

# Dobbs v. Jackson Women's Health Organization

Updates from the Office of MS Attorney General Lynn Fitch

November 30, 2021



Watch [this video](#) from The Daily Signal as Attorney General Fitch highlights the opportunities to **#EmpowerWomenPromoteLife** in the *Dobbs* case.

## IN CASE YOU MISSED IT

**Does Abortion Promote Equality for Women?: No, says Mississippi's Attorney General Lynn Fitch, as her office defends the state's restrictions.**

**Wall Street Journal**

**Sunday, Nov. 28, 2021**

**Opinion by Nicole Ault**

"Here's a measure of how far American women have progressed since 1973, when the U.S. Supreme Court decided *Roe v. Wade*: Then, no woman had ever been elected attorney general of a U.S. state, and none would be for another dozen years. Now, Mississippi's attorney general is defending the constitutionality of her state's law banning most abortions after 15 weeks. Earlier this year Lynn Fitch appointed Solicitor General Scott G. Stewart, who on Wednesday will make the state's case to the Supreme Court in *Dobbs v. Jackson Women's Health Organization*.

"'Everything has changed in the last 50 years,' says Ms. Fitch, 60, a Republican who was elected in 2019, in an interview. 'Our laws are much different. The culture is different today than it was 50 years ago. And certainly the workforce and the workplace has changed.' That's part of the reason the justices should uphold Mississippi's law, the state argues..."

Read the full piece by Nicole Ault in the Wall Street Journal [here](#).

**Mississippi's fight for life**  
**WORLD Radio**  
**Monday, Nov. 29, 2021**  
**Podcast by Kim Henderson**

"...In the final stretch before the December 1 hearing, Fitch has become a face of the Dobbs case. Her picture accompanies op-eds in newspapers across the country. She tweets information about pregnancy resources centers. She pushes back against the assumption that abortion creates equal opportunity for women.

"And Fitch knows she's not alone in thinking it's high time for the High Court to reconsider Roe.

"FITCH: 'You know, with 76 amicus briefs -- which is an incredible amount -- to ever have that supported us. I mean, we have one, a 3D to 4D, that they allowed him to attach as part of their brief. Unheard of, you know, so I think they're ready, I think I think the court is ready.'

"Fitch is referring to 4D sonogram imagery accepted as part of a brief. Judges will have the opportunity to watch a baby in utero yawn, suck her thumb, and kick..."

Read and listen to the full piece by Kim Henderson on the *WORLD Radio* [website](#).

**What Pro-Lifers Want From the Supreme Court: It's the job of the American people, not the justices, to decide abortion.**  
**Wall Street Journal**  
**Monday, Nov. 29, 2021**  
**Opinion by William McGurn**

"...But the real issue in *Dobbs* isn't abortion bans. It's whether the court will allow a democratic politics of abortion or continue to force one side of the abortion argument—the pro-life side—to play by rules stacked against it and the Constitution.

"This is the status quo, the result of what the Supreme Court wrought in both *Roe* and its progeny, *Planned Parenthood v. Casey* (1992). In each case, a handful of unelected justices took abortion out of the hands of the American people and instead imposed their own morality on the entire country. In so doing, far from settling the issue, the Supreme Court only nationalized and inflamed the passions that abortion arouses on all sides. In Monday's Washington Post, Mississippi Attorney General Lynn Fitch put it this way: 'In *Roe*, the court turned actual policymaking in state legislatures into an almost academic exercise...'"

Read the full piece by William McGurn in the Wall Street Journal [here](#).

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**When:** December 1, 8 a.m.  
**Where:** U.S. Supreme Court, Washington D.C.  
**What:** Oral Argument Day for *Dobbs v. JW*

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Oral Argument

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