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Our Catholic faith directs us to put the needs of working families over the interests of billionaires and corporations. This includes electing leaders who will make our health care, housing, and groceries more affordable.

Compare your Candidates for Senate for Iowa

Josh Turek **Democrat** **turek4iowa.com**	**Will your candidate work for...**	**Ashley Hinson** **Republican** **ashleyhinson.com**
✅ Supports creating a **public insurance option** so that every Iowan can have affordable health care. ✅ Advocates **increased funding for cancer research.** ✅ Will vote to **restore Affordable Care Act subsidies and reverse the cuts to Medicaid** made in the Republican budget law.	**Quality, affordable health care for all?** Catholic teaching affirms that health care is a universal right, not a privilege reserved for the wealthy. *(Compendium of the Social Doctrine of the Church, #166)*	❌ **Voted to cut $1 trillion from Medicaid and the Affordable Care Act (ACA)** to pay for tax cuts for the ultra-wealthy. As a result, average monthly healthcare **premiums have skyrocketed**, around **7,968 Iowans** have lost Medicaid, and **21,058 fewer Iowans** have ACA coverage.
✅ Supports the **PRO Act to protect workers' right to organize** for better pay. ✅ As state representative, introduced a bill to **raise the minimum wage in Iowa.** ✅ Will sponsor a "dignity and work" bill to **raise the federal minimum wage to $15/hour.**	**Good-paying jobs with benefits and protections?** The Catholic Church affirms the dignity of work and workers, and calls for wages that let us "live a truly human life." *(Mater et Magistra, #71)*	❌ **Voted against the PRO Act** in 2021, a bill to protect workers' right to organize for better pay. ❌ **Allowed DOGE to slash** tens of millions of dollars in funding for education and workforce development, eliminate key public sector jobs, and **decimate workplace safety agencies.**
✅ As a state representative, **voted against taking food assistance from thousands of Iowans.** ✅ Advocates for **banning private equity companies** from buying single-family homes.	**Affordable food and housing for all?** Catholic teaching affirms that food and housing are universal rights, not privileges reserved for the wealthy. *(Compendium of the Social Doctrine of the Church, #166)*	❌ **Voted to cut $187 billion from our largest anti-hunger program to pay for tax cuts for the wealthy.** This has taken away food from **23,734 Iowans** — children, seniors, veterans, parents of teenagers, and former foster youth.

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✅ Supports **tax cuts for working people** and closing tax loopholes for the wealthy, to **ensure that the wealthiest pay their fair share.** ✅ Seeks mandatory passage of **a farm bill to help Iowa farmers.**	**An economy that helps families over billionaires?** Catholic teaching calls for an economy that places people over profit and ensures that we all have what we need to thrive. *(Populorum Progressio, #33)*	❌ **Voted to give $4.5 trillion in tax cuts, nearly all to the wealthiest Americans,** averaging more than $64,720 in tax cuts for the top 1%, paid for by taking away health care, food, home energy upgrades, and climate protections from our communities.
✅ Supports a **pathway to citizenship, major reforms for ICE abuses,** and border policies that create lasting security.	**Safe and welcoming neighborhoods?** Catholic doctrine recognizes every person's intrinsic dignity, the right to live free of violence, and the right to migrate to seek a safe and good life for ourselves and our families. *(USCCB, Strangers No Longer, #103)*	❌ **Voted not once, but twice, to give ICE and border patrol $240 billion for mass detention and deportations** that separated families, brought violence to our neighborhoods, and resulted in the killing of American citizens. ❌ **Voted against the Bipartisan Background Checks Act** that would strengthen background checks on firearm sales.
✅ Supports **investments in clean water** to prevent cancer, along with incentives for pesticide alternatives for farmers.	**Affordable energy, safe drinking water, clean air?** Care for the earth is a requirement of the Catholic faith. *(Laudato Si', #8)*	❌ **Voted to prematurely end $543 billion in clean energy tax incentives** that could have lowered costs for families, in order to line the pockets of wealthy oil and gas corporations.
✅ Supports legislation that **strengthens the right to vote** for all eligible U.S. citizens. ✅ Pledged to accept **no corporate PAC money** and supports getting **dark money out of politics.**	**Our right to vote?** The Catholic faith calls each of us to participate in public life, especially through voting, to serve the common good. *(Christifidelis Laici, #42; Catechism of the Catholic Church #2240)*	❌ **Voted to make it harder for millions of eligible U.S. citizens to vote.**

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