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## Mike Johnson: 'Depraved' America Deserves God's Wrath

*November 16, 2023* **rollingstone.com** reported: IN AN OCTOBER prayer call hosted by a Christian-nationalist MAGA pastor, Rep. Mike Johnson was troubled that America's wickedness was inviting God's wrath. Talking to pastor Jim Garlow on a broadcast of the World Prayer Network, Johnson spoke ominously of America facing a "civilizational moment."

He said, "The only question is: Is God going to allow our nation to enter a time of judgment for our collective sins? ... Or is he going to give us one more chance to restore the foundations and return to Him?"

The segment was filmed Oct. 3, just weeks before Johnson's unexpected rise to become speaker of the House. Garlow pressed the clean-cut Louisiana congressman to say "more about this 'time of judgment' for America." Johnson replied: "The culture is so dark and depraved that it almost seems irredeemable."

He cited, as supposed evidence, the decline of national church attendance and the rise of LGBTQ youth — the fact, Johnson lamented, that "one-in-four high school students identifies as something other than straight."

Discussing the risk of divine retribution, Johnson invoked Sodom, the Old Testament city destroyed by God for its wickedness with a rain of burning sulfur. Johnson is a polished orator, but in a closing prayer with Garlow he grew tearful. Johnson intoned, "We repent for our sins individually and collectively. And we ask that You not give us the judgment that we clearly deserve." ..."

## South Korean President Tells Pentagon Chief North Korea Could Stage ' Hamas-Style' Attack

*November 15, 2023* **breitbart.com** reported: "President Yoon Suk-yeol of South Korea told American Secretary of Defense Lloyd Austin during a dinner this weekend that Seoul is concerned about the possibility of a ' Hamas-style surprise attack' from North Korea, requesting unity in South Korean and American military defenses to protect his civilians from such a siege.

The conservative Yoon government, which took office last year, has dedicated much of its diplomatic effort to eliciting increased defensive support from President Joe Biden, whose administration was largely apathetic towards Korean peninsula policy before Yoon publicly threatened to pursue nuclear weapons development. Following Yoon's declaration that South Korea could one day 'possess its own nukes' to deter the communist North from attacking, Biden agreed to send American nuclear submarines to South Korea and give Seoul more information and a greater say in American military operations in the country.

U.S. troops have been in South Korea since the beginning of the Korean War in 1950 and lead the U.N. Command, a coalition force in place to implement the 1953 armistice agreement that ended active hostilities. As neither side has surrendered or signed a peace treaty, the Korean War remains technically active..."

## Israel is a 'terror state,' Turkey's Erdogan claims slams West

*November 15, 2023* **jpost.com** reported: "Turkish President Tayyip Erdogan said on Wednesday Israel was a 'terror state' committing war crimes and violating international law in Gaza, while repeating his view that Hamas was not a terrorist organization.

Speaking to lawmakers in parliament, Erdogan also called on Israeli Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu to announce whether Israel had nuclear bombs or not, and added that the Israeli premier was a 'goner' from his post. He said Hamas was a political party that had been elected by Palestinians.

Erdogan's comments are echoes of previous similar statements he made since the October 7 massacre. He has repeatedly called Israel an 'occupier', insisting that the Jewish State had been under attack by Palestinian 'freedom fighters.'

In early November, Turkey had recalled its ambassador to Israel, Sakir Ozkan Torunlar, for 'consultations' due to the Israeli operation in Gaza..."



Mike Johnson  
U.S. Speaker of the House

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## **Bill Gates buying up land, threatening small farms under guise of saving planet, author claims**

*November 14, 2023 foxnews.com* reported: "A new book aimed at "exposing the billionaire class" says Microsoft co-founder Bill Gates' investments in patented fertilizers, fake meat and U.S. farmland aren't saving the planet but rather enriching his bank account.

"Controligarchs," which hits bookshelves Tuesday, examines billionaires like Bill Gates and how their wealth controls the levers of power that dominate the everyday life of average Americans.

Author and investigative journalist Seamus Bruner — who led teams whose findings sparked multiple FBI investigations and congressional probes into the Clinton and Biden families — says that his research uncovered Gates's efforts to buy up American farmland and invest in synthetic dairy and lab-grown meats in the name of preventing climate change. In the process, Bruner says, Gates is doing more to inflate his net worth than eliminate carbon emissions.

"First, it was patented seeds and patented fertilizers, and now they are patenting meat alternatives. Banning cattle would grant effective monopolies to the alternative protein companies and benefit investors such as Bill Gates, Jeff Bezos, Mark Zuckerberg and even BlackRock. Fake meats are about controlling the food market, not saving the planet," Bruner said in an interview with Fox News Digital.

Peter Schweizer, author of "Red-Handed," "Clinton Cash" and "Profiles in Corruption," wrote the forward to "Controligarchs" in which he said the book "peers into the future and provides a haunting and revelatory exposé of the leftist elite's playbook for the next five years."

One chapter of the book focuses on "the war on farmers" and makes the case that tech giants like Gates are monopolizing the nation's food supply.

"The takeover of the food system, like so many other control schemes in this book, began with the Rockefellers and was advanced by Bill Gates. Like most of their monopolies — from oil to software and eventually biotechnology — the takeover of food is all about controlling the intellectual property of food production through trademarks, copyrights, and patents," the book states. Bruner outlines Gates' connection to "the Green Revolution" — a series of agricultural advances made possible by Rockefeller-funded research and design in the 1940s to help solve the crises of poverty and starvation at the time.

"The Green Revolution was simultaneous proof that problems like poverty and famine could be solved through human innovation..."

## **Parents fume at 'sick' after school Satan club**

*November 14, 2023 dailystar.co.uk* reported: Parents have been left furious over a new "Satan" after-school club which is set to launch at a primary school in the US. Founded by members of the Salam-based Satanic Temple, the After School Satan Club plans to start meeting at Lebanon Elementary School in Connecticut next month. There are already eight of the Satan kids' clubs being hosted across several US states but the Lebanon Elementary club marks its first in Connecticut.

A flyer for the new club was posted to Facebook by the Satanic Temple, announcing it will start at 3.30pm on December 1 and last an hour, with more dates for 2024 already scheduled. "Hey kids! Let's have fun at After School Satan Club", the flyer reads..."

## **Hamas planned to push October 7 massacre to the West Bank border – report**

*November 13, 2023 jpost.com* reported: "Hamas's original plan for October 7 went beyond just a massacre in the Gaza border area and taking hundreds of hostages, but to continue their assault up to the border with the West Bank, *The Washington Post* reported Sunday, citing Western and Middle Eastern security officials briefed on collected evidence.

This information was obtained from numerous maps, notes, supplies, and other written instructions found among the bodies of dead Hamas terrorists in the Gaza border area, as well as from interrogations of Hamas captives.

"We know from interrogations that Hamas came in with detailed plans of their attack, including which commander should rape which soldiers in different places," Defense Minister Yoav Gallant explained to *The Washington Post*, though the quote has since been removed from the original report..."

