



To get aid for private and parochial schools, it will take a few more people like President Ford.

President Ford, unlike his opponent, has declared his strong support for aid to private and parochial schools.

By doing this, the President has demonstrated how much he appreciates the financial sacrifice made by parents with children attending these schools. He has also shown that he recognizes how the very existence of these schools lessens the financial burden on the public school system—and on the taxpayer.

The President *does not* support the thinking of his opponent who recently said: "I would favor the taxation of church properties other than the church building itself." This, President Ford believes, would place an undue financial hardship on already hard-pressed church-sponsored institutions. It would also hinder those who are working to preserve America's neighborhoods.

The President understands the meaning and importance of neighborhoods. That's why he has worked *against* big government and *for* local control in solving local problems. He sees, for example, the *quality* of education being increased by more local control of local schools, but harmed by the kind of Federal interference that has resulted in the forced busing of children out of those schools.

Millions of Americans know that if there were more members of Congress who thought the way President Ford does, the prospect of aid to private and parochial schools would be even brighter. But they also know that having a President who shares their views is a big plus which they don't want to lose.

When they go to their polling place on November 2nd, these Americans will have the chance to keep President Ford as their President.

