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QUALITIES THAT THE CANDIDATE YOU
VOTE FOR MODELS?
THINK, PRAY, VOTE, PRAY



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WHERE WE’VE BEEN & WHERE WE’RE HEADED NEXT . . .

July 6— Gospel Freedom Fest, Cedonia Community Church, Cedonia, WA (HIPPE)
July 7— Crossroads Community Church, Valley, WA (Hippe)
Wayne Morris is preaching the first two Sundays of each month at New Hope Bible Church in Spokane Valley, WA and will continue to do so indefinitely.
August— 4,11, 18,25 Country Bible Church, Dusty, WA (Papst, Hippe, Kennedy, Morris)
September—8, 15,22, 29 Country Bible Church, Dusty, WA (Papst, Morris)
October— 6,13,20,27 Country Bible Church, Dusty, WA (Papst, Hippe, Morris)
Mark Kennedy has also been consistently speaking at Albion Community Church in Albion, WA
POTENTIAL NEED IN TWO OTHER CHURCHES

WE ARE AVAILABLE FOR PULPIT SUPPLY EVEN ON SHORT NOTICE.

Do you need assistance with Pulpit Supply, Creative Outreach Programs, AWANA or Kid’s Clubs, Sunday School, Family Camp, Teen or Kid’s camps or other special events? Contact us. We are here to serve.

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RELIGION IS ALREADY BEING TAUGHT IN EVERY PUBLIC-SCHOOL (part 2)

John Dewey wrote “Change must come gradually.” In an 1898 essay calling for schools to place less emphasis on reading and writing, and more emphasis on collectivism, Dewey made his agenda clear. “To force change unduly would compromise its final success” by triggering a violent reaction. **Teach a theory as fact.**

My Thoughts: The “theorytale” Darwin proposed is a tenant of the religion of humanism. Basic beliefs are as follows: There is no God. Humans are the product of time and chance and merely the current peak of the evolutionary tree. We are animals. We have no spirit/soul. Upon death one simply goes out of existence.

When children are taught these beliefs as facts, what can we expect from them but to act like animals? In our current culture, we are reaping the harvest of the humanist seeds planted in impressionable minds by the indoctrination of most science teachers in the public-school system across America. Extensions of this are that it is not wrong to lie. In fact, sometimes it is wrong to tell the truth. We see this play out everyday when many politicians speak. Like Pilate, they question, “What is truth.”

Under Dewey’s religion, there is no God. And if there is no God, then there can be no God-given rights. Rights are government given.

SUNDAY SCHOOL VS. THE SCHOOL OF HUMANISM

Charles F. Potter, a signer of the “Humanist Manifesto” and an associate of Dewey, wrote in his 1930 book *Humanism, a New Religion* stated this, “**EDUCATION IS THUS A MOST POWERFUL ALLY OF HUMANISM, AND EVERY PUBLIC SCHOOL IS A SCHOOL OF HUMANISM.**” He added, “What can theistic Sunday school, meeting for an hour once a week, and teaching only a fraction of the children, do to stem the tide of a five-day program of humanistic teachings?”

SLAVE OR FREE?

Horace Greely, the famous New York newspaper editor, once noted that, “It is impossible to enslave, mentally or socially, a Bible-reading people. The principles of the Bible are the groundwork of human freedom.”

Dewey realized the difficulty in controlling a more literate people versus one that had been less educated. Dewey urged the National Education Association to spend less time on reading. “The plea for the predominance of learning to read in early school-life . . . seems to me a perversion.” Dewey lamented in his 1898 essay “The Primary-Education Fetish,” which was to guide the progressives in their long-range crusade to remake American education as an instrument to bring about socialism.

It was Dewey who introduced the concept of a social studies curriculum – the study of human interaction in societies and culture – rather than civics, which taught the rights and duties of citizens within a sovereign nation. Dewey also exhorted teachers to spend less instruction on the emphasis of virtues. We see the results of this brilliant decision and focus.

WICKED PEOPLE CAN’T SELF-GOVERN

As John Adams noted, “Our Constitution was made only for a moral and religious people. It is wholly inadequate to the government of any other.” Dewey understood that a generation drifting further away from God’s

standards of righteousness would be unfit for the liberty of self-government, and that the heavy yoke of socialism and the lessened emphasis of reason and intellect went hand in hand.

Widely recognized as the founding father of America's "progressive" public education system, John Dewey was a man on an unprecedented religious mission. He set out to win America over to his religious worldview. Like the collectivists whose shoulders he stood upon, government-controlled education was Dewey's weapon of choice. More than a century after he began, it's clear that Dewey and his disciples are winning—**BIG TIME**. When Dewey launched his crusade to erode the faith and individualism of Americans, the United States of America was among the most devoutly Christian nations that the world had ever known. Church and the Bible were an inseparable part of life and education for virtually everyone.

A CHRISTIAN COUNTRY CHRISTIAN TEACHER IN A PUBLIC SCHOOL SETTING, FIND CREATIVE WAYS TO LIVE OUT YOUR FAITH.

In 1643, in the Articles of Confederation of the United Colonies, the earliest settlers in America declared, "We all came into these parts of America with one and the same end and aim, namely, to advance the Kingdom of our Lord Jesus Christ and to enjoy the liberties of the Gospel in purity with peace."

Centuries later, that was still the prevailing sentiment. In 1856, for example, the U.S. House of Representatives, which represents the people more directly than any other federal body, put it this way: "The great vital and conservative element in our system is the belief of our people in the pure doctrines and divine truths of the Gospel of Jesus Christ." Numerous similar declarations came from Congress before and after that. In 1892, even the U.S. Supreme Court declared in *Holy Trinity Church v. the United States* that America "is a Christian nation."

As recently as the 1970s, nine out of ten Americans still identified as Christians. Today, however, just two-thirds of Americans identify as Christians, with those numbers plummeting further every year. Even in the Bible Belt, less than half of Americans attend church weekly, with attendance dropping to less than 20% in some states.

Among self-proclaimed Christians, surveys by the Nehemiah Institute reveal that the vast majority reject the Biblical worldview that defined Americans for centuries. With the decline of Christianity and the biblical worldview among Americans, the freedom loving political institutions they gave rise to have eroded as well.

Today, Dewey's religion of humanism is being infused into the mind of every child attending public school, often by teachers who don't even realize it. Polls show over half of young Americans now identify as socialists.

DEWEY WOULD BE PROUD, BUT AMERICANS SHOULD BE OUTRAGED

MIKE FIELD PARTNERING WITH ESM

Mike and Kathy Field have been married since 1985 and have served pastors and families ever since. Their six grandkids fill the house for holidays and special occasions. Mike has been in bi-vocational ministry until 2018 when he retired from the Federal Aviation Administration as an On-the-Job Trainer, Quality Assurance Inspector, and Electronic Technician. Mike graduated from Northwest University with a Master's degree in International Community Development and has studied pastoral and chaplain services with a specialty in Crisis Stress and Trauma Recovery. He is a life coach, a Spiritual Director, and a Mental Health Coach.

He calls the Pacific Northwest home and currently lives in Eastern Washington. His heart is to help and encourage people to become who God has created them to be. He works to build the church through spending time with people and helping God shape them. He loves hearing people's stories and the hope they have in Christ.

Mike's heart is to have an open door especially for pastors and leaders and wives in the challenging ministry of serving in smaller and rural church ministries. If you need a listening ear, an open heart and a praying friend contact a member of our team. We are here for you.

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Thoughts from Dawna . . . IT'S TOO HARD TO DO.

My husband Dan is running for sheriff in our county and because *he's* running for sheriff that means *we* are running for sheriff. Since last December we've spent early mornings, late nights, and long days running this race.

Last week we managed a booth for our campaign at the North Idaho State fair, and it was a marathon! I'm not sure what I expected when we signed up for a vendor booth, but I have a new appreciation for all business owners, vendors, and volunteers who are responsible for booths at trade shows, fairs, or farmer's markets. For ten days straight we spent on average 12-hour shifts that started with setting things up then hours of standing, walking, and talking, before packing it up at the end of the night.

While it was an incredible experience, and we were blown away by the support of many people, it was exhausting. Along the way we had folks ask us, "How are you holding up? You must be so tired!" and while my first thought was, of course I am *tired*, but I felt ready and energized for those long days. I was prepared because I have been training many years for occasions just like this and so has Dan. In fact, Dan physically trains in the gym so consistently that he has been an inspiration to me and this physical training has prepared us both to be ready for difficult tasks.

When any of us practices or trains for something routinely, we often don't know exactly what it is that we're getting ready to do, but we know that the discipline of doing it is important. You might be practicing an instrument, learning a new language, or planting a garden for the first time. Physical fitness is a discipline that prepares us for nearly everything else in life because it doesn't just challenge the body but also trains the mind and often those mental hurdles are greater than the physical ones.



The state fair was a perfect place to observe a lot of people in one place and I noticed the stark physical differences between the people who have practiced discipline in their lives compared to those who have not. In your 20's, 30's and 40's it's easy to forget that when you're training for something now it means that you'll be ready and prepared when something difficult is required in the future.

No matter the stage of life you're in, you should always be training for something that's hard to do, not comfortable, but difficult. You never know when you'll be called to a hard-hitting challenge and the only way to be ready is to always prepare as if you know the difficulty will inevitably come. It most certainly will.

Jeremiah 12:5

"If you have raced with men on foot and they have worn you out, how can you compete with horses? If you stumble in safe country, how will you manage in the thickets by the Jordan?"

1 CORINTHIANS 15:58 STANDING FIRM WITH MY MOM, DAWNA



WE NEED YOUR PRAYERS

- Country Bible Church in Dusty, WA as they seek a new shepherd for their flock
- Wisdom and health for our son, George II, with ongoing health challenges
- Pastor Kevin Che'n and his wife Janell, as they face Kevin's heart valve repair (October 16th) and ongoing dialysis treatments. He cannot be placed on a kidney transplant list until the heart problem is solved.
- Praise for good personal health.
- Praise for God's goodness with ministry finances
- Praise for men who have been available for pulpit supply
- Continue to pray for a "Timothy." As time progresses, there will be more of a need.