

## ***LIFE CHAIN CODE OF CONDUCT***

**Our Christian witness is closely watched during Life Chain. Let us avoid criticism from the police, city officials, the media and the public at large. With this in mind, please give careful attention to the following:**

- 1. Be humble but bold as you stand today against the greatest injustice our nation has ever faced. In the spirit of Christian love, commit to be peaceful, prayerful and polite, both in word and deed. Any misconduct from passerby should be met with silence and a kind smile to express your inner peace and forgiveness.**
- 2. To acknowledge motorists who approve of Life Chain, respond with a silent nod and a smile. Please do not wave. Our signs convey a serious message and we must respect it.**
- 3. Please do not socialize with those around you. Please refrain from using cell phones.**
- 4. Give way to pedestrians. Do not block driveways or impede the flow of traffic.**
- 5. Please take care of your sign and return it for use next year.**
- 6. Please do not litter.**

**We have obtained a “Permit to Picket” from the Police Department, and we have the legal right to demonstrate. The original copy of our permit is at Life Chain Headquarters should anyone question you.**

**Selected paragraphs from the Picketing Ordinance:**

**Sec. 6-13, (d) Picketing shall be conducted only on portions of the public way not used primarily for vehicular parking or moving traffic.**

**Sec. 6-13, (f) Pickets not marching shall remain at least fifteen feet (15') apart.**

**Sec. 6-14, (f) It shall be unlawful for any person to physically interfere with such pickets in the use of the sidewalk or to address profane, indecent, abusive, or threatening language to or at such pickets which would tend to provoke such pickets or others to a breach of the peace.**

**Sec. 6-14, (c) It shall be unlawful for any person to refuse to so disperse or move on when so directed by a police officer as herein provided.**