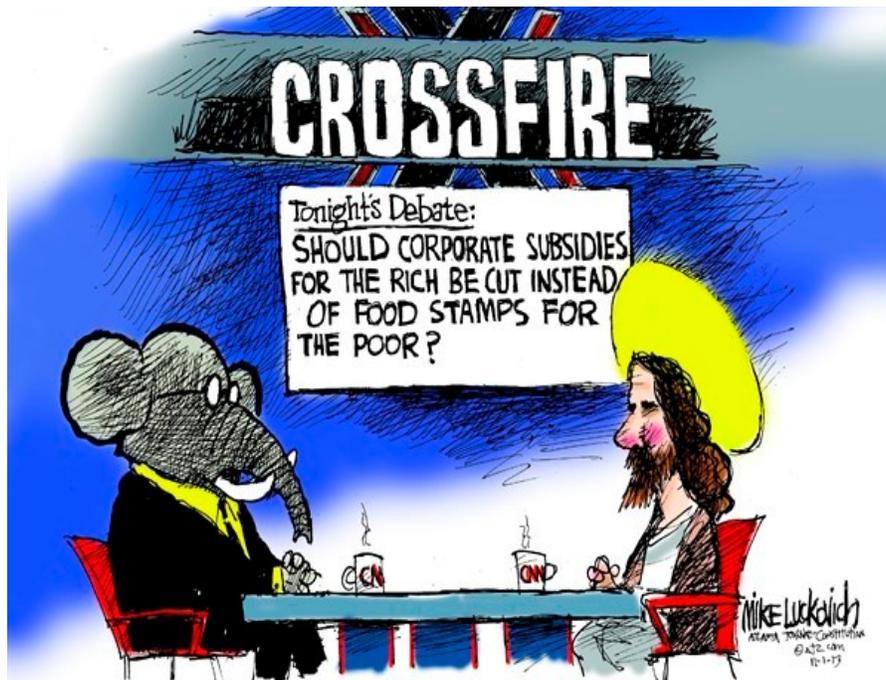


# Cartoons for the Classroom

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## Is it OK to use religious images?



By Mike Luckovich, The Atlanta Journal-Constitution / Courtesy of cagle.com

### Talking points

1. How do these cartoonists use images of a religious figure to make a point?
2. What point are they trying to make?
3. Could someone reasonably find these cartoons offensive or sacrilegious?
4. Find a news report about a severe reaction to the use of religious images or symbols.
5. What kind of images offend you?
6. Should disturbing images be censored? Who decides what is too offensive?

### Between the lines

"Being offended from time to time is the price you pay for living in an open and free society." - Stephen Evans, National Secular Society.

<http://www.independent.co.uk/student/news/sanctimonious-little-prigs-richard-dawkins-wades-into-row-as-lse-atheist-society-banned-from-wearing-satirical-jesus-and-prophet-mohamed-tshirts-8864618.html>

### Additional resources

More by Mike Luckovich

<http://www.cagle.com/author/mike-luckovich/>

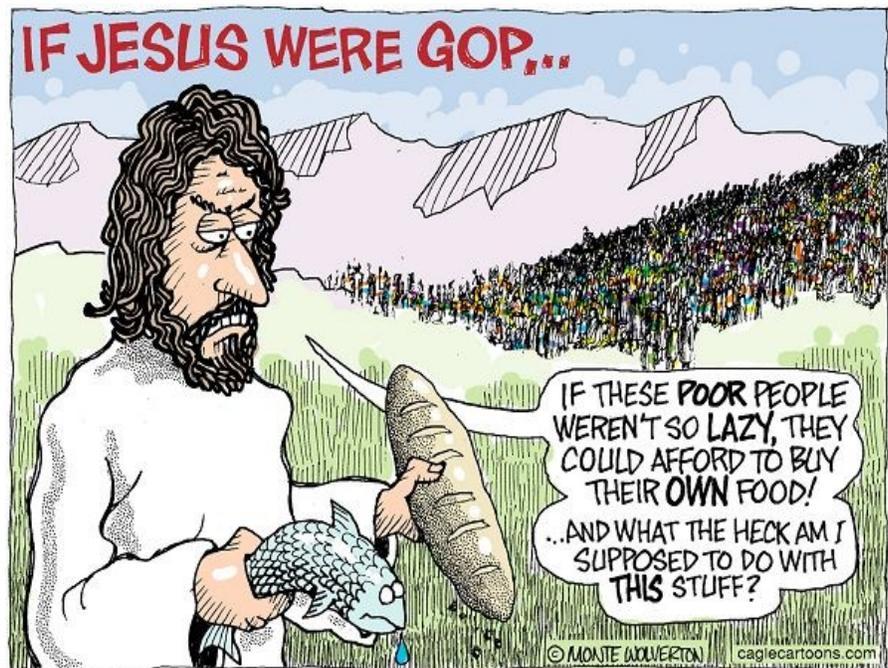
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<http://editorialcartoonists.com/cartoon/browse.cfm/WolveM>

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