



## After-the-Fact Impact: Your Conferences at Work

Asel's work in Namibia shows that your message reaches way beyond event-day.

Have you ever wondered what happens *after* the events you sponsor?

Large crowds and rousing talks are all well and good. But did someone's life change?

If everyone went back to business as usual, we would not spend another dime of your hard-earned money on conferences.

But the reality is very different.

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**Meet Rafaela! Asel saved her from abortion after attending one of your conferences.**

Dear Friends in Christ,

Standing up for the Truth in a culture of lies takes courage.

It's one thing to be pro-life from the sidelines. It's another thing to enter the fray. **Thank you for being courageous.**

Your gifts are hard at work in the mission field helping families break out of sin.

Because of you, conferences are turning participants into pro-life warriors (pg 1). Mothers in India are choosing life (pg 5). And another abortion bill just bit the dust in Malawi (pg 3).

Yes, we still have a long way to go. *But* never be alarmed by the size of the task! **God only asks for our best. He will provide the rest.**

As always, I am praying for you and your family, especially at Holy Mass.

Yours in Christ and Our Lady,

Fr. Shenan J. Boquet



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President

**Your conferences change hearts, minds, and lives. The people who come leave empowered to transform the world. And transform it they do.**

### **BRINGING THE MESSAGE BEYOND THE LECTURE HALL**

Asel was just one of the hundreds who attended your Asia Pacific Conference in January, 2020.

The talks inspired her and deepened her knowledge of Catholic teaching, especially on contraception. Though Asel was a protestant, what you taught her rang true.

She told her husband about what she had learned. They both felt that this teaching is so important, it had to be shared. When they got stuck in Namibia during the lockdowns, they decided to start spreading the word right there.

Together they traveled to protestant parishes preaching the truth about contraception. Many of the people who came to listen had never heard this teach-



**Asel joined the Catholic Church this year. You helped her on her conversion journey by connecting her with Catholic friends at the Asia Pacific Conference.**

ing before. **Their work has freed dozens of marriages from contraception.**

**And in the process, they also rescued children from abortion.**

### **ASEL'S MISSION WORK SAVES LIVES**

Just last month, a young woman who heard about their pro-life ministry asked them for help. She wanted to give life to her baby, but she couldn't feed herself and her family.

Asel and her husband were happy to help. They are keeping mother and baby healthy by sending food to the family.

**This is the third baby Asel has saved from abortion since attending your conference.** The first, baby Mercy, is a year old now.

As Asel's story shows, when you fund a conference your message doesn't stay shut up in a lecture hall. Years after an event, people like Asel are out there spreading the Word and saving lives.

### **BLESSED WITH THE GIFT OF CONVERSION**

Your conference empowered Asel and her husband to change the world around them. And it also sparked a spiritual change in their own hearts.

They saw the richness of Catholic teaching on life and family. They befriended some of your missionaries. And the Holy Spirit used this to lead them on a path to conversion.

**Earlier this year Asel's husband returned to the Church, and Asel became a Catholic as well.**

Please join us in thanking God for Asel's conversion, and for all her amazing mission work.

**And thank you for making change possible by sponsoring the events that empower pro-lifers like Asel.**



# Malawi's Secret Abortion Bill Exposed with Your Help

Malawi is safe this year. But we need your pro-active support to protect this country long-term.

The pro-aborts are up to their old tricks in Malawi. But thanks to you, they didn't get far.

This summer, Fr. Zikomankhani of HLI Malawi was surprised to see an abortion bill up for discussion.

This is the same bill you helped stop last year. But this time lawmakers brought it forward secretly. Catholics in parliament told Fr. Z. that the bill's supporters got huge bribes from pro-abortion groups.



Fr. Z. fought the Malawi abortion bill through Catholic TV and Radio programs. Your gifts made this work possible. Thank you!

## YOU HELPED MALAWIANS STOP THIS EVIL BILL

Fr. Z. got to work right away rallying pro-lifers in parliament and the Malawian people. **With your support, he built strong opposition to the bill through Radio and TV programs.**

This strategy still works, but it's getting more and more difficult.

Pro-abortion groups paid some networks not to run any pro-life material. On others they bought up the airtime, driving prices out of our budget range.

**Thanks be to God, the Catholic networks in Malawi did not accept any of their blood money. And they have a long reach. Your message made a serious impact through these channels.**

After Fr. Z started talking about the bill, Malawians shouted for parliament to drop it. Lawmakers listened, and the abortion bill died before reaching the discussion stage.

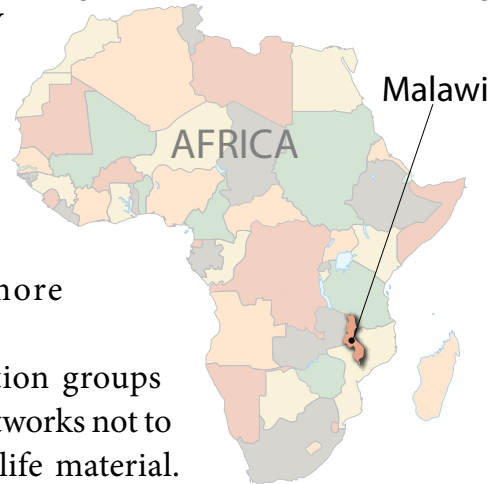
Thank you for making this victory possible!

## THE PLAN TO KEEP PRE-BORN MALAWIANS SAFE LONG-TERM

Your impact through the Catholic stations did the trick this time, but the pro-aborts aren't giving up. They'll be back next year with another scheme.

With your pro-active support now, we can be ready for them.

We don't have to outspend the anti-lifers on



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media sprints. **The solution is consistent personal pro-life education all over Malawi. To accomplish that, we need your consistent support.**

You can stop abortion by teaching Malawians the truth about life and family.

A pre-born child is as human as you and me. Contraception leads to sickness and misery. Chastity is key to a happy marriage. Malawians who know these truths will never accept abortion in their country.

Spreading this message all over Malawi is possible. In fact, with your help, it's already happening.

**You are training priests, religious men and women, teachers, parents, and other leaders to spread the pro-life message. And young Malawians are hearing it at home, at school, and in church.**

But to stay ahead of the pro-aborts we need to step up our efforts. And we can't do it without your help.

Thank you so much for your amazing generosity! You made it possible to stop abortion from spreading in Malawi this year. And with your continued support, pre-born Malawians will be safe for years to come.

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# Your Pro-life Education Program Saves Lives in India

See how three mothers' minds changed when they learned the truth about life and family.

Anti-lifers want you to think that every abortion is an informed choice.

Your missionaries know this is far from the truth. Fr. Alex of HLI India meets women all the time who think they want abortion or contraception. But they have no idea what the consequences might be.

That is why there is such a great need for your pro-life education programs. **When it's about life and family issues education, quite literally, saves lives. Thank you so much for bringing the truth to India, and around the world!**

The goal is always to bring families to Christ. But sometimes a simple fact like "abortion can cause cancer," is a good place to start. It can cause a mother to stop and think, opening her mind to the truth about life and family.

**Let's look at the impact of your education on three women from Karwar, India** (names are changed for privacy).

## **NOOR: I WANT MY BABY**

This mother wanted an abortion because she already had two children. She was taught that three is too many.

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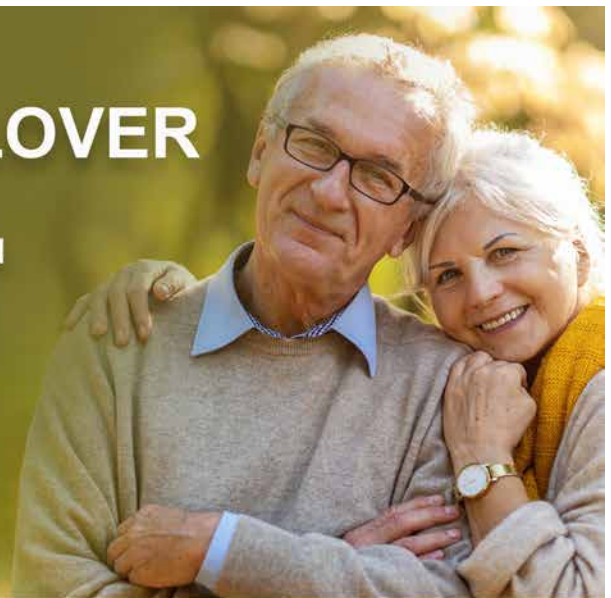
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**They explained that a pre-born child is so much more than a piece of flesh. It's her son or daughter, already alive and needing her love and care.** They told her how so many women are hurting because they threw away this gift from God.

Noor's response was simple: "I want my baby."

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### **HARINI: I WILL NEVER DO SUCH A MISTAKE!**

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This young wife thought she was pregnant again too soon after her first child. She planned to abort the baby and get an IUD.

Your missionaries told her about the risk of infection and chronic bleeding from both procedures. She was surprised and said, “I will never do such a mistake!”

Harini still has more to learn about God’s plan for life and family. But this encounter with your pro-life education program made great progress. **Her baby is safe. She is free from the sin of contraception. And she formed a relationship of trust with your missionary.**

### **AAYANA: I AM OPEN TO LIFE**

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Aayana was never going to have children. She

thought pregnancy would ruin her beauty. So when she found herself with child, she wanted an abortion.

But she thought twice when your missionaries told her about the risk of breast cancer. Her mind began to change as she learned about the humanity of her child, and the violence of abortion.

**Soon she started to think that a beautiful family could be even better than a beautiful body. Now she says, “I am open to life.”**

### **YOU MAKE IT ALL POSSIBLE**

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Evil likes to hide. The less we know about it, the more it can worm its way into our culture.

Thank you for exposing the evil of abortion and contraception. You are saving children and helping families around the world live in the Truth.

## **THANK YOU for making change possible!**

Every story you read in Mission Report is a snapshot of your impact. Your gifts are saving lives and souls all over the world. None of this amazing work would be possible without you.

Thank you for building a pro-life world.

Please pray for the mission. I’ll be praying for you.



Fr. Shenan J. Boquet