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ISSUE: YOUTH PROGRAMMING

10/11/2022 at 09:00 am to 10:00 am...2 hours...Catholic Connection. The host is Teresa Tomeo. Teresa started the hour by talking about Saint Pope John XXIII. He was born Angelo Giuseppe Roncalli on November 25, 1881 in Bergamo, Italy and died June 3, 1963. She loves a moment that Pope John talked about. He was speaking to Our Lord. He said, Lord, I am tired, it's your church, I am going to bed. He is also the patron of Christian Unity.

10/24/2022 at 09:00 am...to 10:00 am...2 hours...Catholic Connection. The host is Teresa Tomeo. Guest host Vanessa Denha Garmo talked about the fact that we are two weeks from the election. She has been listening to Fr. Alex Kratz, her spiritual advisor, about praying against voter cheating and fraud in the election. Fr. Alex is talking with people after mass at St. Mary's in Orchard Lake. He is doing this to educate family and friends so they make good decisions with their voting.

11/10/2022 at 09:00 am...to 10:00 am...2 hours...Catholic Connection. The host is Teresa Tomeo. Vanessa Denha Garmo is sitting in for Teresa Tomeo. Vanessa was in Italy and Greece on a work related trip with her husband. While they were there they visited the churches in the area. The churches were beautiful. They connected with other people in our faith and enjoyed their time with them. She prayed for a good election day, but the results were not what she hoped for. She shares this message with us. We are living in a time where satan doesn't even hide anymore and the world still can't see him.

11/17/2022 at 09:00 am...to 10:00 am...2 hours...Catholic Connection. The host is Teresa Tomeo. Vanessa Denha Garmo filling in for Teresa Tomeo. Vanessa was speaking with Ann Gundlach about the magazine she put together called Embodied Magazine. She started the magazine at the age of 63 because she felt that the Holy Spirit was prompting her to do so. She has been working for years at Natural Family Planning trying to get couples to use this program. The problem is that they don't want to stop using contraception as a means of birth control. She learned how to witness the stories of other couples who had made the decision to practice Natural Family Planning.

12/07/2022 at 09:00 am...to 10:00 am ...2 hours...Catholic Connection. The host is Teresa Tomeo. Teresa talked about the Feast Day of the Immaculate Conception. She makes it clear that this feast is not about conceiving her son Jesus. It is about Mary's conception being without original sin in her mother's womb. She says some people

don't believe Mary was sinless. But the Angel Gabriel greets Mary by saying, Hail full of grace, which means there is no room for sin.

12/20/2022 at 09:00 am...to 10:00 am ...2 hours...Catholic Connection. The host is Teresa Tomeo. Teresa talks to us about Aman, a person who didn't believe in God. She tells us of a story where Aman connected with Jesus through the geese. The story is the farmer and geese in a snow storm. Aman did not believe in the virgin birth of Christ or the meaning behind it. He was even skeptical of about God. He lived with his family in a farm community. His wife was a devout believer and raised her children in the faith. He gave her a hard time about her believing and mocked her religious observances. He said it was all nonsense. Why would God lower Himself and become a human like us? A snow storm came into the area where he lived. He heard a thump against the window and went out to see what it was. In the field by his house he saw a flock of geese. They were flying around to keep warm but were being blinded by the storm. He opened the barn door to let them come in and find shelter from the storm but they didn't understand and would not fly in. After trying his best to get them in the barn he got frustrated and stopped to think it through. He realized that they would not follow a human. He wanted to save them. He said if only I could become one of them, they would follow me. Then at last he understood God's heart towards mankind and fell on his knees in the snow. Jesus became one of us to show us that He loves us so much.

ISSUE: FAMILY, PARENTING AND RELATIONSHIPS

10/07/2022 at 2:00 pm to 2:30pm...Called to Communion...60 minutes...Host is Dr. David Anders received an email from Tom who asked this question. How can Dr. Anders claim on one hand that we need a complete transformation of our interior life naturally through the Catholic Church and the sacraments? Yet in the immediate prior question he claimed that baptism washes away all sin and punishment. This is so contradictory and is one of many reasons why I am no longer a Catholic. Dr. Anders answered by saying, what the Catholic Church teaches is that baptism removes the quilt of sin and moves us from the stain of Original Sin into sanctifying grace. He says baptism does not remove the wounds of original sin, it doesn't remove our concupiscence, it doesn't remove our moral weakness, it doesn't remove our ignorance. These things pervade our life and cause us to trip up all the time. And for that we do need interior renovation.

10/21/2022 at 2:00 pm to 2:30pm...Called to Communion...60 minutes...Host is Dr. David Anders. Dr. Anders had a caller asking how to answer a friend's question. If God creates you and He knows all, then why does He create someone who He knows will not choose Him during life, after death or at death. Janet, the caller, said that she mentioned to her friend that God gave us a free choice. Her friend said but He already knows that the person will not choose Him. Then Janet asked for Dr. Anders thoughts. God's knowledge in no way causes peoples responses. They do not know what God is thinking, so their response is their own free will. God gives us graces that we might be saved. He also can give us additional graces if He foreknows that we will make good use

of those graces. He works with us to make the right decisions. We have a free will to either choose Him or not.

11/12/2022 at 2:00 pm to 2:30pm...Called to Communion...60 minutes...Host is Dr. David Anders. A caller asked Dr. Anders, will my dog be in heaven? Dr. Anders asks, why do we think the human soul is different. God does give a dog a soul. This soul is a principal of the constitution that makes a living organism to be alive. He says the soul itself doesn't transcend the body. He says humans have a capacity that the animals do not have. We have the power of reason. Our power of abstraction enables us to grasp universal concepts. The human personality transcends mire matter.

11/5/2022 at 2:00 pm to 2:30pm...Called to Communion...60 minutes...Host is Dr. David Anders. Dr. Anders talked about indulgences. He tells us that the church actually built St. Peter's Church with money from the sale of indulgences. It is against the Canon Law of the Catholic Church to sell indulgences. Therefore the church does not sell them now. Indulgences are attached to the sacrament of penance. When we go to confession we need to be forgiven our sins and make reparation to the one we have offended. When we receive an indulgence it can remove the punishment for our sin which is time spent in purgatory.

12/08/2022 at 2:00 pm to 2:30pm...Called to Communion...60 minutes...Host is Dr. David Anders. Dr. Anders talked about grace and faith. He says the word grace is in sacred scripture and in Catholic tradition has various related meanings. God is helping us through the graces He gives us. Faith is believing what God has revealed. There is also formed faith which connects us with God in a charitable way. The act of faith is a supernatural act.

12/31/2022 at 2:00 pm to 2:30pm...Called to Communion...60 minutes...Host Dr. David Anders. A caller from Alpessa, Texas asked a question. Jesus says in my house there are many mansions. Does this mean there are different degrees of happiness in heaven? Dr. Anders says there is a tremendous emphasis in the New Testament on Christ's mission being one of gathering the nations. He says it's not just the children of Israel, the children of Judah who will be in the eschaton. In the age to come people from all nations, tongues, races and languages are living a life of faith and virtue and are collecting merits in the sight of God to be rewarded by God in Heaven.

ISSUE: HEALTH

10/06/2022 at 1:00 pm...30 minutes...The Doctor is in...Dr. Ray Guarendi, a clinical psychologist, hosted a live call-in-show where listeners could ask questions concerning the healthy choices on raising children.

Dr. Ray talked to a group of parents asking them if they got help from their teenagers with cleaning or doing odd jobs around the house. Only three hands went up, so other parents in the group must be wondering how these parents were getting their teenagers to help. Dr. Ray said some parents said it was easier for them to do the work themselves. Others said their teenagers were so busy with school, extra curricular

activities, by the time they get home, eat, do school work they just don't have that much time to help out. Others said they just don't have much house work to ask them to help with. Dr. Ray said the parents should find things for the teenagers to help with. It makes them responsible for cleaning their home too.

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Dr. Ray was talking to everyone about children thinking that mom and dad love one of their siblings more than they love them. Every child has a different personality and so some personalities need more attention and discipline than others do. Children will complain about it because it appears that they are not getting as much positive attention as they would like. They think mom and dad love their siblings more than them. Parents are human and they may not feel like being affectionate to a difficult child, but they need to be affectionate anyway so the child knows they are loved.

11/9/2022 at 1:00 pm...30 minutes...The Doctor is In...Dr. Ray Guarendi, a clinical psychologist, hosted a live call-in show where listeners could ask questions concerning the healthy choices on counseling.

Dr. Ray talked about having manners. At the age of 17 years old his grandfather went through Ellis Island to settle in America. Until Dr. Ray was 23 years of age, he went to mass with his family on Sundays and then to Grandpa and Grandma's house for dinner. He was taught to say please, thank you, hello, goodbye, excuse me, etc. In any relationship, manners are more than just courtesy. They convey dignity and let the person know that you think enough of them to speak to them respectfully.

11/16/2022 at 1:00 pm...30 minutes...The Doctor is in...Dr. Ray Guarendi, a clinical psychologist, hosted a live call-in show where listeners could ask questions concerning the healthy choices on raising children.

Dr. Ray talked about something Mark Twine said. I have had many problems in my life, most of which never happened. Dr. Ray explains this. He says I think this is true of all of us. We create problems that could be, what if this happens. Shrink types call this what if's. What if I have a child with a significant handy cap? What if I lose my job? Or what if my child drifts? What if? What if? He says we create heavy problems in our heads on the possibility or the potential of that problem happening. We are very good at this. This way of thinking is a source of anxiety for people. To help yourself with this problem, you need to accept that whatever the what if is, you will be able to handle it.

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Dr. Ray started by talking to a caller, Denise from Florida. Her son is going through a lot of emotions in his life right now. He is saying he wants to be an inch taller. Dr. Ray is figuring that he has an inferiority complex. Mom says he has ADHD issues. An unfaithful wife which she says has broke his self esteem. She says she is praying for him.

Dr. Ray asked if he was religious and she said he believes but does not practice his faith in God. Dr. Ray suggested that she re-guide her son to his faith in God.

12/15/2022 at 1:00 pm...30 minutes...The Doctor is in...Dr. Ray Guarendi, a clinical psychologist, hosted a live call-in show where listeners could ask questions concerning the healthy choices on raising children.

Dr. Ray starting by talking about the fact that before he and his wife were married he was not practicing his faith and she wasn't Catholic. Dr. Ray didn't think this was a problem because when they got together she did tend church with him and they were married in the church. He said as she grew closer to her Christian faith and we had a little guy she said she wanted to put focus on the meaning of Christmas, the birth of our Savior and did not want to tell stories of Santa Claus. She wanted to emphasize St. Nicholas and Jesus's birthday instead.

10/04/2022 at 11:00 am...Women of Grace...30 minutes...Host is Johnnette Williams. Johnnette talks about an online retreat on the rosary. When we say the rosary we are on a journey toward salvation. Johnnette usually says a rosary in the morning. It's the backbone of her prayer life. She asked Our Blessed Mother Mary to take her into the mysteries of her son's life. And she feels that the Holy Spirits speaks to her through soul.

10/14/2022 at 11:00 am...Women of Grace...30 minutes...Host is Johnnette Williams. Johnnette says that God is with us in all things. He doesn't abandon us. We are in the heart of the Father, who has chosen us in this time to be in the presence of His son, Our Jesus Christ in the world today. God has given us things to do on this day, so we must be busy doing them. Johnnette invites us to listen to Women of Grace to help us accomplish these goals. We can call in to Johnnette and share our testimony/story with others. She says people talk to her about being in a very deep dark place and when they hear Women of Grace they are emboldened to continue to fight that good fight and move forward. She says that's the Holy Spirit working in you.

11/03/2022 at 11:00 am...Women of Grace...30 minutes...Also 3:00 am...Host is Johnnette Williams.

Johnnette talked to us about the upcoming election. She wants us to think about what virtues are necessary in a leader and to what extent do we really need to look at the necessity for virtue in leadership? Do we need to evaluate potential candidates by a standard of virtue? She says we are called to vote according to the mind of the Holy Catholic Church. In the Catechism of the Catholic Church there is a listing to give us insight on how to make these decisions.

11/08/2022 at 11:00 am...Women of Grace...30 minutes...Also 3:00 am...Host is Johnnette Williams. She talked about seeing God clearly through our suffering. Also she is teaching us how we are to be pinned to the cross with Jesus. He gives graces when we surrender and offer our suffering to Him. She explains that Christian fortitude is the force which insights us to advance in the work of Christian sanctification and holiness.

We all have many crosses to carry. We must hold on and carry our crosses to the end. Jesus says, pick up your cross and follow me.

12/01/2022 at 11:00 am...Women of Grace...30 minutes... Also 3:00 am...Host is Johnnette Williams. Johnnette talks to us about praying for God's Will to be done. We need to be prayerful people in order to discern what God wants us to do. Johnnette tells us that when we do God's Will, we will have confidence in what we are doing. We have heard this before that God tells us to bring everything to Him. God is always acting in our lives. He is there helping us make good decision if we but ask.

12/07/2022 at 11:00 am...Women of Grace...30 minutes... Also 3:00 am...Host is Johnnette Williams. Johnnette talks with Sue Brinkman about the Christmas tree. Some people think having a Christmas tree is a pagan tradition. This is what Sue says about it. St. Boniface is associated with the Christmas tree. He led some people to a pagan village called Geismar, Germany. It was in the dead of winter. The towns inhabitants were gathered around a very large oak tree known as the Thunder Oak, dedicated to their god Thor. It was an annual event involving a small child who would be sacrificed to Thor. St. Boniface wanted to convert the village by destroying the oak tree. The pagans there said that you are not going to be able to do that because their god Thor will not allow you to. Your god isn't strong enough. St. Boniface went into the village with his ministry friends, grabbed an ax and chopped down the oak tree right in front of them. The town's inhabitants were shocked. He then began to preach the gospel. There was a small fir tree standing behind the fallen oak tree. He used it as a tool of evangelization. Use this small fir tree as your holy tree tonight. It is the wood of peace. It is the sign of an endless life. It has leaves of evergreen. See how it points upward to heaven. Let this be called the tree of the Christ child. Gather about it not in the wild wood, but in your own homes. There is will shelter no deed of blood, but loving gifts and rights of kindness.

ISSUE: NEWS, CURRENT EVENTS AND PUBLIC INTEREST

10/07/2022 at 4:00 pm...Al Kresta in the Afternoon...90 minutes...Al Kresta Comments: Al's guest is David Fagerberg and their topic for discussion is Liturgy and Mysticism, which as separate categories. So how could there be a Liturgical Mysticism?

The liturgy is highly structured as when we come to worship there is the liturgy of the word and the liturgy of the Eucharist. Mysticism is not so structured. We are baptized and live in the mystical body of Christ. Mystical means you are Christ's mystical body and He is your head.

10/13/2022 at 4:00 pm...Al Kresta in the Afternoon...90 minutes...Al Kresta is the host. Al's guest was Carter Snead, who works at Notre Dame, and wrote a book called What does it mean to be human? God gave human beings a free will. We have bodies and minds so we have the ability to think and feel. There are realities of our vulnerability, our mutual dependence and our subjection to natural limits. Al says it is so necessary

for us to recognize that the power to define is the power to control. We have to know what reality is and define it properly.

11/03/2022 at 4:00 pm...*Al Kresta in the Afternoon*...90 minutes...Al Kresta says holiness matters most. He tells us that All Saints Day draws our attention to this because we've got the extraordinary passage in the letter to the Hebrews that without holiness no one will see God. We need to learn how to worship God and humble ourselves before Him pleading with Him for His mercy and at the same time giving Him great praise and gratitude as He died on the cross to save us.

11/11/2022 at 4:00 pm...*Al Kresta in the Afternoon*...90 minutes...Al's guest was Greg Popcak. Greg came to invite us to a free webinar where he will be talking about raising catholic kids. Al says this will be a big event on November 14, 2022 at 7:30 pm. Greg was saying that this webinar is going to help to equip parents to live a more consistent Christian life. They need to help their children to build a Christian life right into the routine of daily life. The practices being taught will help hold the family together, grow the family together and then reach out to the world together.

12/02/2022 at 4:00 pm...*Al Kresta in the Afternoon*...90 minutes...Brian Shinley filled in for Al Kresta. Brian's guest was Leroy Huizinga, who explains how the Gospel of Matthew introduces us to Jesus. Leroy wrote a book called, *Behold the Christ, Proclaiming the Gospel of Matthew*. Brian and Leroy are talking about how Jesus fulfilled the Old Testament prophecies. In Matthew's gospel, he declares Christ to be Emanuel. This links to passages through Isaiah and the other Old Testament books.

12/07/2022 at 4:00 pm...*Al Kresta in the Afternoon*...90 minutes... Al Kresta Comments: Al's guest was John U. Bacon, author of 5 best sellers. John was talking about the tragedy of the explosion of the SS Mont Blanc. On December 6, 1917 the SS Mont Blanc leaves New York loaded with 3000 tons of explosives. They are very volatile. This ship was in the largest non-nuclear, manmade explosion in recorded history and this explosion devastated the entire town. It collided with the *Emo*, a relief ship ready to be loaded with supplies going to New York. The *Emo* was in the left lane and the SS Mont Blanc was in the right lane when they collided.