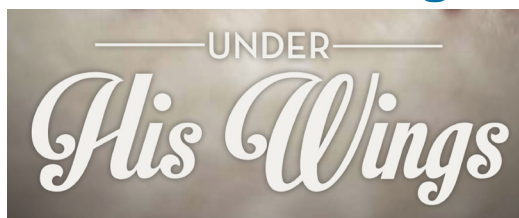


Lifeline Newsletter

2016 Annual Fundraising Banquet

*He will cover you
with His feathers,
and under His
wings you will
find refuge.
Psalm 91:4*



Keynote Speaker - Kirk Cameron
Thursday, October 20, 2016

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BANQUET AND CONFERENCE CENTER

27777 Schoolcraft Road * Livonia, MI 48150



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MISSION STATEMENT

The AAA Pregnancy Resource Center is a Christ-centered ministry dedicated to the sanctity of human life. We provide resources to promote life, teach God's design for sexuality, and provide counseling for post-abortion healing



AAAPRC is committed to integrity and accountability. For more info visit ECFA.org.

This year's Annual Fundraising Banquet will be like none other! On Thursday, October 20th the AAA Pregnancy Resource Center will host an elegant dinner... same purpose, same season... but with very special guest speaker Kirk Cameron!

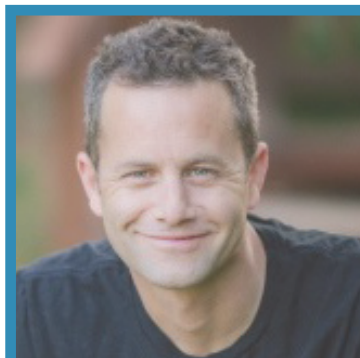
Kirk is a television and film actor and producer, noted recently for his work in the family films Saving Christmas and Mercy Rule, the documentaries Unstoppable and Monumental, and the inspirational film Fireproof. He is also known for his memorable roles on ABC's Growing Pains, the Left Behind movies, and co-host of The Way of the Master television series.

Kirk spends much of his time producing new television and film projects and speaking to people around the country, teaching them how to share their faith and live out a

gospel centered marriage and family. Kirk and his wife Chelsea are the founders of Camp Firefly, a camp for seriously ill children and their families. Together, they live in California with their six children.

Doors will open at 5:30pm at the NEW location of Burton Manor in Livonia. You must register to attend this dinner. Registration opens September 1st on our website – www.friendsofaaprc.com. There is no cost to attend; however, an opportunity to make a financial gift will be extended.

This year's Annual Fundraising Banquet, "Under His Wings" will celebrate how God protects the families, the unborn and all those involved in this ministry. Please plan to join us for this special evening! By partnering with us, you are helping keep the innocent "Under His Wings."



Meet & Greet Opportunity with Kirk Cameron

- Limited Tickets available to a private meet & greet
- One ticket is available for every \$1000 worth of sponsorship
- Contact Peggy Roberts for more info at 734-425-8060 ext. 202

So Far This Year...

- 385+ classroom visits
- 342+ packages of diapers distributed
- 141+ new clients
- 133+ pregnancy tests
- 22+ births recorded
- 41+ sonograms

Client Chatter

Clients are given the opportunity to complete Bible studies as a way to earn additional items for their babies each month. Here are some of the most important lessons clients are learning through their studies:

"To know Christ and ask for forgiveness, repent, and ask Him to be my Savior."

"The great barrier of sin has been removed by Christ's death on the cross."

"To have quiet time with God everyday alone, in the study of His Word and in prayer."

Here are some client comments related to their experience at the center:

"Everyone had wonderful smiles and made me feel comfortable."

"The resources are amazing. I can't wait until I am in a position to give back!"

Speaking About AAAPRC...

On occasion, churches, schools and organizations will ask us to come and speak about our ministry. We are so grateful for their outreach! We would like to thank the following churches for these special opportunities this last quarter!

- Livonia Church of Christ | April 24, 2016 | Special thanks to Cindy Lapp for allowing us to come speak about our Race for Life and the ministry in general
- Oakland Hills Community Church | April 28, 2016 | Special thanks to OHCC for hosting a baby shower to benefit the center and allowing us to speak about the ministry

For questions or more information about having a representative from AAAPRC come speak at your church or event, please contact Crystal Squire at 734.425.8060!

Our Volunteers are the Best!

"I give thanks to my God always for you because of the grace of God that was given you in Christ Jesus."

—1 Corinthians 1:4

Each and every day, countless people volunteer their time for the ministry of AAA PRC. Whether you have volunteered through a church group, organization, or as an individual, we take this opportunity to say THANK YOU! This ministry is not possible without your willing hearts, time, talents and dedication!

Welcome to our new volunteers!

- Client Associate: Donna Sculthorpe
- Class Instructor: Angela Ross
- Material Goods: Nancy Richardson
- Events/Clerical: Elaine Miller

New Volunteer Position Available: Client Social Media Coordinator

Are you highly knowledgeable on social media sites and have the ability to manage them from both desktop and mobile devices? The Client Social Media Coordinator (CSMC) will be responsible for updating and posting on the AAA Pregnancy Resource Center's client Facebook and Twitter. The CSMC will also be responsible for future social media outlets, like Instagram and Snapchat. Please contact the center for more information or to apply!

More Volunteer Opportunities

We offer volunteer orientations monthly. Call us at 734.425.8060 to reserve your spot in the next orientation! Or go to friendsofaaprc.com for more information about all of our volunteer opportunities!



2016 Race for Life a HUGE Success!

Thank You ALL!!

We are so grateful to all of our volunteers, sponsors, runners and walkers, and the family and friends that sponsored them! The unseasonably chilly May morning did not keep our runners and walkers away, and Chris Cakes brought added family fun as he flipped flapjacks for us all to enjoy! Collectively, over \$20,800 was raised! Praise God, and thank you for participating with us!

Thank You to our PLATINUM Sponsors:



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Thank You to our GOLD Sponsors:

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- Ingenuity Group LLC, An Independent Agency, Clarkston
- Trilogiq USA Corporation, Livonia
- Ward Chiropractic Center, Canton

Thank You to our SILVER Sponsors:

- Fit Zone for Women, Livonia
- Fountain & Hock Family Dentistry, Canton
- Joseph's Hair Designers, Plymouth
- Noonan Electrical Services, Farmington
- Our Lady of Victory Church, Northville



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Thank You for All the Ways You Give!

Thank you, Oakland Hills Community Church for hosting a baby shower collecting many wonderful baby items to support the center. Also thank you for allowing us to speak at the shower about the ministry! Your efforts, heart, and donation are greatly appreciated!

Thank you, Cheryl Williams! Cheryl is a regular volunteer here at the center and keeps the maternity closet clean, organized, and full! Cheryl volunteered additional time over the spring and held a garage sale raising over \$600 for the center! She also spoke at the Oakland Hills Community Church baby shower on behalf of the center and her experiences here. We appreciate your heart and time, Cheryl!

A very important belated thank you to CrossPointe Community Church! Last Christmas, they decorated their "Angel Tree" and collected a multitude of items to donate to the Center. Wasn't it beautiful?! Many thanks to Rhonda Lee, Jennifer Lockwood and Margaret Smith for all their efforts!



FREE and SIMPLE Ways to Help AAAPRC!

AmazonSmile

Did you know you can support AAAPRC when you shop on Amazon! Amazon will donate 0.5% of the price of your eligible AmazonSmile purchases to **AAA Crisis Pregnancy Center** whenever you shop on AmazonSmile. Visit smile.amazon.com or go to <https://smile.amazon.com/ch/23-7299199>. (Just be sure to do your shopping through the website, NOT on your mobile app, as donations do not apply on mobile app purchases.) **\$22.47** was raised during the first quarter of 2016 and we're just getting started! Please join AmazonSmile today!

Kroger

Calling all Kroger shoppers! Visit krogercommunityrewards.com to enroll, or re-enroll annually, to support AAAPRC simply while doing your regular grocery shopping! **Just 51 households** who shopped at Kroger have helped to raise **\$617.48** so far in 2016! Thank you, shoppers!

iGive

Visit [iGive.com](https://www.igive.com) and sign up to support AAAPRC while you shop online. We raised **\$33.94** so far in 2016! Help us increase this amount in 2016 simply by signing up at [iGive.com](https://www.igive.com)...what an easy way to give!

Thrivent Financial

The Thrivent Choice program helps Thrivent members make a positive impact in their communities. By participating in Thrivent Choice®, participants choose the AAA Pregnancy Resource Center as their charity. We have received **\$37** in 2016 so far!

Capital One

You can use your Capital One credit card rewards to support AAAPRC. Login to your account and click on your rewards (miles). Where it says Redeem, choose Charities under Other. Search for us by typing in AAA Pregnancy. We will be the first to pop up. Thank you!

Our New Online Giving Page

Giving is easy and secure on our online giving page. You can give a one-time donation to a specific area of the ministry or set up a recurring donation. You can also set up an online giving account to keep track of your giving online. Just go to friendsofaaprc.com, click on **Support Us** from the home page, then scroll down and click on the [online donation page](#) link under Online Giving.

If you have questions about using any of these options for supporting AAA PRC, please contact Lisa at prcadmasst@sbcglobal.net or 734.425.8060 ext. 207.

Thank YOU to the following churches for participating in our Mother's Day ~ Father's Day Baby Bottle Campaign!

- Bethel Baptist Temple
- Christ Our Savior Lutheran
- Faith Bible Church in Livonia
- Faith Bible Church in Farmington Hills
- Family Victory Fellowship
- Fellowship Evangelical Presbyterian Church
- His Church Anglican
- Mt. Hope Congregational Church
- Parkview Baptist Church
- St. Michael Lutheran Church in Canton
- St. Mary, Cause of Our Joy (previously St. Theodore Catholic Church)



From the Director



I would like to extend a huge thank you to those of you that helped physically, those who prayed fervently, and those that gave financially for the recent move to Schoolcraft Road. We could not have done it without you. Additional thanks to Kellie and Dan Maletta, as well as their boys, Ben and Charlie, along with Rick Lacourciere, and Gerry Wiatr, for the many extra hours they volunteered to ensure that this ministry was moved, set up, and ready for operation by May 1st! You were amazing!! Thank you to The Summit Company for the beautiful job on the renovations. Your work was superb and your staff was great to work with. We are blessed to have moved to and now work out of such a beautiful facility. God has blessed this ministry once again in a huge way! With the move and the 2016 Race for Life behind us, we are focusing on this year's banquet and we are excited!

God has opened the door for us to invite Kirk Cameron as the keynote speaker this year. We are excited to see how God wants to use him in this community and in the lives of those that you, the backbone of this ministry, invite. Kirk is not coming here simply to be a "celebrity" speaker for us, he is coming here to draw others. Please join with us and use this opportunity to prayerfully consider who to invite to this unique event, and also to spread the word about this ministry. We have plenty of invitations available, and we would like to distribute them ALL. Please feel free to pick some up at the center and give them to as many people as God leads you to. Some suggested places: doctors and dentist offices, schools, city offices, local government representatives, police stations, fire departments, home schooling groups, libraries, neighbors, your non-prolife friends, hair stylists, etc.

Thank you for all your support and partnership in saving lives. See you on October 20th!

Serving together for His glory,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Peggy".

Peggy

Board Changes

It is with great sadness that we say good bye to Board Member, **Kurt Gebhard**. Kurt's faithful service will be missed greatly. Kurt was voted onto the Board of Directors in July of 2010 and has served as the Board Vice-President since 2012. Kurt opened each of our board meetings with prayer and devotionals for the majority of those 6 years of service. We appreciate his strong heart's desire to save the lives of the unborn. Thank you, Kurt. You will be missed!

We welcome back to the Board of Directors, **Charlie Threadingham**! We are so pleased to have you back with us, we have missed you. Charlie served a 6-year term previously and has agreed to join us again after his required one year off. We are looking forward to working with you again, Charlie. Thank you for your service!



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IMPORTANT!

- 2016 Banquet, October 20th: special guest speaker, Kirk Cameron (page 1)

Material Needs:

- Diapers: sizes 3 and 4
- Seasonal maternity clothes

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Upcoming AAAPRC Events

National Life Chain | **10.02.16** | 2:00-3:30pm in front of the AAAPRC (Schoolcraft location)

Annual Fundraising Banquet | **10.20.16** | Burton Manor in Livonia | **special guest speaker, Kirk Cameron!**

National Adoption Month Baby Bottle Campaign | **November 2016** | contact Crystal for more details

Sanctity of Human Life Baby Bottle Campaign | **01.22.17 to 02.26.17** | contact Crystal for more details

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