**Word of Life: November 2015**

**Intercessions for Life**

**November 1st Solemnity of All Saints**

For all of God’s children:

May they recognize their dignity as

adopted sons and daughters of God;

We pray to the Lord:

**November 8th Thirty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time**

For the poor and oppressed:

May our continuing efforts to provide

aid and justice for them be fruitful

and bring them consolation;

We pray to the Lord:

**November 15th  Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time**

For those who continue to experience

the pain of a past abortion:

May God’s mercy and forgiveness restore

their hope and heal their wounds.

We pray to the Lord:

**November 22th The Solemnity Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe**

For world and political leaders:

May they approach their work with

hearts open to the truth that

every life is worth living;

We pray to the Lord:

**November 29th** **First Sunday of Advent**

For caregivers:

May Christ give them strength and

fill them with the joy of His love;

We pray to the Lord:

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**Bulletin Briefs**

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“God created mankind in his image;
in the image of God he created them;
male and female he created them.”

* Genesis 1: 26-27 ([www.goo.gl/IW8LvV](http://www.goo.gl/IW8LvV))

"Within the family each member is accepted, respected and honoured precisely because he or she is a person; and if any family member is in greater need, the care which he or she receives is all the more intense and attentive."

— Pope Saint John Paul II, *Evangelium Vitae*, no. 92

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(<http://goo.gl/jsTMI8>)

“Every life is a good and perfect gift.”

— “A Perfect Gift”,
2015-16 Respect Life Program, USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities
[www.goo.gl/ARzBL6](http://www.goo.gl/ARzBL6)

“A critical part of end-of-life care is a trusting doctor-patient relationship in which a patient knows their doctor has their best interests at heart and will not abandon them; it is one which assures patients of the truth that their lives have meaning and are worth living.”

— USCCB 2015-16 Respect Life Program

 “Maggie’s Story: Living like Dad” [www.goo.gl/JKnvWc](http://www.goo.gl/JKnvWc)

“If we ask him, Jesus will be with us every step of the way, giving us the grace we need.

And his plans are wildly more fulfilling than we can imagine.”

 — USCCB 2015-16 Respect Life Program

 “Love, Sex, & Sterilization” [www.goo.gl/woZ0Sw](http://www.goo.gl/woZ0Sw)