

Prayer for Protection



from the **Extreme Abortion Amendment**

Almighty and Eternal God,
we thank you for the sacred gift of every human life
created in your image and likeness.

We pray for an end to the grave evil of abortion and ask
that you protect our Commonwealth of Virginia from the
dangers of the proposed extreme abortion amendment.

Grant wisdom and compassion to our legislators, healing
to all who have been wounded by abortion, and courage to
your people to speak the truth in charity.

Hear the prayers of your children as we pray and fast in
reparation for sins against the human person. Inspire
parents to defend their children by opposing this resolution
which can jeopardize the authority, rights and
responsibility you have entrusted to them.

Through the Holy Spirit's gift of fortitude, may our
Shepherds be bold in their defense of the unborn, leading
us in this critical hour, as we educate and engage all
citizens of Virginia to vote against the amendment and to
persevere in protecting all human life.

May the Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of God
and Mother of the Church, come to our aid.

Through Christ our Lord. Amen.