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**You are welcome** to read all of the latest [Shaping the Future](#), but you might especially enjoy [A Long Road to Hong Kong](#) by Richard Carter.

**Into a political year...** [2020 & Your Political Cage Match](#) has some advice (Eric Davis in the *CRIPPLEGATE*).

**History and religion...** [1,700-Year-Old Christian Church Uncovered in Ethiopia...](#) (Leah Marie Klett in *The Christian Post*). Hmm.... More on Ethiopia in [Acts 8:27–39](#). For more on what's happening there today, see [The Lutheran World Federation](#) or the [LCMS Ethiopia page](#).

**Unpleasant but informative reading...** [The Impact of the Opioid Epidemic](#) on the Aging Services Network and the Older Adults They Serve (*National Council on Aging*).

**This week's "retired" devotion:** "[Selective Hearing](#)" from 2009.

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