

Join with other Kentuckians of faith and speak out for reproductive choice and health!

Membership Category Individual/Family Organizational

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Religious Affiliation (You are welcomed with or without a religious affiliation.)

Please check all that apply:

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Amount of contribution:

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I'd like to help on the following activities.

Newsletter Mailing Writing for the Newsletter Visiting state legislators Hosting a gathering in my area Kentucky State Fair Booth Escorting at the Clinic Other:

We are pro-choice because of our beliefs, not in spite of them.

- We believe women are capable of making their own responsible reproductive decisions in keeping with their faith and circumstances.
- Our healing perspective seeks solutions to pressing problems such as unintended pregnancy, HIV/AIDS, inadequate health care, and access to reproductive health care.
- We oppose governmental interference and coercion in family decisions about when and whether to have children.
- We believe that imposing any one religious point of view violates the religious freedom that is the foundation of our nation.
- We reach out to people of color, those living in poverty, and other populations that are disproportionately affected by restrictive laws and policies. We advocate for resources to make reproductive options a reality for all.
- As Kentuckians of faith, we will be vocal at the state level, asserting our own moral high ground and reclaiming religious language.
- We are religiously diverse—United Methodist, Jewish, Presbyterian, United Church of Christ, Episcopalian, Friends, Unitarian Universalist, Disciples of Christ, Baptist, Catholic and more.
- Our faith diversity provides alternate theological views for discussions on morality and social policy.
- Grounded in compassion, we support non-judgmental faith-based counseling for women who are facing problem pregnancies.

KRCRC is a state affiliate of the national Religious Coalition for Reproductive Choice: www.rccr.org.



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Kentucky Religious Coalition for Reproductive Choice



We are persons of faith working to keep reproductive choices legal, safe and accessible for all Kentuckians.

The voice of mainstream Kentuckians of faith since 1973.

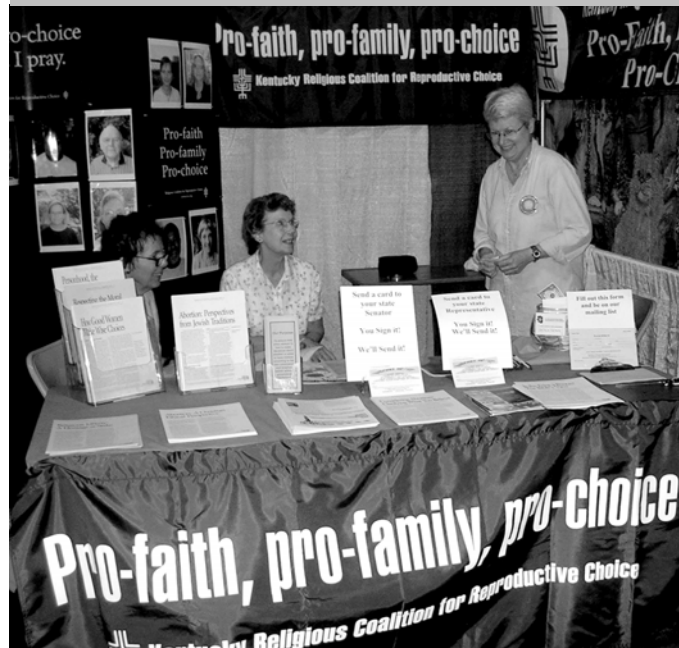
Today, we face deepening threats to religious liberty, individual conscience, and women's rights. Despite the fact that most people of faith support reproductive rights, conservative religious extremists have waged a relentless and increasingly successful assault on abortion rights, family planning, sex education, and even emergency contraception for rape victims.

Although the Supreme Court has consistently affirmed a woman's right to an abortion since 1973, the threat today comes in the nature of state enacted restrictions and the possibility of Supreme Court appointments that will overturn Roe. In 1994 the Kentucky Legislature enacted a parental consent bill in a push to make abortion less attainable. Other more restrictive measures are regularly introduced into the Kentucky General Assembly. We work with other pro-choice groups to combat these efforts. The "religious right" actively seeks to elect anti-choice lawmakers who will carry out their restrictive and oppressive agenda. We work to counteract their efforts.

The time has come for mainstream people of faith to speak out. We must tell government leaders and policymakers that the "religious right" does not speak for us.

Join us to help Kentucky value compassion, religious freedoms, diversity in religious and personal choices, and access to adequate reproductive health care, especially for poor women and children. **Kentucky needs you!**

- All-options clergy counseling
- All-option clergy training
- Legislative advocacy
- Abortion clinic escorting
- Roe v. Wade Annual Celebration in January
- Kentucky State and County Fair information booth
- Newsletter, *Voice for Choice*
- Outreach statewide
- Workshops on theological and ethical dimensions of reproductive freedom
- Stories from our faith stance in *Voice for Choice*, our newsletter
- Working to ensure reproductive health services are available to all Kentucky women
- Working to ensure that pharmacies act professionally and fill prescriptions regardless of their personal feelings
- Letters to the editor of your local newspaper
- Speaker's bureau



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Bringing the moral power of religious communities to ensure reproductive choice and health through education and advocacy.