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Issue: 2016 Presidential Campaign

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Prestonwood Baptist Church and the Faith & Freedom Coalition had six candidates for the 2016 Presidential race speak at the North Texas Presidential Forum at Prestonwood's main campus. Carly Fiorina brought up the undercover videos about Planned Parenthood's selling of baby parts. Ben Carson talked about the importance of a Christian America. Jed Bush spoke about his pro-life credentials. Mike Huckabee spoke about supporting Israel and the persecution of Christians in the Middle East. Donald Trump and Marco Rubio were not there. Ted Cruz spoke about 2016 being a Religious Liberty election. David Brody said at this stage of the game it is about position.

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Vice President Joe Biden is not running for president in 2016. Biden said he was still grieving after losing his son earlier this year. Some political experts say Biden's decision to not run could help Hillary Clinton's chances of securing the democratic nomination for president.

Program: The Brody File

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The first Democrat debate was held in Las Vegas with Hillary Clinton and Bernie Sanders leading the pack. Bernie Sanders stuck up for Clinton over her email scandal. Clinton went after Sanders for voting against gun control and being too socialist for America. Sanders said we should look to Denmark to learn from them. Jim Web and Lincoln Chaffey really could not break through. Martin O'Malley did take a dig at Clinton about a no fly zone in Syria.

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David Brody says many people are comparing Donald Trump to Bernie Sanders, so David does a comparison of Donald Trump to Bernie Sanders for us because they are both on fire across America. They are both drawing big crowds and media attention. The difference is Donald Trump plays to a much different sort of crowd and a larger crowd. Donald Trump appeals to republicans, independents, democrats, and millennials where as Bernie Sanders appeals to liberals, socialist, and millennials. David says the difference is Trump can play to republicans and democrats and Sanders does not play to republicans at all, so Donald Trump has a wider pool to draw upon than Bernie Sanders.

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Harold Smith, CEO of Christianity Today, said the Hispanic Evangelicals are the highest growing community in America. Many presidential candidates are realizing they need to court this group of people that can and will turn the elections. Latinos make up more than 15% of voters in 3 different swing states. Mike Huckabee said historically the evangelicals did not show up strong because many say this is not my kingdom, my kingdom is still to come. If Latinos and Evangelic Latinos do vote, they could shape issues and influence the national conversation. Their top concerns are education, employment, and immigration reform.

Issue: 2016 Presidential Campaign (cont'd)

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Tonight is the third Republican debate in Boulder, Colorado. Donald Trump does not think Ben Carson can negotiate with China. Ben Carson says he hopes people will look at his life and see it has been dedicated to the uplifting of people, not full of scandal, and adhering to his Christian values. Ted Cruz believes this debate will help him move higher in the polls. Cruz, Carson, Trump and others want to strike gold with the key evangelical voting block. Ralph Reed from Faith and Freedom Coalition does not think there will be any one candidate that will really pop out from the debate. The debate is mostly going to center on the economy and that is going to give Governor John Kasich and former Governor Jed Bush a chance to tout their economic records.

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The Republican candidates fought each other and the news media last night at the debate in Colorado. Ted Cruz blasted the moderators for turning the event into a cage match. The moderators were negative and trying to insight the candidates. Eventually the crowd turned on the moderators when one moderator attacked Ben Carson. There is only two weeks between this debate and the next one on Fox Business Network.

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Wednesday night forum left candidates steaming over the mainstream media's political bias and now members of the Republican Party including Ben Carson are taking their grievances to the Republican National Committee (RNC) demanding change. Media Research Center President Brent Brozell said it is time to draw the line in the sand. He said the RNC should demand in writing a commitment that the writers are going to ask questions of substance and they are going to shut their mouth the moment they ask the question.

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The next Republican debate will be on the Fox Business Network. The candidates are hoping they will be treated differently than their last debate. Many of the candidates have had to fix the damage done at the last CNBC debate where it was over the top liberal. The line up for the next main debate is down to 8. The rest will meet in an earlier debate that same evening.

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The GOP candidates spared in their most substantive debate so far in this election cycle with the economy taking center stage. They discussed the tax code to building a stronger middle class. The biggest clash of the night was when Rand Paul questioned Marco Rubio's desire to push for a larger tax credit in addition to more defense spending. There were also disagreements on topics like immigration; Trump wants to deport all illegal immigrants. John Kasich said we must think about the families and the children. Trump wants us to stay out of Syria and let Putin and Russian forces fight over there. Jed Bush said Donald is absolutely wrong we must not be the world's policemen, but we must be the world's leader. Ben Carson spoke to his being vetted lately by the media. He said he does not mind being vetted, but not lied about. He used Hillary Clinton as an example of lying to the people. The next GOP debate is more than a month away in Las Vegas.

Issue: 2016 Presidential Campaign (cont'd)

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Many of the Presidential candidates are spending their time in Iowa and New Hampshire at this point in the race. South Carolina is also seeing a few candidates because there is a large Christian population. Tony Perkins, Family Research Council, said people are being asked if they believe or have believed that marriage is between one man and one woman if so they are driven from their jobs, alienated, marginalized, and treated as some kind of throwback. The GOP candidates are hoping to reach those Christians.

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For the first time in eight years the Supreme Court will rule on an abortion case. They will hear arguments over a Texas law that will leave about 10 abortion clinics open across the state. The decision will come in late June just four months before the presidential election.

Program: The Brody File

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David Brody starts with the Republican debate in Milwaukee to explore what do the candidates really stand. The GOP candidates sparred in their most substantive debate so far in this election cycle with the economy taking center stage. They discussed the tax code and Ted Cruz said how unfair it is. They want to build the middle class up to which Marco Rubio said he did not know why we have stigmatized vocational education. The biggest clash came when Rand Paul questioned Marco Rubio's desire to push for a larger tax credit in addition to more defense spending. There were also disagreements on topics like immigration. Trump wants to deport all illegal immigrants, but John Kasich said if we think we are going to ship 11 million law abiding people who are in this country by picking them up at their houses and ship them out to Mexico - we need to think about the families. On foreign policies Trump feels we should stay out of Syria and let Vladimir Putin's forces fight over there, but Jed Bush disagreed by stating we need to not be the world's policemen but we better be the world's leader. Carly Fiorina talked about quite a few military areas she would start building back up. Ben Carson addressed the swirling controversy or the media vetting process and how they are trying to find any little thing to take him down.

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Many even in the Republican Party feel Donald Trump has gone to far trying to ban all Muslims from entering the US. Representative Paul Ryan, House Speaker, said about Donald Trump's remarks this is not conservatism. What Donald purposed is not what this party stands for nor is it what this country stands for. Ted Cruz also publicly spoke against Trump's comments. Representative David Jolly from Florida spoke up during his floor time say it is time for the Republicans to have one less candidate for President. Russell Moore, Southern Baptist Convention, said, "Anyone who cares an iota about religious liberty should denounce this reckless, demagogic rhetoric." Trump is not backing down and neither are his supporters. How to deal with "radical Islam" has now become a key issue in the 2016 election and no candidate can avoid it.

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Donald Trump leads the polls heading into the debate tonight in Las Vegas at 38% among the Republican and Independent voters. He is speaking to sold-out crowds everywhere he goes. Ted Cruz is second with 15%. He feels if the Christian population would show up and vote our values we would turn this country around.

Issue: 2016 Presidential Campaign (cont'd)

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Donald Trump found himself at the center of attention at the final GOP debate for 2015. Ted Cruz and Marco Rubio were also very strong. Donald Trump said he would run as a Republican and abide by the decision of the Republicans. There was a lot of difference between the candidates on security, to ban Muslims or not, and immigration, who should we let in and who should we kick out. Many thought Cruz would be tough on Trump, but Cruz went easy on Trump and Jed Bush was very tough on Trump. Even though Ben Carson is known as the nice easygoing candidate he let people know he would not be nice or easy on threats to America like ISIS.

Issue: Abortion

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Support for abortion is at its highest level in two years. Seventy six percent of democrats, forty percent of republicans, and fifty four percent of independents think abortion is ok. Currently fifty eight percent of Americans think it should be legal in most or all cases. It has gone up seven percent just this year.

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In 1991 there were 2,200 clinics performing abortions in America now in 2015 there are 517. Antiabortion group Operation Rescue keeps track of the numbers. They said when abortion clinic numbers go down the number of abortions would go down also. Rev. Pat Mahoney with Christian Defense Coalition said He feels it shows America is growing uncomfortable with abortion on demand.

Issue: Abortion Reversal

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Doctors have found a way to reverse the abortion pill if started within three days of taking the first RU 486 pill and before taking the second one. The doctors flood the woman's body with progesterone. It blocks the deadly effects of mifepristone found in the abortion pill RU 486. Dr. Matt Harrison created the pill when a patient came to him soon after taking the first RU 486 pill. So far the abortion pill reversal results have been 87 healthy babies born, 74 currently pregnant, and a 40% failure rate. So far all the moms that have successfully gone through the process have delivered healthy children.

Issue: Affirmative Action Case

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The Supreme Court will hear an Affirmative Action case again this time as it relates to universities. The Justices heard both sides Thursday. Affirmative Action was originally meant to help end racial unfairness in America, but now in the 21st century some say it is adding to it. Joshua Thompson, Pacific Legal Foundation, said the costs of using racial preferences are undeniable. He said they stereotype and stigmatize. He also said the benefits are very speculative. The benefits of diversity no one can pin point. Gregory Garre, Attorney for University of Texas, argues a system without racial preferences clearly does not measure up. Rev. Al Sharpton feels the Supreme Court will go against Affirmative Action. The decision would affect all universities.

Issue: Budget Bill

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The Senate sends a comprehensive budget deal to President Obama today. The bill was approved early this morning. It aims at averting a debt default by lifting the debt ceiling until March 2017 and avoids a partial government shutdown. It also set spending priorities for the next two years. Ran Paul and Ted Cruz left the campaign trail to vote against the bill, saying it is another example of excessive spending.

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Congress is running out of time to reach a budget deal. The budget ends tonight at midnight. The Senate extended the deadline through December 16th and the House is working to do the same. If Congress is not able to reach an agreement by next Wednesday it could push the government into another shut down.

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The budget battle was Congressman Paul Ryan's first test as House Speaker. Both parties got something they wanted. The Republicans got a big energy win, the Democrats finally agreed to end the 40-year ban on oil exports. The bill also stops the IRS from targeting conservative groups. Republicans were not able to stop the EPA gas regulations against power plants, they agreed to extend solar and wind power energy tax credits for another 5 years. This new bill also weakens Obama Care by eliminating the (Cadillac) tax placed on high value health plans. The new plan does not decrease the debt any and it does not end the ban on Planned Parenthood.

Issue: Cancer Treatments

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New treatments based on viruses are the latest weapon against cancer. So far doctors are seeing amazing results on patients that had little or no hope. One example a lady with multiple myeloma, tumors on her forehead, collarbone, and spine, went away after she was injected with a modified measles virus. The Mayo Clinic's trial for the new treatment is called immunotherapy. Other clinics are also reporting success in their trials using different viruses to treat different cancers such as the poliovirus to treat brain tumors and the HIV virus on Leukemia. The viruses are engineered in a lab to attack cancer cells while leaving the healthy ones alone. They trigger the patient's own immune system to fight the cancer. Doctors and scientist have recently begun to think about the idea of a single shot cure for cancer. That is the goal with this therapy. The lady with multiple myeloma received enough of the virus to vaccinate 100million people. Immunotherapy does not cure everyone, but if doctors continue to see success like this one example using viruses to attack cancer could soon become an excepted treatment when all else fails.

Issue: Changing America's Criminal Justice System

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America has over 2million people locked up in prison more than any other country in the world. Democrats and Republicans are coming together to with a bill to hopefully change the Criminal Justice System. The Senators say the reforms in their bill will make America safer. Senators and Prosecutors who helped craft the bill said to often in America the punishment does not fit the crime. They say the law imposes unnecessarily harsh punishment on too many offenses putting more people in prison than need to be there. The new Bill gives judges discretion for nonviolent drug offenders, gives low-risk inmates reduced sentences by 25%, they must undergo regular tests, and those released must go to some kind of community based supervision. The proposal also gets rid of the "Three Strikes" law for nonviolent offenses. 1 in 3 Americans have a criminal record. 2.5 million children live in homes where at least one parent is behind bars.

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The Justice System is taking a major step to relieve pressure on overcrowded prisons. The Justice System is preparing to release 6,000 prison inmates next month. It would be the largest ever release of federal prisoners. Many supporters say some prisoners were given extremely harsh sentences, but critics of the release are concerned some being released would be repeat offenders.

Issue: Combat Jobs for Women

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Defense Secretary Ash Carter is ordering the US Military to open all combat jobs to women, dismissing the Marines request to exclude women from certain line combat jobs. The change means women be able to serve in the most grueling and difficult jobs including special operation's forces such as the Army Delta Unit and Navy Seals.

Issue: Combat Jobs for Women cont.

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The men in the US military's most dangerous jobs have a message for their political leaders; women have no place on their teams. More than 7,000 of America's special ops forces unanimously objected to having women do their jobs. They feel having women could hurt their effectiveness and lower the standards. Lack of physical strength and mental toughness were the main reason given. Military leaders say the qualifying standards for special operations jobs will not change.

Issue: Concierge Medicine

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More and more patients are getting fed up with our insurance-based medical system. Some patients and doctors are turning away from insurance to Concierge Medicine. Concierge Medicine is patient and doctor one on one without any insurance company involved. Patients pay a monthly fee in exchange for unlimited access 24 /7. It was for the rich and famous, but not anymore. The doctors involved in Concierge Medicine feel it is now affordable and everyone should strive for it.

Issue: Countering Terrorism

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Terrorism is becoming rampant around the world, so law enforcement officials here in the US are taking steps to get the right training to fight back. In Little Rock, Arkansas law enforcement professionals from across the US are training to find better ways to respond to terrorist attacks. Rich Mason, a former Green Beret, is the founder of DARC, which has been developing counter terrorism techniques for two decades. The training is very realistic. Police are lining up for the training, many even taking their own vacation time and spending their own money to be there. The law enforcement professionals say knowledge is power and the more you know and experience the better the edge.

Issue: Democrats Losing Positions Across America

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Lee Edwards, Heritage Foundation Historian, said since Barrack Obama became President the GOP has won more than ever at elections. President Obama will leave his party in much worse shape than he found it. When he took office Democrats controlled the White House, US Senate, US House, 29 Governorships, and 27 State Legislatures. Since 2009 the Democrats have lost 13 US Senate seats, 69 seats in the House, 12 governorships, 910 State Legislature seats, and now the GOP control the Governor's mansion and both Houses of the Legislature in 24 states. Lee said Obama is the most self absorbed President in America's history. He believes in himself so deeply that he does not listen to or look at the returns at the ballot box. Lee said Obama believes himself to be the most brilliant President since Thomas Jefferson.

Issue: Digital Amnesia

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Americans are getting Digital Amnesia because of their devices. Pew Research Center says we are outsourcing work intended for our brains to technology. Experts say we should consider unplugging and thinking from time to time. Jean Burke, an educational expert, said the devices are keeping us from forming muscle memories. She said that is why many children are struggling in school. They cannot even answer conceptual questions because they spend so much time on their device. Dr. Linda Mintle said we are losing that face-to-face contact and not reading the physical cues of the face and body. She said we need to know how to read the non-verbal body cues like facial expressions and body language for emotional intelligences. There are apps you can use to help you put the device down, Moments and Breakfree are two examples. They set limits for you.

Issue: Domestic Violence

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Every nine seconds a woman is assaulted, roughly one in five have been victims of severe abuse from their partner according to the National Coalition Against Domestic Violence. The NFL is very familiar with this issue. Jason Witten is among the best of NFL players and on a crusade to stop domestic violence. He said it is not only how you play on the field, but also how you live off the field. Big strong physical men that are in the national spot light, that is their platform and their duty to speak out. He credits his grandfather for mentoring him and leading him to a personal relationship with Jesus Christ after watching the abuse toward his mother in his home. He now teaches and encourages other NFL players to teach children from abusive situations in life to see the beauty and greatness inside themselves.

Issue: EPA Lawsuit

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More than 20 states and other organizations are suing the EPA over President Obama's plan to fight climate change. The President says his plan will help the environment, but many feel it will wreak havoc on the economy. The President calls it a clean energy plan, but critics call it a war on coal. They are asking a court to over turn the rule and put it on ice till the litigation plays out. They say it is just the latest example of the President using his executive power authority to bypass Congress. The EPA has given a goal to each state to comply with by 2030. Some states have to reduce their carbon dioxide emission rates by 50%. If the states do not create a plan to reach their goal the federal government will do it for them. The President says we will save \$85 a year, but that is 15 years at least away. Until then the cost will be passed on to the customers, hurting the low income and elderly. The coal industry expects to lose more jobs on top of the 40,000 lost over the past 3 years.

Issue: Facebook Surveillance

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According to a report from Facebook the government maybe watching what you do on Facebook. Governments around the world are requesting more data for surveillance and restricting more Facebook content. The company said there was an 18% rise in requests, about 41,000 times. Facebook said they do not provide any government with back doors or direct access to people's data.

Issue: Female Genital Mutilation

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Most talk about immigration these days involves fears of terrorism, but a horrifying practice from countries controlled by Muslims has already invaded the United States. It is known as “female genital mutilation”. Female mutilation is where scissors or a small straight razor is used to cut off the external genitalia without anesthesia. Often the area is then sewn shut until marriage. It is referred to as a female circumcision; a more accurate term is female castration because the victim loses her ability to become sexually aroused. As a result she is not tempted to engage in premarital or extramarital intercourse. It is not dictated by the Koran, but is practiced in 29 Muslim controlled countries. Ayaan Hirsi Ali said it would not stop until Islam is radically reformed because it is done in the name of religion. The procedure leaves only tiny opening for urination and menstruation, often causing constant pain, recurring infections, infertility, intercourse is excruciating, and childbirth life threatening. There are currently estimated 140million victims worldwide including half million in the United States that have gone through the mutilation or are at risk for it. Congress passed legislation making it illegal to perform female genital mutilation in the United States and making it a crime to take girls out of the country to do it, a practice called “vacation cutting”. Twenty-four states have also outlawed both practices.

Issue: First Amendment Rights on Campus

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Students on college campuses are demanding censorship. They want their schools to limit what they can talk about to protect feelings and create “safe places” on campus. Many campuses are giving in to their demands, but some are standing strong for the first amendment. Dr. Mike Adams of University of North Carolina-Wilmington (UNCW) said censorship is like a cancer that eventually spreads out of control and eventually everyone has something to worry about. At UNCW they have adopted a Respect Compact. It calls for a free exchange of opinions within a climate of civility and respect. The Chicago Statement is beginning to change the trend. It holds a high view of Freedom of Speech saying that civility and respect should not curtail the open discussion of ideas. It was written earlier this year at the University of Chicago and six other universities have already followed suit.

Issue: Government’s Wasteful Spending

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Senator James Lankford is fed up with governments out of control wasteful spending and regulating. There is a hidden cost of \$14,974 per American household pays to cover the annual \$2.028 trillion cost of federal regulation. The Senator is trying to get rid of some of the wasted money spent on unnecessary programs and studies like, \$2.6 million for weight-loss program for overweight truck drivers and \$250million aimed to train and arm 5,400 Syrian rebels to fight ISIS, but after a year only 60 were trained. His committee put 100 wasted money items in a booklet called Federal Fumbles.

Issue: Healing the Wounded Warriors

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Many service members have invisible wounds of war like Post Traumatic Stress Disorder and Traumatic Brain Injury. The Department of Veterans Affairs reports that 22 veterans commit suicide each day, which is more than we lose in combat. Many warriors come back and try to function on autopilot even though they are hurting, which makes the symptoms worse. The Carrick Brain Center uses revolutionary new technology to help figure out the root of problem instead of just treating the symptom. One break through that can only be found at Carrick is the vertical access rotational device. This device allows them to work on a larger area of brain by rotating and backing them up they can activate the area of the brain that is injured. The more brain that is being activated the greater the chances are of recovery. Many do not seek treatment because they are afraid it could cost them the job they love. With the Invisible vet campaign Carrick hopes to open eyes and erase the stigma around this kind of invisible wound in hopes that future generations of soldiers will feel comfortable coming forward for help.

Issue: Human Genetic Code

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So far Marco Rubio's best moments have come during the debates combined with a pro-American personal story on the campaign trail, which has helped him rise up among American voters. David Brody said behind the scenes the democrats are saying they would rather not have to take him on. The American Renewal Project invited him to speak to their group in Iowa. The American Renewal Project helps to get pastors engaged into politics. The pastors were pleased with his testimony about his relationship with Jesus Christ. Marco Rubio told the groups of pastors if he receives money from anyone it is because the donor is buying into his (Rubio's) agenda, he is not buying into the donor's agenda.

Issue: Internet Safety While Shopping

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Anytime you are using public Wi-Fi while doing holiday shopping chances are there is a hacker nearby with their own laptop trying to steal your information. Brian Krallis a cyber security expert says anything that is programmable is hackable. Brian Krallis is Vice President of SurMD. He warns if someone wants to steal your information it is not hard to do. He said, "You can take anybody who understands even a little bit about computers, and if they were to do a search on the Internet within 10 minutes they could have an exact list step by step of how to hack a public Wi-Fi. Dallas Crilley has been an ethical hacker since he was 12. He said there is a program some use that constantly searches for user IDs and passwords. There are a growing number of fake Wi-Fi spots set up by hackers. Cell phones are mini hot spots. The hacker sets up a fake Wi-Fi spot and names it whatever they want like Starbucks. People actually log on to the fake spot thinking they are logging on to the real Starbucks. You entered the hacker's Wi-Fi, so the hacker can watch everything you do. Krallis and Crilley say the best way to keep your information safe is to assume it is always at risk. Do not ever shop using public Wi-Fi.

Issue: IRS

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The Obama administration wants a new tax rule that would give the IRS the social security numbers of people who donate to churches and other charities. The IRS wants to offer the churches a second option. Instead of sending a letter to the donor at the end of the year the church or charity would be able to send a spread sheet of all donors to the IRS with the social security numbers of its donors. Hans Von Spakovsky from the Heritage Foundation said it is like the old saying if the camel can get his nose inside the tent (then he will be free to move around inside the tent). He said many fear this volunteer idea could become law. He also said it makes the charities more vulnerable to cyber attacks. Comments are being accepted until December 16.

Issue: Liberty University

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Liberty University President Jerry Falwell Jr. is encouraging students to carry concealed weapons on campus to counter terror attacks like the one in San Bernardino last week. Governor McAuliffe called his remarks reckless. Falwell told the Associated Press he was specifically referring to the San Bernardino attackers.

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President Jerry Falwell, Jr. made the announcement Wednesday in Convocation that Liberty University is looking to change their policy and allow students to have their guns in the dorm. He is making the change at the student's request. The school's governing board must still approve the change.

Issue: NFL Players Fighting Abuse

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Issue: Obama Care

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The third season of enrollment for Obama Care has started and with it comes much higher prices. Younger people are avoiding buying insurance because they do not think they need it or they cannot afford it. Seems they are not buying into Obama Care, it is going up for the older people on it.

Issue: Obama Care cont.

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Congress is investigating why more than half of the insurance co-ops set-up under Obama Care have failed. One co-op in Vermont that received a \$30million taxpayer loan failed before it enrolled a single person. In all the government handed out \$2.4billion in loans. The co-ops were designed to foster insurance competition, which is something even opponents of Obama Care applauded, but from the start there were warning signs that the program is financially risky. Officials do not expect taxpayers will ever recover the millions lost so far.

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A bill unraveling President Obama's healthcare law and defunding Planned Parenthood is on its way to the House after being passed in the Senate. President Obama has already promised to veto the bill when it hits his desk, but GOP lawmakers say it sends a message to voters. The message being if you send a Republican to the White House it would be the end of Obama's healthcare as well as funding for Planned Parenthood.

Issue: Planned Parenthood

Program: The Brody File

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Planned Parenthood is now saying they will not accept reimbursements for fetal tissue donations after some very disturbing undercover videos were released about them. Cecil Richards, the head of Planned Parenthood is hoping she can get ahead of the controversy. David questioned Debbie Wasserman Schultz about the videos. She said 2.7 women get their healthcare from Planned Parenthood and they need Planned Parenthood. She said what was so disturbing about the videos was they were so doctored and so obviously put together by an organization with an agenda. She felt there were troubling comments on them, but she stands by Planned Parenthood and the healthcare they provide. She said also said it is another example of the right wing Republican party not want women to have health care.

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Lila Rose, from Live Action said she stands behind David, from Center for Progressive Medicine. She feels he has done a phenomenal job with the videos. She is excited about how much attention the videos have drawn to how Planned Parenthood is treating children by cutting them up and selling their body parts. Lila is working to help keep the social media alive and keep the educational campaign alive.

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The Center for Medical Progress has released a new video from their investigation into Planned Parenthood's illegal harvesting of baby body parts for a profit. The latest video shows a doctor describing a partial birth abortion procedure to terminate living late term babies, a practice that's illegal under federal law. Planned Parenthood is currently under Congressional investigation.

Issue: Power Grids are Vulnerable

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A US Associated Press investigation finds that the US power grid is vulnerable to foreign hacks. Not only can hackers gain access to our operations networks they have dozens of times. The US power grid supplies power to the military, mass transit, businesses, and millions of Americans. It is protected 24 hours a day on the outside against physical attacks and on the inside against cyber attacks. The networks are still vulnerable because they are old and not built with security in mind. Foreign hackers have gained access a dozen times in the last ten years to the network that runs the grid. Hackers have been from Russia, China and Iran and now even ISIS is trying to hack American power companies. It is believed that cyber hackers already have the information necessary to cause a complete black out.

Issue: Keystone XL Pipeline

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President Obama is trying to secure his climate legacy by rejecting the Keystone XL pipeline from Canada to the US. He told the country the State Department does not feel the pipeline will serve the national interest of the United States. He then said he agrees with that decision. Seven years ago he said he would block the pipeline if it would make climate change worse. His administration concluded it would not, but he blocked it anyway because of the perception that it would carry dirty oil. The President does not think the pipeline would make a meaningful long-term contribution to our economy or lower gas prices, and he said shipping dirtier crude oil into our country would not increase our energy security.

Issue: Presidential Candidate Ben Carson

Program: The Brody File

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David Brody asked Ben Carson what separates him from the rest of the candidates in looking for the evangelical vote? Ben Carson said he hopes people look at the entirety of his life to see it has been dedicated to the uplifting of people not only medically, but living a life not full of scandal, setting up reading rooms across the country, adhering to the values and principles of his Judeo Christian foundation, and honesty. He said he was playing for all groups of people not just certain ones.

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Presidential candidate Ben Carson spoke at Liberty University Wednesday during the school's convocation. Much of his speech focused on taxes and the national debt, but he also spoke about being comfortable in the race without the normal qualifications of a president. He also told the students that if God wanted him to be president He would open the door for it.

Issue: Presidential Candidate Bobby Jindal

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Presidential candidate Bobby Jindal spoke out in reference to the Oregon College shooting. The father of the gunman is now speaking out for more gun control. Jindal said we do not need more gun control, but America needs a "Spiritual Revival". He sites America's moral decay and a lack of respect for life because of the violent TV shows, movies, song lyrics, and video games. Jindal said fatherlessness is another big part of the problem that needs to be addressed.

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Louisiana Governor Bobby Jindal (Presidential candidate) is defending his executive order defending people who oppose same-sex marriage for religious reasons. The order forbids state agencies from discriminating against someone acting on their beliefs that gay marriage is wrong. The American Civil Liberties Union (ACLU) is challenging that order in court. Hopeful Presidential candidate Jindal has asked the judge to dismiss the lawsuit on grounds gay rights activists cannot prove the executive order causes them harm.

Issue: Presidential Candidate Donald Trump

Program: The Brody File

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Donald Trump had a Latino woman walk up on stage and asked him to sign her People Magazine, which he did and the Latino crowd went crazy for quite a few minutes. After she sat down he asked her to come back up on stage and the crowd continued to go crazy. Tony Perkins, Family Research Center, said Donald Trump is presenting himself, as he is not going to be controlled and Tony feels that is what the Hispanic community is looking for. Trump was definitely playing to the crowd looking for more of the Hispanic/Latino vote.

Program: The Brody File

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Presidential candidate Donald Trump did not speak to religious freedom in the US, but he did speak to it internationally. He said he would be the greatest representative of the Christians fleeing in the Middle East.

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Many politicians are disagreeing with Donald Trump on his policy to stop all Muslim immigrants from coming in the country until we can vet them properly. Today Franklin Graham publicly agreed with Donald Trump saying, "Muslim immigration into the United States should be stopped until we can properly vet them or until the war with Islam is over." Graham added politicians in Washington seem to be totally disconnected with reality. This affects our security and the future of our nation.

Issue: Presidential Candidate Hillary Clinton

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An Associated Press investigation shows that Hillary Clinton's home server, which she sent and received top secret and classified documents through email could have been easily hacked. The way the system was set up even low skilled hackers could have broke into her computer. Intruders could have gained access via the Internet to remotely control the server.

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Hillary Clinton is in the hot seat to testify about the deadly 2011 Benghazi attacks. She is appearing in front of a special House committee for public hearings. She has testified before, but the committee wants more answers. The Democrats are criticizing the committee saying it is a partisan effort to undermine Clinton's bid for the White House.

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Yesterday the Benghazi committee questioned Hillary Clinton for 11 hours. The Clinton staffers argued this investigation is just an opportunity to torpedo her presidential candidacy. Polls show Americans feel the investigation is justified. Her Benghazi emails were used in the questioning. Representative Jordan asked why she told the Egyptian President within 24 hours of the attack it was a terrorist attack, but she told the American people it was in retaliation to a video. Her response was vague saying there were many people protesting and I do not know all the different reasons they were there. Political annalists are saying there are now even more questions then answers.

Issue: Presidential Candidate Jeb Bush

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Presidential candidate Jeb Bush has purposed a plan to repeal and replace Obama Care. His plan gives more power to the states to regulate health insurance, repeals insurance mandates, and eliminates the expansion of Medicaid. It also increases tax credits for individuals to buy coverage for high-cost medical coverage and guarantees coverage for pre-existing conditions. Bobby Jindal did not like the proposal and said it was Jeb Bush's Obama Care-Lite Health Care Proposal plan.

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Presidential candidate Jed Bush has made cuts to his campaign expenses and staff, but he is still pushing ahead full steam. He spoke at Regent University last Friday where he told the students, faculty, and staff his proposals he has for turning the country around are deeply rooted in his faith. He talked about how our government has become too big with way too many regulations. He said the progressive liberal agenda is all about spending and taxing your way to prosperity. He said the progressive liberals are taking power away from families and communities and shifting it as far removed as possible. Jed Bush said in his first week he would use the executive power to undo the things this President has done while he establishes a positive relationship with Congress. He also said we need to reestablish our leadership in the world starting with Israel. Jed Bush wants to follow Ronald Regan's model for fixing Social Security.

Issue: Presidential Candidate John Kasich

Program: CBN Newswatch

Air Date and time: 11-19-2015 @ 6:30pm

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Presidential candidate John Kasich visited Regent University yesterday and started off his speech going after ISIS. We should join a coalition with our European allies to immediately destroy ISIS where it exists. He said the first thing he would do, as president is focus on jobs by cutting taxes for both individuals and corporations. He would also move to cut federal spending with plans like getting rid of the massive regulations. He took jabs at President Obama's lack of action in the wake of the Paris attacks. He said our foreign policies are leaving vacuums that are being filled by others.

Issue: Presidential Candidate Marco Rubio

Program: CBN Newswatch

Air Date and time: 10-30-2015 @ 6:30pm

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Calls for Marco Rubio to resign are growing. On Wednesday at the debate Jed Bush attacked Senator Rubio for missing votes and shirking his senatorial duties in favor of campaigning. Democrat Senate Minority Leader Harry Reid also said Rubio should resign. Rubio said most Senate votes he missed were called no show votes and do not accomplish much. His campaign manager made note Senator Obama did not resign his Senate seat when he ran for President.

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Presidential candidate Marco Rubio was asked about his relationship with Jesus Christ in a meeting with many Iowa pastors. He discussed Jesus coming and dying for all mankind.

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So far Marco Rubio's best moments have come during the debates combined with a pro-American personal story on the campaign trail, which has helped him rise up among American voters. David Brody said behind the scenes the democrats are saying they would rather not have to take him on. The American Renewal Project invited him to speak to their group in Iowa. The American Renewal Project helps to get pastors engaged in politics. The pastors were pleased with his testimony about his relationship with Jesus Christ. Marco Rubio told the groups of pastors if he receives money from anyone it is because the donor is buying into his (Rubio's) agenda, he is not buying into the donor's agenda.

Program: The Brody File

Air Date and time: 12-08-2015 @ 7:00pm

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Presidential candidate Marco Rubio addresses many current issues that David Brody feels evangelical Christians in America want answers to. David Brody met and interviewed Marco at a campaign dinner for Iowa pastors. Marco Rubio said he has a personal relationship with Jesus Christ. He said the decision on same-sex marriage is current law, but not settled law. It can and under him would be changed. Ted Cruz and Mike Huckabee differ with Marco because their opinion is the Supreme Court does not make laws so it is not a current law. Marco feels we cannot be oblivious to the fact terrorist are trying to get in with the refugees, so we need to be able to vet any coming in. We need to turn to our allies in the region including Saudi Arabia and Egypt and ask them to take some of these refugees. Culturally they are more a lined with the refugees and they are closer to their home when the fighting stops so they can go home more easily. To Marco it does not make sense to move them half way around the world.

Issue: Processed Meat Link to Colorectal Cancer

Program: CBN Newswatch

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Processed meats are not good for you and red meats are not that good either that is according to the World Health Organization (WHO). The WHO says bacon, hot dogs, and cold cuts raise the risk of stomach and colon cancer with red meat not far behind. This puts processed meats in a similar category as smoking and asbestos. Meat groups are protesting the classification.

Issue: Syrian Refugees

Program: Christian World News

Air Date and time: 12-07-2015 @ 7:00pm

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There is a growing conflict among Christians in how to deal with the Syrian refugees. After the Paris' attacks some Governors are trying to keep the refugees out of their states. Missionaries, Pastors, and leaders of groups like Operation Blessing have gone to Germany's borders to feed the fleeing refugees and document the situation. They are finding most of the refugees that are fleeing are Christians not terrorist. There are many young men among the refugees because the family choose them thinking the young men are the most likely to make it on the long hard journey.

Issue: Religious Freedom

Program: CBN Newswatch

Air Date and time: 10-12-2015 @ 6:30pm

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Aaron and Melissa Klein are the former owners of Sweet Cakes by Melissa. They refused to bake a cake for a same-sex couple's wedding. The couple sued them and the Oregon Labor Commissioner ordered the Kleins to pay \$135,000 and put a gag order on the both of them. The Aaron and Melissa feel they need to fight to protect Religious Freedom not only for them, but also for everyone involved with religious liberty cases.

Program: The Brody File

Air Date and time: 10-13-2015 @ 7:00pm

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After the Supreme Court made same-sex marriage legal in all 50 states, many Americans are coming under fire for their Christian belief that marriage is between one man and one woman. One such person is Kim Davis, a county clerk in Kentucky, who refused to sign the licenses for same-sex couples to get married. The court ordered her to sign them or face jail time. She still refused and was sent to the Carter County Detention Center. Presidential candidate Mike Huckabee set up a rally in support of her and religious freedom for everyone in America. That same day the judge un-expectantly released her. She told David Brody of the Brody Files she feels very blessed and counts it all, even jail time, as a joy. Kim said it is not about her; it is about all Americans having religious freedom, the principles that America was founded on.

Issue: Religious Freedom in America (cont'd)

Program: CBN Newswatch

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Christians in America are under attack for Religious Freedom. Progressives are trying to change the job descriptions to support their agenda. Matt Bowman, Alliance Defending Freedom, said the left is not content that same-sex marriage, assisted suicide, and abortions are legal. He said they want to force you to help and if you will not help you will not be able to earn a living for your family because your job has now been redefined to include these things. Matt Staver, Liberty Counsel, points out these legal crack downs are really about forcing submission. He said it sets a president by trying to force the employees out of their jobs. He said they would go after not only bakers and florist, but churches and Christian colleges also. We are in a whole new era with uncharted territory. Many things we take for granted and rights we feel are guaranteed are now up in the air.

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Forty-seven members of Congress sent a letter to the Bremerton school district supporting Coach Joe Kennedy. The School Board told the coach if he does not stop leading his players in prayer he could be fired. Jerry Dys from Liberty Institute said the school boards opinion is a gross violation of the law. He said this same opinion would prevent a Jewish teacher from wearing a Yamaka in their classroom. He feels America is fed up with the over reaction to any time anybody is religious in this country.

Program: CBN Newswatch

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Religious liberty is under serious assault in America. Many who fight to keep that right fear it could be lost in the next five years. Kelly Shackelford, Liberty Institute founder, said calls into his office have increased over 400% since the Supreme Court's decision on same-sex marriage. Kelly compiles a list of all hostility cases reported in America. Two years ago it totaled 1600 cases. Kelly said in the last two years it has increased over 133%. He also said the founding fathers called religious freedom our first freedom for a reason. They knew if we lost religious freedom; we would lose all our freedom. He said when you see this much explosion on religious freedom it is a sign that your country is in trouble. He said we would either lose religious freedom or we are going to save it in the next five years. He feels it is that dire of a situation. He said a true answer if you are going to turn your country around is religious expression.

Issue: Global Internet Cable

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Russia's growing military activity continues to increase tension with the U.S. A New York Times report tells a new cause for concern. Russian submarines are aggressively operating near the underwater cables that carry almost all global Internet communications. The worse case would be the Russians cut the cables in spots that are especially hard to access severing communications from the West. These cables carry the lifeblood of global electronic communications and commerce. Transactions are settled on them every second and they transport worldwide business worth more than \$10trillion a day. The cables also carry 95% of communications around the world. Military officials say the amount of activity they are seeing is comparable to the Cold War and they would not put it passed the Russians to resort back to Cold War tactics. The Pentagon worries the cables would be the perfect covert target.

Issue: Same Sex Marriages Recognized for Tax Purposes

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The IRS will now recognize same sex marriages for tax purposes regardless of where they are preformed. The agency says it will interpret the terms husband and wife to apply to same sex spouses as well as opposite sex spouse. The change is part of the implementation of the Supreme Courts legalization of same sex marriages nationwide. Regulations would apply to all federal tax previsions in which marriage is a factor including filing status, exemptions, standard deduction, and employee benefits.

Issue: Social Security for Seniors

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There will be no Social Security cost of living adjustments next year for seniors. The low gas prices this year are affecting the formula that is used to calculate the increase. There are 60 million people who receive Social Security that will be affected.

Issue: Speaker of the House

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The Republicans are looking for a new Speaker of the House now that John Boehner has resigned. House Majority leader Kevin McCarthy was expected to run and get the position. McCarthy has unexpectedly backed out stating many have told him in order to unite the party the position needs to have a new face. With the McCarthy withdrawal that means John Boehner will have to stay on until someone else is voted in.

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After John Boehner was pushed out as House Speaker Paul Ryan was asked by other Congressmen to run for the position. Congressman Paul Ryan is now one step closer to winning the House Speaker position. He said he would run only if every Republican group unified and supported him. The Freedom Caucus group, the group that was responsible for pushing out John Boehner, announced Wednesday they would support Paul Ryan if he ran.

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The House of Representatives gets a new leader. Congressman Paul Ryan officially became the 62nd Speaker of the House today. He is the youngest person to fill the position in 150 years. He is now tasked with unifying the Republican Party. Paul Ryan said we are going to replace the vision we lost over the last few years.

Issue: Sugar Intake

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If children would cut back on their sugar intake there would be immediate health benefits including better cholesterol readings and blood pressure along with other improvements. The improvements could happen in as little as 9 to 10 days. Added artificial sweeteners increase the risk for serious diseases.

Issue: Suicide Among Young People

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The third leading cause of deaths in young people between 15-24 is suicide. It is an important topic to discuss with your children before it is too late. Strangers can influence the lives of your children especially on the Internet or even their smartphones. Dr. Linda Mintle said predators are everywhere on the Internet and they know which sites kids tend to populate and go to. The predator poses as a teenager or someone the child might easily talk to. Caleb Kinchlow, from CBN News Digital Download, said parents need to realize their children are living in a totally different world on social media than they the parents did. Caleb said FaceBook is not the most popular app anymore, now it is Instagram, Snapchat, ooVoo, kik, and Vine. Teens are more willing to share information that they normally would not share including nude pictures, mature content, and things of that nature. Jennifer Sellers, the mother of a victim and also a child advocate attorney, said as parents we become complacent. You have no idea what your kids are talking about or who they are talking to unless you constantly monitor their devices. Dr. Linda Mintle said as parents we need to think about every device in the house that can get to the Internet, like an X-box, how is the access set up, and what are the settings. Jennifer Sellers said although it might be unpopular with your children; it is a move that might save a life.

Issue: Surgeo.com

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You can now make arrangements for surgery using your smart-phone with just a few simple clicks. You can check out which doctor you want to do the surgery by checking their credentials as well as their prices. Surgeo.com is a website where patients can choose their surgeon, location, and flat rate price. Dr. Arnon Krongrad developed Surgeo.com because he felt the consumer was getting less choice instead of more choice. Dr. Krongrad feels the new site helps take away the fear of the unknown by answering many of the patients' questions.

Issue: Survival in an Emergency

Program: CBN Newswatch

Air Date and time: 11-24-2015 @ 6:30pm

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Not everyone knows how to survive when on the road and you have an emergency. Learning survival skills would be very handy when on the road during the holidays. There is a wilderness survival school not far from our viewing area where they teach "seven main survival skills". 1. Positive mental attitude. 2. First aid. 3. Shelter. 4. Fire craft. 5. Signaling. 6. Water. 7. Food. Most people think that finding food and water are their top priorities in a survival situation, but actually it is building a safe and secure shelter. The environment will do you in faster than anything else. The next important thing to know is how to build a fire. The next thing you would then look for is water, because the average person cannot go without water more than three days. The last thing on your list is food. You can last up to three weeks without food.

Issue: Terrorism

Program: CBN Newswatch

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Al Qaeda's number one in command, Aymin Al-zawahiri is calling on all Muslims to drive the foreigners from Syria and the Middle East, which includes Al Qaeda uniting with the Islamic State. He has also threatened another attack on the United States (US). The Islamic State has joined in threatening the US saying we will continue until we eradicate this disease (US and Israel) from the world.

Program: CBN Newswatch

Air Date and time: 11-16-2015 @ 6:30pm

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Dale Hurd, CBN News, said after the massacres in Paris this weekend it has left many Americans wondering if we should bring in thousands of Syrian refugees. Many are afraid America will become too much like France because our President is similar in behavior to the French leaders. The French leaders are hesitant like Obama to use the phrase Muslim Terrorism. France's threat is from within. They have taken in so many refugees over the last few years and the Muslim population did not assimilate into the French society. They kept to themselves and even set up their own government inside the French government. In Israel Prime Minister Netanyahu said we must united to defeat terrorism. The US candidates for the presidency also disagree with just opening up our doors and letting anyone in. Most of them agree this could open up the opportunity for terrorism from the inside. Thirty-one Governors have refused to let any refugees into their states.

Program: CBN Newswatch

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The Islamic State terrorist (ISIS) put out a 12-minute video saying they will attack any country that takes part in airstrikes against Syria. ISIS also said they will strike in Washington DC and we will suffer the same fate as Paris, France. CIA Director John Brennan said he would not be surprised if they already have the attacks planned.

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Retired Lt. General Michael Flynn has seen the face of radical Islam up close. He said the Islamic State wants to set up a Caliphate and dominate the world. He said the Paris attacks are a reminder the threat would not fade and the sooner we understand that the better. President Obama said it would be a mistake to send troops to Syria, but Flynn said the real mistake is a White House that continues to underestimate the enemy and their religious ambitions. He also said Obama cannot win this war if he cannot even name the enemies. Flynn feels the Paris attacks are only fueling ISIS' recruiting.

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US lawmakers are calling on the Federal government to limit or halt the admission of Syrian refugees into the US because they do not know if any are terrorist. This comes after a Syrian passport was found near the body of one of the Paris attackers. More than a dozen Governors say they would not admit any more Syrian refugees into their states. Some Congressional Republicans are threatening to use critical spending legislation to limit the President's plan of bringing in 10,000 more Syrian refugees to the US during this budget year.

Issue: Terrorism (cont'd)

Program: CBN Newswatch

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The police are ramping up safety measures in many larger cities across America as the latest threat from ISIS is against New York City. The video was released only 48 hours after a similar video targeting Washington DC. US Intelligence officials warn that while they are doing all they can to prevent an attack at home the growing number of radicalized Americans inspired by ISIS are stretching their resources. Morten Storm a former jihadist turned spy for the CIA and M16 said an attack during the holiday season is very likely either Thanksgiving or Christmas. A FBI official told the Washington Post "the attackers could look and act just like everyday Americans, until they strike with weapons we have not seen in terror attacks here." Authorities warn people to be careful of more attacks aimed at soft targets, like sporting events, hotel parties, restaurants, or other entertainment venues.

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The Republicans in Congress are working to pass a bill this week that would pause efforts to bring Syrian refugees into the US. House Speaker Paul Ryan wants a bill that says Syrian and Iraqi refugees could only be admitted to the US if Intelligence and Law Enforcement officials can certify they won't be a security threat. At least 30 Governors are opposing President Obama's plan to bring in 10,000 refugees from Syria over the next twelve months.

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Cities across the US are on high alert this week from a possible terror attack during the holiday. Some cities like New York City had exercises in the subway to be prepared for any scenario. The security is extremely tight at areas considered "soft targets" like sports stadiums and any public gathering place.

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With the holiday just days away, the US officials are issuing a worldwide travel alert for Americans after the terrorist attacks in Paris. The State Department warns that groups like ISIS, Al Qaeda, Boko Haram, and other terrorist groups continue to plan attacks in multiple regions. The head of Homeland Security said there could be more attacks like those in Paris. Also we should exercise particular caution during the holiday season and at holiday festivals or events.

Program: The Watchman

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Erick said per FBI reports over 5,000 from the west have trained with ISIS and are now trickling back battle /war hardened into the west again. The FBI Director James Comey said there are at least 900 active cases of ISIS activity in all 50 states. The Homeland Security Committee said at least 250 citizens are fighting in Syria and Iraq, and dozens have returned to the US. So far in 2015 we have had over 70 arrested for pro-ISIS activity.

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Erick Stakelbeck answers the question what can Americans do against radical Islam. First, You owe it to yourself, your kids and grandkids to take 10-15 minutes a day to scan the headlines in the news and be aware of what is going on in the world. He used a verse in the Bible, "My people perish for lack of knowledge." Second, get around like-minded people, there is power in numbers. Third, get in touch with your elected officials no matter the party affiliation. The fourth thing would be to vote. No matter which party you agree with. The fifth thing is to pray because to whom much is given much will be expected.

Issue: Terrorism (cont'd)

Program: CBN Newswatch

Air Date and time: 12-04-2015 @ 6:30pm

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As more details emerge, from the massacre at the employee holiday party in San Bernardino, CA, officials are saying it looks like it was domestic terrorism. The couple was Syed Farook, US born Muslim, and his Pakistan born wife Tashfeen Malik. Authorities said Farook traveled to Saudi Arabia at least twice. Authorities said Tashfeen might have played a big part in Farook's radicalization. The couple left a six-month infant behind.

Program: Christian World News

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US born Muslim Syed Farook and his Pakistani born wife Tashfeen Malik went on a rampage and murdered 14 people and wounded over 12. Some officials are saying Farook had ties to terror suspects overseas and had become radicalized after marrying Malik in Saudi Arabia last year. The couple had enough in their arsenal for another attack. The New York Daily News' headline was "God isn't fixing this." The story criticized the GOP candidates for speaking about prayer and saying nothing about gun control. People started prayer shaming on tweeter. Dr. Russell Moore from the Southern Baptist Convention called on the paper to fire the editor responsible for approving the headline. He said when people of faith pray they believe they are doing something. He said prayer is a very good first step.

Program: CBN Newswatch

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Donald Trump is threatening to ban all Muslims from entering the US, but Jeh Johnson, Secretary of Homeland Security, said vilifying and casting suspicions on American Muslims would threaten counter terrorism efforts. He also said it would be un-American. Representative Michael McCaul is the House Homeland Security Committee Chairman; he condemned the Obama administration for not doing enough to prevent young people from being radicalized.

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Homeland Security Department is planning a new Terror Alert System. Jeh Johnson said it is needed because terrorist threats to the US have evolved. The original alert system was put in place after the attacks in 2001. It was replaced in 2011 with a more complex national threat advisory system. Few details have been released about the new upcoming alert system.

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As Americans grow more concerned about terror attacks here at home during the holidays, President Obama held a news conference trying to assure the public his plans are working against the Islamic State. He said they are after the top leaders because as we squeeze their heart we will make it harder for ISIL to pump its terror and propoganda to the rest of the world. Critics like House Majority leader Kevin McCarthy say the President's PR push is all for show. He says the American people are smart enough to know if something is working or not. Erick Stakelbeck, CBN News Terrorism Analyst, said they are spreading through out the world and if the President's plan was working that would not be happening.

Issue: Transgender Students and New Policies in School

Program: CBN Newswatch

Air Date and time: 11-04-2015 @ 6:30pm

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In Fairfax, Virginia school board seats drove people to the polls. The School Board voted to include transgender lessons as part of its nondiscrimination policy against the will of many parents. Judicial Watch, a conservative nonpartisan watch group, learned the school district started implementing the policy changes to accommodate transgender students even before voting on the policy. Parents opposed to the new policy said the school board refused to hear their concerns. Fairfax is the largest school district in the state and the 10th largest in the country many say what happens here is likely to have a domino effect in school district across the country.

Issue: Visa Waiver Program

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The House has overwhelmingly approved a bill to tighten the Visa Waiver Program. Right now citizens from 38 countries are allowed to spend up to 3 months in the US without a Visa. The new bill would require new Visas for anyone who has been in Iraq or Syria in the last 5 years.

Issue: Vote With Your Wallet

Program: The Brody File

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Christians can also vote with their wallet by going to faith friendly stores. The Faith Equality Index was created by Chris Stone to help consumers find a business where they would like to shop. Faith Equality reviewed over 300 stores and brands so the consumer can look at the reviews and decide whom they want to do business with. The Faith Equality way is to do a buycott instead of a boycott. They feel it is important to do it in a positive way instead of negative.

Issue: Weather

Program: CBN Newswatch

Air Date and time: 10-01-2015 @ 6:30pm

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People along the East coast are preparing for hurricane Joaquin. There have been massive storms ahead of the hurricane, which have already flooded many areas. The Governor of Virginia declared a State of Emergency Thursday evening through Saturday evening for the storm water coming before the hurricane.

Program: CBN Newswatch

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The National Oceanic Atmospheric Administration said the strongest El Nino on record would heavily influence our winter season. That will mean a very wet winter for the United States. We will see lots of rain, but not necessarily the same amount of snow.