

# **Christian group sanctioned at two dozen college campuses**

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California State University, which has 23 campuses, is “de-recognizing” local chapters of InterVarsity Christian Fellowship, an evangelical Christian group with 860 chapters in the United States.

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# **MLK’s daughter seeks nonviolent Ferguson response**

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The youngest child of Martin Luther King Jr. says her father’s legacy of nonviolence is at stake as the Ferguson, Mo., community continues to confront the police shooting death of 18-year-old Michael Brown.

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# **RFRA too important to be undone, Baptist legal experts**

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Two Baptist experts in religious liberty law say the U.S. Supreme Court's recent Hobby Lobby decision could set a precedent for applying the Religious Freedom Restoration Act in ways contrary to its legislative intent.

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## **Most Americans say U.S. should shelter child immigrants**

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Most Americans view the waves of children crossing into the United States from Central America as refugees fleeing danger at home. And they believe the United States should support these children while reviewing their cases, not deport them immediately.

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## **Baptists join praise for religious freedom ambassador nominee**

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Baptists joined other American religious leaders in praising President Barack Obama's selection of David Nathan Saperstein, a rabbi and law

professor, to lead the U.S. State Department's anti-religious-discrimination efforts around the world.

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## **Forget Republican or Democrat; Americans divided by values**

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A new Pew Research Center survey finds no sharp lines dividing people by their views on politics, faith, family, and the role and limits of government. Instead, "it's a spectrum."

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## **Critics of Hobby Lobby decision call for RFRA repeal**

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As soon as the Supreme Court decided for Hobby Lobby and against the Obama administration's contraception mandate, critics called for the repeal of the 1993 law the justices relied on to make their 5-4 decision.

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# **Analysis: Five takeaways from the Hobby Lobby case**

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Here are five things to know about the Hobby Lobby case—one of the most anticipated Supreme Court decisions of the year.

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## **Supreme Court rules for Hobby Lobby**

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The Supreme Court sided with the evangelical owners of Hobby Lobby Stores Inc., ruling 5-4 that the arts-and-crafts chain does not have to offer insurance for types of birth control that conflict with company owners' religious beliefs.

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## **Court overturns Utah same-sex marriage ban**

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The U.S. 10th Circuit Court of Appeals in Denver upheld a lower-court

decision striking down Utah's ban on same-sex marriage.

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## **BJC opposes Colorado voucher plan**

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The Baptist Joint Committee for Religious Liberty joined a lawsuit asking the Colorado Supreme Court to declare a pilot program using taxpayer dollars for private school vouchers unconstitutional.

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## **High court won't wade into fight over church graduation**

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The U.S. Supreme Court let stand a lower-court ruling that a Wisconsin high school acted unconstitutionally when it held its graduation ceremonies in a local megachurch.