

THE CHURCH IN AMERICA ON GOD'S SCALES

Personal Issues of Leadership

Morality

Honesty

Integrity

Ego – personal perception and achievement, biggest, greatest ever, (attention/acceptance)

Lack of empathy

Authoritarian tendencies

Acceptance of information from Intelligence Agencies

Reality – 'Believe me', view of reality and insistence on agreement

Loyalty

Media criticism

Attacks and punishment of critics

Vulgar and demeaning Language

Place of money (values over money)

Ramping up fear and division (race, economic, political party and violence)

America's place in the world (humanitarian assistance, human rights)

Ends justifying the means

Intelligent people concerned about emotional stability and competency

Law, Policy, Perception And Behaviour Issues

(How Are People Treated)

Voter suppression

Immigration issues (in the military)

Race Relations (liberty and justice for all)

Gays rights issues (in military)

Abortion / Issues

Climate change

HOW FAR WILL SOME CHRISTIANS GO WITH POWER

Ruling with rod of iron

Revelation 2:27, 12:5:, 19:15

Wheat/tare

Mat. 13:29

Lord over others

1 Peter 5:3

Matthew 20:25-28

WHY JUDGE

It is the just thing to do (must judge error) – 1 Peter 4:14-19. 1 Corinthians 11:28-32

Uphold the name of God. - Romans 2:23, 24 1 Peter 2:12. 2 Corinthians 8:21

Expose error - Galatians 5:9. 1 Corinthians 5:6-8. Jude 3, 4. Romans 16:17

2 Timothy 4:2. Ephesians 5:11. 1 Timothy 5:20. Titus 1:13

Expose the truth. James 1:23-25 Galatians 4:16. 2 Corinthians 7:10-12

Grow the church (pruning to produce more fruit) John 15:1-4

Chasten the church (whom he loves) Hebrews 12:6-11. Proverbs 3:12. Revelation 3:19

Purify the church (chaste virgin) Ephesians 5:27 Jude 21-24