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## Does Religious Liberty Have a Friend in Soon-To-Be Justice Gorsuch?

By Noel W. Sterett



President Trump's Supreme Court pick Judge Neil Gorsuch needs 60 votes to be confirmed to the bench.

How will our religious liberties fare if he's confirmed? What can we tell from the religious liberty cases he has decided?

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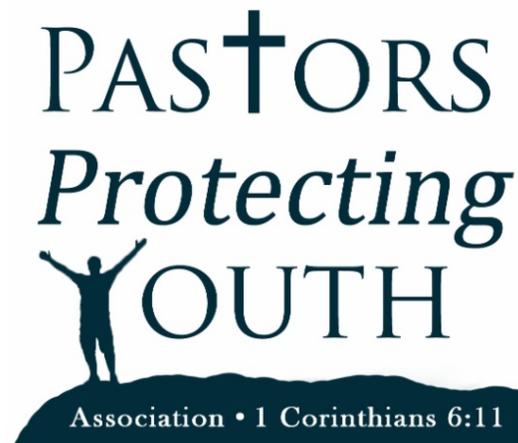
## Case Dismissed Victory: Pastors are Free to Counsel Concerning Same-Sex Attraction

Illinois pastors can now feel less risk intelling counselees that Jesus can help them with unwanted same-sex attraction.

"...I applaudthe judge's ruling, because it also recognizes my right, as a Christian pastor, to provide counsel according to godly standards without also running afoul ofthe laws of my home state."

- Pastor Steven K. Stultz, Plaintiff

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## AJury to Decide Damages after City Changed Its Laws to Keep Church Out



Atthe same time that the city was considering the church's special use permit, it was working surreptitiously to amend the prior ordinance torequire the property uses to be tax-generating, which would then prevent the church from being able to move into property it was set to purchase.

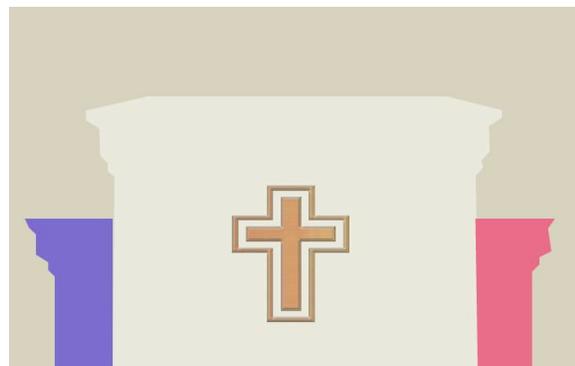
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By John W. Mauck

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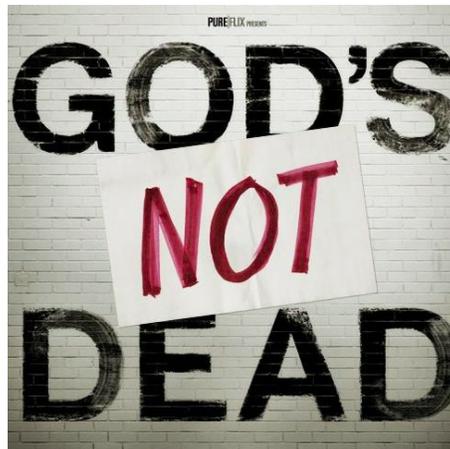
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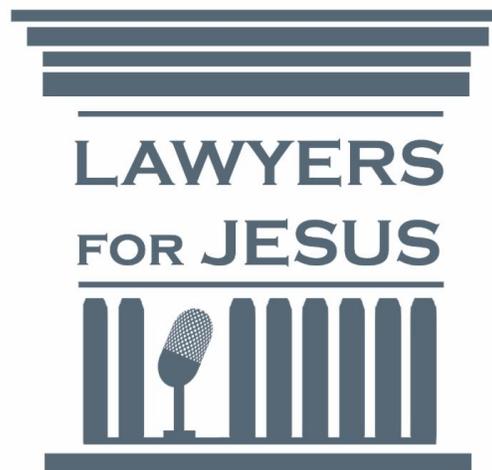
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