



# THE LUKE PROJECT 52 CLINIC OF FLINT NOVEMBER NEWSLETTER #1

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## WHY MOBILE PRENATAL CARE IS NECESSARY—A STORY

A young mother suffering from pre eclampsia in 1959 had a full-term daughter still born. Now 93, she has provided the funds to enable us to purchase our Mobile Prenatal Care Unit so that she can help young mothers avoid experiencing a similar tragedy. Now for the rest of the story...We received a call from a mother who was 35 weeks, had received no prenatal care, and had a history that put her and her baby at high risk for maternal and infant mortality. Instead of waiting to see her at our regular clinic in 10 days, we used our mobile unit. Staffed by CNM Lyric Walsh in consultation with our Medical Director, Dr. Sierra Cuthpert, 2 highly experienced RN's, and a pharmacist/driver, we were able to see her immediately to make sure she and baby were safe, arrange for her to be seen by Hurley's OB Clinic, provided transportation assistance to get to Hurley and her next appointment with us in 7 days, provided a winter coat, hat, and gloves for her young daughter, and when we found out she didn't have a winter coat, Lyric gave her her coat. This young mother has the same birthday as our 93 year old donor! Read 2 Corinthians 1:3-4. That is the rest of the story!



## LIVINGSTON COUNTY ULTRASOUND INITIATIVE & KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS DONATE A STATE OF THE ART 3D PORTABLE ULTRASOUND UNIT FROM SAMSUNG TO THE LUKE PROJECT 52 CLINIC OF FLINT



Already up and running with 6 patients who have been assigned their own personal experienced RN and using an ultrasound unit loaned to us, we have received word from the Knights of Columbus, after getting a \$6000 check from LCUI, that this gift put us over the top and a new, state of the art, 3D portable ultrasound will be coming shortly to the Luke Project 52 Clinic of Flint to be used in both our regular location and in our Mobile Prenatal Care Unit.



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