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Incidents/Articles of Note:

- Fugitive Arrested After Trying To Escape Through Crawl Space, Interrupting Church Service In Virginia
- Man Found Not Guilty By Reason Of Insanity In Virginia Church Stabbing
- NC Police Arrest Man Suspected Of Throwing Molotov Cocktails At Churches
- Community Cupboard Outside Surrey Church Torched By Vandals
- A man shot, killed 2 church members, then himself, outside of Ames'
 Cornerstone Church, sheriff says (IA)
- KKK flyer left on steps of mostly Black Mississippi church

- Tools and Resources -





Resource | CISA

CISA - De-Escalation Series

The De-Escalation Series for Critical Infrastructure Owners and Operators contains four products to assist Critical Infrastructure Owners and Operators to recognize the warning signs of someone on a path to violence; assess if the situation or person of concern is escalating, or if an emergency response is needed immediately; de-escalate the situation currently taking place through purposeful actions, verbal communication, and body language; and report the situation through organizational reporting to enable assessment and management of an evolving threat, and 9-1-1 for immediate threats.

More Info

Resource | DHS - FEMA

DHS – FEMA Resources For Protecting Houses Of Worship

Across the United States, Americans congregate in faith-based venues to worship, learn, play, and bond as a community. However, public gatherings are vulnerable, and adversaries may perceive houses of worship as attractive targets where they can inflict mass casualties, cause substantial psychological impacts, and draw extensive media coverage.

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