



Pro-Life Novena following Elections

Begin November 6

Kentucky Knights of Columbus Culture of Life is sponsoring A Novena for Life to be held from November 6, 2018 until November 14, 2018. A novena is a period of sustained prayer over nine days for a particular intention. All are encouraged to pray in their homes and/or with their community on each of the nine days of the novena. The particular intention of this novena is life, especially for the protection of the unborn by our elected and appointed officials. The protection of life is a sustained prayer intention of the Catholic Church and of the Knights of Columbus. This Novena for Life is meant to bring Knights of Columbus, parish families and all in our communities together in a spiritual battle to lead, through both public and private acts of prayer, to ensure a culture of life in our nations. All members of the community are welcome and encouraged to join us!

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Hosting Council: Mary Queen of Heaven Council # 14993

Two Ways to Join in Prayer:

1. Print this sheet to keep with you
2. Follow Novena on Facebook:

Prayer:

1. Read and reflect on the daily intention.
2. Read and reflect on the daily novena prayer.
3. Pray Our Father, Hail Mary and Glory Be

Daily Novena Prayer:

O God, we acknowledge you today as Lord, not only of individuals, but of nations and governments. We thank you for the privilege of being able to organize ourselves politically and of knowing that political loyalty does not have to mean disloyalty to you. We thank you for your law, which our Founding Fathers acknowledged and recognized as higher than any human law. Awaken your people to a commitment to justice to the sanctity of marriage and the family, to the dignity of each individual human life, and to the truth that human *rights* begin when human *lives* begin. We ask this through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen.

**Prayers from Priestforlife.org and USCCB.org*

Day 1 (Nov 6) For all elected and appointed officials, that they may value all life, born and unborn.

Day 2 (Nov 7) For our nation to seek, know, and follow God's laws.

Day 3 (Nov 8) For a culture of life to grow in our local communities.

Day 4 (Nov 9) For all defenders of life.

Day 5 (Nov 10) For all mothers and families considering abortion.

Day 6 (Nov 11) For the District, Circuit, and Supreme Court judges to value and protect all life equally, born and unborn.

Day 7 (Nov 12) For all staff of hospitals and clinics to have compassion and dignity for all life.

Day 8 (Nov 13) For all on the journey towards fostering and adopting and for children waiting for a home.

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