

Trust For Life Update

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Happy New Year! 2010 was an exciting year for the Kentucky Circuit Court Clerks' Trust For Life. Most notably, the Kentucky Circuit Court Clerks proudly announced, in December, that Kentucky has reached **One Million names on the Kentucky Organ Donor Registry!** This is an incredible milestone, especially for such a young registry. Kentuckians have confirmed their commitment to saving lives, and we say **THANK YOU KENTUCKY!**



In addition to this milestone, the Trust is launching into 2011 revitalized, energetic, and ready to work towards 2 million names on the Registry! From our partnership with Kosair Charities, to our fresh new logo and promotion efforts, 2010 got the ball rolling. Now be on the lookout for new newspaper ads, leaflets & posters in your Circuit Clerks' offices, and a new TV commercial featuring former UK Basketball Coach Joe B. Hall. All of these efforts are only possible because of the \$1 donations accepted by Kentucky's Circuit Court Clerks to educate Kentuckians on this crucial need.

If *you're* looking for a great 2011 New Years Resolution, consider joining in this effort to save lives. Three steps will get you started:

1. Make sure your name is on the Kentucky Organ Donor Registry by going to www.donatelifeky.org.
2. "Like" the Trust For Life on Facebook and suggest our page to your friends (www.facebook.com/trustforlife).
3. Encourage others to join the Registry through your social networks & include a link to www.donatelifeky.org.

When someone asks about your New Years Resolution, tell them that you will help end the shortage of organs in Kentucky and impact the lives of hundreds on the waiting list in Kentucky.

Wishing everyone a peaceful New Year,



*"We will open the book.
Its pages are blank.
We are going to put words on them ourselves.
The book is called Opportunity.
Its first chapter is New Years Day."
- Edith Lovejoy Pierce*

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Congratulations! Clark County is Number One in organ donor registries for the second year straight! Proudly posing for the camera are Paula Joslin, Clark Co. Circuit Court Clerk (lower left) and her staff. Over 50% of Clark County residents join the registry each month.

UK wins Gift of Life Challenge



For the second year in a row, the University of KY was declared the winner of the **Gift of Life Challenge** -- a friendly competition between two of the State's biggest rivalries (UK & U of L), with the goal of increasing awareness for the great need of organ and tissue donation. The fan-based contest was supported by the **KY Circuit Court Clerks' Trust For Life** as part of the Donate Life Kentucky Coalition.

Pictured right: **Friendly "foes" proudly attend the presentation.** Susan Nall, U of L Lions Eye (in red) and Carol Schott, (in blue) Laurel County Circuit Clerks' Office.



"I was one proud Wildcat fan and UK graduate...all smiles throughout the game, but even more proud and honored to have had the opportunity to represent Kentucky's transplant recipients and to show how deeply we appreciate and love our states' donor families," said **Jean Crawford Griffin** to a reporter for The Advocate Messenger. Jean, a six organ transplant recipient, and her husband **Tony Griffin**, were at center court at the Yum! Center in Louisville to receive the trophy on behalf of UK for winning the Gift of Life Challenge. Tony's sister, Gail Griffin, was an organ donor when she passed away in 2008.



Congratulations! And Thank You Kentucky!



Kentuckians are compassionate when it comes to saving lives. They are saying YES at their Circuit Court Clerk's driver's license office -- placing their names on the KY Organ Donor Registry and donating a dollar to promote organ and tissue donation awareness.

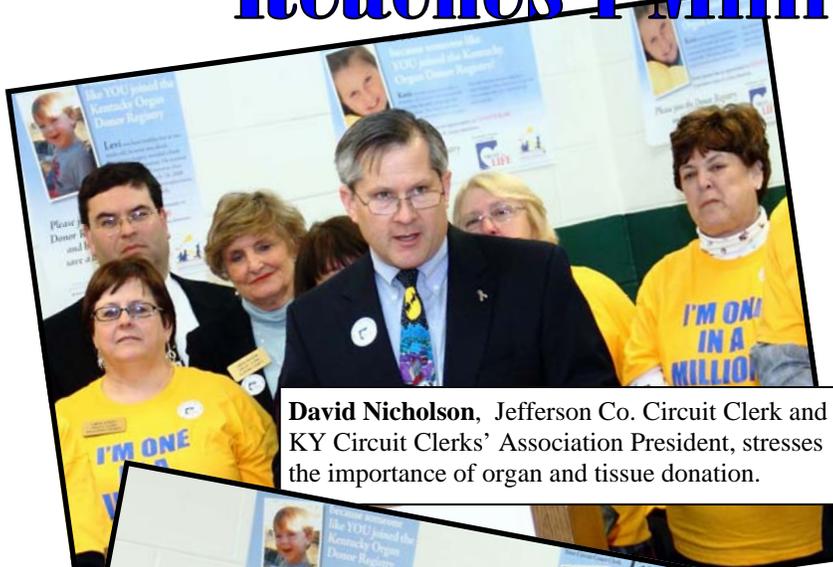
53 Drivers' License Offices Above State Average (23.2%) in Donor Registrations for 2010

The above-average offices are as follows: Clark 53.9%, Oldham 39.5%, Campbell (Alexandria) 36.9%, Kenton (Erlanger) 35.4%, Boone (Burlington) 35.1%, Union 34.6%, Campbell (Newport) 33.9%, Kenton (Independence) 32.6%, Woodford 32.3%, Greenup (Flatwoods) 32.2%, Kenton (Covington) 32.1%, Boyle 31.4%, Trigg 31.2%, Marshall 30.7%, Jefferson (Bowman Field) 30.2%, Breckinridge 30.2%, Hancock 30.0%, Jefferson (Middletown) 30.0%, Washington 29.8%, Fayette (Regency) 29.5%, Graves 29.2%, Hardin (Radcliff) 29.2%, Hardin (Elizabethtown) 28.7%, Caldwell 28.6%, Franklin 28.6%, Henderson 28.6%, Scott 28.5%, Boone (Florence) 28.1%, Shelby 28.0%, Lyon 27.6%, Calloway 27.3%, Simpson 26.8%, Trimble 26.7%, Ballard 26.3%, Daviess 26.3%, Russell 26.2%, Owen 26.1%, McLean 25.9%, Bourbon 25.4%, Nelson 25.1%, Mason 25.0%, Marion 24.6%, Crittenden 24.6%, Pendleton 24.4%, Mercer 24.4%, Jefferson (Outer Loop) 24.2%, Ohio 24.1%, Madison (Berea) 24.1%, Harrison 24.0%, Fleming 23.9%, Jessamine 23.6%, Grant 23.4%, Jefferson (Dixie Highway) 23.2%.

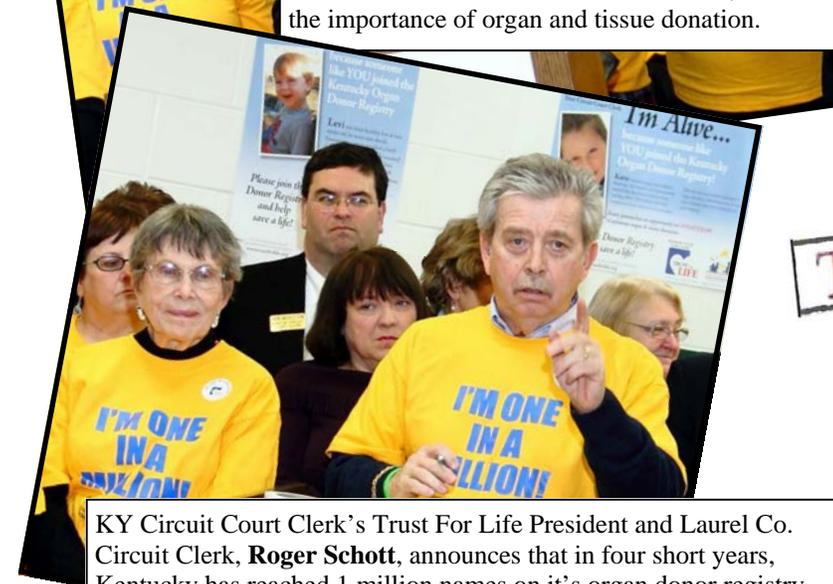
77 Drivers' License Offices Above State Average (39.0%) in \$1 Donations for 2010

The above-average offices are as follows: Magoffin 85.4%, Floyd 76.1%, Johnson 69.9%, Russell 69.3%, Laurel (London) 66.6%, Kenton (Erlanger) 66.0%, Morgan 65.8%, Kenton (Covington) 64.8%, Campbell (Alexandria) 63.4%, Caldwell 63.1%, Breckinridge 62.5%, Oldham 62.4%, Washington 61.8%, Owen 61.7%, Union 60.9%, Webster 60.8%, Fulton 60.5%, Breathitt 59.9%, Powell 59.2%, Gallatin 58.4%, Marion 58.4%, Marshall 58.1%, Trigg 58.1%, Crittenden 57.8%, Rockcastle 57.5%, Franklin 57.4%, Kenton (Independence) 57.3%, Trimble 56.7%, Boyle 56.7%, Ballard 56.3%, Daviess 55.7%, Wolfe 55.6%, Bourbon 55.6%, Harrison 55.2%, Mason 55.1%, Henderson 54.4%, Perry 54.3%, Simpson 54.2%, Calloway 53.7%, Henry 53.1%, Martin 52.8%, Fayette (Regency) 52.6%, Lyon 52.5%, Butler 52.4%, Scott 52.2%, Lincoln 52.2%, Hancock 52.0%, Graves 51.8%, Woodford 51.7%, McLean 51.5%, Robertson 50.9%, Livingston 50.8%, Allen 50.7%, LaRue 50.4%, Grant 50.3%, Jefferson (Outer Loop) 50.0%, Jefferson (Bowman Field) 50.0%, Jefferson (Downtown) 49.5%, Hardin (Elizabethtown) 49.2%, Carroll 47.9%, Hart 47.6%, Estill 47.4%, Hopkins 47.2%, Jessamine 47.0%, Campbell (Newport) 47.0%, Pendleton 45.9%, Bell (Pineville) 45.1%, Jefferson (Dixie Highway) 45.0%, Fleming 43.7%, Ohio 43.3%, Madison (Berea) 43.2%, Metcalfe 42.3%, Shelby 41.4%, Wayne 41.3%, Cumberland 40.9%, Monroe 40.8%, Jefferson (Middletown) 40.1%.

KY Organ Donor Registry Reaches 1 Million Names



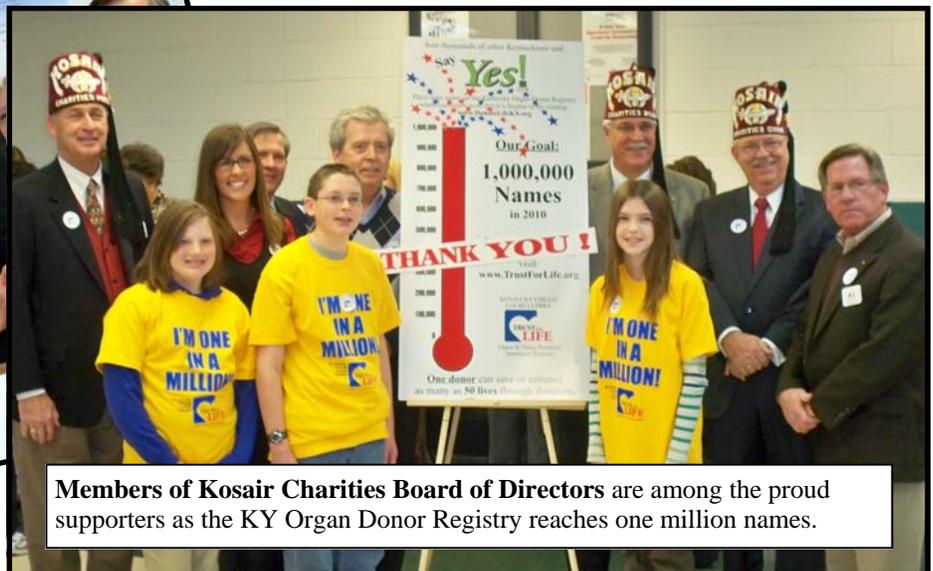
David Nicholson, Jefferson Co. Circuit Clerk and KY Circuit Clerks' Association President, stresses the importance of organ and tissue donation.



KY Circuit Court Clerk's Trust For Life President and Laurel Co. Circuit Clerk, Roger Schott, announces that in four short years, Kentucky has reached 1 million names on it's organ donor registry.



Paul O'Flynn, Executive Director of KODA, thanks the KY Circuit Clerks for their commitment to this mission.



Members of Kosair Charities Board of Directors are among the proud supporters as the KY Organ Donor Registry reaches one million names.

More than Just a Christmas Tree

To most this may be just another Christmas tree. But, to me, it held special memories. Memories of family, love and tradition. I remember as a small child looking at the lights in awe. It had been in the family for over 40 years. Although still in pretty good shape, the branches were thinning. I had to find the right home for it. My friend, Claudia Brewer, found just the right place for it. She suggested it be displayed in the Oldham County Courthouse with a theme that meant more to me than she would ever know. She dedicated my tree to the Oldham County Circuit Clerks office for all their efforts to promote organ and tissue donation. I am proud to say that my sister, Johnnie D. Quillen, is alive and well today because of someone's selfless decision to be an organ donor, and this past March we celebrated her 5th "birthday".

Story shared by Becky A. Gilbert



Pictured right (l to r): **Johnnie D. Quillen**, recipient, with sister **Becky A. Gilbert**.



Pictured left: **Oldham County Circuit Clerk Lynn Mason** (seated) with staff (l to r) Cindy Mudd, Ann Brown and Stephen Kaelin. The Donate Life tree was decorated by Claudia Brewer, Family Court.

Kentucky Organ Donor Honored in Rose Bowl Parade



Melissa "Missy" Dawn Fields (pictured below) captured hearts with her beautiful smile, sparking blue eyes, and sense of humor. She attended Eastern Kentucky University, where she majored in psychology and planned to work with at-risk children. She was involved with Toys for Tots, taught swimming to children and adults, and was a lifeguard for more than five years. Everyone knew that Missy was destined to change lives.



On Mother's Day, six years ago, 22-year old Missy was involved in a fatal car accident. "We became a donor family with no clue how that would change us, as well as help us, in our grief journey," said Missy's mother, Janie. Missy gave sight to a 19 year old and 69 year old through the gift of her corneas, and gave new hope to burn victims through tissue that can be used in skin grafts. "Knowing she lives on makes our grief journey a bit more tolerable. We are so proud of Missy's decision to give the "gift of life". What a beautiful legacy."

Missy and her family were honored in the national spotlight of the Rose Bowl parade on New Year's Day.

The Donate Life float reminds us that we can "Seize the Day" and give life, hope and health to those in need as organ, eye and tissue donors.

Pictured at right, **David and Janie Fields** behold the floragraph honoring their beautiful daughter, Missy.



December, 2010 Donation Report:

The number of \$1.00 donations made at drivers license counters to support organ & tissue donation in Kentucky. Also the number of people who placed their names on the organ donor registry during the month.

County	Licenses Issued	KYODP \$1 Donations Collected	\$1 Donations %	Rankings \$1 Registry		Organ Donor Registry	Organ Donor Registry %
Adair	296	57	19.3%	80	77	36	12.2%
Allen	364	178	48.9%	46	41	82	22.5%
Anderson	415	66	15.9%	88	61	68	16.4%
Ballard	142	81	57.0%	24	38	33	23.2%
Barren	728	250	34.3%	64	46	156	21.4%
Bath	193	57	29.5%	69	75	24	12.4%
Bell	333	64	19.2%	81	83	29	8.7%
Boone	2186	690	31.6%	67	4	777	35.5%
Bourbon	324	159	49.1%	45	6	114	35.2%
Boyd	838	24	2.9%	98	95	31	3.7%
Boyle	458	257	56.1%	26	17	129	28.2%
Bracken	135	12	8.9%	90	82	12	8.9%
Breathitt	197	131	66.5%	4	78	23	11.7%
Breckinridge	367	235	64.0%	10	21	100	27.2%
Bullitt	1352	14	1.0%	102	69	200	14.8%
Butler	238	132	55.5%	28	43	52	21.8%
Caldwell	228	134	58.8%	18	45	49	21.5%
Calloway	613	337	55.0%	30	24	163	26.6%
Campbell	1583	872	55.1%	29	8	506	32.0%
Carlisle	96	4	4.2%	95	101	0	0.0%
Carroll	191	98	51.3%	39	39	44	23.0%
Carter	462	16	3.5%	96	95	17	3.7%
Casey	256	8	3.1%	97	87	18	7.0%
Christian	1058	2	0.2%	106	38	245	23.2%
Clark	595	99	16.6%	85	1	242	40.7%
Clay	293	86	29.4%	70	74	37	12.6%
Clinton	147	0	0.0%	107	99	2	1.4%
Crittenden	178	98	55.1%	29	39	41	23.0%
Cumberland	131	52	39.7%	60	63	21	16.0%
Daviess	1810	1047	57.8%	22	27	468	25.9%
Edmonson	191	40	20.9%	79	86	14	7.3%
Elliott	97	11	11.3%	89	90	6	6.2%
Estill	215	94	43.7%	55	33	51	23.7%
Fayette	5028	2026	40.3%	59	32	1224	24.3%
Fleming	251	125	49.8%	43	29	64	25.5%
Floyd	601	485	80.7%	1	57	112	18.6%
Franklin	938	528	56.3%	25	13	283	30.2%
Fulton	107	62	57.9%	21	36	25	23.4%
Gallatin	158	92	58.2%	20	42	35	22.2%
Garrard	296	74	25.0%	74	51	60	20.3%
Grant	429	225	52.4%	35	37	100	23.3%
Graves	622	315	50.6%	40	19	171	27.5%
Grayson	399	128	32.1%	66	23	107	26.8%
Green	219	36	16.4%	87	79	25	11.4%
Greenup	617	36	5.8%	93	54	120	19.4%
Hancock	164	95	57.9%	21	15	48	29.3%
Hardin	1838	911	49.6%	44	16	529	28.8%
Harlan	439	73	16.6%	85	97	12	2.7%
Harrison	328	169	51.5%	38	44	71	21.6%
Hart	258	120	46.5%	49	50	53	20.5%
Henderson	865	465	53.8%	31	26	226	26.1%
Henry	273	152	55.7%	27	60	45	16.5%
Hickman	82	32	39.0%	61	64	13	15.9%
Hopkins	938	434	46.3%	51	47	200	21.3%
Jackson	209	4	1.9%	100	93	9	4.3%
Jefferson	13022	6161	47.3%	47	28	3364	25.8%
Jessamine	825	381	46.2%	52	53	163	19.8%
Johnson	353	230	65.2%	7	56	66	18.7%
Kenton	2746	1659	60.4%	14	9	871	31.7%
Knott	205	10	4.9%	94	98	5	2.4%
Knox	442	228	51.6%	37	37	103	23.3%
LaRue	230	114	49.6%	44	62	37	16.1%
Laurel	895	594	66.4%	5	49	184	20.6%
Lawrence	244	93	38.1%	62	61	40	16.4%
Lee	95	16	16.8%	84	89	6	6.3%
Leslie	163	37	22.7%	77	91	10	6.1%
Letcher	315	25	7.9%	91	96	10	3.2%
Lewis	205	55	26.8%	72	70	30	14.6%
Lincoln	382	192	50.3%	41	37	89	23.3%
Livingston	194	90	46.4%	50	48	41	21.1%
Logan	456	4	0.9%	103	87	32	7.0%
Lyon	139	80	57.6%	23	56	26	18.7%
Madison	1314	12	0.9%	103	76	162	12.3%
Magoffin	171	111	64.9%	9	67	26	15.2%
Marion	341	211	61.9%	13	30	86	25.2%
Marshall	631	365	57.8%	22	18	177	28.1%
Martin	160	90	56.3%	25	71	23	14.4%
Mason	273	169	61.9%	13	52	55	20.1%
McCracken	1314	21	1.6%	101	68	198	15.1%
McCreary	237	21	8.9%	90	89	15	6.3%
McLean	189	101	53.4%	32	11	58	30.7%
Meade	485	210	43.3%	56	22	131	27.0%
Menifee	79	17	21.5%	78	94	3	3.8%
Mercer	362	1	0.3%	105	15	106	29.3%
Metcalfe	162	75	46.3%	51	35	38	23.5%
Monroe	168	59	35.1%	63	88	11	6.5%
Montgomery	466	155	33.3%	65	65	73	15.7%
Morgan	187	126	67.4%	2	81	17	9.1%
Muhlenberg	560	160	28.6%	71	64	89	15.9%
Nelson	875	273	31.2%	68	31	216	24.7%
Nicholas	133	34	25.6%	73	59	23	17.3%
Ohio	429	215	50.1%	42	20	117	27.3%
Oldham	1054	666	63.2%	12	2	427	40.5%
Owen	183	107	58.5%	19	14	54	29.5%
Owsley	78	18	23.1%	75	92	4	5.1%
Pendleton	287	128	44.6%	54	40	65	22.6%
Perry	401	212	52.9%	33	72	57	14.2%
Pike	881	24	2.7%	99	100	9	1.0%
Powell	201	119	59.2%	16	36	47	23.4%
Pulaski	960	220	22.9%	76	60	158	16.5%
Robertson	47	21	44.7%	53	55	9	19.1%
Rockcastle	253	133	52.6%	34	57	47	18.6%
Rowan	364	25	6.9%	92	85	28	7.7%
Russell	280	178	63.6%	11	34	66	23.6%
Scott	776	442	57.0%	24	12	235	30.3%
Shelby	771	314	40.7%	58	25	204	26.5%
Simpson	300	181	60.3%	15	10	94	31.3%
Spencer	329	57	17.3%	83	80	31	9.4%
Taylor	479	89	18.6%	82	73	65	13.6%
Todd	179	1	0.6%	104	84	14	7.8%
Trigg	244	127	52.0%	36	3	97	39.8%
Trimble	159	92	57.9%	21	52	32	20.1%
Union	255	168	65.9%	6	7	82	32.2%
Warren	1817	520	28.6%	71	54	352	19.4%
Washington	222	131	59.0%	17	16	64	28.8%
Wayne	288	124	43.1%	57	58	50	17.4%
Webster	226	152	67.3%	3	39	52	23.0%
Whitley	480	79	16.5%	86	66	74	15.4%
Wolfe	83	54	65.1%	8	65	13	15.7%
Woodford	456	335.5	73.6%	2	5	161	35.3%
STATEWIDE	73269	28984	39.6%			16614	22.7%
FY YTD TOTALS	510151	194300				116160	22.8%

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The number of names on the Kentucky Organ Donor Registry as of January 1, 2011 = **1,011,450**

KYODP = KY Organ Donor Program

* Jack Kain Ford paid 50% of difference in \$1 donations for Woodford County.

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TOP 10 LIST for November



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Organ Donor Registry %

1. Clark County
2. Oldham County
3. Owen County
4. Boone County
5. Campbell County
6. Hancock County
7. Trigg County
8. Marshall County
9. Graves County
10. Boyle County

\$1 Donations %

1. Floyd County
- 2.tie Woodford County*
- 2.tie Magoffin County
3. Washington County
4. Johnson County
5. Russell County
6. Morgan County
- 7.tie Oldham County
- 7.tie Owen County
8. Hancock County
9. Webster County
10. Rockcastle County

Organ Donor Registry %

1. Clark County
2. Oldham County
3. Trigg County
4. Boone County
5. Woodford County
6. Bourbon County
7. Union County
8. Campbell County
9. Kenton County
10. Simpson County

\$1 Donations %

1. Floyd County
- 2.tie Woodford County *
- 2.tie Morgan County
3. Webster County
4. Breathitt County
5. Laurel County
6. Union County
7. Johnson County
8. Wolfe County
9. Magoffin County
10. Breckinridge County

Congratulations! Underlined counties appear on both Registry & \$1 Donations lists for the month.

* Special Thank You to Jack Kain Ford! Jack Kain Ford paid 50% of difference in \$1 donations for Woodford County.



The Greiner family arrived in Louisville just in time to witness the Kentucky Organ Donor Registry reach one million names.

Grateful Family Travels Country with Message

Mike Greiner, his wife Sheri and their children, Levi and Chloe are on a mission...visit every state in the nation while promoting the importance of organ donation. The Illinois family sold their home, packed their van with suitcases, and set off on a year-long road trip to encourage others to register as organ, eye and tissue donors.

The Greiner family knows the importance of organ donation because 6 years ago, Mike received a life-saving kidney and pancreas transplant. "I am so thankful to my donor, and this trip is a way to show our gratitude and raise awareness and support. Right now there are 110,000 people waiting for organ transplants, and it is simply because we do not have enough people registered as organ donors," said Mike.

Pictured above are: Mike and Sheri Greiner with children Levi and Chloe, Evelyn Pusateri - liver recipient, and Trust For Life Executive Director Shelley Heavrin.