

# KDCCW Legislative Commission Report

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It is a great honor to serve as the Legislative Commission Chair for the KDCCW. In looking at the NCCW Legislative Commission's website information, the very first item on the list of what to do is pray! I read that and knew I was in the right place! I couldn't agree more. Prayer is action and changes hearts and lives and builds a Civilization of Love as St. John Paul II said.

It is with that in mind that I commit to bringing to the forefront issues of our day that impact our city, state, country and the world.

For a start, I am purposing that at each meeting before the Legislative Commission Report that we begin with the prayer to end abortion. As Mother Theresa once said, the greatest evil is abortion. Just because something is legal does not make it right and we must continue to change hearts and lives by our witness of love. History proves over and over the moral decay of a nation always precedes its downfall and abortion is killing us all as a nation.

### **Prayer to End Abortion**

Lord God, I thank you today for the gift of my life,  
And for the lives of all my brothers and sisters.

I know there is nothing that destroys more life than abortion,  
Yet I rejoice that you have conquered death  
by the Resurrection of Your Son.

I am ready to do my part in ending abortion.  
Today I commit myself  
Never to be silent,  
Never to be passive,  
Never to be forgetful of the unborn.

I commit myself to be active in the pro-life movement,  
And never to stop defending life  
Until all my brothers and sisters are protected,  
And our nation once again becomes  
A nation with liberty and justice  
Not just for some, but for all.

Through Christ our Lord. Amen!

**I encourage each of us to contact our congressman and state representatives to make our voices heard on the issues at hand. Here are some helpful resources from the NCCW website:**

### **Legislation Resources and Links:**

[How to Meet With Your Federal And State Legislators](#)

[How to Write Your Federal and State Legislators](#)

THOMAS (Library of Congress) -- <http://thomas.loc.gov/>

U.S. House of Representatives – <http://www.house.gov/>

U.S. Senate -- <http://www.senate.gov/>

**These are important websites and resources from the USCCB for education and voting:**

USCCB Links:

[Human Life and Dignity Issues](#)

[Faithful Citizenship](#)

We are called to be in the “Market place” and bring our faith and morals into the public square with love. May we be one as we make our voices heard in our cities, states, nation and world.

I encourage those here to ask God “Am I being called to serve in government?” We need good people, with a heart for the truth to be in public office. Ask God if he is calling you...He will provide what you are lacking...Trust Him!

Peace in Christ,

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