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Congressman Gary Miller's Statement On National Day of Prayer Ruling

WASHINGTON, DC – Today, Congressman Gary Miller, a member of the bipartisan Congressional Prayer Caucus, and several of his colleagues held a press conference to respond to a decision by a U.S. federal judge who ruled the law requiring the President to designate a National Day of Prayer as unconstitutional. Following the press conference, Congressman Gary Miller released the following statement:

“Since its founding, faith and prayer have been an integral part throughout our nation’s history. In times of war and in times of peace, countless Americans have turned to prayer to find wisdom, comfort, rest, and strength.

“The federal judge’s decision to rule a simple national recognition of prayer as unconstitutional undermines the values of religious freedom that America was founded upon and misinterprets the Constitution. I, along with the other Members of the Congressional Prayer Caucus, will continue to fight this decision.”

Congressman Miller has also cosponsored a resolution calling for an appeal of the ruling against the National Day of Prayer and expressing the support of the House of Representatives for the institution of an annual National Day of Prayer.

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