

FOUNDING FREEDOMS LECTURE SERIES

The United States is preparing to celebrate its 250th birthday next year. At Faith and Law, we honor this occasion because we see it as a unique opportunity to commemorate the biblical values that shaped the foundation of our nation. Yet, we recognize the secular philosophies that are challenging our Judeo-Christian foundation.

The Founders warned against rejecting "the religious principle."

The propitious smiles of Heaven can never be expected on a nation that disregards the eternal rules of order and right, which Heaven itself has ordained.

- George Washington, First Inaugural Address, April 30, 1789

Our mission to bring Jesus to Members of Congress and staff is needed more than ever.

Founding Freedoms Lecture Series

To affirm and strengthen the vital bond between religious faith and self-government, Faith and Law is pleased to host a series of Friday Forums and other events that help Americans, particularly our policy makers, think more deeply about the freedoms bequeathed to this nation – and the religious tenets that undergird them. Events in this series include:





Religious Liberty and Parental Opt-Outs: School Choice at the Supreme Court Panel Discussion with the Becket Fund



Faithful Free Speech: From Campus to the Hill Dr. Robert George Princeton University



2026: Recovering What Made America Great in the First PlaceDr. Os Guinness
Author and Social Critic



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America at 250 years: The Role of Religion Then – and Now Dr. Mark David Hall Regent University



The Constitution is the Solution to the Politics of Division Yuval Levin American Enterprise Institute



Classical Liberalism: A Treasury Worth Defending Dr. Joseph Prud'homme Washington College



The Making of the American Mind: The Story of our Declaration of Independence Dr. Matthew Spalding Hillsdale College



Religious Liberty, the Source of All Freedoms: A 250-Year Perspective Marc Wheat Advancing American Freedom

How You Can Help

To support this ambitious endeavor, Faith and Law is seeking sponsors for the "Founding Freedoms" lecture series. As special guests of Faith and Law, sponsors will receive a compendium of written proceedings and recognition at Faith and Law's annual "Evening Forum" gala in spring 2026.

As Paul encouraged, Christians need to "put on the whole armor of God, that you may be able to stand against the schemes of the devil." (Ephesians 6:11). Faith and Law invites you to join us as we equip Hill staff for battles ahead, encourage them to lead in truth, and in a manner that makes them a light in the city on the hill.

Our Constitution was made only for a moral and religious people. It is wholly inadequate to the government of any other.

- John Adams: Address to the Military, October 11, 1798