

## WHAT THE ENEMY SAYS

**“...the battle for humankind’s future must be waged and won in the public school classroom by teachers who correctly perceive their role as the proselyters of a new faith: a religion of humanity that recognizes and respects the spark of what theologians call divinity in every human being. These teachers must embody the same selfless dedication as the most rabid fundamentalist preachers, for they will be ministers of another sort, utilizing a classroom instead of a pulpit to convey humanist values in whatever subject they teach, regardless of the educational level—preschool day care or large state university. The classroom must and will become an arena of conflict between the old and the new—the rotting corpse of Christianity together with all its adjacent evils and misery, and the new faith of humanism....”**

— John Dunphy in *The Humanist*