

## Issues-and-Public Interest Programming January-March 2021 – 1st Quarter

**Issues addressed:** News & Weather information

Local and regional news is produced and provided in six weekday 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

(No extended severe weather coverage was provided in this quarter.)

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

**Issue addressed:** Religious Freedom Today

**Program run to address it:** From the Heartland

**Times aired:** 6:55AM **Dates aired:** January 2 & 3, 2021 **Length:** 4:49

**Brief overview of Issue and how it was addressed:** The feature details the state of religious freedom in the world. The story is highlighted by comments from U.S. Ambassador for Religious Freedom Sam Brownback.

**Issue addressed:** Encourage A Legislator

**Program run to address it:** From the Heartland

**Times aired:** 6:55AM **Dates aired:** January 9 & 10, 2021 **Length:** 2:47

**Brief overview of Issue and how it was addressed:** The feature highlights the Encourage A Legislator program provided by the Kansas Chapter of Concerned Women of America.

**Issue addressed:** How You Can Join the Pro-Life Movement

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

**Time aired:** 9:00PM **Dates aired:** January 21, 2021 **Length:** 28:00

**Brief overview of Issue and how it was addressed:** Amy Ford offered encouragement and practical suggestions for becoming more involved in the pro-life movement, particularly for helping women facing an unplanned pregnancy who are considering abortion.

**Issue addressed:** A New Shelter for the Shelter

**Program run to address it:** From the Heartland

**Times aired:** 6:55AM **Dates aired:** January 23 & 24, 2021 **Length:** 4:22

**Brief overview of Issue and how it was addressed:** The homeless shelter in Liberal obtains a new building. The story tells how the Covid-19 pandemic made the upgrade possible.

**Issue addressed:** Looking Ahead in a Divided Country

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

**Time aired:** 9:00PM **Dates aired:** January 29, 2021 **Length:** 28:00

**Brief overview of Issue and how it was addressed:** Jim Daly was joined by U.S. Senator James Lankford to reflect on the events of January 6, the current division in our nation, and how we might move toward unity. They encourage listeners to take heart during these trying times and hold fast to their faith while praying for our country.

**Issue addressed:** Virtual March for Life

**Program run to address it:** From the Heartland

**Times aired:** 6:55AM **Dates aired:** January 30 & 31, 2021 **Length:** 2:36

**Brief overview of Issue and how it was addressed:** This feature highlights the March for Life event in the nation capitol. The national event went virtual due to Covid-19. The story also details different efforts in the heartland and around the nation to restrict abortion.

**Issue addressed:** Standing Strong Against the Cancel Culture

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

**Time aired:** 9:00PM **Dates aired:** February 4, 2021 **Length:** 28:00

**Brief overview of Issue and how it was addressed:** U.S. Senator Josh Hawley discussed his experiences as a target of 'cancel culture' in which his reputation is being attacked by accusations that he was involved in the Jan. 6 events at the U.S. Capitol. He encourages Christians to stand firm for Biblical values in the public arena.

**Issue addressed:** Barclay Nursing Program

**Program run to address it:** From the Heartland

**Times aired:** 6:55AM **Dates aired:** February 6 & 7, 2021 **Length:** 3:08

**Brief overview of Issue and how it was addressed:** The feature details efforts by private university Barclay College to begin a new Bachelor's level nursing program.

**Issue addressed:** National Marriage Week

**Program run to address it:** From the Heartland

**Times aired:** 6:55AM **Dates aired:** February 13 & 14, 2021 **Length:** 3:53

**Brief overview of Issue and how it was addressed:** The feature details the state of marriage in the United States. It also lists national surveys on the view of marriage by Americans. It is highlighted by comments from the leaders of MarriageHelper.com.

**Issue addressed:** A Fascinating Perspective on Racial Issues

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

**Times aired:** 9:00PM **Dates aired:** February 17 & 18, 2021 **Length:** 28:00

**Brief overview of Issue and how it was addressed:** Dr. Shelby Steele addresses racial division in America, examining the civil rights movement of the 1960s and comparing it to the campaign for social justice today. He reminds us of the importance of strong marriages and families as the solution to many societal ills.

**Issue addressed:** ABC Virtual Banquet

**Program run to address it:** From the Heartland

**Times aired:** 6:55AM **Dates aired:** February 20 & 21, 2021 **Length:** 3:39

**Brief overview of Issue and how it was addressed:** ABC Pregnancy Care Center in Garden City is forced to change a time-honored fundraising event. A move to a virtual event could wind up expanding the organization's reach.

**Issue addressed:** Kansas Unemployment Fiasco

**Program run to address it:** From the Heartland

**Times aired:** 6:55AM **Dates aired:** February 27 & 28, 2021 **Length:** 3:40

**Brief overview of Issue and how it was addressed:** This feature describes the impact and scope of fraudulent unemployment claims made in Kansas.

**Issue addressed:** Southwest Kansas Faith & Family

**Program run to address it:** From the Heartland

**Times aired:** 6:55AM **Dates aired:** March 6 & 7, 2021 **Length:** 3:53

**Brief overview of Issue and how it was addressed:** The feature highlights the faith-based newspaper Southwest Kansas Faith and Family. It tells the story of how Editor Stan Wilson came up with the idea, and how it has survived for nearly 20 years.

**Issue addressed:** COVID Vaccine Ethics

**Program run to address it:** From the Heartland

**Times aired:** 6:55AM **Dates aired:** March 13 & 14, 2021 **Length:** 3:53

**Brief overview of Issue and how it was addressed:** The feature details the development of the Covid-19 vaccine, and discusses the ethics of their development. It features an interview with Dr. David Prentice, a Kansan and medical ethicist with the Lozier Institute.

**Issue addressed:** Christians and the Vaccine

**Program run to address it:** From the Heartland

**Times aired:** 6:55AM **Dates aired:** March 20 & 21, 2021 **Length:** 4:23

**Brief overview of Issue and how it was addressed:** The Covid-19 Vaccine is being accepted differently by different groups. The feature shares the opinions of a Fuller Theological Seminarian on what he believes is a biblical view of the question of whether to take the vaccine.

**Issue addressed:** Living Out Your Faith in Today's Culture

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

**Times aired:** 9:00PM **Dates aired:** March 26, 2021 **Length:** 28:00

**Brief overview of Issue and how it was addressed:** Television producers Mark Burnett and his wife, Roma Downey, discussed their desire and efforts to create high quality, biblically-themed movies and TV shows that promote faith-based values and the message of God's love. The couple highlights their new film Resurrection, a dramatic retelling of Jesus Christ's crucifixion and rise from the dead.

**Issue addressed:** A Coffee Connection

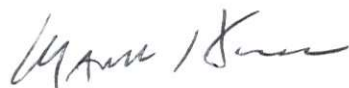
**Program run to address it:** From the Heartland

**Times aired:** 6:55AM **Dates aired:** March 27 & 28, 2021 **Length:** 3:04

**Brief overview of Issue and how it was addressed:** This feature describes the mission of a not-for-profit ministry which has centered its goals around the sale of coffee.

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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