

## *Prayer to Our Lady*

*Gospel of Life*

*Saint John Paul II*

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*O Mary, bright dawn of the new  
world, Mother of the living,  
to you do we entrust  
the cause of life.*

*Look down, O Mother, upon the  
vast numbers of babies not  
allowed to be born, of the poor  
whose lives are made difficult,  
of men and women who are  
victims of brutal violence,  
of the elderly and the sick killed  
by indifference or out of  
misguided mercy.*

*Grant that all who believe in  
your Son may proclaim the  
Gospel of life with honesty and  
love to the people of our time.*

*Obtain for them the grace to  
accept that Gospel as a gift ever  
new, the joy of celebrating it  
with gratitude throughout their  
lives and the courage to bear  
witness to it resolutely, in order  
to build, together with all people  
of good will, the civilization of  
truth and love, to the praise and  
glory of God, the Creator and  
lover of life.*

*Amen*

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