Before I **formed** you in the womb I knew you, before

Called,

you were born

I set you apart;

I appointed you
as a prophet to
the nations."

Jer. 1:4-6

his is what
the LORD says—
he who made you,
who formed you in the womb,
and who will help you:
Do not be afraid, O Jacob, my
servant, Jeshurun,
whom I have chosen."

Isa. 44:1-3



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Figure 1 am old and gray, do not forsake me, O God, till I declare your power to the next generation. Psa. 71:17

Litany

- •We affirm that God is the Creator of all that exists, and the creator of each human life.
- •We affirm that all life belongs to God "for it is he that made us and we are his." (Ps. 100:3)
- •We affirm that God creates all human life: born and unborn, helpless and healthy, young and old, for the purpose of glorifying him and enjoying him forever.
- •We affirm that by the power of God's Spirit we are able to overcome difficulties that confront us and live victoriously in obedience to God, in all circumstances.
- •We affirm God's power to heal and restore our broken lives when we confess our sin and turn to him through faith in Jesus Christ.
- •We affirm that the church is to gather around every pregnant mother and every person and family with special needs and cherish every life that God has entrusted to their care.
- •We affirm that no sin exceeds God's grace to forgive and that our confession and repentance is always met by the forgiving grace extended through Christ's death on the cross.
- •We affirm that God's will for us and for our children--born and unborn--is life and not death. God raised his Son Jesus Christ from the dead, breaking the power of death and willing for us eternal, abundant, and joyful life in his company.



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