



Why I'm Pro-Life ... And Why You Should Be, Too *Knights of Columbus Essay Contest*

- Purpose:** To inspire youth at St. Mary Church to understand the importance of defending life at all ages and stages of development.
- Who Is Eligible:** Students in grades 6-12 who are members of St. Mary Parish
- Guidelines:** Students must submit an essay of no more than 2,000 words by DATE. Entries must be submitted in Word or PDF format to huntleyknights@gmail.com. The essay must contain the author's name, grade, school and home address.
- Awards:** There will be seven contest categories: grades 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12. The winner of each category will win a monetary prize to be determined by the Knights of Columbus. All winners will be recognized by the Knights of Columbus.
- Judging:** Essays will be judged by a panel of parishioners. Essays will be judged according to content, style and grammar.
- Deadline:** Essays must be received by January 23, 2011. Winners will be notified in February 2011.