## A Prayer for Election Day

As many voters head for the polls this Tuesday in high hopes of getting better elected officials, may they realize that they will never elect a better government, but could only expect a worse one, as long as Americans from coast to coast reject the gospel; for as the people are, so the government will be. That is to say, as long as the vast citizenry in their gospel unbelief would be lawless, so their elected officials will be the same.

Indeed, one of the obvious punishments from God will be when he gives to a nation children as rulers (Isaiah 3:4), namely, unwise, immature thinkers who would not act responsibly.

Just the same, give to us Christians patience under this affliction! Strengthen us by your powerful faithcreating and faith-supplying gospel pledges to continue to do our godly duties in spite of the lawlessness around us from top to bottom!

In closing, and by your command, we confess the many grievous sins of our land. We plead with you to forgive them. Also, we would ask for the peace of our land, that is, that you would continue your time of grace, like in the days of Noah, and put off your punishment of this country through destructive war. Amen!