

Walk+Run for Life 2015

One of Life Centers' biggest events is the Walk + Run for Life. For more than 20 years, supporters have raised funds through sponsors and gathered in the Fall to show support for Life Centers' life-transforming ministry. This year was another success with hundreds of participants and about \$100,000 raised.

The 2015 Walk + Run for Life featured two dates and locations. The first walk was scheduled for September 19th at Eagle Creek Park but was rescheduled for October 10th because of weather. The Saturday in October had wonderful weather and featured a competitive 5k run and inspirational 1 mile walk along a beautifully paved path through the woods.



On September 26th, hundreds more gathered at Lebanon Memorial Park. The park was filled with music and celebration, including a celebration of Kim Hart, a long time Life Centers supporter who has since gone on to heaven. Dozens of her family and friends from Hope Community Church participated in the Lebanon walk in honor of their beloved Kim.

To learn more about the 2015 Walk + Run for Life or see more pictures visit:
<http://lifecenters.com/get-involved/events/walkrun-for-life/>



Center Spotlight



East Center
1007 N. Arlington Ave.
Indianapolis, IN 46226

Life Centers has had a presence on the East side of Indianapolis since 1986. In 1994, it moved to its current location at 10th and Arlington. This center has always been busy and has a great variety of clients.

Because we have not changed addresses in over 20 years, we have seen generations of young women come through the center and are deeply ingrained in the community.

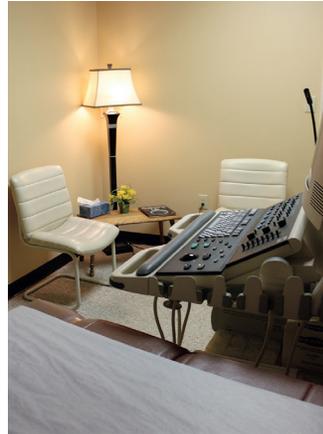
2015 East Center Stats

				
1,242 Clients Served	596 Support Services	56 Spiritual Decisions	65 Ultrasounds	51 Babies Saved



Candace Balzano

Earlier this year, Candace Balzano joined Life Centers as the East center director. Candace brings vast ministry experience and a passion for saving and transforming lives.



Board Member Spotlight



Phil Fox

Phil Fox, CPA/FPS, has served on Life Centers' board since 2001. He is the board treasurer and has been since asked to join the board by two former board members.

Phil is a Principal and Sr. Private Wealth Advisor for Ronald Blue & Co., Indianapolis, Indiana. Prior to joining Ronald Blue & Co. in 1994, Phil served as the controller for Interior Services Corporation where he provided leadership to the finance and accounting, human resources, and management information services areas. His financial background also includes a position as Vice President and manager of loan operations with PNC Bank, and auditing and management consulting with Ernst & Young. Phil earned a Bachelor of Arts in Business Administration and a Bachelor of Science in Accounting from the University of Kentucky.

Phil's passion is to help people who want to give, to give strategically. "I not only want to encourage generosity in regards to time, talents and treasure but to also educate those who are generous about smart giving and things like appreciated giving."

Another advantage with having Phil as a board member is the stewardship of resources. Phil has worked closely with the Executive Directors, including current ED Tom Shevlot to help provide accountability and good stewardship of finances at Life Centers. In part, because of his leadership, Life Centers is able to operate eight centers at a cost in line with other pregnancy centers operating 3-4 centers.

Phil also serves on the board of Heritage Christian School and is a member of College Park Church. Phil, with his wife Kathie, have three children and live in Indianapolis.

Ministry Partner



Life Centers is proud to call Bethany Christian Services a ministry partner. Since 1944, Bethany has grown and developed not only into a well-known adoption agency, but a social services agency that serves and supports expectant parents, foster families, individuals and families in need of counseling, and struggling families and children who are in desperate need of even the most basic necessities. Bethany's purpose is to demonstrate the love of Christ by equipping families to be the answer for children in need. The founders started Bethany by taking in one child who needed a home. Today, Bethany has been helping find loving families for more than 100,000 children annually.

Life Centers partners with Bethany Services by referring clients interested in pursuing adoption for their expected children. The client then is helped

directly by Bethany in a variety of ways. Bethany also provides training and education to Life Centers Staff.

Give While You Shop

When shopping at Kroger and using your Kroger Plus Card, you can give to Life Centers. Life Centers has enrolled in the Kroger Community Rewards Program. This program allows Kroger Plus members to designate Life Centers to receive a percentage of what they spend at Kroger. We are already seeing significant donations through this program. Thank you to those who have enrolled!

To designate Life Centers as your charity of choice in the Kroger Community Rewards Program, visit the website krogercommunityrewards.com, set up an account and enter **79056** when asked to enter a "NPO #" (non-profit organization).



Executive Director Report



Kobe and Tom Shevlot, and their dog Reagan

Over the last few months, the news has been dominated by stories of how the nation's largest abortion provider has been selling human baby organs. What a stark contrast it is to the work Life Centers does right here in your community. At the core of our mission is believing that every human life, in and out of the womb, is worthy of protection. Another contrast

is that Life Centers has zero economic incentive in the thousands of women, men and children who visit our centers. Whether they come in for peer counseling, an ultrasound, or maternity support items, all services are provided at no cost to our clients.

Life Centers has been on the front lines of this critical battle for over 32 years. We are and have been

the only faith-based, pro-abundant life pregnancy center in the Greater Indianapolis area where the message of hope, compassion and God's love is proclaimed every day. Last year, over 6,000 different women visited one of our eight centers. Where would they go if Life Centers did not exist? How many babies would have been lost? Fortunately, God moved in the hearts of a few brave men and women who stood up for the life of the unborn and opened up that first pregnancy center over three decades ago.

If you are a financial supporter of Life Centers, we thank you immensely. If Life Centers is not part of your charitable giving, we would ask that you prayerfully consider joining our donor team and help us impact thousands of lives here in Central Indiana.

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

Tom Shevlot
Executive Director

Life Centers' goal is to **save babies** from abortion and **transform** the **lives** of their mothers.

November Ministry Update




Life Centers

Ministry Stats: January – September 2015

So far in 2015, we have seen **5,065** different women in our centers. Often they had multiple visits, and our total number of free services are over **16,964**. These services include pregnancy tests, peer counseling, helpline calls, maternity support services, post-abortion counseling and **238** ultrasound exams. **151** women that told us they were strongly considering an abortion, decided to give life to their child. Also this year, **155** women and men chose to respond to our counseling by giving their lives to Christ.



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