## **Common Abortion Arguments & Questions**

True- abortion is LEGAL. However, legalizing murder of a human child isn't moral. It really is time to protect the next generation. We need to start with the argument- Let's define what is the woman pregnant with, it's not a fish, dog, cat... then once we define that which we know, we need to ask SHOULD WE BE KILLING IT. This is where we should start the public debate

- 1. Personhood-isn't defined by size, location, development, or ability.
- 2. **My body, my choice-**we know by science that at conception a new DNA string is created, the baby is a separate life & body from the mom. The unborn baby is not part of the woman's body, like her tonsils or arm. My body, my choice argument is not a valid argument-scientifically. We need to be courageous and have this discussion in the public platform
- 3. What about the woman that is raped?
  - a) Many women have chosen to have the baby or place the baby for adoption.
  - b) Killing the baby after a traumatic rape just inflicts more trauma on a woman. Why would killing the innocent child be a valid option.
  - c) Statistic-The number of abortions due to rape is minuscule in MN and Nationally

## 4. What about the woman that has an ectopic pregnancy?

Ectopic pregnancy requires surgery and is a pregnancy that will not survive, it is in the fallopian tube. It is **a non-issue** that the abortion advocates have brought up since the Roe v Wade opinion. It is not an abortion; it is a medical procedure. Nothing has changed as to availability of this procedure

## 5. What about if the women's life is in danger.

There are over 30 doctors that testified before congress -stating that this is not an issue. That they have never seen this situation where killing the child is necessary to save the mother's life. An emergency C-section can be performed to save the mother's life (if there were such a situation) this also is a non-argument. \*\*\*Contact me if you want a link to this information-you can also search online.

6. Argument- for some who say-**I'm pro-life, but a woman** should have a right to choose or I shouldn't tell her what to do.

**Perhaps this is like saying** -I'm against child abuse personally, but others should have the right to choose to abuse children. I'm against cocaine use personally, but others should have the right to choose. **This is ridiculous**!

Scott Klusendorf has a great resource on defending pro-life views:

https://youtu.be/h-iJQ92BwTU