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#### **Incidents/Articles of Note:**

- Police Arrest Man Accused of Vandalizing El Paso Catholic Church (TX)
- Victory Church Trades Gift Cards for Guns, No Questions Asked, In Bid To Stem Violence
- Former Central Pa. Pastor Stole \$33K From Church Before Moving to Colorado: Police
- Officers Investigate Body Found in Oakland Church Parking Lot, Police Say
- Why Are North Texas Churches Being Targeted by Violence? Experts Weigh In
- Centerpoint Church To Provide Community with Free School Supplies, Clothes, Haircuts (MI)
- · Gen X Church Attendance Decreasing, Study Finds
- Local Church Vandalized Twice, 2 Juveniles Detained (OH)
- 77 Faith Groups Get Total of \$92 Million for Innovative Faith Programs for Children

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# Greeters and Ushers in Church Security: Essential Roles

Greeters and ushers serve an important role in church security, assuring the congregation's safety and well-being. With the growing demand for security measures in public areas, these professionals bear a great responsibility in creating a safe atmosphere for all churchgoers. While they may not have substantial experience in emergency preparedness or security, their presence and awareness can make a major impact in spotting possible issues and managing dangers.

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### Houses of Worship Security Self-Assessment and User Guide

This guide is designed to help personnel at houses of worship through a security-focused assessment to understand potential vulnerabilities and identify options for consideration in mitigating those vulnerabilities. This self-assessment is a first step in building an effective security program. After completing this process, houses of worship personnel use the results of this process in many ways as they partner to improve their security and manage risk.

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