

Trump's Historic Comeback to Conclude with National Prayer Service

President-elect Donald Trump has announced the official schedule for his inauguration festivities, set to begin Saturday, Jan. 18, and conclude on Tuesday, Jan. 21, with a National Prayer Service. The events reflect a clear commitment to placing God at the center of the incoming administration, [a defining feature of Trump's vision for America's future.](#)

"President Trump is dedicated to uniting the country through the strength, security and opportunity of his America First agenda," committee co-chairs Steve Witkoff and Kelly Loeffler said in a press release. "The 2025 inaugural celebrations will reflect President-elect Trump's historic return to the White House and the American people's decisive vote to Make America Great Again."

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The schedule includes patriotic celebrations, a renewed focus on honoring America's founding values and the highlight: a National Prayer Service dedicated to seeking God's guidance for the nation. This emphasis on faith sets the tone for Trump's second term, [signaling a sharp contrast to the outgoing Biden administration,](#) which advanced policies that often contradicted biblical principles.

□ *BREAKING: Trump team has announced its multi-day inaugural celebration schedule.*

The Victory Rally is on Sunday, and Inauguration Day has a packed schedule. pic.twitter.com/w2q3ZH7eVZ

– Eric Daugherty (@EricLDaugh) [January 13, 2025](#)

While the speakers for the National Prayer Service have not yet been announced, anticipation is building within Christian communities as they await details on the leaders who will help usher in this sacred moment. Regardless of who takes the stage, the service promises to be a powerful gathering that will impact the future of the nation.

The decision to conclude the inauguration with a time of prayer and repentance is not only encouraging but also profoundly impactful. It sends a message that the new administration recognizes the need for God's sovereignty and blessings to guide America forward.

During the past four years, the Biden administration pushed through legislation that clashed with Scriptural truths—championing policies on issues like abortion, radical gender ideology and a crackdown on religious liberty that left many Christians disheartened. Trump's reelection offers a fresh opportunity for America to return to the biblical foundations upon which it was established.

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The National Prayer Service promises to be a pivotal moment, uniting believers across the nation and around the world to intercede for the country. Faith leaders are calling on Christians to take part by lifting up prayers for the new administration, for the nation to repent and for a mighty outpouring of the Holy Spirit.

As America enters this new chapter, there is a clear call for Christians to rise in unity, praying fervently for revival to

sweep the land. [Let us seek God's mercy and His blessings](#) upon President Trump, his team and the nation as a whole. May this moment mark the beginning of a spiritual awakening, leading hearts back to God and reigniting the biblical principles that have long defined America's greatness.

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Is the Pope Engaged in Spiritual Warfare Against Donald Trump?

The recent appointment of Cardinal Robert McElroy as the archbishop of Washington, D.C., raises significant concerns about a potential agenda being pushed by the Vatican in America.

Pope Francis' decision to elevate one of his most progressive allies to this influential position has drawn criticism from those who see the move as part of a broader spiritual battle—[not only against biblical truth](#) but also against former President Donald Trump and his second term.

McElroy, who previously served as the bishop of San Diego, has been an outspoken critic of Trump's policies, particularly on immigration and the border wall. In a 2017 speech, McElroy called on fellow faith leaders to become "disruptors," stating, "We must disrupt those who would seek to send troops into our streets to deport the undocumented, to rip mothers

and fathers from their families. We must disrupt those who portray refugees as enemies rather than our brothers and sisters in terrible need.” His rhetoric framed Trump’s policies as antithetical to the teachings of Christ, but many Christians see his stance as overly political and lacking in biblical grounding.

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A Progressive Ally in a Key Position

McElroy’s elevation to cardinal in 2022 and now to Washington, D.C., clearly shows Pope Francis’ commitment to reshaping the Catholic Church’s leadership in America. Known for his pro-LGBTQ stance, McElroy has openly supported greater inclusion for LGBTQ individuals within the church, a position that many conservative Catholics rightfully point out is a departure from biblical teachings.

These positions align closely with Pope Francis’ own progressive agenda, which has often clashed with more traditional interpretations of Scripture. Meanwhile, the Pope has taken steps to remove conservative voices within the church, [such as Bishop Joseph Strickland](#), who was known for his outspoken opposition to the Pope’s pro-LGBTQ policies and his defense of traditional Catholic values. Strickland’s removal, juxtaposed with McElroy’s promotion, highlights a troubling pattern: a Vatican increasingly hostile to Scripture and more aligned with society’s views.

A Questionable Legacy

McElroy’s record also includes troubling allegations of mishandling abuse cases within his diocese. Critics argue that his history makes him an odd choice to lead one of the most visible and politically significant archdioceses in the United States. The Archdiocese of Washington has faced its own scandals, including decades of abuse by clergy and a reckoning

with transparency. For McElroy to take the helm in such a sensitive position—while carrying unresolved questions about his past leadership—raises eyebrows among both faithful Catholics and outside observers.

A Broader Agenda?

This appointment cannot be viewed in isolation. It comes at a time when the Vatican appears to be aligning itself against not just Trump as an individual but the broader anti-woke agenda he champions. Trump's presidency was marked by policies that many Christians viewed as biblically grounded—from defending the unborn to supporting religious freedom and appointing judges who upheld traditional values. For many, these actions are seen as evidence of God's hand in Trump's leadership.

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By contrast, the Vatican under Pope Francis has embraced radically progressive politics, often at the expense of clear biblical teaching. From prioritizing climate change to emphasizing social justice over doctrinal truth, the Vatican's shift has alienated many conservative Christians. The appointment of McElroy is a direct challenge to the agenda many Americans voted for and believe is God-ordained.

For Christians, the question is not merely political but deeply spiritual. [Is this appointment part of a larger battle](#) against biblical truth and the values that underpin a God-honoring society? By elevating leaders who prioritize progressive ideologies over Scripture, the Vatican makes itself vulnerable to the lies and deception of Satan and his demonic forces.

As believers, it is vital for us to pray for discernment and boldness in these challenging times. While Pope Francis and

Cardinal McElroy pursue their own “modern” vision for the church, Christians must remain steadfast in defending the truth of God’s Word.

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Christians Lead the Charge in Saving Lives During LA Wildfires

Wildfires continue to rage across Southern California, [the devastation described as “apocalyptic,”](#) leaving a trail of unimaginable destruction. Homes and businesses have been reduced to ash, lives disrupted and hope shaken. Yet, even amid the smoke and ruin, there is a profound opportunity for the church to rise and demonstrate the transformative power of God’s love.

Pastor Jack Hibbs of Calvary Chapel, Chino Hills, is urging believers to see beyond the destruction and recognize an opportunity for God to move powerfully.

“The devastation is absolutely apocalyptic in scope,” Hibbs said. “It’s as though an atomic bomb had gone off—the loss of animal life, the loss of property, the loss of business, the loss of homes and for some, maybe even the loss of their faith because they may have built their life as it were on the sand. We pray not.

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“Unless the Lord builds the house, they that labor do so in vain,” Hibbs reminded listeners. He encourages the church to pray for millions in the Los Angeles area, asking God to turn [this ash heap into a foundation for spiritual awakening.](#)

“This is a plea,” Hibbs continues. “Will you pray? Will you pray for California? Will you pray for the devastation in Southern California? We give it to You now, Lord, and we pray by leaving it at Your feet in Jesus’ name.”

In the Echo Park region of Los Angeles, the [L.A. Dream Center](#) is hard at work providing aid as a 24-hour shelter for those impacted by the wildfires.

“Hot meals ready all day. Water, diapers, food times, ready all day. Shelter open 24/7. 9am until sundown food line in full operation,” [founder of the L.A. Dream Center Matthew Barnett](#) posted to X.

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Alongside outreaches like the Dream Center, celebrities such as Chef Andrew Gruel have raised funds and supplies for the ministries, delivering pallet after pallet of food to those in desperate need of help.

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Now is the time for Christians to step into our calling as the hands and feet of Jesus, bringing hope and healing to those enduring their darkest moments. In the face of such devastation, the church is uniquely positioned to be the salt and light that Christ has called us to be—a beacon of His love, grace and mercy. This is not only a moment to pray from a distance but an opportunity to act with compassion and boldness, meeting practical needs, comforting the grieving and pointing the lost to the eternal hope found in Him. Let us rise together to serve, give and love sacrificially, showing the world that even in the ashes of despair, the light of Christ shines brighter than ever.

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11 Prophetic Insights That Show 2025 Will Shape History

As we step into 2025, Pastor Tom Hughes has laid out 11 prophetic signs that suggest this year will be nothing short of unprecedented. In a recent Hope For Our Times YouTube video, Hughes dissected the events of 2024 and connects them to biblical prophecy, warning believers to stay vigilant. His insights challenge us to look at the world through the lens of Scripture and discern the signs of the times.

1. The Church of Unbelievers

Hughes opened with a sobering observation: [“Churches are filled with unbelievers and false teachings.”](#) He pointed out

that many congregations have embraced doctrines that deny biblical truths, including the existence of hell and the authority of God's Word. "The Bible warned this would happen," Hughes states, citing 1 Timothy 4:1: "Now the Spirit expressly says that in latter times some will depart from the faith, giving heed to deceiving spirits and doctrines of demons."

2. A System That Cannot Be Escaped

"Technology is creating a system where no one can buy or sell without being tracked," Hughes says, referencing Revelation 13:17. From digital currencies to drone surveillance, he highlighted how governments are developing tools for unprecedented control. "This is not something we can escape," he warns, underscoring the importance of spiritual preparation.

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3. Unparalleled Deception

"We've entered an era where deception is almost impossible to avoid," Hughes declares, pointing to advancements in AI and deepfake technology. He explained how these tools make distinguishing truth from lies increasingly difficult, fulfilling Jesus' warning in Matthew 24:24: "For false Christs and false prophets will rise and show great signs and wonders to deceive, if possible, even the elect."

4. Rise in Anti-Semitism

Hughes calls attention to the alarming increase in anti-Semitism worldwide. "We're seeing Jewish people being driven back to Israel," he notes, tying this trend to prophecies in Ezekiel 36 and 37. He adds, "God is bringing His people home, as He promised."

5. Focus on Jerusalem

“Jerusalem is becoming a burdensome stone for all nations,” Hughes says, quoting Zechariah 12:3. He highlighted the growing tension surrounding Israel’s capital, including international disputes over its sovereignty. “This is exactly what the Bible said would happen in the last days,” he affirms.

6. Ezekiel 38 Players in Position

Hughes details the alliances forming between nations mentioned in Ezekiel 38, including Russia, Iran and Turkey. “These nations are aligning in ways that only make sense if you understand Bible prophecy,” he argues. “This coalition will come against Israel, and we’re watching it unfold.”

7. Destruction of Damascus

Turning to Isaiah 17, Hughes speaks about the ongoing war in Syria [and the looming threat of Damascus’ destruction](#). “The Bible says Damascus will become a ruinous heap,” he explains. “With the current geopolitical tensions, this prophecy could be fulfilled any day.”

8. Knowledge Increase and Movement

“Daniel 12:4 foretold that knowledge would increase and people would move to and fro,” Hughes states. He emphasizes how exponential advancements in technology and global travel are clear signs of the times. “We’re living in the fulfillment of this prophecy,” he adds.

9. Donald Trump’s Re-election

Hughes describes [President-elect Donald Trump’s re-election](#) as

a “pivotal moment” that has reshaped global dynamics. “He stands as a bulwark against the globalist agenda,” Hughes says, linking this to prophetic warnings about world governance in Daniel 7.

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10. Globalist Agenda and New World Order

“The push for a one-world government is accelerating,” Hughes observes, referencing Revelation 13 and the 10-kingdom system in Daniel 2. He argued that the ongoing efforts to centralize power align perfectly with biblical prophecy.

11. Calls for Peace and a One-World Leader

Finally, Hughes addresses the increasing calls for peace in the Middle East and the emergence of a potential global leader. “The Bible warns of a false peace and the rise of the Antichrist,” he explains, citing 1 Thessalonians 5:3: “For when they say, ‘Peace and safety!’ then sudden destruction comes upon them.”

Pastor Hughes’ prophetic roadmap for 2025 serves as a wake-up call for sleeping believers. While the signs may be unsettling, they also point to the hope of Christ’s return. “These things must come to pass,” Hughes reminds us. “But we are not to fear. Instead, we are to lift up our heads, for our redemption draws near.”

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9 Powerful Signs of Revival and Kingdom Growth Coming in 2025

[Chris Garcia of Father's Glory International](#) shared a prophetic roadmap for 2025 during a recent interview with Charisma Media. His nine points offer guidance, encouragement and challenges for Christians heading into the new year. Each point is backed by Garcia's insightful words, calling believers to rise to the occasion.

1. 2025 Will Be a Year of Revival

Garcia emphasizes that revival begins with intimacy with God. "The Holy Spirit is inviting us into the secret place," he says. This revival won't just be seen in large gatherings, but will flow from individual believers' hearts into their communities.

2. A Remnant of Worshipers Will Arise

"God is raising up a remnant of worshipers," Garcia proclaims. These worshipers will carry "the fragrance of heaven" and bring transformation wherever they go. It's not about outward performance but an inward devotion that glorifies God.

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3. The Kingdom of God Will Face Resistance

“The kingdoms of this world will rage against the kingdom of God,” Garcia warns. Despite opposition, he assures us that, “God’s purposes will prevail.” Believers are encouraged to stand firm, knowing our faith is anchored in Christ.

4. God Will Release Fresh Discernment

“This year, we need to see with eyes of the Spirit,” Garcia says. With challenges ahead, we must rely on God’s wisdom rather than human understanding to navigate the complexities of life.

5. Strategic Kingdom Partnerships Will Form

“2025 will be a year of divine connections,” Garcia declares. [God is bringing His people together for strategic purposes.](#) These partnerships will strengthen the church and advance the kingdom of God in unprecedented ways.

6. Radical Obedience Will Unlock Miracles

Garcia called for bold steps of faith, even when it feels inconvenient or uncomfortable. “Your obedience will unlock miracles,” he says. He urges Christians to trust God’s leading and walk in confidence, knowing their actions will bear eternal fruit.

7. Shaking Will Continue in the World

“God is shaking what can be shaken so that only what is eternal remains,” Garcia explains. While disruptions will certainly persist, we are called to focus on what truly matters—God’s eternal kingdom.

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8. A Call to Win Souls

“This is a year to win souls,” Garcia emphasizes. He believes God is stirring hearts across the globe, and the church must respond with urgency and readiness to share the gospel.

9. The Best Is Yet to Come

Garcia’s final point is one of encouragement. “The best is yet to come for those who seek Him,” he says. Despite the challenges ahead, we can have hope in God’s plans and His unchanging faithfulness.

A Clear Path for 2025

Garcia’s nine points form a prophetic call for Christians in 2025. From seeking personal revival to building kingdom partnerships, his words remind us that God is at work, even amid the world’s chaos. As Garcia says, “This is not a year to shrink back—it’s a year to step forward in faith.”

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Rise of the Occult: Derek

Prince Reveals What Will Bring the Antichrist

In October of 1989, the late Bible teacher Derek Prince delivered a sermon in Bromley, England, titled “True and False Christ.” Now, decades later, his message resonates with alarming relevance as society witnesses an explosion of occult practices and permissive moral decline. Prince’s Scriptural insights offer a sobering perspective on the cultural climate that prepares the way for the Antichrist—a perspective that feels startlingly prophetic in today’s world.

Prince began by referencing Paul’s warning in 2 Timothy 3: “Now as Jannes and Jambres resisted Moses, so do these also resist the truth.” He noted that Jannes and Jambres, the magicians of Egypt, were practitioners of the occult, emphasizing that “the battle was not on the level of theology; it was on the level of power.” This distinction shows us a critical reality: as this age draws to a close, theological arguments alone will not suffice. Instead, believers must demonstrate a power greater than that wielded by the enemy, the power of the Holy Spirit. Prince’s observation holds a mirror to the present, where supernatural themes saturate popular culture, [from movies and TV shows to social media trends](#) like “WitchTok,” a TikTok community centered on witchcraft and occult practices.

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“One of the major features of this period is an explosion of the occult,” Prince warned. He described a society characterized by “the deterioration of human character, a lot of nominal Christianity that doesn’t exhibit its power, and an explosion of the occult.” These words echo in today’s widespread fascination with the supernatural. [Celebrities](#)

openly engage in rituals, tarot readings and astrology, while television series and films glamorize witchcraft, demonic possession and sorcery. This normalization of the occult mirrors the cultural shift Prince foresaw—a shift that undermines biblical values and invites spiritual deception.

Prince's analysis of 2 Timothy 3:13 is particularly striking: "Evil men and impostors will grow worse and worse, deceiving and being deceived." He highlighted the Greek word for "impostors," which he translated as "enchanters," tying it directly to practices of magic and sorcery. "Why do people enchant?" Prince asked. "What does that speak about? Magic, witchcraft, sorcery." The surge in such practices today—not only in entertainment but in everyday life—reveals how deeply entrenched the occult has become in our world.

Revelation 22 adds another layer to Prince's message: "He who is unjust, let him be still unjust; he who is filthy, let him be still filthy; he who is righteous, let him be still righteous," (Rev. 22:11). Prince described this as a "parting of the ways," where the righteous grow holier while the wicked grow more corrupt. This moral polarization is evident in today's permissive culture, where societal norms no longer restrain behavior. Social media platforms amplify both extremes, with influencers promoting righteousness and others openly embracing witchcraft, spell-casting and rebellion against God and His values.

Prince turned to Daniel 8:23 for a chilling prediction about the Antichrist: "When the transgressors have reached their fullness, a king shall arise, having fierce features, who understands sinister schemes." He explained that human rebellion against God must peak to release the Antichrist. The

cultural embrace of the occult, coupled with increasing corruption and rebellion, align disturbingly with this prophecy. “The corruption that’s been at work in society ever since Adam fell is increasing,” Prince declared. “And there’s no way to reverse it.”

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Yet, Prince’s message was not one of despair but of hope. He emphasized that God’s solution is not to reform the corrupted but to create something entirely new. “God’s remedy is a new creation. He doesn’t try to patch up the old, or improve it, or reform it. He says, ‘Away with it. I’ll bring forth something new that’s uncorrupted, that’s pure, that has its origin in God.’”

[**As we navigate a world increasingly drawn to the occult,**](#) Prince’s words challenge us to live as witnesses of God’s power and truth. His call to righteousness and spiritual discernment is more urgent than ever. In a society captivated by the supernatural but devoid of biblical grounding, the church must rise to demonstrate the greater power of the Holy Spirit—a power that overcomes deception and prepares hearts for Christ’s return. Prince’s message from 1989 serves as both a warning and a call to believers today: stand firm, grow in holiness and resist the tide of spiritual darkness that seeks to engulf the world.

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New World Order Map 1942: Prophetic Echoes in Trump's North America Vision

In 1942, in the turmoil of World War II, Maurice Gomberg envisioned a world reordered by the victors, a vision encapsulated in his "Outline of the Post-War New World Map." Today, as we navigate [our own era of shifting geopolitical landscapes](#), one can't help but wonder if there's a prophetic undertone to these historical blueprints, especially in light of recent statements by President-elect Donald Trump concerning the potential acquisitions of Canada, Greenland and the Panama Canal.

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Echoes of Expansion

- **North American Union:** The 1942 map proposed an expansive United States that included Canada, Mexico, Greenland and numerous islands. Trump's recent musings about annexing Canada and acquiring Greenland for strategic reasons mirror this ambition.
- **Strategic Territories:** Both the map and Trump's ambitious goals emphasize control over strategic points. The Panama Canal, mentioned by Trump as needing to be reclaimed, was a focal point in Gomberg's map, indicating its importance in both historical and contemporary geopolitical strategies.
- **National Security:** Justifications for territorial

expansion in Gomberg's map were rooted in post-war security. Similarly, Trump's interest in Greenland is explicitly tied to national security concerns.

Current Global Tensions and Israel

The 1942 map proposed a "Hebrewland" encompassing not only modern Israel but also Jordan, parts of Syria, and Saudi Arabia, suggesting a significant expansion. Today, Israel faces ongoing conflicts, particularly with Hamas in Gaza and Hezbollah in Lebanon, which may be interpreted through a prophetic lens as key identifiers of end-time prophecies in the Bible about the expansion and defense of Israel's borders.

With Israel's defensive and sometimes preemptive military actions, there's merit in the conversations among some Christian communities about whether these conflicts might lead to a redefinition of Israel's borders, echoing the map's vision in a prophetic sense. The ongoing debate over settlements and land rights in Judea and Samaria further fuels this speculation.

Biblical Parallels

Many Christians look to the books of Daniel and Revelation for insights into end-time scenarios, where visions of kingdoms rising and falling, and a world under one governance, [lends credibility to the idea of a "New World Order"](#) that would eventually usher in the system of the beast. The 1942 map's concept of a unified global political structure under major powers could be seen as aligning with these biblical prophecies on how the end times might look, geopolitically.

These discussions often turn to the figure of the Antichrist,

who many believe will establish a one-world government. While the map and Trump's statements are secular in nature, they do spark debates about whether such political moves could be steps toward fulfilling this prophecy.

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As we observe these parallels, it's crucial for the Christian community to approach these matters with discernment. The similarities between only a portion of the map from 1942 and current geopolitical aspirations might be coincidental. Or they could be seen as signs of the times. The Bible encourages us to watch and pray, understanding that while no one knows the day or the hour, we are to be aware of the signs of the approaching kingdom.

In the end, the question remains: Are we witnessing the unfolding of a prophetic script, or are these just the natural ebbs and flows of political power? Only time will reveal the answer, but in the meantime, let us ponder, pray and prepare.

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**Los Angeles Fire Destroys
Over 1,000 Structures as**

Rabbi Leads Heroic Preschool Evacuation

Los Angeles, California, is facing [a catastrophic wildfire crisis](#) as multiple blazes, fueled by fierce Santa Ana winds, spread rapidly across the region. From the Pacific Palisades to Sylmar, thousands of residents have been evacuated, homes and businesses destroyed and containment remains elusive.

Palisades Fire: A Community Devastated

The Palisades Fire, ignited in the Santa Monica Mountains, has scorched between 2,900 and 5,000 acres as of Jan. 8, with 0% containment. Ferocious winds, some gusting over 85 mph, have propelled the flames into residential areas, forcing the evacuation of 30,000 people.

Over 1,000 structures, including parts of Palisades Charter High School, have been lost, leaving residents reeling. Power outages have plagued over 200,000 people across Los Angeles County as utility companies preemptively shut down electricity to prevent further fires.

Mandatory evacuation orders extend from Merrimac Road west to Topanga Canyon Boulevard and south to Pacific Coast Highway. The Westwood Recreation Center has been established as a shelter for displaced residents.

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Miracle Amidst the Chaos

At the Chabad Jewish Community Center of Pacific Palisades, Rabbi Zushe Cunin oversaw the safe evacuation of around 100 preschoolers. "It was a real incredible task to make sure that everybody was safely back with the families," Rabbi Cunin told

“Fox & Friends.”

Acting swiftly at the first sign of danger, the center’s staff evacuated the children even before official orders were issued. “Unfortunately, as we see this horrendous, devastating fire continuing to rage, our hearts go out to the men and women and children and families who have been devastated by this,” the rabbi said.

Despite losing iconic community spaces, Cunin emphasized the importance of unity: “It’s really a time for us all to come together and be there for each other and support each other.”

Hospital patients in Pasadena being evacuated on foot from the fires raging in California.

Chatter of inadequate water in fire hydrants for the firefighters and boots on the ground. Concerning.

Praying for people in the line of fire in Los Angeles, the Palisades, & Pasadena. pic.twitter.com/ySWfnIwQTA

– Pastor Travis Johnson (@TravisJohnson73) [January 8, 2025](#)

Eaton Fire: Tragedy in the Foothills

The Eaton Fire, burning near Altadena and Pasadena in the Angeles National Forest, has engulfed 2,227 acres and claimed two lives. Like the Palisades Fire, it remains at 0% containment. Overnight, high winds caused the fire to grow rapidly, destroying over 1,000 acres and consuming the Pasadena Jewish Temple and Center.

Thousands have been evacuated from affected areas, with emergency shelters set up for those fleeing the flames.

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Hurst Fire: Rapid Growth in Sylmar

In Sylmar, the Hurst Fire—also known as the Sylmar Fire—has torn through 500 acres with alarming speed, burning 100 acres in just 15 minutes. Evacuations have been ordered as the fire pushes northward toward Santa Clarita. Residents have been directed to the Ritchie Valens Recreation Center for safety.

The wildfire response includes over 1,400 firefighters battling the blazes, yet containment efforts have been hindered by relentless winds exceeding 100 mph in some areas. These conditions have grounded aircraft crucial for firefighting operations.

Both the city of Los Angeles and the state of California have declared states of emergency. Schools in Los Angeles and Pasadena remain closed, leaving families scrambling to adjust amidst the chaos.

In times of tragedy, believers are reminded of Psalm 46:1-2: "[God is our refuge and strength](#), a well-proven help in trouble. Therefore we will not fear, though the earth be removed, and though the mountains be carried into the midst of the sea."

Lift up the people of Los Angeles and their leadership in prayer during this difficult time.

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Mario Murillo's 2025 Prophetic Warning: The Time to Stand Is Now

As the political and spiritual battle for America intensifies, [evangelist Mario Murillo's 2025 prophetic word](#) serves as both a warning and a rallying cry for Christians. There are many who view Donald Trump's reelection as a reprieve from the Lord, Murillo's insights remind us that God's hand is moving powerfully—but He is also calling His people to stand boldly against the darkness encroaching on our nation.

Murillo's prophecy begins with a clear declaration: "We are entering the year of decision." He explains that the stakes have never been higher. "America stands at a crossroads. The church must rise and become the voice of righteousness that God intended." With Trump's landslide victory in 2024, many believers see a clear sign that God is giving our nation a second chance to fulfill its destiny. But this is no time for complacency.

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5 Critical Points From Murillo's Prophetic Word

Murillo's prophetic message outlines five key areas where Christians must engage in the spiritual and cultural battle:

1. **Expose and resist evil.** “We can no longer remain silent about the evil being unleashed by the Left,” Murillo declares. He specifically calls out the radical agenda of sexual immorality, abortion and attacks on religious liberty. Scripture reminds us, “Have no fellowship with the unfruitful works of darkness, but rather expose them” (Eph. 5:11, NKJV). Christians must stand unapologetically for truth, even when it’s uncomfortable.
2. **Prepare for spiritual warfare.** According to Murillo, the church must embrace its role in spiritual warfare. “The battle is not just political; it is deeply spiritual. Satan’s agenda is to destroy the family, the church and the nation.” As Paul writes, “For the weapons of our warfare are not carnal, but mighty through God to the pulling down of strongholds” (2 Cor. 10:4, MEV). The time for passive Christianity is over.
3. **A revival of bold preaching.** Murillo issues a call for pastors to return to bold, biblical preaching. “We need men and women in the pulpit who will preach the Word without compromise. The days of seeker-friendly sermons must end.” He emphasizes the need for messages that convict hearts and inspire action, echoing the words of Isaiah: “Cry aloud, do not hold back; lift up your voice like a trumpet” (Isa. 58:1a).
4. **Mobilize the church for action.** Murillo stresses that this is not the time for Christians to retreat. “Every believer has a role to play, whether in prayer, activism or evangelism. This is our moment to take territory for the kingdom of God.” He urges Christians to support candidates and policies that align with biblical values, reminding us that faith without works is dead (James 2:26).
5. **Expect Miracles and Breakthroughs:** Murillo concludes his prophecy with a word of encouragement: “God is not done with America. We will see miracles, signs and wonders like never before.” He points to Joel 2:28–29: “It will

be that afterwards, I will pour out My Spirit on all flesh ... your sons and your daughters will prophesy, your old men will dream dreams, and your young men will see visions." God's power will be evident to all who stand firm in faith.

Standing Boldly Against Today's Evil

Murillo's prophetic word highlights the urgency of our time. The Left's relentless push for moral relativism, gender confusion and outright hostility toward Christianity is not just a political agenda—it's a spiritual attack. As Murillo says, "The church must decide if it will bow to the culture or stand for truth."

The Bible calls us to be salt and light in the world (Matt. 5:13-16). We cannot afford to stay silent while darkness advances. This means speaking out against policies and ideologies that harm our nation and contradict God's Word. It also means discipling the next generation to carry the torch of faith and freedom.

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Murillo's prophetic word is both [a challenge and a promise for the church in 2025](#). If we rise to the occasion, we can see America restored to its God-ordained purpose. But this requires action—prayer, fasting, evangelism and an unwavering commitment to biblical truth.

As Trump's reelection has shown, God is giving us a window of opportunity. Let's not squander it. Instead, let us heed the words of Joshua: "Be strong and courageous. Do not be afraid or dismayed, for the Lord your God is with you wherever you go" (Josh. 1:9). There is no better time to act than now.

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Chris Reed's Prophetic Dream Reveals the Spiritual Significance of Trudeau's Resignation

The resignation announcement of [Canadian Prime Minister Justin Trudeau](#) sent shockwaves through political circles, but for others, it was a confirmation of what they had seen coming. Among them is Chris Reed, who posted a video following the announcement, asserting that the Lord had shown him Trudeau's departure months in advance.

In his video, Reed referenced a dream from June 8, 2024, where he saw Trudeau's leadership come to an end. "Justin Trudeau, the Canadian prime minister, is ousted," Reed stated, adding that the vision came to him seven or eight months earlier. "I want us to pray for Justin Trudeau because I believe he is under the power of the globalist mindset. God wants to save Justin Trudeau." Reed's message was not one of condemnation but a call for intercession, urging fellow Christians to pray for Trudeau's salvation and revival in Canada's future.

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For Reed, what is happening in Canada transcends mere

politics; it is deeply spiritual. He spoke of a coming awakening, not just a political shift. "Pray for Canada because Canada, I believe, is also going to see an awakening happening," Reed said. He described his vision of Canada turning to God and experiencing a revival that would go beyond reformation or revolution to bring about a complete transformation. According to Reed, this spiritual revival is tied to God's plans for nations, including America.

In his video, Reed drew connections between globalism and the prophetic warnings found in Scripture. He described globalism as a foundational element of what he called the "beast system," emphasizing that the one-world government's implementation relies on nations losing their sovereignty and national identity. ["That's why they hate Trump so much,"](#) Reed stated. "He's standing in the way of the beast system." Reed argued that Trump's presidency represents a revival of national confidence, which serves as a barrier against the spread of globalist ideology. Leaders like Trudeau, he suggested, have facilitated the rise of globalism, making their political downfall significant in the spiritual battle for nations.

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Reed's message culminates in a call for Christians to engage in spiritual warfare through prayer. "I'm giving the intercessors content to pray for," he said, urging believers to intercede for Canada and America. Reed's vision of revival is not limited to political change but includes an outpouring of the Holy Spirit across nations. He emphasized the necessity of prayer to see these transformations take place.

As Canada's political landscape shifts and spiritual implications unfold, Reed's prophetic insights remind believers of the importance of prayer and discernment in these

critical times. For Christians, the need to stand firm in faith and intercede for awakening that transcends borders, bringing revival to Canada, America and beyond, has never been greater.

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