

Issues and Programs Report

for

**WJCY**

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## 1. Education

Calvary Radio believes that a good biblical education is the foundation for spiritual success. Education is important because the more knowledgeable we are in the word of God the better equipped we are to stand firm in the confidence of his truth. We also believe that, in addition to studying God's word, it is important that our children are getting a good education in schools and that our undergraduate and graduate students are being taught unbiased truth in their learning institutions. So we encourage people to stand up for truth and fight for good teachers in educational systems.

## 2. The Economy, Employment & Personal Finance

Due to the current economic recession, families in northwest Indiana are experiencing a higher difficulty in being able to acquire a mortgage, find employment and afford health care. We at Calvary Radio try to provide programming that encourages our listeners to make wise financial decisions through good financial stewardship during these uncertain times and to put their trust in God knowing that he provides for our needs.

## 3. Family & Marriage

Calvary Radio provides programming for all types of people from all types of families understanding that no family situation is perfect. We desire to provide programming that addresses all types of issues for struggling families. But our solution to these issues is found in Biblical principles and spiritual wisdom not just in psychologists and self-help books. We strongly promote a family first structure of living with a high value put on Biblical marriage.

## 4. Children & Youth

Seeing as how children are our future, Calvary Radio broadcasts various programs geared specifically to certain age groups in the hopes that kids will be challenged to grow in their spiritual lives and become good citizens as they grow older and mature in their faith and relationships with people. We provide Children's programming on Saturday Mornings and Youth programming on Monday evenings and weekends. Hoping to encourage youth to take their faith seriously and not succumb to peer pressure that may advise them to do otherwise.

## 5. Spiritual Growth & Practical Christian Living

Spiritual growth is one of Calvary Radio's main goals. We try and encourage spiritual growth in our listeners by broadcasting programming with sound Biblical teachers and challenging messages as well as praise and worship music to keep listeners encouraged and edified throughout their week. We strongly urge our listeners to seek to grow in their faith and not be content with a inactive relationship with God.

## 6. Religious Freedom, Oppression and Terrorism

The signal of WHLP and its translators covers the Chicagoland area, where terrorism is a bigger threat than elsewhere in the US so we at Calvary Radio are doing our best to educate people on the safety level of our area while reminding our listeners that God is our only source for true safety. And while religious and constitutional freedoms are often an issue in schools and are part of America's constant struggle with taking God out of the schools. Calvary Radio brings programming that addresses the true heart issues of fear and security.

## 7. Public Health

With health care costs on the rise and insurance prices increasing, families in the area often have to live without insurance and the uncertainty of what will happen to them if health problems occur. So we air programming that deals with ways to acquire health insurance and how to maintain good health if health care is unavailable to you. Centering on the fact that our bodies are God's temple and we should do our best to take care of them but understanding that they're also temporary and God has a more perfect plan for us waiting in Heaven someday.

## 8. Public Safety

Whether our listeners have to deal with icy roads, blazing fires or windy weather, we want them to be well equipped for anything that could come their way. So we provide programming to deal with some of the safety issues in hopes that it may just save a life one day. That's why it's important to us that listeners be aware of safety hazards within their homes, cars and workplaces.

Calvary Radio is committed to truth in radio and, in keeping with that commitment, our programming consists mostly of sound biblical teaching programs with a primary focus on the truth of God's word and its instruction to us.

Along with those teachers we also broadcast Jay Sekulow Live, a daily radio outreach program of the American Center for Law and Justice. Hosted by ACLJ Chief Counsel Jay Sekulow, this live call-in program focuses on the legal and legislative battles underway across America.

The following programs, however, we receive no financial reimbursement for broadcasting and are strictly for the purpose of inciting community interaction, encouraging education and discussing issues that relate to the city and county

#### Biblical Insights

Biblical Insights is a live call in show, simulcast on Calvary Radio broadcast network wide. Various local pastors host the show to answer theological, spiritual and social questions from callers throughout the country with the goal of educating people on God's word and challenging them to grow in a deeper relationship with Christ through studying his word and seeking His wisdom for their lives.

Biblical Insights is broadcasted on Monday, Wednesday, and Friday at 5:00pm CST 6:00pm ET and runs 58 minutes long and most commonly covers issues regarding Spiritual Growth, Family & Marriage through answering questions related to these topics.

#### Saturday Morning Kid's Show

Two hours of story time for children is provided to teach about spiritual and social things children can understand. This is used as an alternative to Saturday morning television, with little or no educational value, aimed at children.

Programming starts at 7am CST on Saturdays and shows include: Praise club workshop, Paws & Tales, Bible News Network, Praise Club Workshop and Adventures in Odyssey which cover issues related to children like the benefit of sharing, loving one another and loving God.

#### Battleground

Battleground is a live, 25 minute show dedicated to reaching out to the community through a short devotional message and a time of intercessory prayer. The devotional time is dedicated to encouraging and strengthening believers through the word of God. It then moves to a time of prayer for needs and concerns called in by listeners throughout the area. Its focus is to address the needs of people in the community in the best way we know how. Through intercessory prayer  
It is our desire to lift up prayer requests from people of all races and religions in an effort to those who don't have Jesus Christ as their personal savior.

Prayer requests are received any time day or night through people e-mailing us at [battleground@calvaryradionetwork.com](mailto:battleground@calvaryradionetwork.com) or by calling the station toll free at 866-303-9457 and dialing the special battleground extension number 4403. Requests are taken by staff members during normal business hours and any time there is staff present at the studios.

Battleground is broadcast weekdays at 10:00 am CST, 11:00 ET, with various pastors in our listening area. It covers a wide variety of issues due to prayer requests that stem from family & marriage to the economy health issues & unemployment to youth and children to spiritual growth and more.

#### World News Briefing

World News briefing is a 58 minute program airing each Thursday evening at 8:00pm CT, 9:00pm ET. It is produced each week by His Channel. and entails discussion of current world events with a Biblical world view. The program is re-aired each Saturday at 7:00pm CT and ET.

#### Issues in Education

Issues in Education is an interview show exploring issues with Christianity in schools, education, and intellectual thought. It's hosted by Bob and Geri Boyd with a goal of educating and informing listeners of things going on in schools and in the world that they may not be aware of as well as challenging people to get involved in their community.

Issues in Education is broadcasted at 1:00 pm ct, 2:00 pm et Sundays .

4/2/23 Where Are All the Missing Christians? 1826 When nuclear Russia and the Muslim nations come against Israel, we are near the end of this age! The super sign of end times is Israel being restored and threatened by a nation from the north. Jimmy Evans, author of *Where Are The Missing People? The Sudden Disappearance of Millions and What Happens Next*, says Russian president Vladimir Putin could be “Gog” in Ezekiel 38. Russia is motivated to invade Israel for their wealth and their recently discovered natural gas. Muslim nations aligned with Russia must invade Israel for their Imam to appear. When Gog attacks Israel, God will destroy his army with burning sulfur.

4/9/23 The Resurrection and the Life 1827

Most people have no idea of the infinitely high price God paid for their salvation! Pastor Robert Nash, author of *Last Words -7 Sayings From the Heart of Christ on the Cross*, says while Jesus was gasping for every breath, he spoke words filled with hope and compassion. William Frey, says, “Since God can raise the dead, death has lost its power over us.” John MacArthur, of *Grace to You*, tells how the disciples were terrified before the resurrection but after seeing Jesus, they became fearless & transformed the world. Chuck Smith says, “The crucifixion wasn’t an accident but designed by God to show his love and forgiveness for sin.”

4/16/23 Nuclear Iran’s Threat to the World, pt 1 1828 The religious leaders in Iran believe they can accelerate the coming of their Muslim Messiah by destroying Israel. Mark Hitchcock, author of *Iran and Israel* says the stage is being set for a war between Iran, Russia and other countries against Israel. Amir Tsarfati, author of *Revealing Revelation*, says Israel is preparing their military for a strike on Iran’s nuclear facilities. But Russia has supplied Iran with advanced fighter jets and sophisticated defenses. China is becoming active in the Middle East. Greg Laurie says that this war may lead into the one prophesied by Ezekiel, that God intervenes to destroy Israel’s enemies.

4/23/23 Nuclear Iran’s Threat to the World, pt 2 1829

No generation has witnessed more fulfilled prophecy, since Christ, as this present generation. Yet many more prophecies are on the threshold of fulfillment. Iranian leaders believe the only way to bring the Caliphate into world dominion is to destroy Israel. Joel Rosenberg, author of *Damascus Countdown*, predicted 9/11 nine months before it happened, now suggests Israel will launch a preemptive strike against *Iran*, but if they fail to get all the nuclear warheads, retaliation from the Islamic world would be *overwhelming*. He says, “An atomic Iran could do in 6 minutes what it took Hitler 6 years to do, kill 6 million Jews.”

4/30/23 Why I Left Islam, pt 1 1830 Why do Muslim terrorists want to *kill us*? Walid Shoebat knows – *he was one*. Americans have no idea the motivation of Muslims or how to combat Islamic terror. Walid Shoebat believed his only chance to go to heaven was to die in jihad. Walid came here from the Middle East as a college student to raise money and recruit students for jihad. For naïve Americans who think Islam is just another religion, he details the horrors of jihad and the *barbaric* Sharia Law. Walid, now a Christian and author of *Why I Left Jihad* and *Why We Want to Kill You*, warns of the dangers of Islam that’s winning university students.

5/7/23 From Jihad to Jesus, pt 2 1831 Most Americans are unaware of how pervasive Islam has become in our schools. Schools only give one side to students without telling them how intolerant and cruel Sharia Law is, or that it was Christianity that gave this country the freedoms we have. Ex-Muslim **Jerry Rassamni**, author of *From Jihad to Jesus*, tells how barbaric he was in killing Christians in Lebanon. Jerry Rassamni is a living miracle, a once hardened Muslim terrorist who has been transformed. This magnificent message is filled with compassion, and told with Biblical wisdom that will bring tears to your eyes. Allah and Christ are opposites.

5/14/23 Axis of Evil, pt 1 1832

We are living in the most dangerous time since WW III! An axis of evil, consisting of Russia, China and Iran, is preparing for war with us. TV host Mark Levin says China is not just preparing to take Taiwan but is at war with us. Pastor Greg Laurie says that China could have a 200 million-man army as prophesied in Revelation 9:16. America may fall as a world power due to the rapture. Pastor John Hagee says Joe Biden is a pathetic leader like Neville Chamberlain who tried to appease Hitler. End- times prophecy expert, Amir Tsarfati says if America doesn’t back, Israel it will be replaced as a superpower by China.

5/21/23 Axis of Evil, pt 2 1833 What are the signs that America is nearing the end of world dominance? Four star General Jack Keane says America can not successfully oppose China by ourselves. Pastor John Hagee says when Russia and its allies attack Israel, God will destroy them. China’s flag is red and yellow as mentioned in Revelation 9:16. Pastor Mark Hitchcock author of *Russia Rising* says Satan wants to destroy America to create a one-world government. America is rapidly declining due to printing trillions of dollars and unrestricted immigration with open borders. Pastor Greg Laurie says that China’s military is more advanced than America’s.

5/28/23 The High Cost of Freedom 1834 Although some veterans have gone to help secure Ukraine’s border, our commander-in-chief has opened up our borders to illegals! Mark Levin, author of *American Marxism* says, “The greatest crisis of our time is Biden’s violation of our immigration laws to change the populace of America.” John Steer, author of *Wounded Soldier*, gives fascinating accounts of his experiences in Viet Nam. Gary Horton, a former Army Ranger, who fought for our freedoms, is not given the freedom to speak about his Christian faith in public schools. Schools have re-written our history, banned the flag, and banned the motto and the pledge.

6/4/23 What is a Woman? 1835 The new Supreme Court justice can’t define the word “woman” yet she is determining Supreme Court cases. Dennis Prager says the confirmation of Judge Jackson will be the decline of our civilization. Judge Ketanji Jackson could not answer when life begins, meaning she has the same ideology as those who legalized child killing in 1973. Michael Gurian, author of *Raising Boys By Design*, says boys learn differently than girls and need to be taught differently. Gov. Ron DeSantis signed legislation to protect grade school kids from being sexualized. Other guests: Lt Gov. Mark Robinson, Pastor Jack Hibbs of *Calvary Chino*.

6/11/23. End Times Scenario. 1836. Jeff Kinley, the author of *Aftershocks –Christians Entering a New Era of Global Crisis*, about prophetic end-times events, such as the first time in history we have the technology where the whole world can simultaneously see God's two witnesses written about in Revelation. John Hagee says America is not invincible. John MacArthur says when God was taken out of our culture, we've degenerated to not knowing male from female. Ben Shapiro answers a student that he won't go along with the insanity of multiple genders. The antichrist, fully possessed by Satan, will perform miracles to convince the world that he is God!

6/18/23 Caesar's Schools Produce Romans 1837

If public schools just teach academics, why do nearly 90% of Christian students lose their faith in Christ after going through public schools? What does the Bible say about educating children? Voddie Baucham, author of *Fault Lines*, was raised by a teenage, single, Buddhist mother in the LA ghetto but succeeded in earning an MA from *South East Baptist Seminary*. He says Christians are making a big mistake in trusting Caesar's schools to disciple Christian students. Jesus said a student will become like his teacher. Relativism trains kids to break the Commandments. Christian teachers

6/25/23 Is Communism Coming to America? Part 1 1838 We take our precious God given freedoms for granted. Powerful forces want to make our nation socialist even communist. Immigrant Jamie Glazov describes the terror and oppression in the USSR before coming here but how America was like heaven. As a graduate student, Jamie tells how university professors believe and teach that communism is wonderful and capitalism is oppressive! Russian military scientist, Dr Igor Shafhid, former communist and author of *Inside the Red Zone*, says, "We could lose a city to terrorists and recover, but if we adopt a communist ideology, the whole country is lost."

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