



## American Family Association of Pennsylvania Weekly Update

### Seeking to Expose Attacks on Faith, Family and Freedom with a few wins thrown in!

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

Guest: Greg Quinlan, Garden State Families Topic: LGBTQ Curriculum in Schools

#### **News From Around PA**

This week in Philly the **FORUM/Diversity** will be held. It is a two-day conference to “help those from underrepresented groups and their allies find their best-match jobs.” It’s geared toward placing clients into teaching positions. One of the keynote speakers “works with schools to use the power of emotions to create a more effective and compassionate society.” The other will address “diversity and inclusion in education.”

Two of PA’s US Reps, **Matt Cartwright (PA 8) and Conor Lamb (PA 17)**, have received an F grade from the pro-life group Susan B. Anthony List.

Bill Krenz, an administrative associate for Community Health, Department of Nursing and Nursing Education at **Penn State Health Milton S. Hershey**

Medical Center, received one of three Steve and Sharon Barton Leadership Awards given in 2019. He is one of the leaders of the LGBTQ and Allies Affinity Resource Network Group. “Penn State Health and College of Medicine have a commitment to inclusivity for LGBTQ patients, employees and students.”

Ultra liberal, openly “gay” **State Rep Brian Sims** has a primary challenger in April. Public education advocate Marisa Shaaban says, “ I will always stand up for LGBTQ+ equality in Harrisburg to combat discrimination and fight for LGBTQ+ rights.”

#### **News From National Scene**

California previously required districts to notify parents and obtain a **parental opt-in for sex-ed classes**. The 2016 law only allowed parents to opt out. Recently parents were defeated in their efforts to revert back to the opt-in process for their pre-K to sixth grade children.

President Trump has signed new guidance rules to protect, among other things, freedom of prayer in public schools.

Bill Abbott, chief executive of the TV network that oversees the **Hallmark Channel** is stepping down. He is the one who initially banned and then reversed his decision about allowing four commercials featuring “same-sex weddings.” During a *Hollywood Reporter* podcast, Abbott remarked, “I’m gay, where are the same-sex movies? We’re open to really any type of movie of any type of relationship.”

An Iowa man who was **convicted of myriad of sex crimes** will be released from prison because he now identifies as a woman!

An Illinois “**transmasculine**” **person** who gave birth asked to be officially recognized as a father who gave birth to her daughter. Illinois will change birth certificates in order to accommodate her!

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