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Trump Falls for Fake News & Attacks Muslims

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"President Trump again is falling for the dark side of the Internet and encouraging the nasty underbelly of his support at the expense of civility, decency, intellectual honesty and most worrisome, with our Muslim brothers and sisters in the cross hairs.

"Why else would the President retweet a far-right fringe leader convicted of a hate crime in Britain? Did he fall for fake news and Internet trolls? Does he know that he is a pawn foreign government interference in our own country's internal affairs?

"Enough with painting all Muslims with the broad brush of terrorism. Muslims, too, are victims of terrorism and hate. Many have had to flee their homes and countries to keep their families safe from war and persecution.

"Let's turn our attention to solving problems, not creating them."

[The National Advocacy Center](#) educates and advocates on social justice issues for the transformation of society to the benefit of all people reflecting the spirituality, history and mission of the Sisters of the Good Shepherd. NAC advocates at the Federal level for people living in poverty, immigrants, victims of human trafficking, victims of domestic abuse, and other vulnerable populations.

The Sisters of the Good Shepherd was founded in France in 1835 and are in over 70 countries on 5 continents and have had a presence in the United States for over 175 years. With a presence in 22 states and 1 U. S. Territory, the Sisters and their Lay Mission Partners have dedicated themselves to serving girls, women and families who experience poverty, exploitation, vulnerability and marginalization.

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