



Morally Responsible Investing



What is Morally Responsible Investing?

Morally responsible investing (MRI) is a subset of socially responsible investing, which often screens out companies engaged in environmental issues, tobacco products, alcohol, nuclear power, defense, oil and “unfair” labor practices. MRI is different in that it screens out companies engaged in abortion, embryonic stem cell research and pornography. MRI is both pro-life and pro-family and may appeal to investors with similar ideals.

What’s missing?

While many may feel that MRI screens would eliminate a large number of companies from investment consideration, in fact only 5% of the companies in the Russell 3000® Index would be excluded. In short, the vast majority of companies may still be considered for investment in a portfolio.

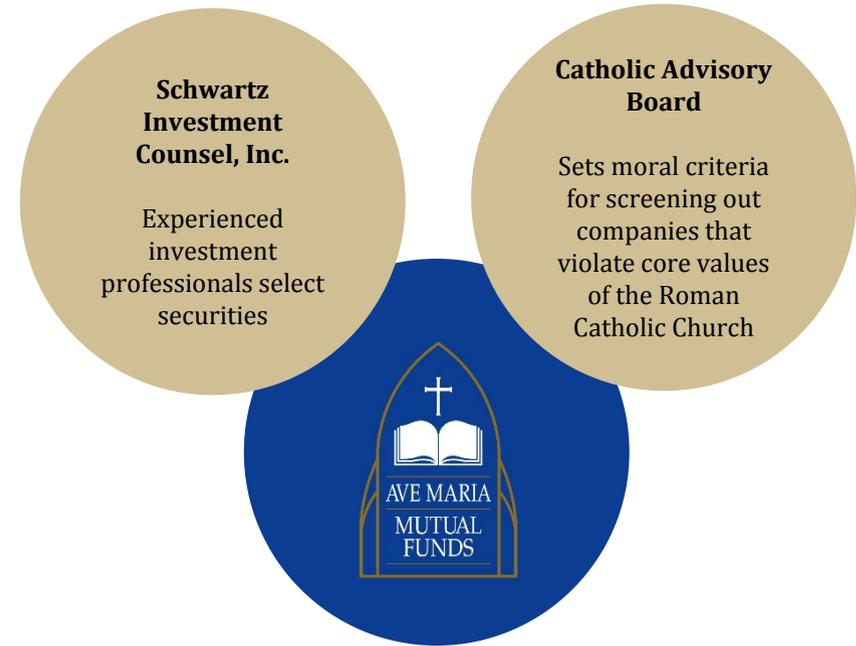
The Case for Morally Responsible Investing

We believe in MRI investing and have developed a track record that we feel is worth your consideration. In support of our belief, several of our funds have garnered high ratings from major mutual fund ratings organizations. Please visit our mutual funds website at www.avemariafunds.com, for more information or call 1-866-283-6274.

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Past performance does not guarantee future results.

Organizational Structure of the Ave Maria Funds



What is the Catholic Advisory Board?

The Catholic Advisory Board is composed of prominent lay Catholics who provide religious guidance in accordance with the Roman Catholic Church. The Board meets regularly to review the Funds’ religious standards and criteria. The Board consists of:

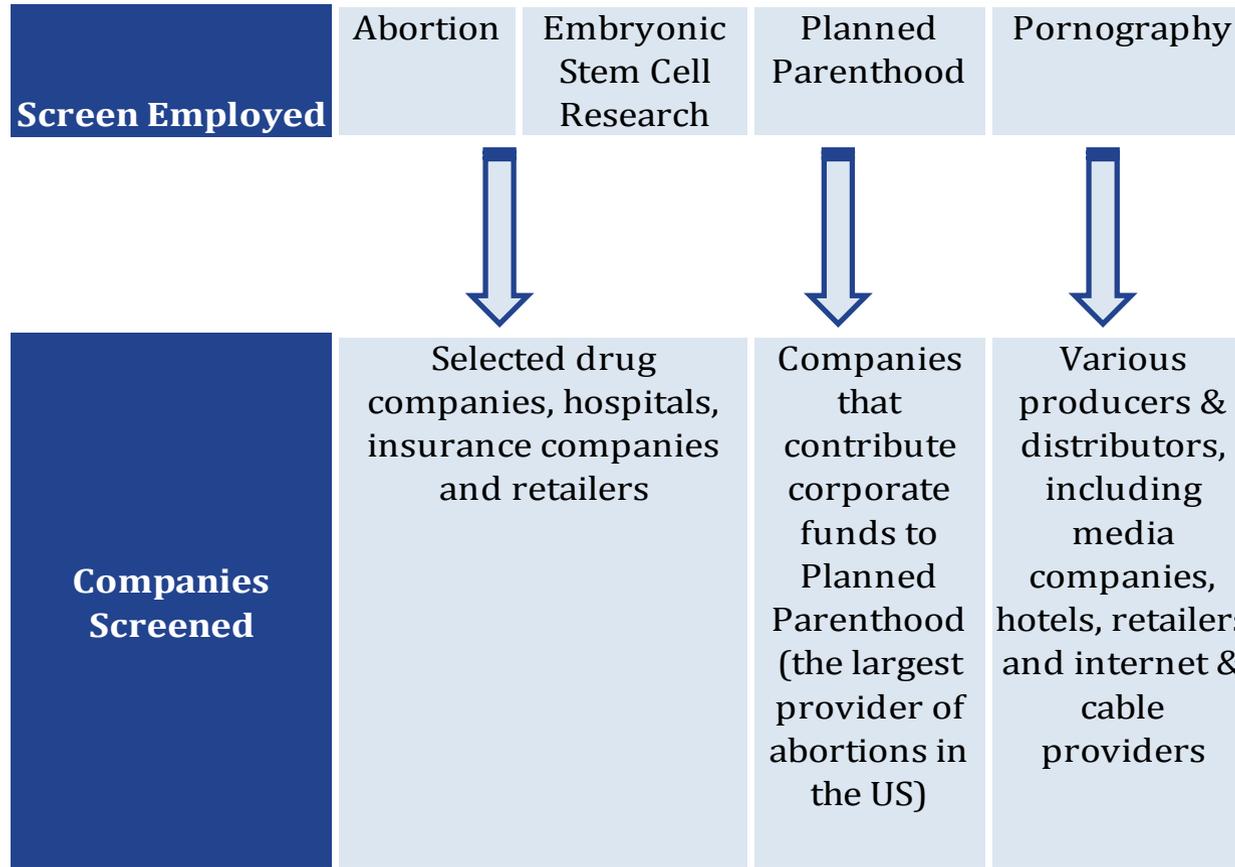
- Lou Holtz, Emeritus Former Head Football Coach University of Notre Dame
- Larry Kudlow Host of CNBC’s “The Kudlow Report”
- Tom Monaghan Chairman of the Ave Maria Foundation
- Michael Novak Theologian, Templeton Award Winner
- Paul Roney, CPA President of Domino’s Farms Corporation
- Phyllis Schlafly Founder and Chairman of Eagle Forum
- Fr. Riccardo, STL Priest, Archdiocese of Detroit



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Screening Process



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