact the Toronto Right to Life office at (416) 483-7869 or email at office@righttolife.to.

Speakers Bureau

Toronto Right to Life is currently seeking passionate pro-life advocates to serve as volunteer members of our Speakers Bureau!

At TRTL education is our primary objective. We aim to prioritize time in schools in order to speak to students of all ages as well as to faith communities, youth groups, church committees and other organizations. We educate on issues that involve consideration of the respect for human life.

For the 2015-2016 school year we are looking for educational speakers on abortion and/or assisted suicide for a high school audience and older. We are also looking for educational speakers on the biology of prenatal development for an elementary school audience. Training and presentation materials will be provided.

If this is of interest to you please contact Toronto Right to Life via email at office@righttolife.to or call 416-483-7869.



←On September 20th, Toronto Right to Life participated in the Chinese Martyrs Catholic Church Multi-Cultural Carnival. With over one thousand people in attendance TRTL was able to engage in constant conversation about the pro-life message with those visiting and passing by TRTL's table display. Pictured are TRTL volunteer Jess Zhen and Education Director Debbie Fisher, who managed the display and conversed with carnival participants throughout the day.



←Rachel, Peter, Cole and Tim in the process of assembling hundreds of Christmas Card packages for the 2015 Christmas Card Campaign.

TRTL office move volunteers George and Louis. ↓



Upcoming Events

Student Life Link Conference

Thursday, February 18th, 2016
 University of Toronto
 St. Michael's College
 81 St. Mary Street, Toronto

Listen to dynamic speakers and learn the tools needed to build the culture of life in your high school.

For more information please contact the Toronto Right to Life office at 416-483-7869 and stay tuned to our website: www.righttolife.to.



Toronto Right to Life Annual General Meeting

Monday, November 16th, 2015, 7pm
 North York Central Library
 Central Auditorium
 5120 Yonge Street (Yonge & Sheppard)

OPEN TO THE PUBLIC

Corner of Park Home Avenue & Yonge Street
 Accessible by TTC at North York Centre Subway Station
 Underground and street level parking available

Featuring Guest Speaker
Faye Sonier, human rights lawyer
Conscience Rights and Building a Culture of Life in Canada

Make sure you are a part of this special evening and hear what Toronto Right to Life has accomplished, what is planned and how you can continue to be part of building a culture of life in the GTA!

FREE



THE RIGHT TO LIFE ASSOCIATION OF TORONTO AND AREA

Membership Renewal/ Donation

- I have enclosed \$_____ for my/our tax-deductible contribution (See boxes at right).
- I would like to become a member/renew my membership with the Right to Life Association of Toronto and Area (Please check appropriate box on the right).
- I would like to give a gift membership to a friend, including your quarterly newsletter (please attach their contact information).
- I would like to support Toronto Right to Life Association with my automatic monthly donation of \$_____ applied to my VISA or MasterCard.
- Please renew my membership automatically each year (donation charged to my credit card) in the amount of \$_____

All donations are tax-deductible.

- Student/senior - \$10
- Individual - \$20
- Family - \$25
- Monthly gift of \$ _____
- Other \$ _____
- Total of \$ _____

Name: _____ Email: _____ *Please add me to your e-list

Home Tel: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ Prov: _____ Postal Code: _____

VISA MasterCard Cheque Card #: _____ Expiry: _____ Signature: _____

*Did you know that bequests made to Toronto Right to Life are also tax-deductible?
 The gift of a bequest to TRTL is a "Legacy for Life" !*



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Christmas Cards 2015



#1501 - Bethlehem

VERSE INSIDE

*May the Light of
the World
Shine Upon you this
Christmas
and may He bring you
Peace and Love
throughout the New Year*



#1502 - The Holy Family

VERSE INSIDE

*May the wonderful
blessings
of Christmas
be with you today
and throughout the
New Year*



#1503 - Glory to God

VERSE INSIDE

*May the love and peace
of the Christ Child
be yours this Christmas
and every day
throughout
the New Year*

_____ #1501 - Bethlehem
_____ #1502 - The Holy Family
_____ #1503 - Glory to God

_____ Total number of packs
 @\$8.00/pack
_____ POSTAGE for order
 shipped within Ontario**
 (see postage prices below)

_____ TOTAL PAYMENT

TO PAY BY CHEQUE

Please make cheques payable to:
Toronto Right to Life
#209 - 2238 Dundas St. W
Toronto, ON M6R 3A9

TO PAY BY CREDIT CARD:



Card # _____
Exp. Date _____
Signature _____

Toronto Right to Life Association

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Secretary - Clarissa Canaria
Chair - Peter O'Hagan

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Sarah Blake
Matthew Cram



Mixed Packs

*Mixed packs include a variety
of our popular past designs.*
\$8.00 per pack (tax included)
10 cards & envelopes per pack

**POSTAGE INFORMATION

For postage per pack of cards,
please include:

\$4 for 1 or 2 packs
\$10 for 3 to 5 packs
\$12 for 6 to 10 packs
contact us for 11+ packs

*For out-of-province orders:
Phone: (416) 483-7869
Email: office@righttolife.to
for postage prices.*

PICK UP YOUR ORDER:

Contact us for details.