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**Virtual Fundraising Benefit
October 17th, 2020**



**“THEREFORE, MY BELOVED BROTHERS,
BE STEADFAST, IMMOVABLE, ALWAYS
ABOUNDING IN THE WORK OF THE LORD,
KNOWING THAT IN THE LORD YOUR LABOR
IS NOT IN VAIN.”**

- 1 CORINTHIANS 15:58

Dear Friends,

Thank you so much for allowing us an opportunity to bring the “Fingerprints Lost” Virtual Fundraising Benefit into your homes and churches. These are definitely challenging times for us all, and we are grateful that you’re willing to take time out of your busy schedules to join us.

This year across our county pregnancy clinics, like Assure, have had to rapidly adapt our services and develop new ways to address the pressure being brought to bear on women who find themselves pregnant in the midst of a global pandemic. Sadly, we have seen an increase in the numbers of women considering abortion as their best option due to these circumstances.

To the glory of God, Assure Pregnancy Clinic has been able to remain open and available to serve the needs of these women. Your faithful support has provided professional and compassionate care to each one, no matter their economic status, race, religion, and even gender identity.

Tonight, we are excited about sharing two incredible stories of women who came to Assure and then made courageous choices. They are the heroes we all fight for. They represent the fruit of our labors, the return on our investments, and the joy we have in serving God in this battle for unborn life.

We are also blessed to have best-selling author, Lee Strobel, with us to share his heart and his amazing story of grace and faith; a story to encourage us to continue to stand firm in our faith, and to stand up for life every day.

I pray that your hearts will be stirred to partner with and pray for Assure as we remain “steadfast and immovable, always abounding in the work of the Lord, knowing that in the Lord our labor is not in vain” [1 Corinthians 15:58].

In His service for Life,



Kerry Jepson, CEO

Believing all life has value, Assure Pregnancy Clinic exists to empower women to make educated life choices by providing personalized consultations, medical services, resources and post-abortive support.

THE STORY OF ASSURE

Assure Pregnancy Clinic came into being in the mid 1980's as a result of three women's vision of providing pregnancy testing and options counseling in a safe, life-affirming environment rather than an abortion clinic. It started in homes, but soon grew to the point where an office space was needed to accommodate the ever-increasing client flow.

Incorporated in 1992 under the name Alternate Avenues Crisis Pregnancy Ministries, the organization became a non-profit 501[c]3 with a board of directors and a handful of supporters.

In 2003, under the supervision of Dr. John Sharpe, Alternate Avenues became a licensed medical clinic and began offering pregnancy testing, ultrasounds, prenatal vitamins, and presumptive eligibility for Medi-Cal.

Where we are Today

With an updated look and a new name, Assure Pregnancy Clinic now inhabits a state-of-the-art medical clinic in Fontana with two ultrasound machines, two exam rooms, two consulting rooms and paid medical staff.



OUR SERVICES

Volunteer Medical Director, Dr. Curt Bouna, and three Registered Nurse Sonographers, see clients on-site three days a week. Our trained volunteers serve as Client Advocates to help women explore all of their options regarding their pregnancy. In addition, each client receives the personal consultation needed to address the unique challenges they may be facing in their homes, their relationships, and with their health.

The care provided doesn't just stop at the diagnosis of pregnancy. Assure's Bridges Parenting Support Program provides mentoring, childbirth and parenting education, as well as practical resources such as diapers, clothing, car seats and much more it. Successful parenting is our goal.

Knowing that 1 in every 4 women ages 14 - 44 will have experienced the emotional pain of abortion, Assure's Abortion Recovery Ministry helps women find the healing and restoration they need to move forward.

WHAT MAKES ASSURE UNIQUE?

Like other pro-life clinics our goal is, of course, to save babies from being aborted. However, Assure has a different approach in doing this. We believe that our mission is to empower woman to make Godly choices, embrace parenting and train them with the tools that are needed to succeed.





Meet Lee Strobel

Atheist-turned-Christian Lee Strobel, the former award-winning legal editor of The Chicago Tribune, is a New York Times best-selling author of more than twenty books. He serves as Professor of Christian Thought at Houston Baptist University and as a Teaching Pastor at Woodlands Church in Texas.

Lee was educated at the University of Missouri [Bachelor of Journalism degree] and Yale Law School [Master of Studies in Law degree]. He was a journalist for fourteen years at The Chicago Tribune, winning Illinois' highest honor for public service journalism from United Press International. He also led a team that won UPI's top award for investigative reporting in Illinois.

After investigating the evidence for Jesus, Lee became a Christian in 1981. He subsequently became a teaching pastor at two of America's most influential churches and hosted the national network TV program Faith Under Fire. In addition, he taught First Amendment law at Roosevelt University.

In 2017, Lee's spiritual journey was depicted in a major motion picture, The Case for Christ. Lee has won national awards for his books The Case for Christ, The Case for Faith, The Case for a Creator, and The Case for Grace.

Lee and Leslie have been married for forty-five years and live in Texas. Their daughter, Alison, is the author of five novels. Their son, Kyle, is a professor of spiritual theology at the Talbot School of Theology at Biola University.

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CLINIC STATISTICS

With the generous support of our donors and volunteers, Assure Pregnancy Clinic has been able to serve and support more families than ever before.

October 1st, 2019 to September 30, 2020

1,419 Total Client Visits
1,006 Individual Clients
640 New Clients
174 Changed Abortion View
381 Clients Who Chose Life
522 Ultrasounds Performed
746 Pregnancy Tests Performed
20 New Commitments to Christ
4 Renewed commitments to Christ
325 Prayers with Clients

To enable Assure Pregnancy Clinic to keep offering these life-saving services for free, please consider giving a tax-deductible donation today!

\$50 - One pregnancy test appointment
\$500 - Ultrasound appointments for one mother
\$1000 - Personalized consultations for a couple
\$1500 - Post-abortive support
\$5000 - Pregnancy & parenting support for 10 - 12 clients for one year

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THE 2021 VISION

The vision of Assure Pregnancy Clinic is to be the number one option for pregnant woman in our community. Many women who experience unplanned pregnancies are faced with a number of trials and challenges. Without knowing their options, their first go-to is often the abortion providers, Planned Parenthood and Family Planning Associates.

Knowing that many women considering an abortion are unaware of their own worth, let alone the worth of their unborn babies, Assure seeks to help these women understand how much they are loved and cherished.

Therefore, we see it as our mission to not only serve them with free medical services, education and resources, but indeed, to introduce them to the grace and love of Christ.

For this vision to become a reality, we need the funding to be able to do the following:

- 1. Be open five days a week** - we are currently only open three days a week which highly limits our availability to serve more clients. In comparison, the abortion clinics in our area are open 6 days a week
- 2. Offer Abortion Pill Reversal [APR] services** - the protocol needed to help women who have taken the first abortion pill and change their minds requires increased medical malpractice insurance.
- 3. Provide 3D/4D Ultrasounds** - the immense clarity provided by our new machines go a long way in showing the humanity and uniqueness of our clients' unborn babies, but with the funds to upgrade our ultrasound technology and the training to use it, we can enhance this service as early as 11 weeks gestation.
- 4. Increase awareness of Assure Pregnancy Clinic** - better marketing and publicity is needed for women and families to know that Planned Parenthood isn't their only option.

HERE'S HOW YOU CAN MAKE THE VISION FOR 2021 A REALITY

Pray - Prayer is the backbone of the work we do here at Assure. Please sign-up to receive our prayer updates at AssureLife.org or follow Assure on social media



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Volunteer - Our volunteers build the vital relationships needed to save lives. Become trained and equipped to serve as a client advocate or a supporter relations volunteer to make a real and lasting difference for life!

Visit AssureLife.org/Get-Involved/ for more information

Give - Assure Pregnancy Clinic offers all its services free of charge. To enable this ministry to keep offering life-affirming services and empowering women to choose life, please give a tax-deductible donation in any of the following ways today:

1. Visit event.assurelife.org and click on the 'Give' button
2. Text "Assure" to 50155
3. Call 909-621-4800 during office hours [Mon–Thurs 9am–5pm]
4. Fill out the enclosed giving card and mail it back to us

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