



**2024 Divine Mercy Care Gala**  
**November 8**  
**Westfields Marriott**

This is our biggest night of the year and promises to be a wonderful celebration. Thank you to everyone who has already purchased tickets or become a sponsor. We are so grateful for the generous support of this event and the work at Divine Mercy Care and Tepeyac OB/GYN. If you still need to get your tickets, we'd love for you to join us! Please follow the link below to purchase tickets, and if you have any questions about attending or sponsoring, you can contact our office at [info@divinemercycare.org](mailto:info@divinemercycare.org).

(The date was incorrectly listed as November 7th previously.)

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Tickets**

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## Upcoming Events

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### **Respect Life Speaker Series**

**"Our Civic Duty as Catholics- the Moral Obligation to Vote"**  
**Wednesday, September 11**

Divine Mercy Care's own, Monique Baroudi, will present on this pertinent topic. This event will begin at 7:00 PM in the Our Lady of Guadalupe Room at St. Leo the Great. No registration is required, and the event is open to all. This series continues on October 1st. March for Life President Jeanne Mancini will speak on "Building a Culture of Life in Post-Roe America."

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## **The Catholic Business Network Welcomes Dr. Bruchalski** **Wednesday, September 18**

The Prince William Chapter of the Catholic Business Network of Northern Virginia hosts Dr. John Bruchalski at their next event on Wednesday, September 18, at the House of Mercy (8150 Flannery Court, Manassas, VA) from 5:30 - 7:00 PM. Dr. John will share how practicing obstetrics today is a "fire of the Holy Spirit" hot mess that allows one to grow, adapt, and trust in God's Mercy. Learn how Tepeyac OB/GYN, now in its 30th year, continues to serve and inspire a new generation of excellent physicians and practitioners. An opportunity to network with local Catholic business people will follow this important talk. Light refreshments will be served. For more information and to register to attend, follow the link below.

**Register for this  
Event**

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*Interdenominational*  
**Infant Memorial Service**

In honor of Pregnancy and  
Infant Loss Awareness Month

**Saturday**  
**October 19, 2024**  
**7 p.m.**

**St. Leo the Great Catholic Church**  
3700 Old Lee Hwy, Fairfax VA 22030

Family and friends of all faiths are welcome.

Please email

**memorialservice@tepeyacobgyn.com**  
to register.

Types of infant loss include miscarriage, abortion, ectopic pregnancy, deceased embryos from fertility procedures, stillbirth, fatal perinatal diagnosis, death of a preemie baby, and infant death.

RSVP by **October 12th** so that we can recognize  
your baby with a special gift.



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*The Kristen Anderson Perinatal Hospice Program is an initiative of Tepeyac OB/GYN to support and care for families who've received a poor perinatal diagnosis for their unborn child. Learn more at [tepeyacobgyn.com](http://tepeyacobgyn.com).*

## **Thank You Burman**

Finally, we want to take a moment to honor Burman Skrable. He was an active volunteer, guest writer, and donor who passed away recently. He was a great blessing to Divine Mercy Care and truly believed in the importance of its mission. Burman was known for his writing. Below is an excerpt from a piece he wrote to explain the importance of Tepeyac and Divine Mercy Care. His words are a thoughtful reflection on the role of donor support in uplifting those in need among our community. Please keep the family in your prayers.

Tepeyac works within the insurance-based medical payment system, but refuses to be bound by it. Tepeyac sees the patient as deserving to receive medical care because she is a person, not because she can pay a fee or has the requisite insurance. She deserves the best quality of care the doctor can deliver because love always tries to deliver the best. Further, every community comprises the well-off and the not-so-well-off. In the Christian vision, all members with the gift of abundance are responsible for helping with the care of the poor members. Because their special gifts typically result in their ability to earn above-average incomes, doctors have a responsibility to be open to seeing and caring for the poor in their “own backyard,” in their own communities. But the responsibility is not theirs alone. All who have an abundance should be willing to help doctors care for poor patients so that the burden of meeting the medical needs of the poor in their community is shared equitably. Divine Mercy Care strives to build and sustain a community structure in which the wealthier regularly contribute to the care of the poorer members as far as OB-GYN care and related matters (e.g., infant care) are concerned.



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