

COVID-19 Economic Reset

Praying for the unveiling and halt of the growing socialist and communist movements in the U.S. especially during the COVID-19 pandemic



Even now as we battle the COVID-19 crisis, some are using this time to advance the socialist philosophy...

With the fall of the Berlin Wall in the 1980s, most perceived communism to be a dying ideology, only a holdout in few rogue states such as China and North Korea. With the recent worldwide embrace of [socialism](#), (communism's cousin), and the revelation of surprising communist connections, we see that the ideology of iron fist government control is again 'en vogue' with young people and it can be very alluring.

PRAYER AS POLICY

Our prayer is that people are wise to the danger and harm of communism, fascism, and socialism. May no legislation embrace or placate these philosophies. Ask God for discernment for compassionate Christians that they would see the difference between what the Bible teaches and socialism.

[Romans 8:31-32](#)

Be confident that God has won this spiritual battle. Let us boldly ask for His help in stopping this ideology.



cap·i·tal·ism



so·cial·ism



com·mu·nism

According to Google definitions

Noun 1. an economic and political system in which a country's trade and industry are controlled by private owners for profit, rather than by the state.

Noun 1. (in Marxist theory) a transitional social state between the overthrow of capitalism and the realization of communism.

Noun 1. a political theory derived from Karl Marx, advocating class war and leading to a society in which **all property is publicly owned** and each person works and is paid according to their abilities and [government-determined] needs.

An Intercessory Intelligence Report on communism and socialism and those in our nation who embrace it.

“Democratic Socialism” is in.

An astonishing 58% of millennials [surveyed](#) would rather live in a socialist, communist, or fascist nation rather than a [capitalist](#) nation, according to the Communism Memorial Foundation's "Annual Report on U.S. Attitudes Toward Socialism." Compare those results to the results of a [different study](#) done by Rasmussen just seven years ago where only 11% of Americans found communism to be superior to America's system of governance. **What is happening?**

Since [Bernie Sanders](#), the socialist Senator from Vermont gained notoriety, there has been more willingness to openly embrace the ideals and moniker of "socialist." [More candidates are openly identifying themselves as "Democratic Socialists"](#)—most of the Democratic Presidential candidates for 2020 had, in fact. "There is a rise in the romantic notion of "economic equality for all" and all kinds of benefits that Americans perceive as entitlements. **In 2018 there were 42 people running for office who publicly identified as socialists.** The membership in the [Democratic Socialists of America](#) has swelled from [6,000 pre 2016 to over 45,000 in 2018](#). Pray [Matthew 18:18](#).

There is a plan.

The [Cloward-Piven Strategy](#) is the modern brainchild of two communist devotees who as students of Marxism sought to use every crisis (some manufactured) to move us closer to gov-

ernment solutions and control. [Click here to see the entire CP Strategy](#). [Saul Alinsky](#), [author](#) of the militant book *Rules for Radicals*, (who [dedicated his book](#) to Lucifer—the first radical) reveals "Moral rationalization is indispensable to all kinds of action, whether to justify the selection or the use of ends or means." **Taking the appearance of the moral high ground is one way that socialists mandate that action be taken on behalf of the good of the whole.** Another [strategy](#) that Alinsky originated and articulated in *Rules for Radicals* is to look for situations to exploit to advance the cause. and "utilize all events of the period for your purpose."

We see this in the approach of some of our leaders to the COVID-19 situation. There are some who are calling for more complete governmental control and progressive governance. [California Governor Gavin Newsom](#) said, "Absolutely we see this as an opportunity to reshape the way we do business and how we govern."

House Rep. Jim Clyburn [stated](#), when passing the \$2T stimulus package, "This is a tremendous opportunity to restructure things to fit our vision."

In [Vermont](#), the state declared that [purchasing non-essential items is prohibited](#)—even if they are in stores that are open and deemed essential. That means you are not permitted to buy toys or clothing at Walmart, even though they are open. Governmental overreach? **Pray for uncovering of the tactics of socialists and communists and for discernment in this day in our nation.** Pray [Ephesians 5:11](#).



Pray for wisdom and discernment for Americans in voting and developing solutions to societal problems. Pray Proverbs 28:4.

Pray for those working against socialism:

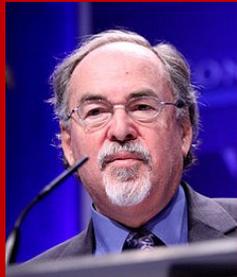


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Pray for Christians who are caught up in socialist thinking with social justice.

Being loving and helpful to those in need is the work of God's Holy Spirit in us. Programmatic government "benevolence" that substitutes dependence on government for dependence on God is **socialism**. Socialism seeks to replace devotion to God with allegiance to government. Some "social justice warrior" evangelicals falsely teach that true Christian love demands total acceptance of unbiblical actions such as homosexuality and abortion. These bloggers, with large followings, are leading many astray with socialist principles. **Accepting behavior and actions that are opposed to Scripture doesn't bring freedom and wholeness, but actually enslavement and emptiness.** This is not loving and just; it is enabling. An interesting fact is that a planned strategy of the George Soros Open Society Foundation for the next two election cycles is to fund and elevate the "Christian left" (aka Evangelical SJWs). Pray for these prominent evangelical bloggers who promote false biblical teaching: Jen and Brandon Hatmaker, Glennon Melton Doyle and Rev. Jim Wallis of Sojourners. Pray for their eyes to be opened to the difference between loving people and enabling sin and for Christians overall to be more discerning in what they hear and follow.

Pray 1 Timothy 1:5-7.



David Horowitz

Leading figures in American Socialism—pray for a change of heart



Richard Trumka
AFL-CIO Boss



Sen. Bernie Sanders
Presidential Candidate



Alexandria Ocasio-Cortez
Congress Member



George Soros
Philanthropist/Funder



Tom Steyer
Socialist Funder



Dr. Jamie Glazov



President Donald Trump

Eight Strategies toward a Socialist State:

As devised by Cloward and Piven, adapted from Lenin's writings

1. **Healthcare**— Controlling healthcare and control the people.
2. **Poverty** — Increase the poverty level—poor people are easier to control and will not fight back when the government provides everything for them to live.
3. **Debt** — Increase the debt to an unsustainable level. That way you are able to increase taxes, and this will produce more poverty.
4. **Gun Control** — Remove the ability of citizens to defend themselves from the government in order to create a police state.
5. **Welfare** — Take control of every aspect of their lives. (Food, Housing, and Income)
6. **Education** — Take control of schools and what people read and hear.
7. **Religion** — Remove belief in God from government and schools.
8. **Class Warfare** — Divide people into the wealthy and the poor. This will cause more discontent and it will be easier to tax the wealthy with the support of the poor.

If these levels of control look eerily familiar, it is because there are those who want to steer our nation toward these outcomes toward a socialist state. Pray for Americans to recognize the incremental transfer of power from personal responsibility to government control and to speak out against it.

Pray John 3:20.



Pray for God's people—that they would wise and discerning and not be taken captive by the philosophies of the day. Pray Romans 12:2.

Pray Col. 2:18 about these organizations who push and fund the ideology of progressivism and socialism in our nation and world. Pray their influence and funds would dry up.



George Soros' Open Society Foundations



The Ford Foundation

Pray about the move to disintegrate the institution of family

At the time when many of us are in our homes, quarantined with family members, we are seeking to strengthen our family relationships. God is using this time to strip back many of the distractions that families had encountered—busy-ness, an overabundance of outward focus and activities, the growing influence of the school systems and organizations who attempt to usurp the authority and rights of parents. Where we see families as a God-given institution, progressives (socialists and communists as well) see the family as a unwanted framework worthy of working to abolish. [Open Democracy](#) is an organization that promoted that the COVID-19 crisis is the perfect opportunity to



work toward abolishing families. "We deserve better than the family. And the time of corona is an excellent time to practice abolishing it." They also note that through the current economic situation under the COVID-19 era, one can hope and work for something "better than capitalism" to be obtained in our nation.

Open Democracy is not a tiny, marginalized organization—it is [funded](#) with some of the most prolific and

active left-wing socialist organizations and foundations, such as The Ford Foundation, Rockefeller Brothers Fund, Tides Foundation, and of course George Soros's **Open Society Foundation**. They are published and quoted in mainstream media such as "BBC, CNN, Al Jazeera, Washington Post, The New York Times, Bloomberg, NPR, and others.

Abolishing the institution of the family is not just a mission of Open Democracy. It is part of the mission of elevating the "state" or the "collective" instead of the individual. "It takes a village to raise a family." This African proverb was the title of a [book by Hillary Clinton](#), which outlined her vision to relegate child-rearing responsibility and rights to "the community" to promote collective influence and multi-culturalism. By removing the rights, the influence, and the value of parents in regard to children, they can be educated and directed by the state. Mandated all-day pre-school and kindergarten, extensive after-school programs, sex education, and gender identity education and indoctrination in schools subverts the role of parents. **Let us be wise. Let us be vigilant. Let us pray and seek God for the preservation of our families. Pray [Genesis 18:19](#).**

Three Tenets of Conservatism:

Pray about the flourishing of these tenets, which align with biblical principles.

1. Prioritize the individual, not the collective.
2. Be wary of trading liberty for security.
3. We must adhere to, and champion, an eternal moral code based on Natural Law vs. the ever-changing philosophy of moral relativism. Learn more about Natural Law [here](#).

Pray through each of these tenets—ask God to highlight pertinent prayer points you can pray about in our current situation.

Pray [Romans 1:20](#).