

# **Majority of Protestant pastors back Romney, but many undecided**

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A majority of Protestant pastors plan to vote for GOP presidential nominee Mitt Romney, according to a new survey, but nearly a quarter remained undecided only a few weeks from Election Day.

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## **Faith Digest : Family planning**

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A coalition of evangelicals is calling on fellow Christians to support access to family planning across the world, saying it does not conflict with evangelical opposition to abortion.

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## **Groups support people with**

# disabilities

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As values voters both left and right weigh in on special interests from immigration reform to same-sex marriage in an election season, a lesser-known religious coalition is speaking up for Americans with disabilities.

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# God & Caesar

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Since the earliest days of Christianity, followers of Jesus have wrestled with the demands of dual citizenship—as citizens of God's kingdom and of the nations of this world.

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# Faith of presidential candidates raises questions for Christians

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Never before in American history has the faith of both presidential candidates been so hotly debated, writes Jim Denison, president of the Denison Forum on Truth and Culture.

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# **Resource offers guide to churches engaging the political process**

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Just weeks before voters head to the polls in the closely fought presidential election, a resource developed by faith groups and civil liberties leaders offers guidelines to churches hoping to influence the political process without violating legal restrictions.

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# **Most pastors disapprove of pulpit endorsements**

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Nearly 90 percent of pastors believe they should not endorse candidates for public office from the pulpit, according to a recent survey by LifeWay Research.

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# Coaching bug gaining in Baptist life

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Do ministers need a coach? Observers say the coaching craze is spreading rapidly from its beginnings in the corporate world to just about every sector of society—including churches. And they add it isn't a fad.

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## Study: We're losing our religion

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The number of Americans who say they have no religious affiliation has hit an all-time high—about one in five American adults—according to a recent study by the Pew Forum on Religion & Public Life.

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## Faith Digest: Restrictions on religious freedom increase

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Religious believers throughout the world face a rising tide of restrictions, according to a study conducted by the Pew Forum on Religion & Public

Life.

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## **Grand or Grind?**

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One in 10 children lives with a grandparent, according to a Pew Research Center study in 2010. Grandparents also often are the primary caregivers for grandchildren who do not live with them.

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## **Middle East riots fueled by fissures between radicals and moderates**

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Anti-American riots that have spread to more than a dozen countries are a sign of fissures between radical and more moderate Islamists who are vying for power as their societies undergo change, Middle East experts say.