

Please Register Early!!

After October 14, 2017, all registrations at the door will be \$5.00 more per person.

Child care available
only if notice is given in advance.

Scheduled Presentations include:

- **How to Keep Assisted Suicide from Conquering America:** Wesley J. Smith, J.D., a world-renowned bioethicist and Senior Fellow at the Discovery Institute, will tell us what we need to do to turn back the culture of death for those already born.
- **When you Think Planned Parenthood, Think Abortion:** Think Planned Parenthood is a beneficial entity? NRL Academy Alum and Board Member Lacey Evans will present the cold, hard facts about the nation's largest abortion giant.
- **WV Legislative Update:** WVFL President Dr. Wanda Franz, will update us on what to expect in Charleston during the legislative session. What protective laws will pro-life West Virginians encourage their legislators to support in 2018?
- **Winning for Life in the 2018 Elections:** NRL Political Director, Karen Cross, will school us on what we must do to claim pro-life victories next year. It's not too soon to look ahead.
- **Thinking the Worst: the Mindset Behind Assisted Suicide:** Deborah Sturm, R.N., will candidly talk of the very real danger of physician-assisted suicide
- **Teen Day Camp:** The day belongs to the teens as NRL Academy alum Lacey Evans leads them through their daylong camp to embolden them in the rest of their pro-life journey.

Accommodations

The following list of motels are located within 15 minutes of the Convention site. These rates are not guaranteed and are only to be used as a guide.

Days Inn (approx. 4.5 mi. from site).....**\$89.99** + tax
1322 Hackers Creek Rd, Jane Lew 26378
(304) 744-4900

Quality Inn (approx. 10 mi. from site).....**\$83.00** + tax
2906 US Highway 33, Weston 26452
(304) 269-7000

Hilton Garden Inn (approx. 8.1 mi. from site) .. **\$109.00** + tax
606 Emily Dr, Clarksburg 26301
(304) 766-6231

Directions to Horizons Church

Traveling North take I-79 north to the Lost Creek exit #110 (WV 270). Turn right off the interstate ramp onto 270. Take a left at the 4-way intersection onto Lost Creek Road. Follow Lost Creek Road to Mt. Clare Road. Take the right onto Mt. Clare Road. Horizons Church is on the left about a 1/4 mile.

Traveling South take I-79 south to the Lost Creek exit #110. Turn right off the interstate exit ramp onto Lost Creek Road. In seconds you will take a left onto Mt. Clare Road. Horizons Church is on the left about a 1/4 mile.

Traveling East or West, please use a GPS device or good oldfashioned map because the ways vary so much.

Note: Address of the church is 8302 Mt. Clare Road. On the Google satellite map, Mt. Clare Road is not even listed, but is shown to be a continuation of Lost Creek Road. Ignore that and know that there really is a Mt. Clare Road and look for the Mt. Clare Road sign.



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West Virginians for Life, the state affiliate to the National Right to Life Committee, works in educational, legislative, and political activities to ensure the right to life for unborn children, people with disabilities, and those at the end of life.



2017 PRO-LIFE CONVENTION



Saturday, October 21

10:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

(Registration begins at 9:00 a.m.)

Horizons Church

8302 Mt. Clare Road
Lost Creek, West Virginia





is for everyone.

The 2017 West Virginians for Life (WVFL) Convention is being held at Horizons Church in Lost Creek, WV on Saturday, October 21, from 10:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. with the theme *Life is for EVERYONE*. Our keynote speaker will be **Wesley J. Smith, J.D.**, author/co-author of 14 books, the latest which is titled *Culture of Death: The Age of "Do Harm" Medicine*. He is often called upon by members of legislative and executive branches of government to give advice on end of life issues. Others speaking include National Right to Life Committee (NRLC) Political Director **Karen Cross** as well as WVFL President **Wanda Franz, Ph.D.**, and more. Also anticipated are visits from several political candidates. Hear what they have to say regarding LIFE issues.

Come prepared to learn. You might even win one of the coveted door prizes! Also, a luncheon will be provided and prizes drawn at random to add to an already exciting day.

Children and Teen Activities

Teens will be treated to a Day Camp, their own convention separate from the adults, for parts of the day.

Child care will be provided only with advance notice.

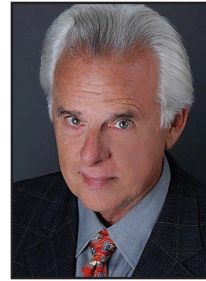
Pocahontas County Chapter Leader and Board member Judy Fuller, upon receipt of the 2016 Angel of the Year Award at last year's convention, posed with WVFL President Dr. Franz.



Who will win the award in 2017?

KEYNOTE SPEAKER

WESLEY J. SMITH, J.D., is a lawyer and award winning author. He is a Senior Fellow at the Discovery Institute's Center on Human Exceptionalism. He is also a consultant to the Patients Rights Council. In May 2004, because of his work in bioethics, Smith was named one of the nation's premier expert thinkers in bioengineering by the National Journal. In 2008, the Human Life Foundation named him a Great Defender of Life for his work against assisted suicide and euthanasia.



GUEST SPEAKERS

KAREN CROSS, NRLC political director, has devoted 33 years to the pro-life movement. The story of her two abortions has been featured on the *700 Club*, in *USA Today* and various radio and TV programs and newspaper articles. She has spoken nationally, and internationally at a conference in Poland. She served as executive director for West Virginians for Life for 20 years. In 2005, Ms. Cross was hired as political director for National Right to Life. She is a past president of West Virginians for Life, and currently serves as political liaison for WVFL.



WANDA FRANZ, PH.D., one of the founders of West Virginians for Life, is a developmental psychologist and professor emerita of child development at WVU. She served 15 years as president of West Virginians for Life and 20 years as President of National Right to Life. Franz has spoken nationally and internationally on abortion, euthanasia, and post-abortion syndrome. She is currently serving as president of West Virginians for Life.



Convention Registration

	Number	Price	Total
Convention Registration* (includes Luncheon Banquet)	___x	\$35.00 =	___
Convention Group Rate (groups of 10 or more)	___x	\$25.00 =	___
Teens	___x	\$20.00 =	___

*College Students \$20

Total Enclosed _____

Name _____

Street Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Phone _____

Other Adults (Names Only) _____

Teens (Names Only) _____

Send completed form to:
WVFL Convention 2017
25 Canyon Road
Morgantown, WV 26508

You can pay online at
wvforlife.org/current-news/events
Please Register Before 10-14.

