



THE MISSION CHURCH STATEMENT REGARDING CUSD LISTENING AND LEARNING MEETINGS

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The Mission Church exists to worship Jesus Christ, to teach His Word (the Bible), and to love people by helping them enter a relationship with Jesus as their Lord and Savior. Being active in community is an important part of our mission.

Carlsbad Unified School District (CUSD) invited The Mission Church to participate in the Listening and Learning Sessions they are holding. We have two requests for CUSD:

1. **FULL TRANSPARENCY** in terms of Curriculum and Parental Rights to make decisions with their children. Transparency between schools and families about curriculum and campus activity is in the best interest of all students.
2. Schools should focus on teaching **CORE ACADEMICS** (science, math, history, geography, etc.) instead of sexual and gender ideology curriculum. We support student-led groups on campus, but we are concerned the focus of the educational curriculum/agenda is becoming overly sexualized.

Recently we encouraged church members, and members of our community to speak up in support of parental transparency/honesty and focusing on core academics. Our intent is focused on the well-being of all students, educators, and families. We will continue to speak up in support of the family unit, transparency between schools and parents, and ensuring that students are able to learn in an environment that is not over-sexualized.

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