

Israel's Apartheid Has Moved into a Fascist Phase

The government elected in Israel includes politicians so extreme that even some Israelis are calling them neo-Nazis. It's plain that extremism against Palestinians and against Jews who don't follow Orthodox Judaism is the heart and soul of the new government.

Prime Minister Netanyahu's alliance with Israeli fascists, who just a couple of years ago were "beyond the pale" of decency, has to do with one issue, keeping Netanyahu out of jail. He's facing years in prison for financial crimes and has actually been on trial for many months.

One new law that's expected to pass in Israel is to remove the power of their Supreme Court to rule laws invalid, like our courts do when they declare something "unconstitutional". That would mean that the ruling government becomes all powerful.

There have been huge demonstrations in Israel against the new government, tens of thousands, even 100,000. That's immense numbers for a country 30 times smaller in population than the U.S..

What Do We Need to Do?

1. Get out in the streets and protest U.S. support for Israel, the money gifts, the weapons and the diplomatic support.
2. Work with Jews in the U.S. who are increasingly sick of a government that claims to speak for all Jews, but is far, far from holding the progressive views of most U.S. Jews and a government whose collaboration with the extreme-Right in the U.S. is a threat to U.S. Jews.
3. Join in the work to boycott Israeli products and to stop sales of weapons like Rugers made by CT's Sturm Ruger company.
4. Condemn the Biden Administration and state politicians for their unchanged and total support for the Israeli government.
5. Fight antisemitism as we fight any kind of racism.

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