Local Oratory Competitions

Northern Michigan

- **Grand Traverse Area** Right to Life
  Local Coordinator: Ashley Moeggenberg
  Contact: director@gtartl.com or (231) 632-3005
  Deadline for Applications: March 16th at 4pm
  Local Contest Date: March 23rd at 6:30pm
  Location: St. Mary Lake Leelanau, 403 St. Mary's St. Lake Leelanau, MI 49653
- **Gaylord** County Right to Life
  Local Coordinator: Sherry Johnson
  Contact: sjohn554@hotmail.com or (989) 619-9040
  Deadline for Applications: March 9th
  Local Contest Date: March 14th
  Location: First Methodist Church Gaylord, MI

Northwest Michigan

- **Iron County** Right to Life
  Local Coordinator: Christina Velie
  Contact: cvelie@rtl.org or (906) 284-0484
  Deadline for Application: March 16th
  Date of Local Contest: March 23rd
  Location: Iron River Community Church of the Nazarene
  701 West Adams Street
  Iron River, MI 49935
- **Dickinson County** Right to Life
  Local Coordinator: Christina Velie
  Contact: cvelie@rtl.org or (906) 284-0484
  Deadline for Applications: March 17th
  Date of Local Contest: March 24th
  Location: Immaculate Conception Catholic Church
  506 Blaine Street
  Iron Mountain, MI 49801

West Michigan

- **Grand Rapids** Right to Life
  Local Coordinator: Laura Alexandria

Contact: info@grrtl.org or (616) 532-2300
Deadline for Applications: March 1st
Local Contest Date: March 24th
Location: Grand Rapids Right to Life 2340 Porter Street SW, Wyoming, MI 49519

- **Mason County** Right to Life
  Local Coordinator: Jennifer Richert
  Contact: masoncountyrtl@gmail.com or (231) 233- 2879
  Deadline for Application: March 13th
  Local Contest Date: March 21st 10am
  Location: Lighthouse Baptist Church
- **North Allegan** Right to Life
  Local Coordinator: Anita Lenhart
  Contact: neetsi505@aol.com or (616) 681-9379
  Deadline for Application: March 3rd
  Local Contest Date: March 10th
  Location: Visitation Hall 4790 22nd Ave. Dorr 49323
- **Tri Cities** & **Muskegon** Right to Life
  Local Coordinator: Theresa Giacalone
  Contact: tg@tricitiesrighttolife.org or (616) 842-0975
  Deadline for Application: March 24th by 5pm
  Local Contest Date: March 26th
  Location: Knights of Columbus Hall, 1416 Washington, Grand Haven, MI 49417
- **Newaygo** County Right to Life
  Local Coordinator: Gloria Huston
  Contact: gloriahuston@yahoo.com or (231) 301-2933
  Deadline for Application: March 28th
  Local Contest Date: March 30th 7pm
  Location: American Decency Association 203 East Main St. Fremont, MI 49412

Southwest Michigan

- **Berrien County** Right to Life
  Local Coordinator: Jenny Cummings
  Contact: info.bcrtl@gmail.com or (269) 431-0743
  Deadline for Application: February 21st
  Date of Local Contest: February 28th at 11am
  Location: The Shore Church 623 Church Street St. Joseph, MI 49085
- **Branch County** Right to Life
  Local Coordinator: David T-Coyle

Contact: d.coyle67@yahoo.com or (517) 278-6022
Deadline for Application: 2/28/2026
Local Contest Date: 03/07/2026
Location: Biggby Coffee- East 857 E Chicago St. Coldwater, MI 49036

- **Kalamazoo** & **Cass County** Right to Life
  Local Coordinator: Candice Courtney and Diane Erickson
  Contact: candcourtney73@gmail.com or (269) 312-9631, ericksondiane32@gmail.com
  Deadline for Application: March 21st
  Date of Local Contest: March 28th at 1:30pm
  Location: Christian Assembly of God Church 7835 Lovers Lane Portage, Mi 49002

Central Michigan

- **Clinton County** Right to Life
  Local Coordinator: Mary Beth Elstro
  Contact: elstrombe@hotmail.com or (517) 974-2499
  Deadline for Application: March 10
  Date of Local Contest: March 14th at 10am
  Location: St. Joseph's Catholic Church, St. Johns, MI
- **Shiawassee County** Right to Life
  Local Coordinator: Linda Hrcka
  Contact: rtlofshia@gmail.com or (989) 277-6388
  Deadline for Application: March 2nd
  Date of Local Contest: March 9th
  Location: Owosso City Church 521 East. William St. Owosso, MI

Northeast Michigan

- **Bay County** Right to Life
  Local Coordinator: Lisa Goss
  Contact: baycountyrtl@gmail.com or (989) 450-8128
  Deadline for Application: March 13th
  Date of Local Contest: March 22nd
  Location: St. Paul Lutheran Church
- **Huron County** Right to Life
  Local Coordinator: Kay Burton
  Contact: burton.michela@gmail.com
  Deadline for Application: March 6

Date of Local Contest: March 13
Location: Video Contest

- **Midland County** Right to Life
  Local Coordinator: Katie Reder
  Contact: Katie_reder@yahoo.com or (989) 430 7822
  Deadline for Application: March 3rd
  Date of Local Contest: March 5th
  Location: New Life Vineyard Church
- **Central Michigan** Right to Life
  Local Coordinator: Michele Reinke
  Contact: mreinke@sha.net or (989) 430-4342
  Deadline for Application: March 11, 2026
  Date of Local Contest: March 16, 2026 @ 5:30pm
  Location: Sacred heart Parish Knights of Columbus room: 302 S. Kinney, Mount Pleasant, MI 49958
- **Saginaw County** Right to Life
  Local Coordinator: Leeta Theiss
  Contact: sagcountyrtl@yahoo.com
  Deadline for Application: March 12th
  Date of Local Contest: March 16th
  Location: Valley Lutheran High School 3560 McCarty Rd. Saginaw, 48603
- **Sanilac County** Right to Life
  Local Coordinator: Amy Roggenbuck
  Contact: rtlsanilac@gmail.com or (810) 404-0860
  Deadline for Application: March 3rd
  Date of Local Contest: March 8th
  Location: Sandusky Baptist Church, 34 Gaige St. Sandusky, MI 48471

East Michigan

- Right to Life of **North Macomb County**
  Local Coordinator: Mila Nyeholt
  Contact: milanyeholt@gmail.com or (586) 229-3676
  Deadline for Applications: March 14th
  Date of Local Contest: March 28th
  Location: St. Mary Mystical Rose Church, Armada, MI
- **Oscoda County** Right to Life
  Local Coordinator: Joe Gibala and Pat Holsbeke
  Contact: horseygrandma2000@yahoo.com

Deadline for Applications: March 16th
Date of Local Contest: March 24th
Location: Mio Library 430 E 8th St, Mio, MI 48647

- **St. Clair County** Right to Life
  Local Coordinator: Anne Arendt
  Contact: aarendt@comcast.net or (810) 434-6409
  Deadline for Applications: March 1st
  Date of Local Contest: Match 14th
  Location: Cardinal Mooney Catholic High School, Marine City

Southeast Michigan

- **Downriver**, **Dearborn** and **Monroe County** Right to Life
  Local Coordinator: Mary Jane Favot
  Contact: mjfavot5347@gmail.com or (734) 626-3029
  Deadline for Application: March 8th
  Local Contest Date: March 14th
  Location: New Hope Assembly, Racho Rd. Taylor, MI
- **Lenawee** Right to Life
  Local Coordinator: Jamie Anderson
  Contact: jamesandjamie@aol.com or (517) 442-9521
  Deadline for Application: March 2nd
  Date of Local Contest: March 6th
  Location: St. John's Lutheran Church, Adrian MI
- **Plymouth** Right to Life
  Local Coordinator: Cara Jacoboni
  Contact: plymouthrtl@gmail.com or (734) 272-8090
  Deadline for Applications: March 4th
  Date of Local Contest: March 8th @2pm
  Location: Our Lady of Good Counsel 47650 N Territorial Rd, Plymouth, MI 48170