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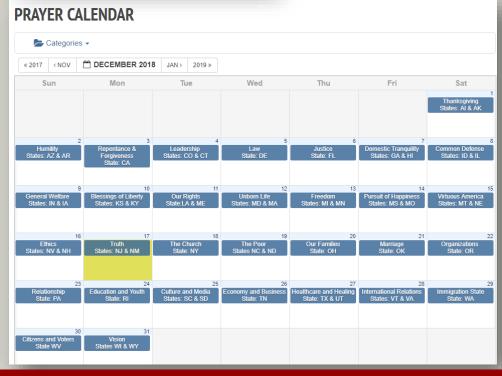


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COMPARISON OF MAJOR PARTY PLATFORM 2018 POSITIONS

A Non-Partisan Review of Six Critical Issues Key to Faith-based Voters

PARTY	***		THE STATE
	REPUBLICAN	DEMOCRATIC	LIBERTARIAN
Life & Abortion	Appoint judges who'll support Sanctity of Life at all stages. Oppose the use of public funds to perform or promote abortion or subsidize healthcare that includes abortion coverage. (pgs. 13-14)	Appoint judges who'll protect a woman's right to safe and legal abortion (pg. 25) Will continue to battle Republican efforts to defund Planned Parenthood (pg. 37)	Individual's life & liberty is foremost (pg. 2). Government should be kept out of "life decisions," leaving the question to each person for their conscientious consideration. (pg. 3)
Marriage	The foundation of society is the family - the union of one man and one woman. (pg.11)	Same-sex "marriage" is accepted and embraced. LGBT rights will be defended and championed. (pg. 19)	Government should treat all personal relationships equally and not license or restrict them. (pg. 2-3)
Religious Freedom and Repeal of the Johnson Amendment	Full religious freedom at all times everywhere. Full repeal of the Johnson Amendment (pg. 11)	Will defend freedom of religion for "religious minorities" (groups in the Middle East), but no other mention of protections here in the states. (pg. 19)	Opposes government censorship/control of media. Favors freedom of religious expression as long as other's rights are also respected. (pg. 2)
2nd Amendment	Full 2nd Amendment support. Supports the repeal of bad legislation restricting gun rights (pgs. 12-13)	"Respects" rights of "responsible" gun owners but favors increasing legislation to curb gun violence. (pg. 39)	Full 2nd Amendment support. Opposes laws that restrict individuals rights to self-defense (pg. 3)
Support for Israel	"Unequivocal Support". Considered only country in the M.E. sharing essential US values of freedom of religion and speech. Committed to Israel's security; will ensure they have strong military edge over adversaries. Opposes BDS mvmt. (pg. 47)	Believes a strong Israel is vital to US interests. Will always support Israel's right to self-defense, and will ensure it has a strong military edge in region. Opposes BDS movement. (pgs. 49-50)	Would end international government intervention, and state, "We recognize the right of all people to resist tyranny and defend themselves and their rights." (pg. 6)
Climate Change & Use of US Energy Resources	Will analyze hard data on climate change. Sees UN efforts as political. Will reject agendas of Kyoto Protocol and Paris agreement. (pg. 22) Supports the enactment of policies to increase domestic energy production in order to reduce vulnerability to foreign influence. (pg. 20)	"Climate change is an urgent threat." 1st 100 days will convene US summit of all experts to solve climate crisis. America must run entirely on clean energy by mid-century and plan to have 50% of power from "clean energy sources" within 10 ys. (p.27)	Believes competitive free markets best way to solve climate issues. Supports private land ownership over government control. "Oppose all government control of energy pricing, allocation, and production." (pg. 4)

The page numbers referenced are from the approved Party Platforms. We encourage readers to study the full text found at www.saltandlightcouncil.org/elections-voting/.
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Prayer and Action Meeting

EDUCATION ON GOD'S NON-NEGOTIABLES

TAKE ACTION AND TABLE

ELECTIONS AND TOOLS

RESTORATION THROUGH REPENTANCE







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- ✓ Pulpit Announcements
- ✓ Next Generation Newsletter
- ✓ Focused Prayers



Next Generation





Take Action!

Write Your Postcards...

Next Slide...



SEPTEMBER 2019 NEWSLETTER

Preserving our Christian Culture through Biblical Citizenship!

TOP SILVER BULLETS

- · Planned Parenthood Shuns Funding
- · Feds Probe Sports Policy Disparity

Take Action - Write, E-mail or Call! Let's make our voices heard! One \$.35 stamped postcard speaks for 1,000 constituents. Write one at your Salt & Light table.

PLANNED PARENTHOOD SHUNS FUNDING

A decision by Planned Parenthood to withdraw from the federal family-planning Title X program, rather than comply with new rules banning recipients from making abortion referrals, is showing the organization's true colors, critics maintain. "Planned Parenthood's decision today doubles down on their ultimate goal, which is political abortion advocacy, not healthcare," declared Jeanne Mancini, March for Life President. She and others are chastising Planned Parenthood for walking away from legitimate family planning services to protect its abortion enterprise. The nation's largest abortion provider announced Aug. 19 it was withdrawing from the federal program, which also prohibits abortion procedures in the same facilities where Title X grant money is used for women's health. The decision to avoid separating its family planning and abortion divisions is expected to cost Planned Parenthood about \$60 million annually. The Department of Health and Human Services crafted the new rules, which was upheld earlier this summer by the 9th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals.

SCRIPTURE: Daniel 8:12: 1 Corinthians 2:14.

PRAY: For the demise of all abortion mills.

ACTION: Write a postcard: "Dear Secretary Azar, Thank you for laying the groundwork for defunding abortion providers from Title X funds," HHS Sec. Alex M. Azar II, 200 Independence Ave., S.W., Washington, D.C. 20201. https://dailycaller.com/2019/08/19/planned-parenthood-title-ix-trump. title-x-federal-funds-to-pursue-abortion-advocacy

FEDS PROBE SPORTS POLICY DISPARITY

The U.S. Department of Education's Office for Civil Rights has launched an investigation into claims by three Connecticut teens who allege the state's sports policy on "transgender" competitors is unfair to female athletes and is costing them potential scholarships, Connecticut policy allows biological boys who "identify" as girls to compete in girls-only events. The students who filed the complaint argue the policy violates Title IX, a federal funding mechanism ensuring women are provided the same opportunities in both education and athletics. "Female athletes deserve to compete on a level playing field. Forcing them to compete against boys makes them spectators in their own sports, which is grossly unfair and destroys their athletic opportunities," Christiana Holcomb of Alliance Defending Freedom, which is representing the student athletes, warned. The teens also filed a complaint against the Connecticut Interscholastic Athletic Conference (CIAC), which introduced the policy.

SCRIPTURE: Deuteronomy 22:5; Romans 1:18.

PRAY: "Transgender" sports policies are revoked.

ACTION: Write a postcard: "Dear Glenn Lungarini, Please reconsider your "transgender" sports policy as it discriminates against well-deserving girls." Glenn Lungarini, CIAC Executive Director, 30 Realty Drive, Cheshire, CT 06410. https://www.christianheadlines.com/contributors/will-maule/departmentof-education-will-investigate-complaint-filed-by-biological-girl-athletesrequired-to-compete-against-transgender-girls.html

NEW CURRICULM CALLED "ANTI-SEMITIC"

https://world.wng.org/content/unequal_opportunity

Tony Thurmond, California State Superintendent of Instruction, is recommending curriculum for a newly mandated ethnic studies program be overhauled after widespread criticism the materials were anti-Semitic, "Jews are being attacked at this time in synagogues," Thurmond offered during a press conference, "Acts of hate are happening against the Jewish people. They must be included (in the program)." Among those panning the draft curriculum was the entire California Legislative Jewish Caucus. Its chairman, state Sen, Ben Allen of Santa Monica called for major revisions. "Our concern is that the draft curriculum, as currently written, would literally institutionalize the teaching of anti-Semitic stereotypes in our public schools." In one example, the lessons identify Islamophobia and other forms of discrimination, but do not include ways to identify anti-Semitism. Thurmond pledged he would appeal to the Board of Education's Instructional Quality Commission to bring balance to the discussion of Israel.

SCRIPTURE: Genesis 12:2; Romans 9:4. PRAY: Anti-Semitic curricula is removed from all schools. ACTION: Write a postcard: "Dear Stephanie Gregson, I strongly urge the Commission to reject all ethnic studies materials with an anti-Israel, anti-Semitic bias." Stephanie Gregson, Executive Director, Instructional Quality Commission, CA DoE, 1430 N St., Room 5602, Sacramento, CA 95814. https://ktla.com/2019/08/14/board-orders-overhaul-for-1st-draft-ofcalifornias-ethnic-studies-curriculum-calling-it-anti-semitic/ https://www.iweekly.com/2019/08/14/jews-must-be-included-in-

"SCHOOL PRAYER ZONE" SIGNS POSTED

ethnic-studies-curriculum-says-state-schools-chief-at-press-

Students heading to school in Richland County, South Carolina, are being greeted by a new type of road sign. Thanks to a three-year effort by a local nonprofit, new signs declaring "School Prayer Zone," are popping up on church properties alongside county highways. The green and white signs show stick figures of a man and woman praying. A reference to 2 Chronicles 7:14 calls on God's people to pray, repent, and seek God for the

healing of their land. Vanessa Frazier, founder and director of Christ Teens developed the idea and has been working since 2016 to earn the blessings of the South Carolina Department of Transportation. The department maintains the signs are legal because they are not in the public right-of-way.

SCRIPTURE: Jeremiah 29:7; Matthew 26:41. PRAY: School Prayer Zones spread nationwide. ACTION: For a Prayer and Action meeting, research the feasibility of launching a similar campaign in your region or developing a regular prayer session for schools.

https://saltandlightcouncil.org/blog-1 https://www1.chn.com/chnnews/us/2 road-signs-pop-up-near-schools-in-sc

"IN GOD WE TRUST" BACK IN SCHOOL

All Louisiana schools will display the words "In God We Trust," thanks to a bill signed into law last year, Although Gov. John Bel Edwards signed Senate Bill 244 in May 2018, its deadline fell at the beginning of this school year. Each campus can determine how to display the national motto, but there is a minimum requirement of at least a paper sign. Educators must also teach students the histories of the motto and the U.S. flag. Shelby Ainsworth, Principal of West Monroe High School, supports the effort, "I still feel strongly that America is a Christian nation, I want our high school youngsters exposed to as much as that as possible." The motto first appeared on coins during the Civil War and, in 1957, President Dwight D. Eisenhower signed legislation declaring "In God We Trust" the nation's motto and mandating it be printed on all paper currency. State Sen. Regina Barrow introduced the measure declaring, "It's really important that young people understand the patriotic history" of America.

SCRIPTURE: Psalm 28:7: Mark 5:36.

PRAY: The "In God We Trust" motto returns to all schools. ACTION: Write a postcard: "Dear Sen. Barrow, Thank you for bringing the "In God We Trust" motto back into the schools." State Sen. Regina Barrow, 4811 Harding Blvd., Baton Rouge, LA 70811.

https://www.theepochtimes.com/in-god-we-trust-will-be-seen-in-alllouisiana-public-schools 3040123.html https://www.kait8.com/2019/08/11/god-we-trust-motto-appear-

every-louisiana-oublic-school-thisfall/?fbclid=IwAR1Vgw4fDEkjfTMYjv5 O 2uFcfLzLGoiz5Oi4YhM5Pvrbz

SCHOOLS NEED VIGILANT MONITORING

Salt & Light Opinion: As millions of students head back to school after a long summer vacation, we decided to dedicate most of our September newsletter to issues impacting them. Unfortunately, young minds have proven to be a strong magnet for activists opposed to Judeo-Christian values who are determined to shape public opinion from an early age. For instance, the opening bell had barely quit ringing in mid-August when a California middle-school science teacher used a colorful "Gender Unicorn" worksheet to disclose to his students that he identifies as "transpender," About 50 of the sheets were distributed before the principal put a stop to it-but solely

because such distribution is only permissible in health classes, Denair Unified School District Superintendent Terry Metzger told a reporter. This incident is a stark reminder for parents to remain vigilant throughout the school year.

SCRIPTURE: Jeremiah 51:12; 1 Peter 5:8-10. PRAY: School boards return to Biblically based policies. ACTION: For a Prayer and Action meeting, arrange to receive advance copies of the local school board agendas and monitor for possible anti-family policy proposals.

https://thetexan.news/austin-city-council-members-propose-budgetamendment-to-fund-abortion-logistics/ https://www.kvue.com/article/news/politics/austin-council-members-

voice-support-for-abortion-access-funding-from-city-budget/269lac52d86-6e57-475d-9e09-0b12a9109478

SALT & LIGHT MINISTRY MOMENT:

NOTE: Ministry Moment is for educational purposes only. Information offered by organizations is from their websites and should not be used as a substitute for your own research. See You at the Pole:

Doug Clark - Promotion Coordinator

See You at the Pole (SYATP), a global day of student prayer, began in 1990 as a grassroots movement with 10 students praying at their school. Decades later, millions of pupils pray on their campuses on the fourth Wednesday in September, this year on Sept. 25. At its core, SYATP is simply a prayer rally where students meet at the flagpole before first bell to lift up friends, families, teachers, school and nation to God. It is a student-initiated, studentorganized, and student-led event. Many of these gatherings have proven to be the catalyst to launch campus Bible clubs and other ministries, "As in all great movements of prayer, See You at the Pole did not begin in the hearts of people. It began in the heart of God. God used the obedience of a small group of teenagers to ignite what has become an international movement of prayer among young people," the ministry website reads.

SCRIPTURE: 2 Chronicles 7:14; Matthew 18:19-20. PRAY: Students are emboldened to share Jesus on campus. ACTION: For a Prayer and Action meeting, explore the SYATP website to find out ways to offer ongoing prayer support to your local schools.

https://syatp.com/

DID YOU KNOW? There are vast differences between the official platforms of the three major political parties, Prepare for the 2020 election by visiting www.BiblicalVoter.com to compare how they currently stand on the issues.

UPCOMING EVENTS: (Customize events here) Salt & Light Prayer and Action Meeting When: TRA Your Salt & Light Coordinator Email:

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Article 1: PLANNED PARENTHOOD SHUNS FUNDING

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ROLE-PLAY TABLE TRAINING

TABLE ETIQUETTE and ANSWERING OBJECTIONS

- Facts only No Personal Opinions
- Develop a Loving Attitude

OBJECTIONS:

- Too Political
- Separation of Church and State
- Violates 501(c)3

ACKNOWLEDGE AND DEFLECT

"You are very passionate about that issue, why don't you sign up into the ministry and come pray with us? And, join us for our Biblical Worldview classes on this subject."





ROLE PLAY - "Acknowledge then Deflect"

Basic 4 Rules

- a. Acknowledge what the person said with a simple phrase such as, "You are very passionate about that" Or, "Great question!"
- b. Do not engage in any controversial subjects Keep it simple, light, loving!
- Deflect conversations by inviting the person to come to your Prayer and Action Meeting or join in one of the classes.
- d. Remember to be welcoming. You represent your church.

1A

PERSON ASKS: WHAT ARE YOU DOING AT THIS TABLE?

2B

PERSON ASKS: CAN YOU TELL ME WHAT ELSE YOU DO?

AFFILIATE ANSWERS: (USE <u>P-E-T-E-R</u> ACRONYM) Yes, We <u>P</u>ray for our country and elected officials. We <u>E</u>ducate on God's non-negotiable moral values and Biblical worldview. We <u>Take Action on issues and legislation</u>. We get involved in <u>E</u>lections, vote values, and we hope this will bring <u>Restoration to our nation</u>. Would you like to <u>SIGN UP</u> and come to our <u>Prayer and Action Meeting or take one of our Biblical Worldview Classes?</u>

3

PERSON ASKS: WHAT ABOUT SEPARATION OF CHURCH AND STATE?

AFFILIATE ANSWERS: Thanks! That's an excellent question! We agree with you – the state DOES need to separate itself FROM the church! (God belongs everywhere since it was He who created all sectors of society including government. It's the government that needs to be restrained.)

Would you like to SIGN UP and come to our Prayer and Action Meeting or take one of our Biblical Worldview Classes?

4

PERSON SAYS: THE CHURCH IS NOT ALLOWED TO BE POLITICAL-YOU CAN'T DO THIS!

AFFILIATE ANSWERS: We appreciate your concern. These are our Biblical moral values that the state is trampling on. Would you like to SIGN UP and come to our Prayer and Action Meeting or take one of our Biblical Worldview Classes?

Role Plays "Acknowledge then Deflect"

5

PERSON ASKS: WHY ARE YOU AGAINST HOMOSEXUALS?

AFFILIATE ANSWERS: No one said we are "against" homosexuals. In fact, as Christians, we are called to love. We really do love all people. Would you like to SIGN UP and come to our Prayer and Action Meeting or take one of our Biblical Worldview Classes?

6A

PERSON ASKS: WHAT'S WRONG WITH HOMOSEXUALS MARRYING WHEN THEY LOVE EACH OTHER?

AFFILIATE ANSWERS: That's an excellent question! Let me ask YOU a question. Do you believe God's Word is 100% true?

PERSON: YES.

AFFILIATE ANSWERS: Then, maybe you would consider reading what God has to say on this subject. My opinion doesn't count. Only God's opinion matters.

6B

PERSON: NO or I'M NOT SURE.

AFFILIATE ANSWERS: Then, my friend, you may want to come to our Biblical worldview courses and hear what God has to say on this issue. We would love to invite you. Would you like to SIGN UP and come to our Prayer and Action Meeting or take one of our Biblical Worldview Classes?



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