

## *PP Expands Abortions to Brooklyn Park, Minn.*



Planned Parenthood (PP) has started killing unborn children up to 11 weeks via chemical abortion (the “abortion pill”) at its new location on Brooklyn Boulevard in Brooklyn Park. The woman never sees a physician in person; instead, she speaks with an abortionist located at the St. Paul PP via video (as is also the case with the Rochester, Minn. PP). The Brooklyn Park PP had been located in a nearby office park before it moved to this much more visible location in late May. Up to this time, it was an abortion referral and birth control center but did not commit abortions.

More than 50 people attended our first prayer rally outside this new abortion site on July 24. Brian Walker, Program Director of Pro-Life Action Ministries, led the rally, assisted by Pastors Rick Ensrud, Mark Ellingson and Yonas Hailu. Vicki Olson, a regular prayer supporter, encouraged the attendees to continue praying outside abortion centers. Many passersby (and shoppers at Aldi next door) were supportive of our efforts. We need sidewalk counselors and prayer supporters at this new location on Fridays (mornings and afternoons). If you can help save lives there, please contact Bill Kelly, Sidewalk Counseling Coordinator, at: [william.kelly@plam.org](mailto:william.kelly@plam.org) or 651-797-6365.

## 2019 Minnesota Abortion Statistics Released

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Planned Parenthood continues to dominate the Minnesota abortion industry by increasing both the number of children it kills and the share of abortions committed, according to statistics released by the Minnesota Department of Health (MDH) on July 1. PP now commits 65% of the abortions in the state. Since moving into its “mega-mill” on Vandalia St. in St. Paul in late 2011, PP’s annual abortion numbers have jumped 79%.

This follows the national trend in PP’s increasing share of abortions. Meanwhile, PP’s non-abortion clients have dropped dramatically in recent years. Not surprisingly, the new president and CEO of the Planned Parenthood Federation of America, Alexis McGill Johnson, is

described by PP as “a social and racial justice leader, lifelong political and cultural organizer, and a tireless advocate for reproductive rights,” NOT as a healthcare

leader.

Overall, there were 9,922 abortions

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### Fall 40 Days for Life Twin Cities

September 23 – November 1

Planned Parenthood, 671 Vandalia St., St. Paul, MN 55114

Opening Candlelight Prayer Vigil

Wednesday, Sept. 23 — 6:00 p.m.

Closing Prayer Vigil

Sunday, Nov. 1 — 3:00 p.m.

*Adopt-A-Day for Churches and Organizations!*

Get your first choice with a phone call (651-797-6363) AND e-mail to [brian.walker@plam.org](mailto:brian.walker@plam.org) with the name of your church/organization, coordinator's name and phone number. Requirements: two or more praying per hour from 6 a.m. to 6 p.m.

Individuals, come and pray anytime.

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