From Justification to Justice: Supplemental Sources

Additional Text Sources:

Raucher, Michal. "From Justification to Justice: Calling for a New Conservative Movement Position on Abortion." Masorti: The New Journal of Conservative Judaism. Winter 2022-2023: Volume 67, Number 1.

Kraemer, David. "Jewish Ethics and Abortion." Tikkun. January/February 1993: Volume 8, Number 1.

<u>Upcoming JTS Program (for those in the NY area):</u>

After Dobbs: Jewish Advocacy for Abortion Rights

Please join us on Monday, September 11 at 7:00 pm for a screening of the acclaimed new documentary short "Under G-d." The film chronicles efforts by members of the Jewish community to ensure abortion access. Following the screening, we'll hear from Dr. Michal Raucher, scholar of reproduction and religion and Associate Professor of Jewish Studies at Rutgers, and Dr. Christine Ryan, Associate Director of Columbia Law School's Law, Right, and Religion project. Learn more and register.

Invitation to participate in Dr. Raucher's current research project:

Are you Jewish? Have you had an abortion in the US since 1973? If so and you are over the age of 18, you are invited to participate in an online survey about your experiences.

Drs. Michal Raucher, Rachel Fryman, and Leora Scheinerman are collecting abortion stories among Jewish women in the US. The Rutgers University research study, titled "Jews who have had abortions" includes an online survey that should take you about 30 minutes, and an optional 45-minute phone interview. During the survey you'll have the opportunity to express interested in being interviewed as part of the research. If you are, you'll be contacted by a member of the research team to schedule the interview. All of your answers to this survey will be kept anonymous, and this link is anonymous. It can't be tracked, and it can't be used to identify respondents.

You can find the survey <u>here</u>. Please reach out to <u>Dr. Michal Raucher</u> directly with any questions.

Practical Abortion Resources from Dr. Raucher:

<u>Physician-supported medication abortion care online</u>. Appointments open Monday-Friday for 22+ US states. Overnight shipping and comfort medications included.

Find a clinic to meet with a provider in person.

You can also find information about abortion pills <u>here</u>.

Emergency contraception (EC) can prevent pregnancy when used correctly. It should be taken as soon as possible after unprotected sexual intercourse. It was originally approved to be used within 3 days, but we now know it can be effective for up to 5 days. One type of EC is known as the morning after pill or Plan B. It contains an elevated dose of progesterone and can stop the egg from being released or change the lining of the uterus so that the egg cannot attach and grow. Plan B is more effective if taken earlier. It might be less effective for those with a higher body mass index. You can purchase Plan B at a pharmacy without a prescription.