Psalms 11:3

3 If the foundations be destroyed, what can the righteous do?

Foundations in the Hebrew: a basis, that is, (figuratively) political or moral support:

BDB Definition:

1) foundation, support, stay.

Destroyed in the Hebrew: to pull down or in pieces, break, destroy: -beat down, break (down, through), destroy, overthrow, pluck down, pull down, ruin, throw down.

BDB Definition:

1) to tear down, break down, overthrow, beat down, break, break through, destroy, pluck down, pull down, throw down, ruined, destroyer, utterly.

I read this in a commentary: Bishop Patrick paraphrases the words thus, "If men have no regard to laws and public decrees, which are the foundation of human society, but will boldly violate all known and standing rules of justice and truth; what can the righteous do? — What security can an honest man have? or what should he do, but make haste away from the place where they act so arbitrarily, and are so perfidious?"

We are witnessing the foundations of religious freedom being destroyed before our eyes. Never in my wildest imagination, would I have ever thought I would see what I am seeing in our nation today. Bars are being allowed to reopen; restaurants are being allowed to reopen; health clubs are being allowed to reopen; Disneyland is making

plans to reopen; abortion clinics NEVER closed, but yet the church cannot congregate.

Psalms 82:5

5 They know not, neither will they understand; they walk on in darkness: all the foundations of the earth are out of course.

Course in the Hebrew: to waver; by implication to slip, shake, fall: - be carried, cast, be out of course, be fallen in decay.

Habakkuk 1:4

4 Therefore the law is slacked, and judgment doth never go forth: for the wicked doth compass about the righteous; therefore wrong judgment proceedeth.

Asking our political leaders to understand and explain Apostolic Pentecost would be like trying to listen to me explain Einstein's Theory of Relativity.

1Cor. 2:14

14 But the natural man receiveth not the things of the Spirit of God: for they are foolishness unto him: neither can he know them, because they are spiritually discerned.

This world and our political leaders will never understand why we must be able to congregate, it is imperative that we are able to get back into the house of God sooner rather than later.

Isaiah 58:12

12 And they that shall be of thee shall build the old waste places: thou shalt raise up the foundations of many generations; and thou shalt be called, The repairer of the breach, The restorer of paths to dwell in.

Would we as the church family be willing to set aside a day of prayer and fasting to ask the Lord to move on our behalf and allow the doors of the church to be opened again?

Acts 4:29-32

- 29 And now, Lord, behold their threatenings: and grant unto thy servants, that with all boldness they may speak thy word,
- 30 By stretching forth thine hand to heal; and that signs and wonders may be done by the name of thy holy child Jesus.
- 31 And when they had prayed, the place was shaken where they were assembled together; and they were all filled with the Holy Ghost, and they spake the word of God with boldness.
- 32 And the multitude of them that believed were of one heart and of one soul: neither said any of them that ought of the things which he possessed was his own; but they had all things common.
- 33 And with great power gave the apostles witness of the resurrection of the Lord Jesus: and great grace was upon them all.

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