

A photograph of the United States Supreme Court building, showing its iconic portico with tall white columns and a pediment with a relief sculpture. The sky is blue with some clouds.

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Judicial Prayer Briefing

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This JAGF Prayer Briefing provides up-to-date information and insight to equip Christians to pray specific and strategic prayers about the judiciary. Please share any thoughts or ideas about future versions of the prayer briefing via email at info@jagf.org.

Prayers for JAGf

- The National Consecration of Our Courts (October 4-5) event is only one and a half months away. Pray that the mission of consecration would take precedence over any man made agenda. Pray that the Lord would bring the right intercessors to join us.
- The Lord has begun to expand JAGf's activities in its second year as a tax deductible non-profit. Pray that the Lord would give JAGf and its leadership provision, guidance, favor, and wisdom.

Supreme Court News

Join us in praying that righteousness and justice would prevail in response to the following news:

- Our friends at Bound4Life are hosting a prayer event called [All To The Wall](#) from September 5-7. Intercessors will be contending for LIFE and praying for renewed restrictions on the abortion pill in a significant case being heard by the 5th Circuit Court of Appeals. Keep the attendees in prayer and feel free to attend if time allows. (See Case in Focus below)
- A Constitutional Amendment that would require the Supreme Court to remain at nine justices passed the House Judiciary Committee and will be brought to the entire House of Representatives soon. [The Federalist asked Democrats in close races about their position on the Constitutional Amendment.](#)

Click on the links above for more information.

Case in Focus

Louisiana v. Food and Drug Administration (5th Circuit.)

On September 9, the 5th Circuit Court of Appeals will hear an important case involving the abortion pill, RU-486. The FDA in 2023 changed regulations to allow the abortion pill to be prescribed online and sent via mail, instead of the prior requirement to seek in-person visits. This action made it much easier for individuals to either get or coerce abortions even in violation of state law. Louisiana argues that the FDA's changes failed to meet required standards under the Administrative Procedure Act and violated the Comstock Act, which restricts the mailing of abortion-producing drugs and related materials.

In May, the 5th Circuit temporarily blocked the FDA's mail-order rules and reinstated the prior in-person dispensing requirement. Unfortunately, The Supreme Court subsequently stayed that ruling while the litigation proceeds. Justices Thomas and Alito dissented from the Supreme Court's decision.

Topics for Prayer

1. That the 5th District Circuit Court of Appeals upholds the Comstock Act and finds it illegal to send the abortion pill through the mail.
2. That the Lord burdens the hearts of the Supreme Court Justices with the importance of ending the slaughter of innocent babies.
3. That this case will lead to a total and complete ban of the abortion pill.

Prayers for the Court

1. Pray that the Justices will be able to rest and recuperate before the next term. Pray that the Lord encounters every single Justice in a new way and that they would personally pray and call on His name.

2. Pray that the Justices would recognize that the United States was founded as a Christian nation and that our ideals are ineffective without reliance on the Giver of those ideals.

3. Pray that the Lord protects the Justices from every plot, that He blesses their security personnel, and preserves their lives.

"Say among the nations, "The Lord reigns!
Yes, the world is established; it shall
never be moved;
he will judge the peoples with equity."

Psalms 96:10

