

Public Life and Faithful Citizenship

After reading your assigned passages, summarize the key points of what you read with the other members of your small group. Then, as a group, record your answers to the following questions, using a separate sheet of paper.

1. What topics and key messages does each of the readings in the following articles address?
 - Article 26: "The True Role and Nature of Public Groups"
 - Article 26: "Being in the World but Not of the World" and "New Testament Teaching on Obedience to Civil Authorities"
 - Article 27: "The Role of the State"
 - Article 27: "The Role of Citizens"
2. What are up to four elements that the four readings have in common?
3. What is one or more unique points made in each reading?

