



# 2018: Year of PRAYER

**We're covering ALIES & The Back Porch and the pro-life movement in prayer every day for the whole year. Join us by committing to intentional prayer for a specific week.**

**Matthew 18: 19-20** "Again, truly I tell you that if two of you on earth agree about anything they ask for, it will be done for them by my Father in heaven. For where two or three gather in my name, there am I with them." There is power in uniting in prayer. Let's be bold together and pray big prayers. May we see the end of abortion in our lifetime, and the growth of a true culture of life in our society.

**Alberta Life Issues Educational Society** exists to educate Albertans on the sanctity and dignity of all human life from conception to natural death and to create and promote a culture of life.

**Statement of Faith:** In all our programs and services, we share God's message of love for all people, which offers hope and transformation. We believe that each person is created in the image of God and must be treated with dignity and respect. We are transparent and trustworthy, accountable to God and each other. We are committed to biblical, ethical and professional accountability in all of our dealings.

**The Back Porch** is the main project of ALIES. Located directly across the street from the abortion clinic, The Back Porch operates as an 11th hour ministry promoting life-affirming options to abortion-minded women and men. By providing non-judgmental and confidential support, the facts about abortion and the preborn child, and resources, we empower women and men to choose life. In this capacity we network with pregnancy centres, adoption agencies, counseling groups and referral agencies across Alberta.

Please pray for our board, staff, volunteers and financial supporters of this ministry. May we all be strengthened, encouraged and guided by the Holy Spirit.

**Pray throughout the year by joining Text to Save a Life. Text BACKPORCH to 670-76, and you'll receive texts to pray for our clients, volunteers, & staff in the moments they need it most.**

# August

~ Month of CHARITY ~ Praying for ABORTION-PROVIDERS ~

**Isaiah 9:2 "The people who walk in darkness will see a great light. For those who live in a land of deep darkness, a light will shine."**

God desperately wants to bring light to the abortion industry. He wants to save all the children and their parents from abortion, but He also wants to save all those who work in abortion clinics. Isaiah prophesies that people who walk and live in darkness, like the darkness of an abortion facility, WILL see a great light. Pray for the coming of this light.

## FOR FURTHER READING & PRAYER

**1 Peter 2:9 "But you are a chosen people, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, God's special possession, that you may declare the praises of him who called you out of darkness into his wonderful light."**

We are all God's children, and every single person has the opportunity to live under that identity. God has called every abortion worker into His light. He desires for them to live for love and for life, that they may know Him and praise Him. He desperately wants to be in relationship with them. Pray that all who work in the abortion industry would come to know and love God, and claim their glorious identity as His children.

**Psalms 107:14 "He brought them out of darkness and the shadow of death, and broke their chains in pieces."**

The LORD is the only one who can break our chains from the things that hold us captive. Cry out to Him for the freedom of abortion-providers who are trapped in the darkness of the abortion industry. Pray that their hearts would be transformed and made new with a spirit of charity; that free from their chains they would be free to use their medical training to help and not to harm.

**John 12:46 "I have come into the world as a light, so that no one who believes in me should stay in darkness."**

God sacrificed so much so that we may live in relationship with Him. He sacrificed His only son so that all people would have the opportunity to live in His light and mercy. Pray that God gives supernatural courage and boldness to abortion-providers so that they can leave their jobs. May God bring His glorious light into abortion clinics across the globe. May the eyes of abortion-providers be opened to the truth so that women and their preborn children can receive true healthcare instead of death and destruction.

**1 Corinthians 4:5 "Therefore judge nothing before the appointed time; wait until the Lord comes. He will bring to light what is hidden in darkness and will expose the motives of the heart. At that time each will receive their praise from God."**

Let God be the Judge. While we stand at odds with the decisions of those working in abortion clinics, only God is the true Lawgiver and Judge. We can trust that He will bring justice on account of those who have been gravely mistreated in this world. His heart breaks for the lives destroyed through abortion. Surrender your judgement to Him, and pray for the justice He will bring.

Thank you for responding to God's call to prayer.  
Through unity in spirit, may we ask boldly for the end of abortion in our world.