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Archbishop Robert J. Carlson Responds to House Bill 126

"Missouri Stands for the Unborn Act"

ST. LOUIS – The Most Reverend Robert J. Carlson, Archbishop of St. Louis, issued the following statement in response to the passage of House Bill 126 "Missouri Stands for the Unborn Act."

"During the Annual March for Life in January, I walked with those proclaiming a culture of life. We all have a responsibility to do what we can so that in this nation, in our families, in our archdiocese, we choose life unconditionally. What we are now witnessing here in Missouri are lawmakers exercising that responsibility, and we commend them for working to protect the innocent and vulnerable. We pray that the love of Jesus Christ touches our hearts, so we all become witnesses to the protection and nurturing of all life."

- Most Reverend Robert J. Carlson Archbishop of St. Louis

The Archdiocese of St. Louis offers support for all of those looking for hope and healing at **archstl.org/hope-healing** or calling the Respect Life Apostolate of the Archdiocese of St. Louis at (314) 792-7555.

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