TALKING POLITICS

First of all, then, I urge that SUPPLICATIONS, PRAYERS, INTERCESSIONS, AND THANKSGIVINGS be made for all people, FOR KINGS AND ALL WHO ARE IN HIGH POSITIONS, that we may lead a peaceful and quiet life, godly and dignified in every way.

This is good, and it is pleasing in the sight of God our Savior, WHO DESIRES ALL PEOPLE TO BE SAVED and to come to the knowledge of the truth.

1 TIMOTHY 2:1-4 ESV

Questions

What do you think and feel about politics?

What do you learn from your teachers, friends, and coaches about politics?

What questions do you have about politics, culture, or the world?

What do you want to learn about politics? How do you want to do that?

What can we pray together for our nation and its leaders?

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Scriptures

Let every person be subject to the governing authorities. For there is no authority except from God, and those that exist have been instituted by God. ²Therefore whoever resists the authorities resists what God has appointed, and those who resist will incur judgment. ³For rulers are not a terror to good conduct, but to bad. Would you have no fear of the one who is in authority? Then do what is good, and you will receive his approval, **ROMANS 13:1-3 ESV**

For the LORD is our judge; the LORD is our lawgiver; the LORD is our king; he will save us. ISAIAH 33:22 ESV

For because of this you also pay taxes, for the authorities are ministers of God, attending to this very thing. ⁷Pay to all what is owed to them: taxes to whom taxes are owed, revenue to whom revenue is owed, respect to whom respect is owed, honor to whom honor is owed. **ROMANS 13:6-7 ESV**

if my people who are called by my name humble themselves, and pray and seek my face and turn from their wicked ways, then I will hear from heaven and will forgive their sin and heal their land. 2 CHRONICLES 7:14 ESV