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## Christian Coalition of Ohio

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## Citizenship Sunday

Voter Registration Instructions

- Take 10 minutes and review all material in this packet.
- Note the enclosed Voter Registration Form. More forms are available from Christian Coalition of Ohio, or go to your County Board of Elections and pick up Voter Registration Postcards (Pick up approximately 50% of your church size.)
- Eligible Voters
  - 18 years old
  - US Citizen
  - Ohio resident
  - Has not been barred from voting due to a felony conviction
  - Has not been declared mentally incompetent by a court

## **Action Plan**

- It would be a great opportunity for this to be a God & Country Service Citizenship Sunday
- Clergy Please incorporate the Voter Registration Drive as a part of the service. It will not be as fruitful if this is casually mentioned from the pulpit and the voter registration forms left in the lobby.
- The clergy needs to ask for a show of hands of those who need to register to vote.
- Ushers can pass out Voter Registration Forms.
- Ask the church members to complete the Voter Registration Form, fold it in half, seal it and
  put it in the Offering Basket. It is important to recover forms during the service to maximize
  response.
- An appointed liaison from the clergy should collect all Voter Registration Forms and <u>hand</u>
   <u>deliver them to the County Board of Elections on Monday</u> morning after Citizenship
   Sunday.
- Church liaison or clergy complete enclosed <u>reporting form</u> and fax to the Christian Coalition office <u>Monday morning after Citizenship Sunday</u>.