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# Monthly Newsletter

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## Summit VI Reminder

IF YOU HAVE NOT YET,
REGISTER FOR CEI'S ANNUAL
SUMMIT!

CEI's Summit VI will take place on September 26–27 in Lynchburg, Virginia.

At the Summit you will be able to network with other individuals and organizations of like mind and hear from various speakers who will present important information on various topics related to our theme, "Advancing Christ's Kingdom Through Biblical Worldview Education."

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## Add to your calendar:

#### Summit VI:

Friday, September 26th 8:30AM-5PM Saturday, September 27th 8:30AM-5PM

### Reminder Continued...

The well-known and renowned G.K. Chesterton once said, "When men choose not to believe in God, they do not thereafter believe in nothing; they then become capable of believing in anything."

This could easily be said by the Christian today. But we know that "Christ, not man, is King", and therefore we have the tools of Biblical thinking to create the building blocks of His Kingdom. CEI seeks to do this, and we invite you to join us in this noble endeavor.

Please note that the registration fee is \$75 per person OR \$125 per married couple (Children 6–17 are FREE). See our Summit VI Schedule attached to this email.

You can find more details and/or register by searching the link found below!

Register at Christedu.org today!

## Illinois Legislature's Attack On Homeschooling

CEI has been notified by our very own Alex Newman, David E. Smith, and E. Ray Moore that leftist lawmakers in the blue state of Illinois are heavily targeting homeschool families in their state. This liberal effort, if left unopposed, could trickle down into many other blue states. This latest attack is an act of policymakers, who are considering a bill to impose more government control over homeschooling families.

Together we can praise God that these families are prepared to fight back.

Families should not be left to oppose these destructive acts on their own, so CEI is calling on you and all national and conservative allies to get involved. Follow this link to David E. Smith's article to learn more and find ways you can help: https://illinoisfamily.org/education/hb-2827-next-steps/



## PEERS Test Update

The Board of CEI has been working on developments regarding the PEERS Test. This test is a Worldview Assessment that is currently under the auspices of the Nehemiah Institute (Dan Smithwick, President). PEERS is an eminent, time-tested worldview assessment, which CEI is proud to be associated with.

## Introduction to CEI's Motto

The Christian Education Initiative's Motto is:

#### "Advancing Christ's Kingdom Through Biblical Worldview Education"

In our future installments of this newsletter, we will include an in-depth explanation of each part of the above motto. As members of CEI, we know that this motto means a great deal to you. Thus, our Board has carefully thought through and discussed each word and its order in this motto in an effort to make our mission, vision, strategy, and end goals exceptionally clear.