RESTORING WHOLENESS

Bridge Builders

QUICK-START *Guide*

CHUCH AWARENESS KIT

A simple guide to reviewing the Bridge Builders Church Awareness Kit, introducing its resources, and choosing one manageable next step for your church.

Read → Discuss → Share → Consider Your Next Step

1. Read

Begin with the Pastor & Ministry Leader Welcome Letter and the "Why This Matters" handout. Consider the vision behind the kit: helping your church respond to abortion's often-hidden impact with biblical truth, compassion, and hope.

Read the two pastoral messages linked in the Resource Center. God used these messages, unbeknownst to the pastors, to plant the seeds of Broken from Silence. Reflect on their invitation to lead with courage, grace, and faithful care.

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2. Discuss

Review the materials with a small team of trusted church leaders. Use the "Building a Culture of Grace in Your Church" handout or a few Courageous Conversations Prompt Cards to begin a thoughtful discussion.

Consider:

- What do we want people affected by abortion to know about our church?
- How can our words and actions make it easier for someone to seek help?
- What questions or preparation should we address before sharing these resources?

Keep the discussion focused on the church's response, without asking anyone to disclose personal experiences.

3. Share

Choose one resource and one appropriate way to introduce it. You might share a handout with a ministry team, include a brief bulletin announcement, or make confidential-help cards available in a discreet location.

Before sharing, confirm that the contact information is correct and that the designated person is prepared to receive inquiries.

4. Consider Your Next Step

You do not need to use every resource or establish a complete ministry at once. Prayerfully choose one realistic action, identify who will take responsibility, and decide when to follow through.

When you are ready, explore the Church Starter Kit, visit Church Readiness & Next Steps, or connect with Broken from Silence for guidance.

Our Church's Next Faithful Step

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Action:

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Person responsible:

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Target date: _

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Support or resources needed:

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"Carry each other's burdens, and in this way you will fulfill the law of Christ."
Galatians 6:2



Our prayer is that this kit will help your church become a place where silence is broken, shame is met with grace, burdens are shared, and lives are restored through Jesus Christ.

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