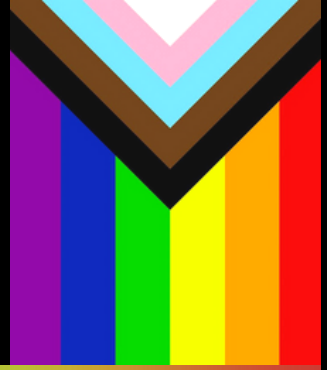




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CFH'S LGBTQ+ PROGRAM MONTHLY NEWSLETTER



Community Partner Event



DCVC: Ventura County Pride

August 19th at 11-6 PM

Plaza Park, E Thompson Blvd,
Ventura, CA 93001

[Click here for more details](#)



*Women's Equality Day
August 26, 2023*

VC LGBTQ+ Resource List



In this PDF you will find:

- LGBTQ+ Organizations
- Clinical/Activities-based Support Groups
- LGBTQ+ Counseling Services
- Gender-Affirming Care
- Health Services

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Educational Links

- [80% of Transgender Americans Have Considered Suicide: Study](#)
- [Key Issues Facing People With Intersex Traits](#)
- [From LGBT to LGBTQIA+: The evolving recognition of identity](#)

News Links

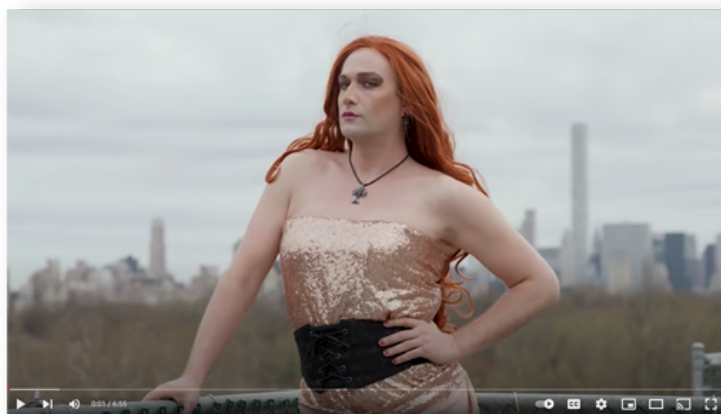
- [How a Christian transgender man increased his faith by taking the fight over LGBTQ+ rights to religious schools](#)
- [California school board adopts LGBTQ+ curriculum after Newsom's \\$1.5m threat](#)
- [Russia: Putin's sweeping new trans ban is latest attack in global war on LGBTQ+ rights](#)



At The Intersections

Religion Within Our Community

Nationwide, about 5.3 million LGBT adults are religious, including an estimated 3,063,000 LGBT adults who are moderately religious and 2,230,000 who are highly religious.
(UCLA Williams Institute, 2020)



Source: them.

Can You Be Religious And Queer? | them.

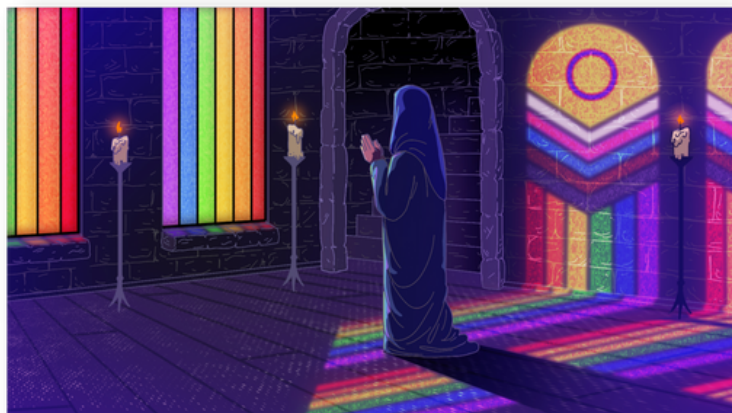
In this video from them., three people reflect on their journey to reconcile with their faith as openly LGBTQ+ people. They talk about embracing all parts of their identity, even when their religion, sexual orientation, and gender may be at odds with each other. To learn more about their journey reconnecting with their religions, click on the video for more information.

Religion and LGBTQ+: Embracing Two Worlds | Vincent Mascarenas | TEDxMoreauCatholicHS

In his TEDx Talk, Vincent Mascarenas talks about his experience growing up gay and Catholic and the struggles due to his conflicting identities. As a member of Campus Ministry, he believes it's essential for him to use his platform to speak about his experience as LGBTQ+ and Catholic to others. Click on the video to watch his talk.



Source: TEDx Talks



Source: Trevor Project

Religion and Spirituality Among LGBTQ Youth

This report from the Trevor Project discusses the importance of religion and spirituality in the lives of LGBTQ+ youth despite historical anti-LGBTQ+ sentiments by religious groups. To learn more about these statistics, click the link to read the report.