

## ISSUES-PROGRAMS

January 2012

1. The Number One problem as far as the Christian Community is concerned is the continuing erosion of Christian values in our society. There is a great deal of concern as to how to reverse this trend and to maintain Christian ideals in our society.

*Daily programs dealing with these issues are Focus on the Family, Family News in Focus, and others.*

2. The breakdown of the American political and court system is a concern. Decisions being made are more and more seen to be adverse to Christian values. Much concern over the direction of the country under the new administration and the deterioration of values in America which are biblically based.

*Family News in Focus* is a daily 5 minute newscast which often focuses on these issues.

3. The breakdown of the American family. Some side issues which Christians perceive as being a part of this breakdown are pornography, homosexuality, abortion, and gambling.

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4. There is growing concern over persecution of Christians worldwide and especially the threat of Islamic terrorism. Christians in this country are seeking ways to speak out for these people being persecuted for their Christian faith: in China and Islamic countries, especially, Indonesia, Sudan, and Pakistan. Also there is a growing concern about India with the advent of a more militant Hindu government. *Voice of the Martyrs* (PSA) and various others.

5. Issues of war and terrorism are predominant since September 11, 2001; and with the aftermath of war with Iraq, there is concern about the ramifications (most Evangelical Christians, being conservative, tend to support the war, but certainly everyone is concerned about the continued problems in that and other parts of the world which involves the US military and missionary families). *See PSAs below.*

6. A continuing issue is the economic recession which is affecting individual families and small businesses as well as the giving to churches and other Christian charitable causes. Paramount among these concerns (beyond individual finances) is the rising national debt.

*MoneyWise* (1/2 hour daily) and *MyMoney* (2 min daily) address these problems and others from a Christian financial perspective.

PSAs Aired this Quarter:

Smart Money (Financial Advice)    InterChristo (Christian Job Placement)  
Trans World Radio Overcomers/Voice of the Martyrs Lighthouse Report  
Proverbs 31 Ministries *Our Daily Bread* Today's Child (Child Advocacy)  
Susan B. Anthony (Pro-Life) Decision Minute Leadership The Blessing



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