

# The Endtimes Are Now!

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## The War Against Christianity/Morality

**Student Suspended for Sharing Beliefs.** A Christian student sharing his Christian beliefs in a private conversation was suspended for three days and now is suing for that punishment. The Great Lakes Justice Center is representing David Stout in federal court in the Western District of Michigan. The center explained the three-day suspension was imposed on Stout "for stating his Christian beliefs in a private text conversation and in a hallway at school." (endtime.com 2/4)

**U.S. Complicity And Complicity Endangers Christians Worldwide.** Early every year, Open Doors presents its updated World Watch List: "The top 50 countries where it's most difficult to follow Jesus." This year's presentation included exceptionally worrisome information about new dangers globally, and

deadly shifts in the free world's responses. (prophecynewswatch.com 2/4)

**Apple's 'Pregnant Man' Emoji Shows the Reconstruction of our Society.** The culture around us reflects what our society sees as reality that culture is being reconstructed, transitioned in the image of trans activists. (prophecynewswatch.com 2/3)

**Woman at Michigan School Board Meeting Blows Whistle on Litter Boxes in School Bathrooms for Students Who Identify as Cats.** At a recent school board meeting, it was revealed that a Michigan school literally placed litter boxes in the "unisex" bathrooms for students who identify as cats. Are they using them? This brings a whole new stupidity in this catering to "gender fluid" madness, except now it's warped into "species fluid." Billy, go pick up

those pencils you dropped. "Bark, Bark." Amy, stop fighting. "Meow." If the teachers don't bark or meow back, they can be fired on the spot, just like the substitute teacher when calling roll refused to meow back to a cat-student. Yes, this is happening in America right now. (naturalnews.com 1/28)

**\$1000 Fine for Biblical Counseling Coming to America.**

Imagine being stuck in a cycle of depression or an unhealthy relationship and not being able to get help. Well, unfortunately, people in 22 states don't have to imagine it. Thanks to a string of bad laws, something as simple as sitting down and talking to a counselor about your struggles with sexuality isn't allowed because it is illegal. And if the far-Left has its way, small towns like West Lafayette may be the next battleground in the LGBT's movement to stop free speech. (prophecynewswatch.com 1/25)

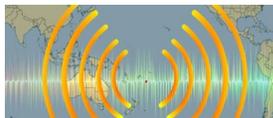
## Spiritual Wickedness in High Places

The federal Pretrial Services Agency, (PSA) a legal office in D.C. has announced a "notice of a new system of records that will collect...religious accommodation requests for exception from the federally mandated vaccination requirement." The agency states it plans to create a records system in the "context of a public health emergency" to maintain a "safe and healthy environment" for PSA employees. It is allowed to do so as a result of President Biden's executive order 14043 requiring all federal employees to get the vaccination. A second *Daily Signal* story indicated 19 more federal agencies were creating similar tracking lists of religious exemption requests from their employees, including DoJ, DHHS, and DoT, among others. It is truly one of the most aggressive, Orwellian attempts, to segregate and blacklist conservative, religious, faithful Americans, that we've ever seen. This government intrusion will collect details about religious practices and personal data on targeted individuals and can be likened to Soviet KGB and East German Stasi. Meanwhile, a federal judge on January 22 blocked Biden's vaccine mandate for federal employees, but it appears the federal government's planned database is still moving forward. Our nation is clearly deteriorating as moral darkness threatens to overwhelm diminishing spiritual protections. Moreover, nowhere is safe from this spiritual darkness. There is a pattern manifested by evil when it takes root and then spreads. Only the intercessory prayers of the church can hold back this evil. (Eph 6:12)

## Natural Disasters

**Two Days After a Nation-Wide Earthquake Drill, Fourth Quake in Just Three Weeks Hits Israel.** An earthquake reached 4.5 on the Richter scale in Cyprus on Wednesday night. The quake struck only 241 miles from the northern coastal Israeli city of Nahariya where it was felt by Israeli residents. Due to the increasing number of earthquakes hitting the area, Home Front Command reissued earthquake guidelines to the Israeli public. Israel's Jordan Valley and Dead Sea are part of the Syrian-African Rift Valley, which stretches from Lebanon's Beqaa Valley to Mozambique in Southeastern Africa. Large earthquakes usually hit Israel approximately once every 90 years and there is concern that another one is due considering that the most recent one occurred in 1927. That event saw more than 400 people killed and extensive damage to buildings in Jerusalem and Hebron. Massive earthquakes in Israel are prophesied to accompany the multinational Gog and Magog conflict that will signal the end of times. (israel365news.com 2/6)

**Eruption off Tonga Sends Tsunami.** Two weeks ago, the eruption of an underwater volcano off the coast of Tonga sent ash tens of thousands of feet into the sky and tsunami waves across thousands of miles of the Pacific Ocean (*New York Times*, January 15, 2022).



The eruption set off tsunami warnings around the Pacific Rim and along the entire west coast of the United States, where some residents were told to avoid low-lying coastal areas. The "boom" from the eruption was heard 1,430 miles away in New Zealand. The potential damage that can be wrought by earthquakes, volcanic eruptions, and tsunamis can be massive. Within hours, a tsunami multiple meters high could inundate tidal regions around the entire ring of the Pacific, killing millions. Bible prophecy foretells the coming of such events during "the Day of the Lord." (twnews&prophecy.com 1/28)

## The Deepening Darkness vs. Life and Peace

**The Darkness Deepens** as the storm clouds of evil gather over this world in anticipation of the arrival of the last human world leader, the anti-christ. His will be a short but very cruel and evil reign of seven years. Just prior to the revealing of the antichrist's identity, Jesus will whisk away His waiting Bride to the glories of His presence in heaven. Seven years later Jesus will set up His

thousand-year reign on earth, a kingdom of peace on earth and good will to men. Right now we have a choice of the kingdom we want to participate in: the kingdom of death and torment led by antichrist, or the kingdom of glorious life with Jesus, living forever in His presence. "Choose you this day whom ye will serve" (Joshua 24:15). To join the anti-christ's kingdom we simply follow our fleshly

desires and reject God. To join the everlasting kingdom of Jesus, simply believe, repent by forsaking the ways of the world, having our past sins washed away through water baptism in Jesus' name, receive His Spirit with the evidence of speaking in other tongues, and living our lives according to the Scriptures. The choice is ours!

## Around the World

**A New Pillar of Fire? Israel's Borders to be Protected With Wall of Lasers.** On Tuesday evening, Prime Minister Naftali Bennett announced that Israel will be fast-tracking the development of a laser defense system that will be used to defend against attacks from Gaza and Hezbollah. The lasers, using an autonomous detection and tracking system, will superheat drones and rockets which the developers claim will catch on fire within a few seconds. The system will supplement the Iron Dome that operates against short-range projectiles with the lasers concentrating on smaller projectiles. The Defense Ministry said the laser uses a "highly advanced optical targeting system, with tracking capabilities and artificial intelligence" to locate a target "at highly precise levels of accuracy." Israel also uses David's Sling and Arrow systems against long-range ballistic missiles. (prophecynewswatch.2/3)

**Qatar Gas to Europe?** Russia has become the primary source of natural gas for Germany, leaving some concerned that Russia could cut off the supply if hostilities erupt in the Ukraine and Germany opposes Russian moves in that area. However, the United States has been negotiating behind the scenes with the Arab nation of Qatar, which has an excess of natural gas and may be willing to temporarily supply Europe should the need arise (*The Guardian*, January 26, 2022). And if war breaks out in the Ukraine, gas from Qatar could be very reassuring to much of Europe if current pipelines are damaged. Some experts believe that if Russia realizes Germany and Europe may have other avenues for purchasing fuel, its leaders may reconsider military action. Could this be the start of the confederacy against Israel spoken of in Psalm 83:5?

(twnews&prophecy.com 2/4)

**Pope Francis: Taxation is an Important Tool for 'Wealth Redistribution'.** Pope Francis met with a delegation from Italy's internal revenue service Monday, praising them for their work and holding up taxation as a necessary tool for redistribution. Modern tax collectors are often looked upon with suspicion just as they were in the times of Jesus, the pontiff said, but they provide an essential service to the common good by redistributing wealth. (Breitbart.com 1/31)

**Turkey Appears to be Backing Ukraine in Potential War with Russia.** Turkey calls Moscow's annexation of Crimea an 'illegal occupation'. Ankara is also an outspoken supporter of Ukraine's ambitions to join NATO, which Putin seems ready to risk a war to prevent from happening. (israel365news.com 1/31)

**The Russia-China Axis - How America Responds Could Set Up New World Order.** As Russia continues its troop build-up along the border with Ukraine, China has markedly increased its military activity near Taiwan. The twin geopolitical flashpoints are raising concerns that Russia and China could coordinate concurrent military offensives that the United States and its allies may find difficult to stop. (pnw.com 1/25)

**Israel to Remain Neutral in Potential US-Russia War, Just as Prophesied in Gog-Magog War.** (israel365news.com 2/7)

**Persecution Watch 2022: Afghanistan Now Most Dangerous Country For Christians.** Afghanistan replaces North Korea at the top of the World Watch List after 20 years. One in seven Christians worldwide suffers persecution, says Open Doors. (pnw.com 1/20)

## Knowledge Shall Be Increased (Daniel 12:4)

**Neuralink Inches Closer to Brain Chip Implantation.** Neuralink has said it is working on technology that could enable people to operate computers using only their thoughts. However, some experts and scientists are uneasy about the ambitious project at the hands of a for-profit company and the possible intrusion of Big Tech into the human brain. Reports suggested that the neurological tech company could be preparing for human trials as early as this year. (endtime.com 2/4)

**Jerusalem Researchers Develop Simple Blood Test to Detect Cancer Metastases.**

The team headed by Hebrew University scientists find a way to detect the spread of cancer to additional organs using an easy blood test. (israel365news.com 2/4)

**Spinal Implant Breakthrough.** A British man who had his spinal cord severed following a vehicle accident five years ago has regained the ability to walk due to a groundbreaking new implant, researchers reported yesterday. It marks the first time a patient with such an injury, which involves loss of motor and sensory function, has recuperated to the point where they may walk. Two other pa-

tients saw similar results. (1440news.com 2/8)

**A Routine Prenatal Ultrasound Can Identify Early Signs of Autism, Israeli Researchers Find.** New Israeli research on early diagnosis of autism even before the baby is born is now even more exact and measurable. Prenatal ultrasound in the second trimester can identify early signs of autism in the child according to the new study by Ben-Gurion University of the Negev and Soroka University Medical Center, both in Beersheba. (israel365news.com 2/9)