



Bishop Fulton Sheen and Chairman Mao Agreed: Hate Drives Communism

BY STEVEN W. MOSHER

Steven Mosher's new book, The Devil and Communist China, is part history, part biography, and part religious exploration. It digs deeply into the communist ideology and its most devoted practitioner today — the People's Republic of China and its leader Xi Jinping.

Here's an excerpt that revelation: Chairman Mao and one of America's most famous Catholic bishops agreed on a vital principle of communism.



It is hard to imagine two men who had less in common than Chairman Mao Zedong and Archbishop Fulton Sheen. The distance between the thoughts, words, and deeds of these two towering twentieth-century figures, one the leading Chinese Communist and the other the saintly archbishop, spans the distance between heaven and hell. Yet they

strongly agreed on one thing. Communism, they both insisted, was inspired not by love but by hate, and that it was precisely that hate that gave it its terrible power to destroy.

Mao, for his part, exulted in the destructive power that this hate unleashed. "Communism is not love,"

he once gloated. Driving the point home, he added, "Communism is a hammer we use to crush the enemy."

Coming from someone who wielded the hammer of Communism so effectively that he became the greatest mass murderer in human history, Mao's description of Com-

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Is the UN Colonizing Ibero-America?

BY CARLOS POLO, DIRECTOR, PRI IBERO-AMERICAN OFFICE

The United Nations promises that its “Agenda 2030” – all 17 “goals” and 169 “targets” of it – will deliver “sustainable development” to a grateful world.

But there’s a catch: if each country legally recognizes the authority of the UN “Resident Coordinator” and countless other UN officials to impose their development views on our countries, wouldn’t we be talking about subjection to a foreign power?

And finally, if a nation’s cultural values, even those recognized by the country’s Constitution, are discarded or reinterpreted by the “gender and sexual and reproductive rights” agenda, aren’t we facing a subjugation of sovereignty through ideological smuggling?

These prospects are too serious to ignore. The reader might find the notion of “colonization” to be somewhat



overstated, but he must acknowledge the gravity of the challenges posed by this proposal.

To understand the seriousness of the situation, I recommend the report formally presented on April 5th at the auditorium of the Lima Chamber of Commerce by the Association Origen (Peru), Proforhum (Peru), the Population Research Institute (Ibero-America - Europe), and the NEOS Foundation (Spain).



Panelists for Unmasking Agenda 2030, from left to right: Colonel (retired) Juan Carlos Liendo (Intelligence issues expert), Mrs. Giulliana Caccia (Fundacion Origen Director), Dr. Carlos Beltramo, Mr. Diego de la Torre (Entrepreneur and past president of the United Nations Global Compact in Peru)

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To address the gravity of the challenge, the Population Research Institute (Ibero-America - Europe) joined Origen (Peru), Proforhum (Peru), and the NEOS Foundation (Spain) on April 5th to present an extensive report that examines critical defects in Agenda 2030.

The report's title spells out the danger: "Sustainable Development Or Surrender Of Sovereignty? Scope Of The 2030 Agenda And Implications Of The Cooperation Framework Between The UN And Peru." Its production was the work of Giuliana Caccia, Director of Origen, and Dr. Carlos Beltramo, Director of PRI Europe, researcher at the University of Navarra, and member of the Global Threats Working Group of NEOS. I am grateful to these authorities for the opportunity to participate in the research as well.

When it was launched in 2015, Agenda 2030 promised to "promote sustainable development globally." While many nations, institutions, and individuals enthusiastically supported the project, critics have expressed doubts both about the contents and the procedures proposed to implement the initiative.

In part one, "Unmasking the 2030 Agenda," Carlos Beltramo highlights the vital distinction between sharing a collection of desirable objectives, on the one hand, and coming up with a mandatory mass of rules and regulations to impose on the world, on the other.

"What is included in an agenda is as important as what is excluded," Beltramo explained. "It is necessary for us to recognize the conceptual framework behind each of the Sustainable Development Goals and call them by their proper name: 'ideo-

logical smuggling.' We must also be aware that the 2030 Agenda must be embraced in its entirety or rejected outright. On nine occasions the UN resolution explicitly denies the possibility of adopting some parts and discarding others."

Giuliana Caccia, who contributed the second chapter, observed that the book is the first of a series entitled "Agenda 2030 in Peru." At the Origen Association, she said, "we saw the need to either validate or discard the hypothesis that the UN, through this agenda, seeks to implement a perspective on what is important and what is not in the development of each nation. And we wanted to do this with concrete applications in Peru, where we work. Thus, this first installment focuses on the analysis of the Cooperation

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munism as hate weaponized should give us all pause.

While Mao was celebrating the deadly utility of Communism, Archbishop Fulton Sheen was at pains to distinguish this ideology of hate from its opposite, Christianity, which is centered upon love. In his first book, entitled *The Cross and the Beatitudes*, he wrote, “In contrast to [the] Christian philosophy of forgiveness, there exists for the first time in the history of the world a philosophy and a political and social system based not on love, but on hate, and that is Communism.”

Sheen continued, “Communism believes that the only way it can establish itself is by inciting revolution, class-struggle, and violence. Hence its regime is characterized by a hatred of those who believe the family is the basic unit of society. The very Communistic gesture of the clenched fist is a token of its pugnacious and destructive spirit, and a striking contrast indeed to the nailed hand of the Savior pleading forgiveness for the clenched-fist generation who sent Him to the Cross.”

Mao Zedong, in the name of this hateful ideology, sent tens of millions of people to their deaths. None of his deadly actions ever seem to have occasioned an ounce of contrition or a moment of remorse on his part. In fact, in a way that can only be described as diabolical, Mao seems to have celebrated death as a necessary weeding of the human garden. “What does it matter if a third of

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the population dies,” he said. “Their bodies will fertilize the soil.” That was what he thought of those he ground into oblivion: they were only useful as human compost.

“Hatred of God comes from pride,” and few in the economy of evil have been as prideful, self-centered, and narcissistic as the man born in what the Chinese zodiac calls the Year of the Snake. A godless creature like Mao is a prefiguring of the anti-christ, if not himself a lesser example of what awaits us at the end of time. He may not have made a conscious pact with the devil, as Karl Marx seems to have come close to doing, but he certainly embraced every evil known to God and man. He longed to be the prince of this world—a dangerous ambition, indeed, since those who are driven by it generally wind up serving, whether they are aware of it or not, the real prince of this world, Satan himself.

We are in no position to impose a final judgment on Mao, or on any other human being, however much

evil they may have wrought in their lives. Such dispositions are the sole province of God, who is the final arbiter of the souls He created. The only person that we can be certain is in hell is Judas Iscariot, about whom Our Lord said, “It would have been better for that man if he had not been born” (Mt 26:24). No one else is beyond the reach of redemption, although in the case of Mao—arguably the greatest mass murderer in human history—it certainly would have been a very long reach.

As his life grew to a close in the mid-seventies, Mao often remarked to visitors that he would soon be going to be with Marx. It seems clear from his lifelong descent into the depths of human wickedness that, given a choice—and we always have a choice—he would choose to reign in hell rather than serve in heaven. But hell, of course, already has a hellish master. It is hard to avoid the suspicion that behind Mao the Snake lurked the great dragon himself, waiting to devour him.

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Citizens Yet Strangers

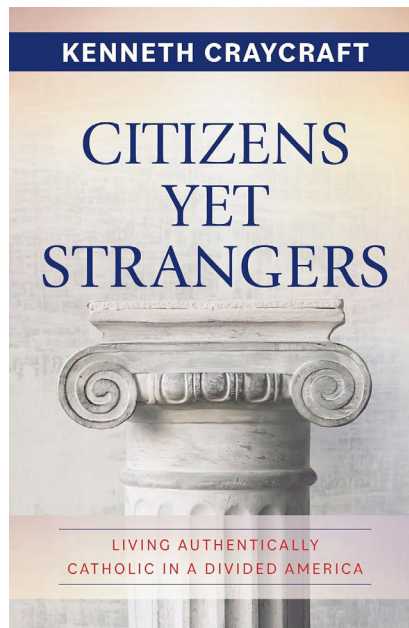
This book will really help you think about
how to truly vote Catholic! Request your copy today!

If you, like me, know that voting pro-life is a key aspect of voting Catholic, then you know that's not always as simple as it sounds.

It's hard — and getting harder — to figure out the proper relationship between our Catholic Faith and American political life. Democrat, Republican, third party, or independent — how do we make sense of it all?

Citizens Yet Strangers resets the framework of how we engage with politics as Catholics. As author Kenneth Craycraft argues in this book, American Catholics have been more influenced by classical liberal political theory (of both the “conservative” and “liberal” variety) than by historic Catholic moral theology. While some incidental policy positions of the Democratic and Republican parties converge with Catholic moral teaching, for most Catholics, their respective positions are directed by their party affiliation, not by Catholic moral thought.

Ken Craycraft, who holds the James J. Gardner



Family Chair in Moral Theology at Mount St. Mary's Seminary and School of Theology in Cincinnati, explains how Catholic theology transcends partisan politics, and he challenges Catholics to move away from the individualist liberal impulses of American political identity, whether on the left or the right.

Avoiding the common clichés that prevent us from examining the role our faith should play in our public actions, this book dives deeper into the very way we orient our moral and political lives.

So, I'm sure you'll want to read this and allow it to help you reflect carefully before campaigning for and participating in the coming elections this fall.

You may even want to give a copy to a friend or relative, so it might be worth getting an extra copy. With your gift of \$50, we'll send a copy to you as soon as possible.

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HUMANAЕ VITAE COALITION

PRI Sends Three More Ultrasound Machines to Africa

by Dr. Christopher Manion, Director of the *Humanae Vitae* Project

On Divinity Sunday last April, Andrew Mosher, PRI's Director of Administration and I traveled to a hotel near Washington's Dulles International Airport to meet Dr. Theresa Okafor, one of PRI's most dear and devoted friends in Africa. Theresa has devoted her life to helping African families flourish in the faith, in freedom, and in peace.

As a vital volunteer in PRI's "Help Crisis Pregnancy Centers in Need" program, Theresa has helped us to donate over two dozen expensive, high-tech ultrasound machines to Catholic clinics and hospitals in over a dozen African countries since 2015. The three sophisticated machines we delivered in April will soon be up and running in Congo, Tanzania, and Burkina Faso.

The stories we have heard from grateful pro-lifers in Africa touch us so deeply... mothers hear their baby's heart beating, see her waving on the sonogram, and often weep when they realize what a precious gift she is.

But PRI isn't alone in our efforts to reach mothers in Africa. Planned Parenthood and Bill Gates want to find them too. While we want to help them, the well-funded Population Controllers want to sterilize them when they can and abort their babies when they can't.

While we depend on our faithful donors to help us pay for those

life-saving ultrasounds, the abortion lobby gets hundreds of millions from the Biden administration to pay for the propaganda, the personnel, and even "free" manual vacuum aspirators that African women can use to abort their babies in locations that don't even have electricity.

And if that isn't bad enough, Kamala Harris and Joe Biden's State Department threaten to extort African leaders who don't bow to their demands: "implement 'family planning' programs or lose the aid you need for clean water, AIDS prevention, and agricultural assistance!"

That's why PRI wants to place as many of those baby-saving ultrasounds as possible in pregnancy centers and hospitals throughout Africa. As you know, nothing gets mothers to say "NO!" to abortion more than that smile she sees for the very first time on her baby's sonogram.

Kamala Go Home!

We know that the pro-life movement in Europe and the United States have been founded and led by the laity without much help from their bishops. That's not the case with the bishops of Africa! They have spoken up strongly in favor of life and against both the pro-abortion NGO's and the foreign governments that want to exterminate them in the name of "progress."

When Kamala Harris went to visit the President Akufo-Addo of Ghana last year, she tried to soften him up even as the Biden White House was strong-arming him to loosen the country's laws against abortion and homosexuality.

Ghana's bishops would not stand for it. Bishop Matthew Gyamfi, President of Ghana's Catholic Bishops' Conference, told him that he should throw Biden's bribes back in Kamala's face: accepting aid from the U.S. government with any LGBTQ conditions would simply amount to the government selling out the country's birthright, he said.

Catholic leaders like Bishop Gyamfi will defend the faithful against what African Cardinal Robert Sarah has called "the fluid atheism that runs through the veins of contemporary culture." But they are fighting the multi-billion-dollar abortion lobby that lures young African men and women to embrace the contraceptive mentality.

All of us at PRI love to hear from those hospitals and clinics across Africa (and two Latin American countries as well!) about the thousands of women they have helped and the babies they have saved. We hope that the next ten years will be even more fruitful, as those babies grow up and help their families, neighbors, and their communities to celebrate life and welcome even more of it.

Is the UN Colonizing Ibero-America? *continued*

Framework between Peru and the United Nations adopted in 2022. We believe it is essential to warn about the consequences of our country's adherence to this UN initiative. We are aware that this contribution does not cover the entire problem, but we hope that it will serve as an impetus for other organizations and researchers to address this issue, so relevant to our present and future," she explained.

Diego de la Torre, one of the presentation's guest panelists, described how the UN has been hijacked by the progressive globalist agenda. He placed the origin of that travesty in the second term of former U.S. President Barack Obama (2012-2016). He described the 2030 Agenda and its 17 Sustainable Development Goals as a WOKE, neo-Marxist, and "vegetarian" agenda. De la Torre had witnessed the change first-hand: he served as President of the United Nations Global Compact in Peru from 2005 to 2021. In that capacity,

he actively promoted a socially and environmentally responsible business culture based on science. It was the adoption of these radical ideological biases, he said, that prompted him to resign that position.

Spreading The Word

This is an important book with a timely and vital message, so Origen Editions and Proforhum will distribute it widely, and have made it available in digital format as well. It is urgent that we alert and inform the public about the reality of the 2030 Agenda and the dangers its possible implementation poses to Peru's sovereignty.

"We believe that this publication will serve to explain the global context we are experiencing and the implications of this Agenda that our authorities have signed on to. The book responds to our responsibility to forge and consolidate a society based on a foundation of respect for life and human dignity," Javier Dex-

tre, Director of Proforhum, told the audience.

Ignacio Blanco, Director of Origen Editions, described the purpose of distributing the book so widely: "such a relevant topic requires a public debate, an exchange of ideas that will contribute to a better understanding of the paths our country must follow towards integral development, where intangible values such as freedom, family, human nature, and our national identity are respected."

The book "Sustainable Development Or Surrender Of Sovereignty? Scope Of The 2030 Agenda And Implications Of The Cooperation Framework Between The UN And Peru" can be downloaded for free at this link in digital format: <https://www.origen.org.pe/publicacione>. (The book is currently only available in Spanish)



Photo courtesy of Dr. Carlos Beltramo, Director of PRI Europe, and Carlos Polo, Director of PRI Ibero-America

Catholic Relief Services Programs Present 5 Expressions of Grave Evildoing

BY CHIARA MCKENNA

CRS claims that only moral theologians and bishops can critique their work... which is exactly why we contacted and received support from both.

On March 6th, the Population Research Institute and the Lepanto Institute held a [joint press conference](#) to release the findings of a year-long investigation into Cath-

olic Relief Services.¹ We detailed in the press conference, and in a [131-page report](#) filled with evidence, that CRS has been involved in programs pushing contraception, abortion education, and graphic sexual education on girls as young as ten.²

In spite of our requests, CRS has not yet released a full public statement responding to the recently released investigation findings. That does not mean they haven't responded at all, however. In correspondence with top donors only, CRS has given vague denials. The organization has refused to address the copious evi-

dence in our report and attempted to discredit our report by reminding their top donors that "the authority to make such assessments rests with the bishops and theologians."

Well, it is clear that CRS did not go through our report as "meticulously" as they claimed or bothered to watch the press conference. If they had, they would know that not only did we have a moral theologian evaluate the evidence and reaffirm our call to defund CRS, we also had already received support from a U.S. bishop at that time of the press conference.



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5 Expressions of Grave Evildoing, *continued*

The aforementioned moral theologian was Christian Brugger D.Phil. (St. Hugh's College, Oxford), professor of Christian Ethics, author, and advisor to both medical and diocesan leaders on moral and ethical issues. Dr. Brugger reviewed the findings of our investigation and found that they established, "beyond reasonable doubt, clear examples of five expressions of grave evildoing."

First, Catholic Relief Services is clearly "the primary agent of evildoing," as far as its literature that targets children and adolescents promotes masturbation. Our investigator in Cameroon found that CRS produced material with a CRS logo that promotes masturbation as a form of "safe sex" as part of its KIDSS project.³ CRS's *My Changing Body* program in Lesotho condones masturbation as well.⁴ Unfortunately, this is not the first time that proof of CRS's masturbation promotion has been uncovered.

Second, "CRS formally cooperates in others' grave evildoing in as much as it publicly endorses, refers to, and financially supports organizations that actively and very publicly promote direct abortion, contraception, and masturbation." Evidence of these immoral activities, enabled through partnering organizations, was found in all three countries we investigated. In our field investigation of Zimbabwe, for one example, our investigator met with a number of CRS's implementing partners and other stakeholders in USAID's DREAMS project. There they learned how these partners were collaborating with CRS in the DREAMS project, and how they were promoting and providing contraceptives to clients referred to them by CRS Pathways.⁵

“ CRS advances an agenda that endorses and encourages abortion, masturbation, and contraception, all of which are in complete opposition with Church Teaching.

Third, in cases where there was no formal cooperation, CRS was nonetheless materially cooperating with evil. "CRS's close working relationship with organizations that promote evil poses a very substantial risk of grave scandal" Dr. Brugger found. The sin of scandal, he explained, "makes serious wrongdoing seem less serious, and hence makes the choice for evildoing much easier, and leads vulnerable people to conclude that bad acts are good." The young girls who are the victims of these "Sexual and Reproductive Health" programs may believe the immoral aspects of the program are moral, and good for them, because CRS backs them, he said.

Fourth, "CRS's evildoing badly undermines the credibility of the Church's witness to the Gospel in Africa." In its mission, CRS serves as an apostolate of the Catholic Church. As Dr. Brugger points out, "its first purpose should be the advancement of the teaching of Jesus through its unique mission to care for the poor."

Instead, CRS advances an agenda that endorses and encourages abortion, masturbation, and contraception, all of which are in complete opposition with Church teaching. Through these programs, CRS is defying Jesus' call for us to "protect human life, guard the souls of his

little ones, and uphold the chastity of the marriage bed." While not all of the programs that CRS funds and administers involve these immoral aspects, commingling good with evildoing misleads the general public, leaving the impression that the Church is "hypocritical in its definitive moral teachings on life and sex."

"If the Church cannot be trusted to teach the truth on matters pertaining to the Fifth and Sixth Commandments," Dr. Brugger asked, "how can it be trusted to teach truth on other matters pertaining to salvation: for example, the Real Presence of Jesus in the Eucharist, the reality of Heaven and Hell, and the necessity of the Church for salvation?"

Dr. Brugger's fifth, and final example, was the misrepresentation of CRS as a Catholic organization to garner donations from the faithful Catholics at Mass. "Catholics who financially support CRS, rather than other secular aid organizations, do so because they believe that its relief services are marked by something distinctively Catholic," he said. "By engaging in wrongdoing in the ways just mentioned, CRS acts unjustly to those donors by misrepresenting itself."

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Letters

Responses to the Investigation:

Thank you. My wife and I just listened to the live stream event. Eye opening! I had heard of this many years ago but not in a detailed investigative report. I have written to and tried to meet with our various Bishops for many years to discuss this and other evils going on in Christ's Church for many years, decades, but to no avail. I hope they listen to you.

God is Good...

— Charles

Fantastic and well documented investigation! Let's hope the Bishops have the courage to act!

Let us pray that our American Catholic church and Bishops have the courage to withdraw funding to this organization!

— From, Kaye

Dear Steve,

Thank you for all the work you did to uncover the demons at CRS. Thank God for giving you the knowledge and strength, may He continue to bless you and PRI. I watched the press release with you and the Lepanto Institute yesterday. It confirmed what I have been thinking and saying for a long time...

I have been reading your information for twenty or so years now and I am thanking God for all you have accomplished for Him.

—Peace In Christ, Laura

5 Expressions of Grave Evildoing, *continued*

Dr. Brugger concluded by reaffirming our call that the bishops of the United States “both individually and collectively should withdraw their support from Catholic Relief Services.” At the time of the press conference, PRI had already received one response from a United States prelate, Bishop Joseph Strickland, who provided us with us a statement to be read at that press conference:

“I urge everyone to read and take note of the work of Michael Hichborn and his collaborators. The serious concerns he documents involving how funds donated by faithful Catholics are used in ways that undermine Catholic teachings must be addressed. Michael has been exposing this corruption for years but his protests and documented concerns have been ignored for the most part. The time to address this is long past and it is essential that the Church in the United States finally acknowledges that this must stop.”

In addition, Fr. Robert McTeigue, S.J., Ph.D., a professor of philosophy and theology who has spoken worldwide on moral issues, offered this statement based on the study's findings:

“Promoting or practicing promiscuity, contraception, or abortion constitutes bad medicine and bad morality. From the

premise that the current collaborative report published by the Population Research Institute and Lepanto Institute is accurate one may reasonably infer that Catholic Relief Services in Cameroon and Zimbabwe have partnered with entities promoting bad medicine and bad morality, namely, promiscuity, contraception, and abortion.”

We continue to await a full public response from CRS, and we work and pray for them to cease their involvement with immoral programs and partnerships. As PRI President Steven Mosher asked at the press conference, “What does it profit a Catholic organization to save lives if in doing so it is losing souls in the process?”

As the news spread, Catholic media outlets like [ACI Africa](#) have faced the same silence in their requests for comment from Catholic Relief Services regarding our investigation.⁶ “CRS has yet to respond publicly to the many media outlets who have requested a statement,” says Mosher. “Worse still, the organization has been suggesting to donors—without adducing any evidence whatsoever—that they should ignore our report.” “In the absence of any real corrective action, we would suggest that faithful Catholics who receive CRS’ solicitation letters should just ignore them,” Mosher continued. “Additionally, they should ask their bishop to withdraw his support from Catholic Relief Services.”

¹ <https://fb.watch/qONep-assH/>

² <https://www.pop.org/wp-content/uploads/2024/03/Full-Investigation-Report-v6.pdf>

³ See page 13 in the full report.

⁴ See page 98 in the full report.

⁵ See pages 72-93 in the full report.

⁶ <https://www.aciafrica.org/news/10477/this-must-stop-scholars-on-catholic-relief-services-contraception-programs-in-africa>

From the Countries



PERU Pro-Life Legislation Passes in Peru

On March 13th, the Peruvian Congress approved pro-life legislation by a vote of 87-18. The bill establishes the obligation of the state to guarantee “the protection of the pregnancy, the pregnant mother, the unborn child, and their family environment.” In an interview with *ACI Prensa*, CNA’s Spanish-language news partner, PRI’s Ibero-American Office, Carlos Polo, said the legislation represents “true progress in the agenda for respecting the life of the conceived child.”¹



CZECH REPUBLIC Hospital in Prague Aborts the Wrong Baby

Medical professionals at a Prague hospital are being investigated for carrying out an abortion on the “wrong” baby. On March 25th, a woman, four months pregnant, went in for a routine checkup on her pregnancy. Instead, the medical staff carried out a D&C abortion without the woman’s knowledge or consent, killing her wanted child. The nurses and doctors all failed to realize that this woman was not there for an abortion and put her under anesthesia meant for another woman. The hospital blamed this tragic mistake on the language barrier, as both women, one present for a checkup and the other for an abortion, were foreigners. The staff

involved have been suspended and the hospital is under investigation. A spokesperson for the health ministry shared that the hospital has apologized and is ready to offer compensation, but as *Live Action* points out, “Money can’t replace a child’s life.”²



USA New Report Shows 60% of U.S. Abortions are Chemical

According to a new report, over 60% of abortions in 2023 were completed chemically. More than half of the women seeking abortion are turning to the dangerous two-pill regimen of mifepristone and misoprostol. The same study reported an estimated total of 1 million abortions were provided in 2023. This means that over 600,000 babies were starved and ejected from their mothers’ wombs. This statistic highlights the need for the Supreme Court to end mail-order abortions and reinstate restrictions on abortion pills in general.³



CUBA Cuba’s Birth Rate Hits a New Low

Last year, Cuba hit the lowest birth rate in six decades. While all industrialized nations have fertility rates fluctuating below replacement rate, Cuba’s has been hit even harder due to the communist party in charge of the nation. Many women postpone

having children or avoid it completely, due to the economic crisis in the country. Abortions and “menstrual regulations” have also been on the rise in the last decade. The National Fertility Survey conducted last year, found that between 2009 and 2022 there was a 14% increase in these procedures. The same survey concluded that at least 35% of “unwanted” pregnancies were terminated in that period as well.⁴



UNITED KINGDOM Abortion Organization Tries to Hijack Mothers Day in the U.K.

The largest abortion provider in the U.K. attempted to hijack Mother’s Day by encouraging supporters to “celebrate” abortionists on that same day. For residents in the United Kingdom, Mother’s Day falls on March 10th. Over Mother’s Day weekend, while most people were celebrating the women who gave them life, the British Pregnancy Advisory Service (BPAS), published a post on X celebrating “Abortion Providers Appreciation Day.” The organization stated, “We want to celebrate all the amazing people providing safe abortions every single day. Join us in thanking them for supporting women who wish to end their own pregnancy.” According to its most recent annual report, from 2022 to 2023 BPAS was responsible for 110,719 abortions in England and Wales, up 19% from the previous year.⁵

¹ <https://www.catholicnewsagency.com/news/257110/peru-s-congress-approves-legislation-protecting-pregnant-women-and-their-babies>

² <https://www.liveaction.org/news/prague-hospital-kills-wrong-baby-abortion/>

³ <https://www.reuters.com/world/us/more-than-60-us-abortions-2023-were-done-by-pill-study-shows-2024-03-19/>

⁴ <https://babalublog.com/2024/03/04/birth-rate-in-cuba-drops-to-its-lowest-level-in-six-decades/#more-306653>

⁵ <https://righttolife.org.uk/news/britains-largest-abortion-provider-attempts-to-hijack-mothers-day-by-celebrating-abortion-providers-instead>

PRI IN THE NEWS



The New York Post Chinese Communist Party Doomed as Economy Starts to Crumble

The Chinese Communist Party is doomed. How do we know this? Here are a few pieces of key evidence:

- 65 million homes—one-fifth of the nation's total—are vacant and real-estate prices have collapsed.
- The official youth unemployment rate has hit double digits.
- The Ministry of Finance reports a 16% drop in personal income tax collected year over year.
- Both capital and people are rushing to leave the country with an estimated 500 billion gone in 2023 alone.

But why is this happening? As Mr. Mosher points out in this article, “Whenever a Chairman Mao or a President Xi decides that producing tyranny is more important than producing the goods — as they all do sooner or later — economic collapse follows.”

Viewership: 154.7 Million*

<https://nypost.com/2024/03/30/opinion/for-china-the-communist-party-is-over/>



The Federalist New Review of The Devil and Communist China

Chuck Devore, chief national initiatives officer at the Texas Public Poli-

cy Foundation, praised Mr. Mosher's newest book, *The Devil and Communist China*. Devore stated that the book “convincingly argues that the evil practiced by the CCP eclipses that of the USSR” and “offers a profound and chilling examination of the CCP's history and its effect on the world.” However, Devore was clear that *The Devil and Communist China* is not just a description of the historical events, but is also an “indictment of the ideological underpinnings” that made the horrors of the CCP's reign possible.

Viewership: 3.79 Million*

<https://thefederalist.com/2024/04/12/the-devil-and-communist-china-tries-to-prevent-future-ccp-victims-by-remembering-past-ones/>



LifeSiteNews Archbishop Wester Tries to Dismiss Scandalous Investigation Findings

Archbishop John Wester of Santa Fe, New Mexico, recently tried to silence the Population Research Institute (PRI) and the Lepanto Institute (LI). Archbishop Wester took offense to the collaborative report that PRI and LI released which documented and detailed Catholic Relief Services' (CRS) promotion of abortion, contraception, and masturbation in three African countries. In a letter dated March 8, Archbishop Wester, who served as a two-term member of the board of di-

rectors for CRS, declared, “I can assure you that your findings on the ethical actions of CRS are in error.” His letter did not address the clear evidence and moral analysis, provided by Dr. Christian Brugger, that PRI and LI provided. He, like CRS, issued only a blanket denial and then fell silent.

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Politifact PRI Video Censored by Facebook Fact Checkers

Facebook's “Independent Fact Checkers” censored a PRI video sharing the truth about the World Health Organization's Pandemic Treaty. The post even got its own article, written by an individual who also writes for left-wing sources such as The New York Times, CNN, and The Guardian. The article dismisses legitimate concerns over the WHO's Pandemic Treaty, which includes wording that would enable the WHO to enforce the kind of unnecessary measures taken during the COVID-19 pandemic in the U.S. again.

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<https://www.politifact.com/factchecks/2024/apr/10/facebook-posts/false-claim-resurfaces-about-who-pandemic-treaty-a/>

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