

# **AMERICAN CITIZENS CONCERNED FOR LIFE, INC., RECORDS, (1968) 1974-1982 (1986)**

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Federal Records

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## **Record Type**

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## **Scope and Content Note**

American Citizens Concerned for Life, Inc. (ACCL) was formed and incorporated in 1973 as a national membership association engaged in educational, legislative, research and service activities that promoted respect for human life in contemporary society. Specific issues addressed by the ACCL's programs included increased legal protection for life, maternal and child health programs, death and dying issues surrounding the elderly; as well as broad issues like health care for the poor, respect for the handicapped, and world hunger. The collection was donated by Joseph Lampe, who served in various roles within the ACCL (becoming president of the organization after the departure of Marjorie Mecklenburg).

### *Establishment*

The ACCL was founded in the wake of the 1973 United States Supreme Court cases of *Roe v. Wade* and *Doe v. Bolton*, both of which upheld a woman's right to an abortion. The core founders of the ACCL lived mainly in Minnesota and were instrumental in raising over \$50,000 for the establishment of a national pro-life group. This national group became known as the National Right to Life Committee (NRLC). Core ACCL founders, such as Marjory Mecklenburg, served in various capacities with the NRLC. The ACCL was legally incorporated before the NRLC, but the ACCL was held in abeyance until the NRLC's policies and direction became more clear.

In its first year of existence, the NRLC attempted to take on all areas of pro-life lobby functions: education, policy, legal, medical, amendment, state organizations and development, intergroup liaison, political, and publishing. At the end of the first year, the funding for the NRLC's programs proved to be insufficient. In 1974, the NRLC changed its focus to political actions that would result in a Constitutional Amendment banning abortion. It dropped all other programs.

The ACCL picked up several of the NRLC's dropped initiatives. The main goals of the ACCL in 1974 were to foster the development of the pro-life movement, develop supportive services for women and children, and work towards pro-life issues that were broader than abortion.

### *Programs and Services*

The ACCL developed a strategy of providing information services along with legislative services to the pro-life movement, staying away from direct services and

direct political action. Within this “consultant” role, the ACCL focused their services on four main areas; advocacy, instigation of social change, formation of grass-root organizations to further the goals of the cause, and lastly, coordination with other like-minded groups.

*Scope and Content of the ACCL Records (currently processed sections only)*

While certain items are dated as late as 1986, the bulk of the ACCL records are from 1974-1982. The records cover the establishment of the Minnesota Citizens Concerned for Life, and the growth of American Citizens Concerned for Life. Within the MCCL and ACCL records are the group’s mailings, educational materials and operating records. Also included within the collection is a significant body of materials related to the work of the National Right to Life Committee (1968-1977).

One segment within the collection focuses on Marjorie Mecklenburg’s appointment to the Office of Technology Assessment and the presidential elections of 1976 and 1980. In addition, the ACCL kept a clipping file on several of the key players in the abortion debate. The records are valuable sources about the political climate of abortion in the late 1970’s in America. Coordination with other pro-life groups is noted within the files and is a valuable source for understanding other anti-abortion groups.

Related Materials (February 2001)

The most significant Ford administration materials on abortion appear in White House Central Files category WE3: Family Planning, the Domestic Council Files of Sarah Massengale, and the Counsel’s Office Files of Philip Buchen and Bobbie Kilberg. Information on the abortion issue in the 1976 presidential campaign appears in the President Ford Committee Records.

The unprocessed papers of pro-life activist Judith Fink are not currently available for research.

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**March of Dimes, 1974-1979.**

(Boxes 1-2, 0.8 linear feet)

Publications and other materials produced by the March of Dimes for distribution of information about birth defects.

Arranged chronologically. Publications by the March of Dimes are included at the beginning of the file.

**Box 1 - March of Dimes**

<b>Status</b>	<b>Title</b>
OPEN	Publications (1)-(5)
OPEN	Teenage Pregnancy
OPEN	Undated

**Box 2 - March of Dimes**

<b>Status</b>	<b>Title</b>
OPEN	1974
OPEN	1975
OPEN	January-June1976
OPEN	July-December1976
OPEN	1977
OPEN	Speaker's Kit 1977
OPEN	1978
OPEN	1979

**Clippings and Miscellaneous Reference Materials, 1970-1975.**

(Boxes 3-4, 0.7 linear feet)

Press releases, newspaper clippings, newsletters and unpublished articles concerning abortion and the right to life movement.

Arranged chronologically.

**Box 3 - Clippings and Miscellaneous Reference Materials**

<b>Status</b>	<b>Title</b>
OPEN	Clippings 1971
OPEN	Clippings 1972
OPEN	Clippings 1973
OPEN	Miscellaneous
OPEN	Miscellaneous Reference Materials (1)-(10)

**Box 4 - Clippings and Miscellaneous Reference Materials**

<b>Status</b>	<b>Title</b>
OPEN	Miscellaneous Reference Materials (11)
OPEN	Miscellaneous Reference Materials, Political Action <b>National Right to Life Committee, 1968-1977.</b>

(Boxes 4-11, 3.2 linear feet)

Correspondence, notes, memos, agendas, minutes, press releases, publications, and newspaper clippings. The materials concern abortion and the organization and operation of the NRLC.

Arranged chronologically.

#### **Box 4 (Continued) - Early National Right to Life Committee**

<b>Status</b>	<b>Title</b>
OPEN	Rosters, Mailing Lists (1)-(2)
OPEN	Undated (1)-(2)
OPEN	National Right to Life Meeting, July 31-August 2, 1970
OPEN	1971
OPEN	1972
OPEN	National Right to Life Convention, June 16-18, 1972
OPEN	1973 (1)-(5)

#### **Box 5 - Early National Right to Life Committee**

<b>Status</b>	<b>Title</b>
OPEN	1973 (6)-(8)
OPEN	Board and Executive Committee, 1973 (1)-(9)

#### **Box 6 - Early National Right to Life Committee**

<b>Status</b>	<b>Title</b>
OPEN	Bylaws, 1973
OPEN	National Right to Life Convention, June 8-10, 1973 (1)-(2)
OPEN	Constitutional Amendment, 1973
OPEN	The Greene Sheet, 1973
OPEN	Handwritten Notes, 1973
OPEN	Mailings to Right to Life Committees, 1973
OPEN	Mid-Year Report, 1973 (1)-(4)

<b>Status</b>	<b>Title</b>
OPEN	Resumes, 1973
OPEN	States Program Committee, 1973 (1)-(2)

### **Box 7 - Early National Right to Life Committee**

<b>Status</b>	<b>Title</b>
OPEN	States Program Committee, 1973 (3)-(6)
OPEN	1974 (1)-(5)
OPEN	Board and Executive Committee, 1974 (1)-(2)

### **Box 8 - Early National Right to Life Committee**

<b>Status</b>	<b>Title</b>
OPEN	Board and Executive Committee, 1974 (3)-(15)

### **Box 9 - Early National Right to Life Committee**

<b>Status</b>	<b>Title</b>
OPEN	Budget, 1974
OPEN	Bylaws Revision, 1974 (1)-(4)
OPEN	Convention, 1974
OPEN	The Greene Sheet, 1974
OPEN	Roncallo Amendment, 1974 (1)-(2)
OPEN	State Board Members, 1974
OPEN	1975 (1)-(4)

### **Box 10 - Early National Right to Life Committee**

<b>Status</b>	<b>Title</b>
OPEN	Board of Directors, 1975(1)-(5)
OPEN	Convention, June 1975
OPEN	Exhibit and Educational Materials, 1975
OPEN	1976 (1)-(4)

### **Box 11 - Early National Right to Life Committee**

<b>Status</b>	<b>Title</b>
OPEN	Convention, 1976
OPEN	National Right to Life News, 1976
OPEN	1977 (1)-(4)
OPEN	Convention, 1977

<b>Status</b>	<b>Title</b>
OPEN	National Right to Life News, 1977 (1)-(2)

**Minnesota Concerned Citizens for Life, 1970-1977.**

(Boxes 11-13, 1.0 linear feet)

Publications, memoranda, agenda, minutes and reports related to the formation and functions of the state-wide pro-life group.

Arranged chronologically.

**Box 11 (Continued) - Minnesota Citizens Concerned for Life**

<b>Status</b>	<b>Title</b>
OPEN	Undated
OPEN	1971
OPEN	1972
OPEN	1973
OPEN	Fundraising, Seattle, Washington, 1973
OPEN	1974

**Box 12 - Minnesota Citizens Concerned for Life**

<b>Status</b>	<b>Title</b>
OPEN	Board Meeting, December 1976
OPEN	Board Meeting, March 1977—Research Project
OPEN	Convention, 1975
OPEN	Convention, 1976
OPEN	Constitution and Bylaws
OPEN	Executive Committee
OPEN	Fact File
OPEN	Information Mailings 1977
OPEN	Legal Documents
OPEN	Lifemobile
OPEN	Mailing Lists
OPEN	March of Dimes Material
OPEN	Maternal/Newborn Advocate Newsletters

<b>Status</b>	<b>Title</b>
OPEN	Miscellaneous Information
OPEN	Mission Possible
OPEN	Newsletters (1)-(2)

**Box 13 - Minnesota Citizens Concerned for Life**

<b>Status</b>	<b>Title</b>
OPEN	Newsletters (3)
OPEN	Notes from NRL Organizational Meeting
OPEN	Organizational Development Report & Bylaws
OPEN	Organizational Notes; Meeting Notes (1)-(3)
OPEN	Political Material
OPEN	State of Minnesota Court Cases (1)-(3)
OPEN	State of Minnesota Legislation
OPEN	State Organizational Meeting Notes

**American Citizens Concerned for Life Administrative File, 1973-1986.**

(Boxes 14-42, 12.3 linear feet)

Correspondence, memoranda, agenda, minutes and publications relating to the functions of the ACCL and their pro-life activities.

The series is divided into sub-series of general correspondence, program, organizational planning, organizational development, office management, board of directors, people, fundraising, Kennedy Foundation proposal, development, special events, special projects, newsletters and publications, Office of Technology Assessment, and educational materials. Files within each sub-series are arranged alphabetically.

**Box 14 - ACCL Administrative File: General Correspondence**

<b>Status</b>	<b>Title</b>
OPEN	Activities
OPEN	Aged, Sweden
OPEN	Closed Correspondence, 1980-1982 (1)-(3)
OPEN	Correspondence, 1978 (1)-(2)
OPEN	Correspondence, 1979 (1)-(2)



<b>Status</b>	<b>Title</b>
OPEN	Editorials, 1976-1984
OPEN	Family Planning/Supportive Services Mailing
OPEN	General Correspondence, 1980 (1)-(5)
OPEN	General Correspondence, 1982

**Box 15 - ACCL Administrative File: General Correspondence**

<b>Status</b>	<b>Title</b>
OPEN	General Correspondence, 1983 (1)-(2)
OPEN	General Request File (1)-(2)
OPEN	Letters Re: ACCL Organization from late 1974
OPEN	Letters to the Editor, 1976-1984 (1)-(2)
OPEN	M. Mecklenburg—Personal Correspondence File
OPEN	Mail Responses From Mail-O-Gram
OPEN	Mailings/Pamphlets
OPEN	Marjory Mecklenburg, Correspondence, 1977-1979
OPEN	Media Correspondence, 1982
OPEN	Miscellaneous Correspondence, undated
OPEN	Miscellaneous Correspondence, 1975 (1)-(3)

**Box 16 - ACCL Administrative File: General Correspondence**

<b>Status</b>	<b>Title</b>
OPEN	Miscellaneous Correspondence, 1976-1977
OPEN	Miscellaneous Correspondence, 1978
OPEN	Miscellaneous Correspondence, 1981 (1)-(2)
OPEN	Miscellaneous Correspondence, 1982 (1)-(2)
OPEN	Miscellaneous Correspondence, 1983 (1)-(2)
OPEN	Miscellaneous Correspondence, 1984
OPEN	Organizational/Start-up Notes
OPEN	Planning
OPEN	Political Actions
OPEN	Press Releases
OPEN	Radio & TV Commentary, 1976-1984
OPEN	S 2910 Grants

**Box 17 - ACCL Administrative File: General Correspondence**

<b>Status</b>	<b>Title</b>
OPEN	Student Request Files (1)-(2)

**Box 17 (Continued) - ACCL Administrative File: Program**

<b>Status</b>	<b>Title</b>
OPEN	ACCL, 1974
OPEN	ACCL Philosophy & Objectives
OPEN	Accomplishments, January 1981
OPEN	Bill Hunt Fund Project
OPEN	Chapter Organizations
OPEN	Editorial Statement October 1980 Update
OPEN	Encyclopedia of Associations
OPEN	History & Program: Statement of Purpose
OPEN	Insiders Mailing Ideas
OPEN	Letters to Prospective Members
OPEN	Q & A File, 1975 (1)-(2)

**Box 18 - ACCL Administrative File: Organizational Planning**

<b>Status</b>	<b>Title</b>
OPEN	ACCL Budget: Cash Flow, May-August 1980
OPEN	ACCL Core Group, 1978
OPEN	Budgets
OPEN	Kokaisel Design Projects, August 1978
OPEN	Legislative Program Board Planning
OPEN	Local League Finance Training, July 26, 1973
OPEN	Miscellaneous Letters
OPEN	Organizational Development Catalogs
OPEN	President's Advisory Committee, 1977
OPEN	Priority Goals, 1978
OPEN	Steering Committee
OPEN	Strategy, November 1977

**Box 18 (Continued) - ACCL Administrative File: Organizational Development**

<b>Status</b>	<b>Title</b>
OPEN	Communication, Leadership (1)-(2)
OPEN	Courtesy Associates
OPEN	Miscellaneous Office Management, Washington Office
OPEN	Mobilizing Pro-Life Forces
OPEN	Organizational Development., 1977
OPEN	State Organizational Booklet (1)-(2)
OPEN	Volunteer File
OPEN	Volunteer Information (1)-(2)

**Box 19 - ACCL Administrative File: Office Management**

<b>Status</b>	<b>Title</b>
OPEN	American Society of Association Executives (1)-(6)
OPEN	Bev Abrahamson
OPEN	ED Fund, Education Plan, September 1979-September 1980
OPEN	Employment Forms, Amsterdam Printing
OPEN	Employment, January 1980
OPEN	Fundraising
OPEN	Funds for National Pro-Life Office, 1973
OPEN	Intern Program

**Box 20 - ACCL Administrative File: Office Management**

<b>Status</b>	<b>Title</b>
OPEN	Joint Fundraising Cocktail Party: ACCL, Edina MCCL, HPCL, December 1, 1979
OPEN	Non-Profit Organization Questionnaire
OPEN	PIC-PIC
OPEN	Employment Applications, Pre-1980 (1)-(2)
OPEN	Priests, August 1977
OPEN	Researchers; Re: ACCL
OPEN	Resumes/Prospective Employees
OPEN	Sandy Shroder

**Box 20 (Continued) - ACCL Administrative File: Board of Directors**

<b>Status</b>	<b>Title</b>
OPEN	ACCL Board Mailings, June 26, 1982
OPEN	ACCL Board Mailings, May 2, 1983
OPEN	ACCL Speakers/Board Letters/Information on Board Members
OPEN	Board of Directors, General File
OPEN	Board of Directors, Mailings: 12/18/81; 2/3/82; 6/26/82;8/2/82
OPEN	Board of Directors, Responses from Mailings, 1980
OPEN	Board of Directors, Unofficial Correspondence, 1977
OPEN	Board Mailing, ACCL Board & Officers, April 6, 1982
OPEN	Board Mailing, November 18, 1975
OPEN	Board Mailing, April 4, 1976 (1)-(2)

**Box 21 - ACCL Administrative File: Office Management**

<b>Status</b>	<b>Title</b>
OPEN	Board Mailing, December 2, 1981
OPEN	Board Mailing, March 16, 1982
OPEN	Board Mailing, October 1982
OPEN	Board Mailing, December 1983
OPEN	Congressional Action Project Advisory Board, January-May 1977 (1)-(2)
OPEN	David Allen, M.D.
OPEN	David Novak, MHL, Ph.D.
OPEN	Expanded Board of Directors, 1977
OPEN	Hymie Gordon, M.D.
OPEN	Jan Wilkings
OPEN	Jean Garton
OPEN	Judith Fink
OPEN	Board Meeting, May 1980
OPEN	O'Connor, Paul, Treasurer
OPEN	Originals, Board Packet; November 17, 1977 (1)-(2)
OPEN	Paul Ramsey, Ph.D.

<b>Status</b>	<b>Title</b>
OPEN	Rev. Richard John Neuhaus
OPEN	Rev. Robert Holbrook
OPEN	Rev. William C. Hunt, S.T.D. (1)-(2)

**Box 22 - ACCL Administrative File: Board of Directors**

<b>Status</b>	<b>Title</b>
OPEN	Seymour Siegel, DHL
OPEN	Sidney Cornelia Callahan
OPEN	Thomas Gray
OPEN	Valerie Vance Dillion

**Box 22 (Continued) - ACCL Administrative File: People—General**

<b>Status</b>	<b>Title</b>
OPEN	Abzug
OPEN	Paul Andreini
OPEN	Michael Barone
OPEN	Dr. Maxwell Barr
OPEN	Daniel Barrigan
OPEN	Thea Rossi Barron
OPEN	James Beatty
OPEN	Dr. Ernst Benda
OPEN	C. Bendorf
OPEN	Leon Blair
OPEN	Pat Boone, 1983
OPEN	Joe Boyle
OPEN	William Brennan, Ph.D. (St. Louis)
OPEN	James Buckley
OPEN	Bulfin
OPEN	W.C. Burns
OPEN	Dainel Callahan
OPEN	Bishop Carroll
OPEN	Jerome J. Choromanski
OPEN	Flora Coan

<b>Status</b>	<b>Title</b>
OPEN	Dennis Cook (1)-(2)
OPEN	Cranford, Dr. Ronald E.
OPEN	Erma Craven
OPEN	Irvin M. Cushnev
OPEN	Dorothy Czarnecki
OPEN	Doug Dahl
OPEN	Mark Dayton
OPEN	Pat DeGrinney
OPEN	James DeMarce
OPEN	Dr. Eugene Diamond
OPEN	Ray DiBlasio
OPEN	Elizabeth Dole
OPEN	Phil Donahue
OPEN	Arthur J. Dyck
OPEN	Rev. Calvin J. Eichhorst
OPEN	The Honorable Arlen Erdahl
OPEN	Nancy Etwiler

**Box 23 - ACCL Administrative File: People—General**

<b>Status</b>	<b>Title</b>
OPEN	Mia Farrow
OPEN	Gerald R. Ford
OPEN	Gloria Ford
OPEN	Anne Fox
OPEN	Donald M. Fraser
OPEN	Sue Fremgan
OPEN	Betty Friedan
OPEN	Jo Ann Gasper
OPEN	Ellen Goodman
OPEN	Miriam Gray
OPEN	Nellie Gray
OPEN	Greeley

<b>Status</b>	<b>Title</b>
OPEN	Greene
OPEN	The Honorable Thomas Hagedorn
OPEN	John Hagen
OPEN	Mari Anne Hamilton
OPEN	Denise Handler
OPEN	Alice Hartle
OPEN	Hellegers
OPEN	General Patrick J. Hessian
OPEN	Msgr. George G. Higgins
OPEN	Cynthia Hilton
OPEN	Dennis Horan
OPEN	Humphrey
OPEN	Jessie Jackson
OPEN	Mildred Jefferson
OPEN	Mary R. Joyce
OPEN	Karl Kassulke
OPEN	James Kelly
OPEN	Michael L. Koempol
OPEN	Janet Krocheski
OPEN	David Kucharsky
OPEN	Ralph Kuether
OPEN	Kuharski Testimony
OPEN	Mary Ann Kuharski
OPEN	Timothy LaHaye
OPEN	Joseph Lampe
OPEN	Lannan
OPEN	Harold Lindsell
OPEN	Eugene Linse
OPEN	Juli Loesch
OPEN	Dr. Pere Lonning

<b>Status</b>	<b>Title</b>
OPEN	Clare Booth Luce
OPEN	Coleman McCarthy
OPEN	McCormack
OPEN	Bob McCoy
OPEN	Mary & Michael McGillicuddy
OPEN	McLaughlin

**Box 24 - ACCL Administrative File: People—General**

<b>Status</b>	<b>Title</b>
OPEN	Wanda Macy
OPEN	David Mall
OPEN	Carol Los Mansmann
OPEN	John Markest
OPEN	Connie Marshner
OPEN	Marx
OPEN	Dr. Fred Mecklenburg (1)-(2)
OPEN	M. Mecklenburg
OPEN	Kenneth Miller
OPEN	March Of Dimes, 1980
OPEN	Mooney
OPEN	Jim Mooney
OPEN	J. Patrick Moore
OPEN	Bob Morrison
OPEN	Candice Mueller
OPEN	Bernard N. Nathanson
OPEN	Nelson
OPEN	Jack Nicholson
OPEN	Nix
OPEN	Jacqueline M. Nolan-Haley
OPEN	John T. Noonan, Jr.
OPEN	Elizabeth W. Numrich
OPEN	Olivaraz



<b>Status</b>	<b>Title</b>
OPEN	Lawrence O'Shaughnessy
OPEN	P.T.A. Contacts
OPEN	Payant
OPEN	Bill Pierce
OPEN	Plante
OPEN	Pope John Paul II
OPEN	Powell
OPEN	Prem
OPEN	Jacob A. O. Preus
OPEN	Psychiatrists
OPEN	Louis H. Pumphrey
OPEN	Jeremy Rifkin
OPEN	John Riley
OPEN	Rosemarie B. Ryan
OPEN	St. Martin-Thomas
OPEN	Warren Schaller

**Box 25 - ACCL Administrative File: People—General**

<b>Status</b>	<b>Title</b>
OPEN	Joseph Scheidler
OPEN	Phyllis Schlafly
OPEN	Sandy Schroeder
OPEN	John Scullin
OPEN	Selzer
OPEN	Mary Senander
OPEN	Shriver
OPEN	S. Simmons
OPEN	Sipple
OPEN	Madonna (Donna) Spaeth
OPEN	Gloria Steinem
OPEN	Joe Sullivan
OPEN	Sutherland, Sutherland Learning Assc.

<b>Status</b>	<b>Title</b>
OPEN	Honorable Richard S. Schweiker
OPEN	Oren Teicher
OPEN	Mother Teresa
OPEN	Thomas
OPEN	Michael Thompson
OPEN	Roger Toogood
OPEN	Jome Toscano
OPEN	Patrick Trueman
OPEN	Valdettare, Gemma M.
OPEN	Paula Vandegaer
OPEN	John Vasconcelles
OPEN	Maris Vinorskis
OPEN	Dennis Wadley
OPEN	Marlene Walters
OPEN	Sarah Weddington
OPEN	Marvin Weinberger
OPEN	Roy Weir
OPEN	Margaret White
OPEN	Faith Ryan Whittlesey
OPEN	George F. Will
OPEN	Wilke
OPEN	Mark Winiarski
OPEN	Pat Zenner
OPEN	Dan Ziedler

**Box 26 - ACCL Administrative File: Fundraising/Mailings**

<b>Status</b>	<b>Title</b>
OPEN	February 13, 1976
OPEN	ACCL Fundraising
OPEN	ACCL Position on Pregnancy Disability Bill, March 8, 1978
OPEN	Action Alert
OPEN	Action Alert, August 1979

Status	Title
OPEN	Adolescent Pregnancy Bill Mailing, June 5, 1978
OPEN	America, December 1980
OPEN	America, May 19, 1981
OPEN	America, Library Mailings
OPEN	Assistant, Old Mailings, July 1979
OPEN	Alternatives to Abortion Questionnaire, April 14, 1977
OPEN	Birthright Mailing, October 21, 1975
OPEN	CAP Mailing to Bill Burns list, April 1977
OPEN	CAP Mailing to Catholic Priests, April 1977
OPEN	CAP Mailing to House List, April 1977
OPEN	CAP Mailing to Petition Signers, April 1977
OPEN	Campaign for Human Life
OPEN	Cause for Concern, October 1977
OPEN	Complimentary Outgoing April Letter
OPEN	Congressional Alert, Testimony, Senate
OPEN	Congressional Action Donor, Follow-up, January 25, 1978
OPEN	Development Fund Letter to Large Donors, December 1981
OPEN	Direct Mail
OPEN	Direct Mail, Cost Sheets
OPEN	Direct Mail, Doug's Letters
OPEN	Doctor's Mailing, December 29, 1976
OPEN	Doctor's Mailing, 1977
OPEN	Donor Follow-up Mailing, February 4, 1977
OPEN	Fund Drive Follow-up Letters
OPEN	Fundraising
OPEN	Fundraising Letters, pre1979 (1)-(3)
OPEN	Fundraising Mail-O-Gram to Donors, April 1984
OPEN	Government Grant Proposal (1)-(3)

**Box 27 - ACCL Administrative File: Fundraising/Mailings**

**Status**

**Title**

OPEN HEW Budget Mailing, February 3, 1978

OPEN House Hearings, October 11, 1975

OPEN House Hearings, December 15, 1975

OPEN House Hearings, January 13, 1976

OPEN House Hearings, January 25, 1976

OPEN House Hearings, February 25, 1976

OPEN House Hearings, March 15, 1976

OPEN House Hearings, March 17, 1976

OPEN House Hearings & CAP Background

OPEN House Hearings, Follow-up, March 1976

OPEN House Hearings Letters

OPEN House Hearings Lutheran Church

OPEN House Hearings Report, May 17, 1976

OPEN Kennedy Foundation Proposal, February 1979

OPEN Lapac List Mailing, March 28, 1980

OPEN Legislation Bill F3 (Adoption Bill), May 12, 1977

OPEN Legislative Bulletin, May 9, 1977

OPEN Legislative Bulletin & Pregnancy Disability Packet, April 20, 1977

OPEN Legislative Bulletin F4, July 11, 1977

OPEN Legislative Report, May 5, 1977

OPEN Letter Re:S2910 (Kennedy Bill)

OPEN Letters to Hymie Gordon

OPEN MN Priests, December 1977

OPEN MN Pro-life Leaders, May 13, 1977

OPEN MN Prospect Mailing, November 13, 1976

OPEN Mailogram, September 14, 1975

OPEN Mailogram, July 18, 1977

OPEN Mailogram (to all ACCL Donors), August 12, 1978

OPEN Mailogram, September 1978

OPEN Mailogram, July 3, 1980

OPEN Mailgram to MN Priests

OPEN	Membership Renewal, December 1, 1977
OPEN	Membership Renewal, February 1978
OPEN	Membership Renewal, February 23, 1979
OPEN	Membership Renewal, June 1, 1981
OPEN	Membership Renewal, October 22, 1981
OPEN	Membership Renewal Follow-up, November 1980
OPEN	Memo, March 24, 1976
OPEN	Michigan Prospect List, August 16, 1984
OPEN	Minneapolis-St.Paul Priests Mailing, October 10, 1976

**Box 28 - ACCL Administrative File: Fundraising/Mailings**

<b>Status</b>	<b>Title</b>
OPEN	NCEA Member Letter, July 12, 1979
OPEN	NCR, America, Commonwealth Prospect Mailing, June 1980
OPEN	NCR Mailing, May 21, 1981
OPEN	News Release, November 30, 1977
OPEN	November 1976 Mailing to MN non-members
OPEN	Oberstar Dinner
OPEN	Originals, Adolescent Pregnancy Bill
OPEN	Past Donor Follow-up, November 8, 1977
OPEN	Past Due Membership Renewal, February 1979
OPEN	Past Due Membership, April 1980
OPEN	Past Due Membership Letter, April 1978
OPEN	Possible Follow-up
OPEN	Previous Donor Follow-up, June 1977
OPEN	Previous Donor Follow-up, July 1977
OPEN	Previous Donor Mailings, December 21, 1976
OPEN	Priests, July 1977
OPEN	Priests (no salutation), September 1977
OPEN	Priests Follow-up Mailing, February 21, 1977
OPEN	Priests, Fr. Hunt's Letters, September 1977
OPEN	Pro-life Leaders—LHJ Competition "Woman of the Year"
OPEN	Prospect Letter, September 1982

<b>Status</b>	<b>Title</b>
OPEN	Prospect Letter to Complementary's, December 1984
OPEN	Prospect Letters
OPEN	Prospect Mailing, September 1982
OPEN	Prospect Mailing, Religious Leaders, October 1984
OPEN	Prospect Mailing Responses, June 1980
OPEN	Regular Membership Renewal, April 1975
OPEN	Reminder to 1978 Donors, February 1981
OPEN	Sample Mailings, 1982
OPEN	"Save a Life" & "Johnny" Fundraising Letter, March 1980
OPEN	"Save a Life Now" Letter, August 1979
OPEN	Schlesinger Library
OPEN	Second Notice—Membership Renewal, March 27, 1979
OPEN	September 1979 Save a Life Today
OPEN	Shafer Koop Fundraising Letter
OPEN	Supreme Court Decision, July 16, 1976
OPEN	Update, May 1976
OPEN	Update #4, September 27, 1975
OPEN	Update—Birthright, October 23, 1975
OPEN	Updates 1-2-3
OPEN	Wasie Foundation Proposal
OPEN	Who Cares, August-October 1975
OPEN	Who Cares Oregon, August 7, 1976

**Box 29 - ACCL Administrative File: Fundraising**

<b>Status</b>	<b>Title</b>
OPEN	Fundraising—Campaign for Human Life
OPEN	"Fundraising Can Be Fun" (1)-(2)
OPEN	Fundraising Ideas, 1984
OPEN	Fundraising Letters
OPEN	Fundraising Philanthropists
OPEN	L. W. V. Fundraising
OPEN	Model Fundraising Packet

<b>Status</b>	<b>Title</b>
OPEN	Phone Solicitation (1)-(3)
OPEN	Telephone Scripts

**Box 29 (Continued) - ACCL Administrative File: Kennedy Foundation Proposal**

<b>Status</b>	<b>Title</b>
OPEN	Grant Application (1)-(4)

**Box 30 - ACCL Administrative File: Kennedy Foundation Proposal**

<b>Status</b>	<b>Title</b>
OPEN	Shriver Campaign Committee (1)-(3)

**Box 30 (Continued) - ACCL Administrative File: Development**

<b>Status</b>	<b>Title</b>
OPEN	ACCL Organizational Development
OPEN	Allied Institutional Development Services (1)-(5)
OPEN	General Information Packet (1)-(3)

**Box 31 - ACCL Administrative File: Development**

<b>Status</b>	<b>Title</b>
OPEN	Ideas for State Legislation
OPEN	Steering Committee
OPEN	Washington, D.C. Office Space

**Box 31 (Continued) - ACCL Administrative File: Special Events**

<b>Status</b>	<b>Title</b>
OPEN	Bio-Medical Ethics Workshop, March 1980
OPEN	Demonstrations/Floats
OPEN	Lutherans for Life Conventions, 1982-1986 (1)-(2)
OPEN	Lutherans for Life Convention, November 11-13, 1983, Southfield, MI
OPEN	March for Life, January 22 (1)-(2)
OPEN	NRL Convention, July 1982, Cherry Hill, NJ (1)-(2)
OPEN	NRL Convention, 1983, Orlando, FL
OPEN	NRL Convention, 1984, Kansas City
OPEN	NRL Convention, 1985, Washington, D. C.

<b>Status</b>	<b>Title</b>
OPEN	Prayer Breakfast, 1975
OPEN	Pro-life Network Convention, June 1985

**Box 32 - ACCL Administrative File: Special Projects**

<b>Status</b>	<b>Title</b>
OPEN	ACCL Social Activities, People & Events
OPEN	Chicago Meeting, October 1981
OPEN	Food for Life, 1975
OPEN	Food for Life, 1976
OPEN	Foundation Information, General
OPEN	Holiday Mailings
OPEN	LOL Benefit, 1979
OPEN	LOL Benefit, 1981-1982
OPEN	“Love of Life” Ball
OPEN	Love of Life Ball, 1975 (1)-(2)
OPEN	Love of Life Ball, 1976 (1)-(2)
OPEN	Love of Life Ball, 1977 (1)-(2)
OPEN	Mailhouse & Pharos
OPEN	Mailing—Pro-life Physicians
OPEN	Minnesota Citizens Concerned for Life Rep. Convention, 1974

**Box 33 - ACCL Administrative File: Special Projects**

<b>Status</b>	<b>Title</b>
OPEN	Mecklenburg Dinner, May 25, 1983
OPEN	Memorials
OPEN	Post-Election Party, November 1978
OPEN	Philadelphia Dinner, January 22, 1976
OPEN	Prayer Breakfast
OPEN	Prayer Breakfast, 1975
OPEN	Prayer Breakfast, 1976 (1)-(2)
OPEN	Prayer Breakfast Brochure
OPEN	Prizes LOL Benefit, 1979



<b>Status</b>	<b>Title</b>
OPEN	Raffle, 1977
OPEN	Raffle, 1978
OPEN	Raffle & Correspondence, 1977 (1)-(2)

**Box 34 - ACCL Administrative File: Special Projects**

<b>Status</b>	<b>Title</b>
OPEN	Richfield Petition Lists
OPEN	Rummage Sale, November 1978
OPEN	Special Projects (1)-(2)
OPEN	Student Activism
OPEN	Totino Proposal

**Box 34 (Continued) - ACCL Administrative File: Newsletters/Booklets Produced by ACCL**

<b>Status</b>	<b>Title</b>
OPEN	ACCL Brochure # 1, June 1975
OPEN	ACCL Update (1)-(3)
OPEN	Adolescent Health, Services and Pregnancy Prevention
OPEN	"All About Families"
OPEN	Brochure Work Sheet
OPEN	Circle of Life Bracelet (1)-(4)

**Box 35 - ACCL Administrative File: Newsletters/Booklets Produced by ACCL**

<b>Status</b>	<b>Title</b>
OPEN	Counseling Manual, 1975-1978
OPEN	Counseling Revision, 1980
OPEN	"In Support of Life"
OPEN	Jewelry & Order Forms
OPEN	Ruffino Book
OPEN	"This'll Kill Ya" Project

**Box 35 (Continued) - ACCL Administrative File: Marjory Mecklenburg**

<b>Status</b>	<b>Title</b>
OPEN	ACCL Administrative File: Marjory Mecklenburg

<b>Status</b>	<b>Title</b>
OPEN	1973-1976 (1)-(2)
OPEN	M. Mecklenburg Federal Positions
OPEN	Mecklenburg, Marjory
OPEN	OAPP-HEW, March 1, 1981 (1)-(2)
OPEN	Parent Notification Regulation., 1982-1983
OPEN	Resumes
OPEN	Speaking
OPEN	Speaking Engagements
OPEN	Travel Schedule
OPEN	Washington D. C. Trips

**Box 36 - ACCL Administrative File: Office of Technology Assessment**

<b>Status</b>	<b>Title</b>
OPEN	1979 Report of UN Fund for Population Activities
OPEN	Environmental Contaminates in Food
OPEN	Miscellaneous Consulting Projects, September 1979
OPEN	OTA Annual Report, 1977
OPEN	Office of Technology Assessment (1)-(7)

**Box 37 - ACCL Administrative File: Office of Technology Assessment**

<b>Status</b>	<b>Title</b>
OPEN	Population Reference Bureau Mailing, February 11, 1981 (1)-(3)
OPEN	Populi
OPEN	Report (1)-(2)

**Box 37 (Continued) - ACCL Administrative File: Newsletter**

<b>Status</b>	<b>Title</b>
OPEN	Care Center
OPEN	Churches
OPEN	Congressional Action Report, 1979
OPEN	Correspondence
OPEN	Day Care
OPEN	Definition of Death (1)-(2)

<b>Status</b>	<b>Title</b>
OPEN	Editorial Material, 1979
OPEN	Editorial Material, Rev. William Hunt, 1979
OPEN	Federal Budget Social Programs, 1980
OPEN	Federal Funding of Abortions, 1977-1979
OPEN	Federal Funding of Abortions, Court Rulings
OPEN	Funding for Abortions, States

**Box 38 - ACCL Administrative File: Newsletter**

<b>Status</b>	<b>Title</b>
OPEN	In Vitro Fertilization
OPEN	Miscellaneous
OPEN	Neutron Bomb
OPEN	Nuclear
OPEN	Phillip Becker
OPEN	Pregnancy Disability
OPEN	Teen Pregnancy (1)-(2)
OPEN	Work Safety
OPEN	"Wrong Sex" Abortions

**Box 38 (Continued) - ACCL Administrative File: Educational Materials**

<b>Status</b>	<b>Title</b>
OPEN	Minnesota Health Statistics, 1976
OPEN	Minnesota Health Statistics, 1977
OPEN	Minnesota Health Statistics, 1978
OPEN	Minnesota Health Statistics, 1979
OPEN	Minnesota Health Statistics, 1980
OPEN	Minnesota Health Statistics, 1981
OPEN	Minnesota Health Statistics, 1982
OPEN	Minnesota Health Statistics, 1983

**Box 39 - ACCL Administrative File: Educational Materials**

<b>Status</b>	<b>Title</b>
OPEN	Abortion History
OPEN	Abortion Surveillance, 1974

<b>Status</b>	<b>Title</b>
OPEN	Abortion Surveillance, 1975
OPEN	Abortion Surveillance, 1976
OPEN	Abortion Surveillance, 1977
OPEN	Abortion Surveillance, 1978
OPEN	Abortion Surveillance, 1979-1980
OPEN	America Magazine
OPEN	Beyond Beginning
OPEN	Commonweal Magazine
OPEN	Continental Congress (1)-(4)
OPEN	Counseling Manual Pregnancy Care Center
OPEN	Ectopic Pregnancy Surveillance, 1970-1978
OPEN	Educational Material

**Box 40 - ACCL Administrative File: Educational Materials**

<b>Status</b>	<b>Title</b>
OPEN	For Educators
OPEN	Fundraising Booklet
OPEN	General Editorials (1)-(2)
OPEN	In Good Conscience, Reviews
OPEN	Information Requests, 1980-1981
OPEN	Overview of Birth Defects in MN, 1950-1980
OPEN	Pamphlets
OPEN	Prof. R. Stith
OPEN	Public Opinion Polls (1)-(3)
OPEN	Pro-life Education

**Box 41 - ACCL Administrative File: Educational Materials**

<b>Status</b>	<b>Title</b>
OPEN	Reference Materials (1)-(3)
OPEN	Reported Induced Abortions, 1975
OPEN	Reported Induced Abortions, 1976
OPEN	Reported Induced Abortions, 1979
OPEN	Reported Induced Abortions, 1980

<b>Status</b>	<b>Title</b>
OPEN	Reported Induced Abortions, 1981
OPEN	Reported Induced Abortions, 1982
OPEN	Reported Induced Abortions, 1983
OPEN	Rhotoric of Abortion (1)-(2)
OPEN	School & Resource Center Project, 1981
OPEN	School Mailings, April 1980
OPEN	Speakers, Education
OPEN	Speech Ideas

**Box 42 - ACCL Administrative File: Educational Materials**

<b>Status</b>	<b>Title</b>
OPEN	Statistics (1)-(2)
OPEN	Statistics, Adolescent Pregnancy
OPEN	Sue Fremgen
OPEN	Surgical Sterilization Surveillance, 1970-1975
OPEN	Surgical Sterilization Surveillance, 1976-1978
OPEN	Surgical Sterilization Surveillance, 1979-1980

**American Citizens Concerned for Life Political File, 1975-1981.**

(Boxes 42-46, 2.1 linear feet)

Clippings, articles, correspondence and publications relating to the PAC's and elections from 1976 to 1980. The ACCL and their president, Marjory Mecklenburg, supported and campaigned for Gerald R. Ford.

Arranged alphabetically by subject.

**Box 42 (Continued) - ACCL Political File: PACs**

<b>Status</b>	<b>Title</b>
OPEN	Americans for Life, September 1979
OPEN	EMPAC
OPEN	LAPAC (1)-(2)
OPEN	LAPAC Report to FEC (1)-(2)
OPEN	Life PACs & Right Wing Groups (1)-(2)

<b>Status</b>	<b>Title</b>
OPEN	Moral Majority
OPEN	PACs, Miscellaneous
OPEN	NC PAC
OPEN	NRL PAC

**Box 43 - ACCL Political File: Political**

<b>Status</b>	<b>Title</b>
OPEN	1980 Elections (1)-(3)
OPEN	1980 Presidential Race (1)-(4)
OPEN	Bernie Mendon/Hyde Project
OPEN	Congressional Campaigning, Fundraising
OPEN	Congressional Elections, 1982
OPEN	Conservatives
OPEN	Democratic Party Politics
OPEN	Elections, 1984 (1)-(3)
OPEN	Elections, 1984, Democrats
OPEN	General Politics, 1978

**Box 44 - ACCL Political File: Political**

<b>Status</b>	<b>Title</b>
OPEN	Hatch Amendment Clippings (1)-(4)
OPEN	Letter to Platform, May 17, 1976
OPEN	"Party of One"
OPEN	Political Newsletters, 1979-1980
OPEN	Political Miscellaneous
OPEN	Political Strategy
OPEN	Republican Party Politics
OPEN	Single Issue Politics

**Box 44 (Continued) - ACCL Political File: 1976 Presidential Campaign**

<b>Status</b>	<b>Title</b>
OPEN	Carter (1)-(3)
OPEN	Carter-Mondale Clippings
OPEN	Debate

<b>Status</b>	<b>Title</b>
OPEN	Editorials & Letters to the Editor (1)-(2)

**Box 45 - ACCL Political File: 1976 Presidential Campaign**

<b>Status</b>	<b>Title</b>
OPEN	Ford (1)-(2)
OPEN	Ford Campaign (1)-(4)
OPEN	Ford Mailings
OPEN	GOP Campaign
OPEN	Memos
OPEN	Miscellaneous (1)-(6)

**Box 46 - ACCL Political File: 1976 Presidential Campaign**

<b>Status</b>	<b>Title</b>
OPEN	News Clippings (1)-(2)
OPEN	NRL Project
OPEN	Population Renewal
OPEN	Reimbursement
OPEN	Religious
OPEN	States (1)-(2)
OPEN	VPLCC