

Ohio St. Football Players Spark Revival: 'Give Him the Glory'

The college football season got underway last weekend, and players at The Ohio State University have shown that God is moving on campus in an incredible way.

These young warriors of God put together a massive faith event on Sunday, Aug. 25, and received thousands of those hungry for the presence of God. Multiple local churches from the Columbus area were involved in getting the event off the ground and the Holy Spirit showed up in a powerful way.

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As reported by The Lantern, "Senior running back TreVeyon Henderson, senior defensive end J.T. Tuimoloau, graduate wide receiver Emeka Egbuka, former Buckeyes wide receiver Kamryn Babb and more Ohio State football players helped lead the ceremony..."

The number of those in attendance varies, with some reports claiming 800-1,000 people, and others saying some 2,000 attended the spiritual awakening. No matter how many truly showed up, with eyewitness accounts, images and videos showing a substantial crowd, lives were transformed as prayer, testimonies, worship and baptisms invited the presence of God into their midst.

It is estimated between 50 and 80 people were baptized at the event, with many more being prayed for and worshipping in unity before the Lord.

"I just encourage you to step out in faith," Babb said

addressing the crowd. "Whatever you're going through in life—whatever you've been through—I'm telling you there's a God that desires you. So as we get into this worship, as we get into everything, we pray that you would see Him as He sees you. So as we get into this night, let's give Him the glory."



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According to Tuimoloau, the Lord had put it on his and several other players' hearts to host such an event, and to show the world how their Lord and Savior has impacted their lives on and off the field.

"It's one of those visions that the boys had and that I was blessed to be a part off," says Tuimoloau. "Just being able to allow people to understand that we are more than football players, and there's more that goes into our [lives] than getting a sack or getting a touchdown or getting a great catch—just understanding that this is what it's all about.

"I don't think anything I accomplish on that field compares to what is happening right now," he adds.

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Egbuka revealed that this event was the result of years of prayer, faith and yearning for an opportunity to share the Gospel with their community, and show the world the power, love and salvation found in Jesus Christ.

"We were praying for years and years for an event like this, and we were praying with expectation—we serve a miracle-working God," Egbuka says. "So we definitely had an expectation when it came out, but God did increasingly and abundantly more than what we thought. So, we're just so blessed and thankful."

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'Chicago for Jesus': These Street Ministers Were Able to 'Slice Through the Lies' at DNC Protests

While speeches and applause took place inside Chicago's United Center during the Democratic National Convention last week, chaos often erupted outside. In the midst of it all, a group of Chicago street ministers boldly shared the gospel just outside the security perimeter.

"We went on a day where there were feminists, communists," said Juan-Elias Riesco who leads "Chicago for Jesus," a multi-denominational team supported by the city's Metro Praise International Church.

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Riesco added, "When we were communicating with the Communist Revolutionaries of America, we had a great 10-15 minute conversation. We talked about Jesus, and we explained to them that the Bible is way more sufficient than any communist manifesto."

He continued, "I had the privilege of ministering the gospel to a trans person. I looked at her and said, 'Did you know

that you were fearfully and wonderfully made in the image of God? That God did not design you to be trans but made you perfectly as you are.'”

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Their encounters were often impactful—and occasionally shocking.

“So we know things can take a turn for the worst at any time,” Riesco said. “But brother, we believe God has called us to go to these places.”

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Nurse Whistleblower Warns of the Spiritual Warfare Being Fought for Our Children

Vanessa Sivadge, a nurse formerly with Texas Children's Hospital in Houston, Texas, is sounding the alarm, again, about the dangers children are facing at the hands of the medical establishment.

For years now, doctors and nursing staff have been bringing in massive amounts of money from gender-affirming care for minors, aka child mutilation and sterilization.

After exposing TCH and the Medicaid fraud that was being committed in the name of these procedures on minors, Sivadge was fired and exposed as a whistleblower, and even received a visit from the federal government.

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This all occurred after her request for a transfer on religious grounds was denied.

In a statement to The Christian Post, Sivadge says, "I am a Christian, and my faith is the foundation of everything. That's the reason why I've spoken out as I have."



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And spoken out she has. In an exclusive report sent to political activist and author Christopher Rufo, she detailed how the FBI sent agents to her house in an attempt to threaten and intimidate her for her role in exposing TCH.

“I never thought that [my identity] would come to light, and that I would be ultimately visited by the federal government, wanting to intimidate me into silence,” she told *The Christian Post*.

“And so I think that instead of investigating medical institutions and organizations—in my case, a hospital—for wrongdoing and for illegal activity, the federal government was weaponized to come after people exposing crime and whistleblowers like me,” she continued.

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“And so that’s egregious. It’s something I never imagined in a million years would happen to me.”

But this is more than just a culture war taking place, this is a spiritual war according to Sivadge.

“Ephesians 5 says to have nothing to do with the worthless deeds of evil and darkness but instead expose them, and that everything exposed by the light becomes visible,” Sivadge said to CP.

“So that was really the foundation and the motivation for me to do what I’ve done, to speak out like I have. Because we have, I believe, a responsibility as Christians to bring to light what’s been done in the darkness,” she continued.

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Nicaragua Closes 1,500 Non-Profits and Christian Ministries after Jailing Pastors

The government of Nicaragua has shut down 1,500 non-profit organizations, including hundreds of evangelical religious groups.

They're accused of failing to disclose financial statements, but opponents say it's part of a crackdown on groups that aren't allied with the government.

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It's the latest move by the Nicaraguan regime of President Daniel Ortega to consolidate control over the country. Vice President Rosario Murillo and Interior Minister María Amelia Coronel are reportedly directly involved in the ongoing crackdown.



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Not only is the government shutting down the non-profit groups, but it's also seizing their assets for the state. Vatican News reports, "The Attorney General's Office will now be responsible for transferring movable and immovable assets on behalf of the State of Nicaragua."

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For years the Nicaraguan government has targeted Roman Catholic leaders who have taken a stand against human rights abuses in the country. This time around, Vatican News says some Catholic groups have been targeted but the vast majority of the shuttered ministries were “affiliated with evangelical communities.”

Since 2018, over 5,200 non-governmental organizations (NGOs) have been wiped out by the government.

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89-Year-Old Woman Convicted of Crime for Shocking Reason

An elderly survivor of a Soviet-era concentration camp was among the seven convicted this month for blocking access to an abortion clinic in a northern suburb of Detroit.

In a press release published Tuesday, the U.S. Department of Justice announced that 89-year-old Eva Edl and six other defendants were found guilty for their involvement on Aug. 27 in a “blockade of a reproductive health care clinic in Sterling Heights, Michigan.”

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Edl was forced into a concentration camp as a child in the 1940s by Yugoslavian dictator Josip Broz Tito, a communist, before ultimately fleeing to the United States.

The defendants were convicted of a felony conspiracy against rights – a statute originally intended to be used against the vigilantism of the Ku Klux Klan – and a violation of the Freedom of Access to Clinic Entrances (FACE) Act. A sentencing hearing is forthcoming.

In addition to Edl, the jury convicted Chester Gallagher, Heather Idoni, Joel Curry, Justin Phillips, Cal Zastrow as well as his daughter, Eva Zastrow. The conspiracy charge alone could result in a 10-and-a-half-year prison sentence for each defendant.

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The charges against the seven defendants were born out of a peaceful protest, where the group stood outside the Northland Family Planning Clinic in Sterling Heights, Michigan, alongside other pro-lifers. Edl and Idoni were additionally convicted for their participation in a pro-life protest at the Women's Health Clinic in Saginaw, Michigan.

Edl credited her faith in God for giving her the strength to endure the trial and noted that suffering for Jesus' sake is spiritually refining her.

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