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A billion dollars every week for Iraq, \$87 billion for Iraq. We can't get \$5 billion for childcare over five years in welfare reform.

~Jim Wallis

The best response to bad religion is better religion, not secularism.

~Jim Wallis

We can find common ground only by moving to higher ground.

~Jim Wallis

Sometimes it takes a natural disaster to reveal a social disaster.

~Jim Wallis

Our calling is not only to pull people out of the river, but to go upstream to find out what or who is pushing them in.

~Jim Wallis

Faith reminds us that change is always possible.

~Jim Wallis

Anyone can love peace, but Jesus didn't say, "Blessed are the peace-lovers." He says "¿½peacemakers."; ½ He is referring to a life vocation, not a hobby on the sidelines of life.

~Jim Wallis

The Christian doctrine is one that is both about individual spirituality and a parallel commitment to social justice.

~Jim Wallis

What is my calling? What am I supposed to do? I think running for office, public office, can be a divine calling. I mean, Ive wrestled with that very question myself.

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~Jim Wallis

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Hope is believing in spite of the evidence, and then watching the evidence change.

~Jim Wallis

The world will not change until we do

~Jim Wallis

Hope unbelieved is always considered nonsense. But hope believed is history in the process of being changed.

~Jim Wallis

It's hope as a decision that makes change possible.

~Jim Wallis

You can't be evangelical and associate yourself with Jesus and what he says about the poor and just have no other domestic concerns than tax cuts for wealthy people.

~Jim Wallis

I believe in the separation of church and state, absolutely. But I don't believe in the separation of public life from our values, our basic values, and for many of us, our religious values.

~Jim Wallis

Healthcare should be a human right and not a commodity for sale.

~Jim Wallis

If the president is going to use so much language of theology and the Bible, then let's use that language for a serious discussion about the war in Iraq. And that was never done.

~Jim Wallis

So when the only domestic social policy is tax cuts that mostly benefit the wealthiest Americans, we say, 'Where is faith being put into action

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here?'

~Jim Wallis

Why?' is the prophetic question.

~Jim Wallis

Our choice is between cynicism and hope.

~Jim Wallis

The great thing about social movements is everybody gets to be a part of them.

~Jim Wallis

The people who have more money and goods than any people in the history of the world spend most of their time worrying about not having enough.

~Jim Wallis

The media seems to think only abortion and gay marriage are religious issues. Poverty is a moral issue, it's a faith issue, it's a religious issue.

~Jim Wallis

The kingdom of God, which Jesus came to inaugurate, is meant to create an alternate reality in this world, and ultimately to transform the kingdoms of this world.

~Jim Wallis

We have got some mountains to move. Three billion people - half of God's children - are living on less than \$2 a day.

~Jim Wallis

To dig our heels in and say no to a present madness is a good thing, but to walk a new path and say yes is a better thing.

~Jim Wallis

Spirituality becomes a commodity to be bought and sold. So spirituality has to be disciplined by social justice.

~Jim Wallis

The failure of political leaders to help uplift the poor will be judged a moral failure.

~Jim Wallis

I'm often asked what I think about the faith of the President George W. Bush. I think it is sincere. I think it's very real. I think it's deeply held.

~Jim Wallis

If you are asking the wrong question, it doesn't matter how good the answer is, you aren't going to get where you want to go.

~Jim Wallis

Pat Robertson is an embarrassment to the church and a danger to American politics, .. It's time for Christian leaders of all stripes to call on Robertson not just to apologize but to retire.

~Jim Wallis

This year - today - I am repenting of my dependence on fossil fuels.

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~Jim Wallis

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