



SHEPHERDING THE NEXT GENERATION

COUNCIL FOR A STRONG AMERICA

Evangelical pastors and ministry leaders calling for biblically-based and effective approaches to strengthen families and communities

About Us

Armed with the staff of faith and the Bible, the more than 800 evangelical pastors and ministry leaders who comprise Shepherding the Next Generation care for, defend, and deliver the nation's most vulnerable children in the name of Jesus.

Our members know that today, millions of American children are growing up in family situations that put them at high risk for long-term poverty, delinquency, teen pregnancy, and addiction. These families are in our churches and in our communities. They are our neighbors.

The Bible commands us to "train up a child in the way he should go, and when he is old he will not depart from it" (Proverbs 22.6). Shepherding the Next Generation's faith leaders present bipartisan, faith- and research-based solutions to state and national policymakers that support strong, educated, and moral families.

800+ evangelical pastors and ministry leaders call for:

- **Voluntary parent coaching** that teaches at-risk moms and dads essential parenting skills
- **Providing access** to early childhood education
- **Helping troubled teens** get back on track through family-based interventions
- **Churches that play a major role** in helping at-risk children

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