

# 44TH MARCH FOR LIFE

WASHINGTON, DC ★ JANUARY 27, 2017

- Welcome to People for Life's annual March for Life Bus Trip!
- **Please make sure that your name is on your bus captain's roster.**
- Before you settle in for the trip, say hi and introduce yourself to a few of the people sitting near you. Then after each stop, make sure those individuals have returned to their seats before we get back on the road. This buddy system will help ensure that no one is left behind.
- When leaving your bus in Washington, take everything you will need for the day. The buses will be inaccessible during most of the day.
- If you need help at any time, call (or preferably, text) People for Life's cell phone at **(814) 882-1333** to reach Tim Broderick. If no one answers, leave a message.
- **Something new** The March for Life now has a free mobile phone app that you might like to try. Search your app store for **March for Life 2017**.

Use this URL in case you forget how to get back to your bus: [www.peopleforlife.org/bus](http://www.peopleforlife.org/bus)



March Map  
tinyurl.com/jr5uqdv



Metro Map  
tinyurl.com/jsyj8p

		ACTIVITY	TIME
★ ★ Schedule ★ ★		Rest Stop at PA Turnpike Service Plaza	4:00 a.m. <i>approximately</i> <b>Limited to 30 minutes!</b>
		Arrive in Washington, DC at RFK Stadium	7:30 a.m. <i>approximately</i>
		Free time for sightseeing Basilica, Capitol Building; Holocaust Museum; March for Life Conference & Expo (Renaissance Washington DC Downtown Hotel, 999 9th St. NW); Smithsonian Museums, etc.	Until Noon
		March for Life Rally at the Washington Monument	Noon (Musical Opening at 11:45 a.m.)
		March for Life The March will be 1.6 miles long and will begin between 15th St. & 17th St. on Constitution Ave.	1:00 p.m.
	OPTIONAL	Rep. Mike Kelly / Rep. Glenn "GT" Thompson / Sen. Pat Toomey, and other pro-life members of the Pennsylvania congressional delegation will host a Reception. Rayburn House Office Building, Room 2167 <i>Independence Ave., between South Capitol St. and First St. S.W.</i>	1 p.m. to 5 p.m.
		Sen. Bob Casey will not be in town due to a scheduling conflict, however his office staff will be available to speak with constituents, and forms will be available so marchers can leave their comments. Russell Senate Office Building, Room 393 <i>Constitution Ave. at Delaware Ave. S.E.</i>	Regular Office Hours <i>Senator Casey's father is regarded as a pro-life hero by many people. If you remember Governor Casey, let the Senator know how much you admired his dad.</i>
		Buses depart from RFK Stadium	5:00 p.m. <b>No exceptions! Enter Metro at Capitol South Station by 4:30 at the very latest!</b>
		Dinner Stop	Approximately 8:00 p.m. or later <b>Limited to 45 minutes!</b>
		Arrive in Erie	2:00 a.m. <i>approximately</i>

## Using the Washington Metro (Subway) System

Before using the Metro system, purchase your **Smartrip** card from one of the vending machines at the entrance to the Metro station. The fare cards can be encoded for any cash amount you specify. **CAUTION:** Have \$5 or \$10 dollar bills ready to use in the vending machines. The machines *will* accept \$20 bills *but* will only return a maximum of \$10 in change.

### Most Direct Route from the Buses to the Starting Point of the March

ROUND-TRIP COST **\$6.30**

- For the most direct route from RFK Stadium (where the buses park) to the starting point of the March for Life and the location of the March for Life Rally, take the Metro from **(1) Stadium-Armory Station**, which is adjacent to the RFK Stadium parking area, to **(2) Smithsonian Station**, which is located on the edge of the National Mall, at 12th St. Metro travel time: 11 minutes
- The March for Life Rally will take place on the grounds of the Washington Monument. The March itself will begin at 11th St. & Constitution Ave.

## From Buses to Starting Point of March Including a Stop at the Catholic Basilica

ROUND TRIP COST **\$8.90**

- From **(1) Stadium-Armory** Station, take the Metro to **(2) Metro Center** Station, where you will transfer to another Metro train.
- From **Metro Center** Station take the Red Line to **(3) Brookland-CUA** (Catholic University of America) Station. Metro travel time (Stadium Armory to Brookland-CUA) 31 minutes, Distance 5.32 miles
- After visiting the Basilica, return from **Brookland-CUA** Station to **(4) Metro Center** Station. Metro travel time 10 minutes, Distance 3.25 miles
- From **Metro Center** Station, walk south on 12th St. to the National Mall. (St. George group will use 10th St.)

## RETURN TRIP TO THE BUSES AT THE END OF THE DAY

At the conclusion of the day's activities, the buses will be waiting at RFK Stadium, **Parking Lot 8**. The best way to reach RFK Stadium is to take the Metro from **Capitol South** Station back to **Stadium-Armory** Station. **Capitol South** is the Metro station closest to the endpoint of the March for Life and to the congressional office buildings. It is located on 1st St., which runs between the Capitol Building and the Supreme Court Building. **Capitol South** is only a block and a half south of the Capitol Building on 1st St. Metro travel time: 5 minutes (does not include waiting time), Distance: 1.69 miles

**Allow no less than 30 minutes for the return trip in case there are long lines at Capitol South.**

# YOU **MUST** BE BACK TO YOUR BUS BY **5:00 PM!**



There is a *very slight* chance that you that will encounter a few protesters during the March who want to argue. Simply ignore them. Any commotion will only detract from our message and help the pro-abortion people.

## Suggested Places to Eat Before the March

**SMITHSONIAN NATURAL HISTORY MUSEUM** Located on the way between the *Metro Center* Metro Station and the March for Life starting point. There are three dining areas, one or more of which are open between 11:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

**CAFETERIA AT THE CATHOLIC BASILICA** On the Campus of Catholic University of America, open 7:30 a.m. to 2 p.m.

**FOOD COURT AT UNION STATION** Open 6:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m. Union Station is a magnificent and historic edifice located about four blocks north of the Capitol Building on Massachusetts Ave. From Capitol Hill proceed north on either 1st St. or Delaware Ave.; Union Station is straight ahead. The Food Court is located on the lower level. From RFK Stadium, exit the Metro and **Capitol South Station** and walk north on 1st St. past the Supreme Court. The distance is 0.8 miles and the walking time is about 17 minutes.

**FOOD COURT AT SMITHSONIAN AIR AND SPACE MUSEUM (CLOSEST METRO STATION: L'ENFANT PLAZA)** Open 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. The Air and Space Museum is located on Independence Ave., several blocks west of the House Office Buildings.

**LONGWORTH FOOD COURT (CLOSEST METRO STATION: CAPITOL SOUTH)** Newly renovated and located in the basement of the Longworth House Office Building, the narrow office building on Independence Avenue due south of the Capitol Building. It is between South Capitol St. and New Jersey Ave. and between the Rayburn and Cannon House Office Buildings. Open 7:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.

**SUPREME COURT CAFETERIA** Open 7:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. The Supreme Court Building is located at 1st St. SE between East Capitol and Maryland Ave. NE. Enter through the ground-level doors on either side the main steps. (Do not use the main steps.)

**RESTAURANT AT U.S. CAPITOL VISITOR CENTER** open 8:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.



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