

WKJA

Brunswick, Ohio

Issues & Programs List

Heartfelt Radio

Christian Healthcare Ministries

First Quarter 2023

January 1 – March 31, 2023

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The following is a listing of some of the significant issues addressed by WKJA, Brunswick, Ohio as well as the most significant programming treatment of those issues for the period of January 1 through March 31, 2023. The listing is not exhaustive, but rather is a sampling of topics that were covered. The order in which the issues appear does not reflect any priority or significance. The programs aired in the eastern time zone.

Q1 2023 WKJA Issues List

Date: 1/3/23

Airtime: 7:35am

Duration: 9 minutes

Program Title: Mornings w/ Mark & Gabe

Host(s): Mark Zimmerman & Gabrielle Collins

Guest(s): Mark Miller – Pro Football Hall of Fame –
Canton – FCA State Board

Issues: Local education

Description: Mark Miller tells how the Fellowship of Christian Athletes is making a positive difference in the lives of students in high schools throughout Northeast Ohio. Also, upcoming activities at the Pro Football Hall of Fame.

Q1 2023 WKJA Issues List

Date: 1/6/23

Airtime: 12:30pm **Duration:** 26 minutes

Program Title: The Public Square

Host(s): Dave Zanotti & Wayne Shepherd

Guest(s): American Policy Roundtable staff

Issues: Abortion in America

Description:

Have we been Sovietized here in America, particularly relating to the issue of Life? How have the terms of the abortion debate changed over time, and how have we been conditioned by living in the shadow of Roe v. Wade? Tune in this week as we delve into this troubling topic, right here on The Public Square®.

Q1 2023 WKJA Issues List

Date: 1/6/23

Airtime: 8:07am

Duration: 7 minutes

Program Title: Mornings w/ Mark & Gabe

Host(s): Mark Zimmerman & Gabrielle Collins

Guest(s): Claire Merrick – Marketing & Public Relations Manager – Summit Metro Parks

Issues: Local entertainment

Description: Claire shares what events are happening at Summit Metro Parks as a new season begins! Activities for adults and children.

Q1 2023 WKJA Issues List

Date: 1/7/23

Airtime: 7:30pm

Duration: 25 minutes

Program Title: Faith & Finance

Host(s): Rob West

Guest(s): Chad Clark | Executive Director of Finance

Issues: Advances in Faith & Finance in strengthening the way we express Christian worldview of faith.

Description:

It's a brand-new year and that's always a great time to make changes, and we're excited to tell you about some big ones we're making. We're strengthening the way we express the Christian worldview of faith and finances to be better used by God to advance his Kingdom. In today's Faith and Finance Rob talks about that with Chad Clark.

Chad Clark is Executive Director of Faith and Finance.

Q1 2023 WKJA Issues List

Date: 1/11/23

Airtime: 6:20am

Duration: 17 minutes

Program Title: Mornings w/ Mark & Gabe

Host(s): Mark Zimmerman & Gabrielle Collins

Guest(s): Ryan Nicholson – Destiny Rescue

Issues: human trafficking

Description: On this National Human Trafficking Awareness Day, we focused on what is happening in this world with human trafficking, as close as Stark County & and as far as Asia.

Q1 2023 WKJA Issues List

Date: 1/13/23

Airtime: 12:30pm

Duration: 26 minutes

Program Title: The Public Square

Host(s): Dave Zanotti & Wayne Shepherd

Guest(s): American Policy Roundtable staff & guest panelist, Dr. W.B. Allen.

Issues:

Description:

What happened last week with the start of the 118th Congress and the seating of the new Speaker of the House? Why is the role of the Speaker important? What does the Constitution have to say about all of this? Tune in for a dynamic history lesson and current application with the team of The Public Square® featuring guest panelist, Dr. W.B. Allen.

Q1 2023 WKJA Issues List

Date: 1/13/23

Airtime: 8:07am

Duration: 7 minutes

Program Title: Mornings w/ Mark & Gabe

Host(s): Mark Zimmerman & Gabrielle Collins

Guest(s): Wayne Shepherd – Host of First Person radio program – Board Member of FEBC & Missions Eurasia

Issues: World news

Description: What is coming up on First Person & January. Wayne gives an update on Ukraine and what the Lord is doing through FEBC & Missions of Eurasia for the people of Ukraine.

Q1 2023 WKJA Issues List

Date: 1/16/23

Airtime: 5:30pm

Duration: 4 minutes

Program Title: Breakpoint

Host(s): John Stonestreet

Guest(s):

Issues: Civil Rights | Racism

Description: Dr. Martin Luther King Jr.'s "[I Have a Dream](#)" speech commemorated the 100th anniversary of the Emancipation Proclamation.

Dr. King's speech was only to be four minutes, but gospel singer Mahalia Jackson shouted for King to "share the dream," and he did. For 17 minutes, he shared the dream.

Dr. King shared a dream of America living its founding creed: of descendants of slaves and descendants of slaveholders sitting together as brothers, of states long defined by injustice transformed into places of freedom, and, in what may be the best measure of progress in race relations, a future in which his children would be judged not by the color of their skin but by the content of their character.

Dr. King's dream is closer to reality than ever, but it's also threatened. Dismissal of racism, on one hand, challenges the dream's validity. On the other hand, theories that elevate the color of skin above anything else cripple the dream's reality.

In grounding his dream in Scripture, King shows us the way forward. With biblical references, imagery, and mandates, King guides us on a path to pursue in this cultural moment. There's really no other way forward.

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Q1 2023 WKJA Issues List

Date: 1/19/23

Airtime: 7:45am

Duration: 2 minutes

Program Title: The Public Square

Host(s): Dave Zanotti

Guest(s):

Issues: Politics | Article One

Description:

How do the political parties act like a cartel? Tune in to The Public Square® to hear more.

Q1 2023 WKJA Issues List

Date: 1/19/23

Airtime: 7:20am

Duration: 18 minutes

Program Title: Mornings w/ Mark & Gabe

Host(s): Mark Zimmerman & Gabrielle Collins

Guest(s): Dr. Michael Jacobson, D.O. M.P.H –
Medical Director – Christian Healthcare Ministries

Issues: Principles to consider for Near Years
Resolutions

Description:

Discuss principles to consider for New Years resolutions as outlined at <https://chministries.org/https://chministries.org/resources/heartfelt-magazine/>

Q1 2023 WKJA Issues List

Date: 1/26/22

Airtime: 7:07am

Duration: 7 minutes

Program Title: Mornings w/ Mark & Gabe

Host(s): Mark Zimmerman & Gabrielle Collins

Guest(s): Terry Pluto – 9 time Ohio Sportswriter of the Year (AP) West Akron | The Plain Dealer

Issues: Sports

Description: In recent “Faith & You” column, Terry talked about former Cleveland Indians pitcher “Mudcat” Grant – it’s been 40 years since Grant has been on TV here in Northeast Ohio – What made him special?

Q1 2023 WKJA Issues List

Date: 2/2/23

Airtime: 6:35am

Duration: 9 minutes

Program Title: Mornings w/ Mark & Gabe

Host(s): Mark Zimmerman & Gabrielle Collins

Guest(s): Brett Varvel – Actor – Writer – Director

Issues: Entertainment

Description: Movie “Running the Bases” from UP2U Films comes to streaming/DVD/digital market in two weeks. The story of a small-town coach, facing big-time pressure – taken from today’s headlines.

Q1 2023 WKJA Issues List

Date: 2/7/23

Airtime: 6:48am

Duration: 10 minutes

Program Title: Mornings w/ Mark & Gabe

Host(s): Mark Zimmerman & Gabrielle Collins

Guest(s): Dr. Glenn Duerr | Associate Professor-
International Studies | Cedarville University –
Cedarville, Ohio

Issues: International studies

Description: Did Israel attack Iran? As we approach the anniversary of Russia's invasion of Ukraine, where do things stand? What would be China's purpose in sending something as easily detectable as "spy balloons" to fly over North America?

Q1 2023 WKJA Issues List

Date: 2/9/23

Airtime: 6:35am

Duration: 9 minutes

Program Title: Mornings w/ Mark & Gabe

Host(s): Mark Zimmerman & Gabrielle Collins

Guest(s): Bonnie Sala – host of Reset - President & CEO of Guidelines International | Mission Viejo, CA

Issues: Turkey & Syria

Description: The situation in Turkey and Syria – Bonnie is already getting reports from the earthquake zone.

Q1 2023 WKJA Issues List

Date: 2/15/23

Airtime: 6:35am

Duration: 9 minutes

Program Title: Mornings w/ Mark & Gabe

Host(s): Mark Zimmerman & Gabrielle Collins

Guest(s): Shane Claiborne – Author, Activist,
Founder of Simple Way | Philadelphia

Issues: Revival at Asbury University - Kentucky

Description: Revival has come to Asbury University in Kentucky, and Shane has been in direct contact with many students in the Chapel.

Q1 2023 WKJA Issues List

Date: 2/17/23

Airtime: 7:35am

Duration: 9 minutes

Program Title: Mornings w/ Mark & Gabe

Host(s): Mark Zimmerman & Gabrielle Collins

Guest(s): Rodney & Jodi Matthews – Founders of Urban Vision | Akron

Issues: community outreach

Description: We catch up on what is happening in Akron's North Hill neighborhood.

Q1 2023 WKJA Issues List

Date: 2/23/23

Airtime: 7:30pm

Duration: 25 minutes

Program Title: Faith & Finance

Host(s): Rob West

Guest(s):

Issues: Tips for tax season

Description:

We're hip-deep in tax season. Are you getting all your financial ducks in a row before it's time to "give unto Caesar? The filing deadline will be here before you know it, so if you haven't started prepping yet, now's the time to do it.

Rob West has some tips that could save you headaches. This is Faith and Finance - biblical wisdom for your financial decisions.

Q1 2023 WKJA Issues List

Date: 2/27/23

Airtime: 6:20am

Duration: 8 minutes

Program Title: Mornings w/ Mark & Gabe

Host(s): Mark Zimmerman & Gabrielle Collins

Guest(s): Marlin & Lisa Miller – Plain Values in Winesburg

Issues: education - youth

Description: The Miller's talk about their vision of a schoolhouse that will educate children who will learn side-by-side with the Miller's four special needs kids (part 1).

Q1 2023 WKJA Issues List

Date: 3/6/23

Airtime: 7:35am

Duration: 18 minutes

Program Title: Mornings w/ Mark & Gabe

Host(s): Mark Zimmerman & Gabrielle Collins

Guest(s): John Palmer | ISA Certified Master
Arborist

Issues: landscaping

Description: John shares about the early budding of plants because of the early warm spell & when to plant, prune... and when not too.

Q1 2023 WKJA Issues List

Date: 3/7/23

Airtime: 8:07am

Duration: 7 minutes

Program Title: Mornings w/ Mark & Gabe

Host(s): Mark Zimmerman & Gabrielle Collins

Guest(s): Chaney Nezbeth – Executive Director –
The Way Station | East Palenstine | East Liverpool
|Columbiana

Issues: Train derailment

Description: The Way Station works to eradicate poverty and bring hope to Columbiana County.

Q1 2023 WKJA Issues List

Date: 3/10/23

Airtime: 7:30pm

Duration: 25 minutes

Program Title: Faith and Finance

Host(s): Rob West

Guest(s):

Issues: Tips for taxes

Description:

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Q1 2023 WKJA Issues List

Date: 3/15/23

Airtime: 12:30pm

Duration: 26 minutes

Program Title: The Public Square

Host(s): Dave Zanotti & Wayne Shepherd

Guest(s):

Issues: Faith & culture

Description:

We're told in scripture to "pray for those in authority," but how many of us actually do that? Sometimes it feels like Congress is against us. How does prayer impact that point of conflict? We're talking about praying for Congress in this episode from our archives featuring the late Dr. Sterling Glover. All this and more – right here on The Public Square®.

Q1 2023 WKJA Issues List

Date: 3/18/23

Airtime: 5:30pm

Duration: 4 minutes

Program Title: Breakpoint

Host(s): John Stonestreet

Guest(s):

Issues: Colorado's new abortion bill – the most liberal laws in the nation.

Description:

Colorado lawmakers appear intent on having the most liberal abortion laws in the nation. John and Maria discuss the ramifications of the recent meltdown at Stanford Law School over the appearance of a conservative federal judge.

Q1 2023 WKJA Issues List

Date: 3/22/23

Airtime: 12:30pm **Duration:** 26 minutes

Program Title: The Public Square

Host(s): Dave Zanotti & Wayne Shepherd

Guest(s):

Issues: Technology - media

Description:

Who owns “the media” and why does it matter? The questions continue this week as the team digs even further into Harvard’s Future of Media study. Stay tuned for the conclusion of this surprising conversation on this episode of The Public Square®.

Q1 2023 WKJA Issues List

Date: 3/23/23

Airtime: 7:30pm

Duration: 25 minutes

Program Title: Faith & Finance

Host(s): Rob West

Guest(s):

Issues: Finance

Description: If you're a contract worker— and more people are these days— you probably have irregular hours and pay. So how do you budget? We'll give you some tips to help you budget, even if you're living on an irregular income.

- New data shows that employers are using about 25% more contract workers now than a year ago, largely due to fears of recession. That means a lot more people are struggling to budget with income that varies from week to week.
- But the need to budget doesn't change just because your paycheck does. Spending less than you earn is the key to every financial success. It's the foundation that everything else is built upon. It's nearly impossible to stay out of debt and save without a spending plan.

Q1 2023 WKJA Issues List

Date: 3/24/23

Airtime: 5:30pm

Duration: 4 minutes

Program Title: Breakpoint

Host(s): John Stonestreet

Guest(s):

Issues: Family, mental health, parenting

Description:

Parents today are caught between a rock and a hard place. On one hand, allowing kids online means exposure to content that threatens **their mental health** and their innocence. On the other hand, removing online access threatens to socially isolate kids from their friends and peer groups. What are parents to do?

Earlier this month, social media behemoth **TikTok announced** that it would soon introduce new features designed to limit access to the app for users under 18 to 60 minutes per day to help parents monitor usage and to silence notifications. Unfortunately, these steps are unlikely to provide the silver bullet parents so desperately need right now for at least two reasons.

Q1 2023 WKJA Issues List

Date: 3/28/23

Airtime: 7:30pm

Duration: 25 minutes

Program Title: Faith & Finance

Host(s): Rob West

Guest(s):

Issues: Family & finance

Description: Leaving a house to your kids

Often when parents make out a will, they simply divide their assets equally among their children, including property. But maybe that's asking for trouble. We'll talk about that on Faith and Finance.

Q1 2023 WKJA Issues List

Date: 3/29/23

Airtime: 12:30pm

Duration: 26 minutes

Program Title: The Public Square

Host(s): Dave Zanotti & Wayne Shepherd

Guest(s):

Issues: Childhood trauma, Jesus movement

Description: On this First Person edition of The Public Square, Wayne Shepherd sits down to talk with pastor and author Don Finto. Their conversation covers Don's childhood trauma, his mission to Germany after WW2, The Jesus Movement, and more – all on this episode of The Public Square®.

Release Date: Wednesday, March 29, 2023