Annual Powell Pony Race

Great, quality fun for the whole family!

Cash Prizes!

Food and Drinks available

Feb. 26th 2017

Doors open 12 noon, Races start 1 PM

Location: The Commons

Calcutta auction - proceeds to charities

Food: Hot dogs, Chili, Chili dogs, nachos, beer, pop

Jockeys ages 4 to 9 years old
Our Trip to Cheyenne for the March for Life!

By Marion Spiering

Once again, we had a successful trip to Cheyenne for the March for Life. Eight teens were able to go and witness to the sanctity of life at our state capitol, as well as our two chaperones and their kids. The people we stayed with graciously opened their home to us, and were extremely welcoming.

On Friday night we went to a pro-life holy hour that was being held in St. Mary’s Cathedral. The deacon leading it mentioned how he used to be disappointed by the size of the crowds at these pro-life events. However, he finished with saying that the size is not what really matters, quoting St. Teresa of Calcutta, “I was not called to be successful, I was called to be faithful.”

The following day, Saturday, we attended Mass in the Cathedral with a breakfast following in the parish hall, and then we proceeded to the Cheyenne Depot.
There we listened to several speakers as well as the essay contest winners, which included myself and another of the Teens for Life members, Cecilia Spiering. After the rally, we, along with 415 others, marched to the Capitol Building where we listened to remarks from two state representatives, and from Dr. Alveda King, the niece of Dr. Martin Luther King Jr.

At the banquet that evening, Dr. King spoke again, but in more detail. She told us about the importance of continuing in the pro-life movement even after you “pass the torch on.” In addition, she spoke of her two past abortions and how she believed what the abortion facility workers told her, that the baby was, “Just some tissue,” and how her grandfather was the one that changed her mind and told the truth, that they were actually babies that were killed. She is now the director of Civil Rights for the Unborn.

After the banquet, we stayed one more night and left the following day, Sunday, after attending Mass in the Cathedral.

Throughout the whole trip we were not only inspired to keep fighting in the pro-life cause, we also inspired others by the very fact of our group’s existence and our presence there. That would not be possible without our generous supporters. First, I want to thank the teens that went and their parents; without the parents support it is extremely difficult for teens to get involved. From the anonymous donor that helped with the cost of our meals, to the Knights of Columbus, and our wonderful chaperones/drivers, and all the people who bought things from our bake sale, to all of you, please receive our heartfelt thanks.