# Issues-and-Public Interest Programming October-December 2021 – 4th Quarter

During the past quarter, the issues delineated below have been significant to the communities we serve. We ran the programs in an effort to address these issues.

Issues addressed: News & Weather information

Local and regional news is produced and provided in local/regional news segments.

Dates: Weekdays Times: 6:28am/6:58am/7:28am/7:58am/8:28am/12:00p

Length: Ninety seconds to two minutes

Local/regional weather updates provided twice hourly each day.

Dates: Daily Time of Day: Hourly Length: Thirty seconds to two minutes

(Minimum local severe weather coverage was provided in this quarter.)

#### The following public interest features produced and provided:

#### October 2021

**Issue addressed:** Hope and Renewal for Pastors **Program run to address it:** Focus on the Family

Time Aired: 9:00 PM Date Aired: 10/1/21 Length: 25:00 Each

**Brief Overview of how it was addressed:** Pastoral couples face unique challenges that many of us don't realize or understand. On this broadcast, a panel of guests, made up of two former pastoral couples, helps identify those challenges, and describes the restorative work they perform.

**Issue addressed**: OCC Faith Story

Program run to address it: From the Heartland

**Times aired**: 6:55AM **Dates Aired**: 10/9-10/10/21 **Length**: 4:22

**Brief overview of Issue and how it was addressed**: This story highlights the efforts of a Texas pastor, his wife and his church to fill shoe boxes for the Samaritan's Purse ministry, Operation Christmas Child. The couple now travels the country to encourage other church leaders to get involved in the program.

**Issue addressed**: Pray For the Persecuted **Program run to address it**: From the Heartland

**Times aired**: 6:55AM **Dates Aired**: 10/15-10/16/21 **Length**: 3:19

**Brief overview of Issue and how it was addressed**: In some parts of the world, Christians are being persecuted for their faith. The organization, Christian Freedom International is calling on Christians in America to pray for the persecuted church. The story details how persecuted believers are even being denied treatment for Covid19, among other things

**Issue addressed**: Hope and Renewal for Pastors **Program run to address it:** Focus on the Family

**Time Aired:** 9:00 PM **Date Aired:** 10/21/21 **Length:** 25:00

**Brief Overview of how it was addressed:** Leslie Leyland Fields offers encouragement to those who are struggling because of an unplanned pregnancy. She describes her own experiences of becoming unexpectedly pregnant twice during her forties, and how she learned to trust in God's plans for her and her family.

**Issue addressed**: Car Care Month

Program run to address it: From the Heartland

**Times aired**: 6:55AM **Dates Aired**: 10/22-10/23/21 **Length**: 2:25

**Brief overview of Issue and how it was addressed**: October is National Car Care Month. The story features information from Triple-A Kansas on best tips for getting a vehicle ready for colder weather.

### November 2021

**Issue addressed:** Tomb Of the Unknowns **Program run to address it:** From the Heartland

**Times aired**: 6:55AM **Dates Aired**: 11/6-11/7/21 **Length**: 2:22

**Brief overview of Issue and how it was addressed:** This year marks the 100th Anniversary of the Tomb of the Unknowns at Arlington National Cemetery. In honor of Veteran's Day, this feature describes for the listener the ceremony surrounding the Tomb, and it's meaning for all Americans.

**Issue addressed:** How You Can Help Support Foster and Adoptive Families

**Program run to address it:** Focus on the Family

**Time Aired:** 9:00 PM **Date Aired:** 11/8/21 **Length:** 25:00

**Brief Overview of how it was addressed:** Jenn and Josh Hook, joined by Mike Berry, offer advice to help foster and adoptive families find training and support. And, they describe how anyone can help care for hurting kids.

Issue Addressed: Get Moving

Program run to address it: From the Heartland

**Times aired**: 6:55AM **Dates Aired**: 11/13-11/14/21 **Length**: 3:27

**Brief overview of Issue and how it was addressed**: This feature story details ways for children to get active at an earlier age. The idea is about encouraging an active lifestyle...and the results of efforts to get Kansas kids moving.

Issue addressed: Rescuing Your Marriage from Pornography

**Program run to address it:** Focus on the Family

**Times Aired:** 9:00 PM **Dates Aired:** 11/16 & 11/17/21 **Length:** 25:00 each

Brief Overview of how it was addressed: Rosie Makinney examines the damaging impact of

porn on marriage and explains how couples can protect themselves against it.

## December 2021

**Issue addressed:** What to Do When You're Not OK **Program run to address it:** Focus on the Family

**Times Aired:** 9:00 PM **Dates Aired:** 12/14 & 12/15/21 **Length:** 25:00 each **Brief Overview of how it was addressed:** Debra Fileta helps you better understand your emotions, assess your mental, physical, and spiritual health, and intentionally pursue a path to wellbeing.

**Issue addressed:** Navigating a Toxic Culture with your Daughter

**Program run to address it:** Focus on the Family

**Times Aired:** 9:00 PM **Dates Aired:** 12/16 & 12/17/21 **Length:** 25:00 each

**Brief Overview of how it was addressed:** Dr. Meg Meeker explains how parents can shape their daughter's character and faith so that she can successfully navigate our culture's most difficult challenges, which include the toxic elements associated with social media, feminism, sexual identity, and more.

**Issue addressed:** All-In Fostering Futures **Program run to address it**: From the Heartland

**Times aired**: 6:55AM **Dates Aired**: 12/17-12/18/21 **Length**: 3:45

**Brief overview of Issue and how it was addressed**: This feature story highlights the work of CityServe. Among the organization's goals is to inspire churches to get involved in the foster care system by hosting dinners for foster families, or encouraging their members to become foster parents. The story also addressed the needs of those who age out of the foster care system.

## Public Service announcements overview...individual listings provided:

Thirty second announcements aired each day of this quarter. Approximately eleven hours aired each month of this quarter. Individual listings provided.

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