

### American Family Association of Pennsylvania Weekly Update



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#### **Check Our Recent Interview**

Denise Schick - raised by a transgender dad http://afaofpa.org/listen/

# News From Around PA A contempt of court charge has also been recommended for Attorney General Kane.

Four training sessions of "Building an Inclusive Church" will be held in PA. The first one was in King of Prussia last weekend. The homosexual lobby group Equality PA is holding the trainings. The organization's Faith Action Teams are working with 600 clergy members and 1,000 lay people from twenty denominations across the state "to rally support for ending LGBT discrimination." i.e. support for HB 300. Additional workshops: March 6-7 in Harrisburg, May 1-2 in Pittsburgh and May 15-16 in Kingston.

All five bishops representing PA **Episcopal dioceses** signed a statement of support for House Bill 300. Similar statements of support have come from more than a dozen individuals at the level of bishop in different denominations in PA.

HB 300 would add "sexual orientation and gender identity or expression" to the PA Human Relations Act which impacts employment, housing and public accommodation. The danger of passing such a law can be seen across the country where Christian business owners are being sued for refusing to bake "wedding" cakes, provide flowers or photograph the "weddings" of same-sex couples.

## News from National Scene

The voters of Alaska have made Alaska the third state to legalize marijuana.

The **Army** is drafting new policies concerning soldiers who identify as transgender making it more difficult to discharge them.

Villanova-headquartered
Devereux is one of the
largest providers of

behavioral-health care in US. HRC Foundation (Human Rights Campaign, nation's largest homosexual lobby group) will work with staff across Devereux's 12-state operations to ensure LGBT-inclusive policies and standards.

Obamas's 2016 budget is requesting \$1 billion to help Central America's leaders "make the difficult reforms and investments required to address the region's interlocking security, governance and economic challenges."

AFA of PA encourages Christians, through education, to become involved in profamily issues in their community, state and the nation.

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