



God's Sphere of Government



Vision

GSG Vision Statement:

We would be a people of 2 Chronicles 7:14 “If my people, who are called by my name, will humble themselves and pray and seek my face and turn from their wicked ways, then will I hear from heaven and heal their land.”



Mission

GSG Mission Statement: To equip God's people with an understanding of His design for civil government and how to implement that design in today's political arena.

- ▶ GSG Goal 1: Develop and implement a training program for elected officials to apply God's design for government so that they may honor Him in their roles.
- ▶ GSG Goal 2: Develop teaching materials for churches of all Christian denominations to help Christians understand God's sphere of government and their roles in it.



2016 Objectives

- ▶ Develop workshop materials
- ▶ Connect with a non-profit or create an organization for association
- ▶ Engage a steering committee of diverse, multi-denominational Christian pastors and leaders for oversight and prayer
- ▶ Deliver the first workshop in late summer or early fall
- ▶ Collaborate with churches around the state to provide the materials for similar workshops
- ▶ Evaluate feedback from workshops and modify as needed
- ▶ Begin national promotion through Christian media outlets



2017 Objectives

- ▶ Design training materials to be used in SS classes and church services to enhance teaching of God's Spheres of Influence and our specific roles as we live in this world as Christians
- ▶ Engage a steering committee of diverse, non-denominational Christian pastors and church leaders for oversight and prayer
- ▶ Identify a provider of Christian educational materials to incorporate these materials into their offerings



Workshop Purpose

Equip Christian elected officials (legislative first) to honor God in their roles:

1. Information about God's design for government from the Bible
2. Application about God's design for government from our US Constitution and founding documents
3. Religious liberties awareness and boldness
4. Christian discussion and collaboration that enhances our witness to the unsaved world



Workshop Agenda

- ▶ Workshop premise (inerrant Word of God, God's will over my own, eternal over the temporal, my part/God's outcomes)
- ▶ God's sphere of government
- ▶ The great experiment
- ▶ Government's role explored (according to the Bible)
- ▶ Religious liberties
- ▶ Apologetics (top issues for legislators)
- ▶ The 7:14 process
- ▶ Competitive debate to Christian collaboration
- ▶ Practice sessions