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Desormeaux Foundation

Frightened or confused about the new life growing inside of you? Don't know where to turn? The Desormeaux Foundation can help guide you. This is Brenda Desormeaux, founder of Acadiana's only Catholic pregnancy center designed to give pregnant moms help and hope for a brighter future. For our free services call 289-9366 or visit desormeauxfoundation.org. Come pray with us in our chapel and support our ministries.

DOTD-811 Information

No matter how big or small your digging project may be, no matter how urban or rural, you must always call 811 before any digging project. 811 is our national one call number alerting your local utility companies to come out and mark any lines they have near your dig site. So, before you do this...or this...make sure you do this. For digging projects big or small, make the call to 811. Brought to you by Common Ground Alliance.

ACS and Heart of Hospice

The American Cancer Society is looking for volunteers in our community to drive patients to and from their cancer treatments. Please call the American Cancer Society at 1-800-227-2345. Heart of Hospice is also currently looking for volunteers. Volunteering is simple and training is free. Please call 337-232-8159 for more information. This is a public service announcement brought to you by 90.5FM, Catholic Radio for Acadiana.

Rachel's Vineyard

Rachel's Vineyard is an opportunity for any woman or man who struggles with the emotional or spiritual pain of abortion. It is a weekend to experience the healing power of the mercy and compassion of God in a safe, supportive, and spiritual environment. Where sin abounds, grace abounds more. Call 337-261-5607 to register for this retreat that can help transform your pain of the past into hope for the future.

RedBird Ministries

Redbird Ministries is a Catholic grief support ministry for couples who have experienced the loss of a child, including loss through miscarriage or by stillbirth. A support group is hosted by Redbird ministries to help bereaved families come out of the desolation and isolation and to journey back toward healing and community. The support group meets on the fourth Sunday of every month at the Hospice of Acadiana, beginning at 6:00pm. For more information, please visit www.redbird.love.

Driving Safety PSA

MY name is Judy Teader and I'm the mother of three boys. My youngest Joe loves sports, music, and his youth group. One day Joe asked me to drive him to school. We were going through a green light and another car ran a red light and hit us killing Joe. The National Safety Council estimates 1 and 4 car crashes involve a cell phone. Hands Free is no safer. Visit nsa.org/callskill.

Right to Life Youth Education

Many think that abortion does not happen in Louisiana, but our state is responsible for taking the lives of early 10, 000 preborn babies every year, which includes 535 from the Acadiana area alone. This issue is real and really hurting the women and children of

Acadiana. Louisiana Right to Life thanks to the Zerben Bienvinue and William Smith fund for Acadiana Pro-life education have offered a first class pro-life training to more than 7000 students in more than 50 schools. We can put on retreats and crash courses, or offer our hour long pro-life 101 presentation suitable for classrooms, churches, and general assemblies. So get on our calendar now by contacting Ryan Verret at 2540044 or email at rverret@prolifelouisiana.org.

Social Security PSA – Retirement

Millions open a My Social Security Account every year so they can prepare for retirement. Social Security, securing today and tomorrow. See what you can do online at socialsecurity.gov. Millions retire online so they can do what they want offline. Social Security, securing today and tomorrow. See what you can do online at socialsecurity.gov.

Social Security PSA – Benefits

Millions plan for retirement online. Estimate your future benefits, apply for retirement, and manage your benefits all from the comfort of your own home. And give yourself the freedom to do what you want offline. Social Security's Online Services help put you in control with secure access to your information anytime anywhere, allowing you to spend more time with family, friends, or simply just enjoying your day. Social Security, securing today and tomorrow. See what you can do online at socialsecurity.gov.

St. Jude Hospital

Azalia's my world. When I heard that she had a tumor, everything just became dark. When I came to St. Jude, I started to get back some light in my life. On top of First Class best care, you will never receive a bill, so that you can focus on this child. The only thing we had to worry about was just keeping Azalia comfortable. St. Jude saved her life and it saved our family. Finding cures, saving children. Learn more at stjude.org.

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I am incredibly, incredibly proud to be a physician here at St. Jude, to be in a place where I know my patients are going to get the top-notch care. Not only care, but the research that happens 24 hours a day seven days a week. Every single person that contributes is part of that St. Jude Family that makes that happen. Because of everyone this really committed to the mission of St. Jude, we're giving families hope. St. Jude's Children Research Hospital. Finding cures, saving children. Learn more at stjude.org.

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St. Jude exceeds any expectation or any dream I could have ever had about a hospital. When I was told we wouldn't get a bill, I didn't quite process that. How is this possible? It's possible through all the wonderful people who donate. I don't know if they're aware of what they do, but they're saving children's lives every day. St. Jude's Children Research Hospital. Finding cures, saving children. Learn more at stjude.org.

USDA – Drug Safety

Question: What will you find on all over the counter or OTC medicine packages to help you use the right drug and help you use it safely? The answer: the drug facts label. This label is the active ingredients and purpose, how much to take, and warnings you should know before using it. Remember, even OTC medicines you buy without a prescription can cause side effects you don't want. So, follow the information listed on the drug facts label. For more information, visit fda.gov/drugfactslabel. A message from the US Food and Drug Administration.

USDA – Prescription Safety

Are you thinking about buying medicine online? A search for online pharmacies yields more than 20 million results, but which ones can you trust? Medicines bought from unlicensed online pharmacies can be dangerous. You may get a fake drug, your condition may get worse, or you may experience a bad reaction. Don't put your health at risk. To learn how to find an online pharmacy that's safe and legal, visit fda.gov/besafex. A message from the US Food and Drug Administration.

USDA – Kids Drug Awareness

We all want our kids to grow up safe and healthy, so we show them how and we tell them with honest conversations that let them know what we expect. That's especially important when it comes to drugs and alcohol. Kids need to know the dangers and how to avoid them. And when it comes to pain medications, opioids, they need to know that they should never be taken without a prescription and never shared with friends or family. It's dangerous and illegal. So, talk with your kids, because when you talk they hear you.

Veterans Administration – Benefits

As we recognize the service of the American men and women in uniform, let's also honor the families who sacrifice so much every day. Military families endure frequent deployments and separations. They carry on while their loved ones are sent into harms way, and wait patiently for them to return. If you really want to honor a veteran. Look for ways to support their families and thank them for their sacrifices. Go to legion.org/honorveterans to find out how you can help.

Veterans Administration – Employment

Life in the military is one of service and sacrifice. For some, that sacrifice includes physical and mental injuries or trauma that will effect their lives forever. Please join the American legion in recognizing and supporting our wounded warriors and their families. We need to show them that we truly are a grateful nation. We cannot allow them to be forgotten or left to fend for themselves. Go to legion.org/honorveterans to find out how you can help.

Veterans Administration – Wounded Warriors

America, let me tell you about Sgt. Greg Anderson. Served two tours in Afghanistan, Bronze Star and Purple Heart recipient, and unemployed. The unemployment rate among transitioning service members is unacceptably high, much higher than the general population. Veterans are a proven commodity. They're mature, reliable, and hard working. They deserve a chance to get back to work after serving their country. Do you really want to honor a veteran? Hire one. Go to legion.org/honorveterans to find out how you can help.