

Morning Rundown: ‘Hard-Line Trump Hater’: President Responds to Woke Bishop

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A prayer meeting held during the inauguration events for President Donald Trump has stirred significant controversy after Mariann Edgar Budde condemned the president from behind the pulpit using radical left-wing talking points.

“I ask you to have mercy upon the people in our country who are scared now,” Budde says. “There are gay, lesbian children in Democratic, Republican and independent families who fear for their lives. And the people who pick our crops and clean our office buildings, who labor in poultry farms and meat packing plants, who wash the dishes after we eat in restaurants and work the night shift in hospitals, they may not be citizens ...”

Pastor Travis Johnson and Dr. Malachi O’Brien, who were present at the event, told Charisma Media that the room was full of godly people like Jentezen Franklin, Paula White-Cain and Robert Jeffress who have been praying for revival and for the gospel to be preached to the ends of the earth. To see this kind of rebuke coming at Trump from behind the pulpit was far from what any of them expected to happen that day. Budde’s disgraceful sermon was a reminder to all of the Holy Spirit-filled people there that only those who love the Lord should be in church leadership.

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8,000 American Troops to Receive Righteous Restoration

Just minutes after returning to the Oval Office, President Trump promised to reinstate the more than 8,000 troops who were dismissed from the military for refusing the COVID-19 vaccine, announcing that they would receive backpay for the period of their termination.

According to military data, nearly 8,400 troops were expelled from the military after declining the vaccine, with the Marines making up around 3,700 of the dismissals.

"This week, I will reinstate any service members who were unjustly expelled from our military for objecting to the COVID vaccine mandate with full back pay," Trump said during his swearing-in ceremony Monday.

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Don't Overlook the Miracle of Our New VP

During President Donald Trump's inauguration ceremony in Washington on Monday, he reminded everyone that God spared his life when a bullet grazed his ear during a campaign stop in Pennsylvania last July. Trump has the scar to prove he would be dead today if he hadn't turned his head to the right just as the gun was fired.

"Just a few months ago in a beautiful Pennsylvania field, an assassin's bullet ripped through my ear," Trump proclaimed in the rotunda of the U.S. Capitol. "But I felt then and believe so now that my life was saved for a reason. I was saved by God to make America great again."

As Trump delivered his address, my eyes were drawn to a woman wearing a red shirt and a gold cross. She was seated among the dignitaries behind the president, but she's neither a

politician nor a famous billionaire. Her name is Beverly Aikins, and she is the mother of J.D. Vance, who on Monday became vice president of the United States.

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