# **ISSUES AND PROGRAMS FIRST QUARTER 2023**

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#### ISSUE: CHILDREN'S PROGRAMMING

Glory Stories...30 Minutes at 10:00

1/13/23 ... ... Blessed Jose Sanchez del Rio details the life of a boy who held onto his Faith against the power of the state. He was tortured and eventually martyred but he refused to deny his Faith. He is an example of bravery in the face of unfathomable odds.

1/27/23 ... St. Miguel and St. Therese of Lisieux: Part One details St. Miguel's martyrdom and his good example of faith. Part Two details St. Therese's good example to children, specifically her willingness to sacrifice for others.

2/3/23 ... Mass responses and prayers. Teaches children the responses at Mass as well as the various parts of Mass and a greater respect for Jesus' sacrifice and the Eucharist.

- 2/17/23 ... St. Cecilia and Blessed Kateri Part One details a Roman girl, St. Cecilia, who faced religious detractors in the Third Century with the spirit of song. She is now the Patron Saint of Music. Part two details the story of a Mohawk woman who gave up everything and endured the scorn of her family in order to practice the Christian faith.
- 3/3/23 ... St. Joan of Arc details the trials and tribulations of St. Joan of Arc, an historical as well as a spiritual leader. Children will learn about her fight to save the French people and will learn to be courageous even in the face of overwhelming odds.
- 3/24/23 ... St. Rose details the life of St. Rose who endured suffering and became the first saint from the New World. Her life teaches children how to deal with suffering and difficult times.

## **ISSUE: YOUNG ADULT CONTENT**

Beyond Damascus... 60 Minutes at 20:00... The Beyond Damascus program engages young adults each week with stories of conversions, testimonies and faith journeys.

1/14/23 ... This week guest Pete Burak discusses living like apostles and not losing our call.

1/28/23 ... This week Bother Nathaniel talks about embracing poverty "no money / no problem".

- 2/18/23 ... This week's topic was the fatherless generation and how it has become a crisis in faith.
- 2/25/23 ... Dan, Brad & Aaron discuss what is New Evangelization and how Jesus called all to do meaningful work and save the lost.
- 3/04/23 ... This week discussion revolve around how God pursues us relentlessly...
- 3/18/23 ... This week Dan, Brad & Aaron discuss being persistent with intentions.

### **ISSUE: FAMILY, PARENTING AND RELATIONSHIPS**

The Doctor is In...57 minutes at 13:00...Dr. Ray Guarendi, a clinical psychologist, answers listeners' questions concerning the healthy choices on raising their children.

- 1/10/23 ... Today, Dr. Ray discussed with a caller who wants to know what advice the doctor has about her husband who left her for someone else.
- 1/19/23 ... Dr. Ray broadcast live from the "Good News Cruise". Today he talks about what God might and might not say to you when you die.
- 2/6/23 ... Dr. Ray reviews emails on family, marriage and relationships.
- 2/17/23 ... Dr Ray revisited calls from previous shows and provides more in depth and additional comments.
- 3/7/23 ... Dr. Ray discussed with an anonymous caller about the grounds for an annulment since her husband is addicted to pornography and refuses to get any help.
- 3/14/23 ... A call in from St Petersburg wants to know if she makes her children go to Mass, will they as adults hate going to Mass.

#### **ISSUE: EDUCATIONAL**

Catholic Answers Live...60 minutes at 19:00

- 1/6/23 ... Host Trent Horn discussed the infinite life pill. He also responded to listener phone calls. In addition, he discussed breaking up with Twitter.
- 1/16/23 ... Hosts Trent Horn discussed the wild anti-Catholic historical myths related to the Olympics, Columbus and an allegedly satanic telescope. He responded to numerous listener phone calls. He also hosted phone calls on "Why are you prochoice?"
- 2/6/23 ... Host Trent Horn examined Protestant views on salvation and why they don't make sense from the viewpoint of Catholic doctrine. Marcellina D'Ambrosio discussed relationships with Jesus.

- 2/17/23 ... Host Jimmy Akin discussed how the star of Bethlehem moved and also discussed how the Gospels were written for the Romans to understand why Jesus came to earth. He also responded to many listener phone calls.
- 3/8/23 ... Host Joe Heschmeyer explained how to respond to those who claim worship of images is false worship. He also discussed the difference between regret and repentance. The open forum discussion revolved around questions from RCIA candidate phone calls.
- 3/17/23 ...Trent Horn educated on how airport authorities spot drug mules who smuggle contraband through airports. Dr Ray Guarendi discussed forgiveness. Also, Msgr. Eugene Morris responded to many listeners phone calls on "Ask a Priest".

# **ISSUE: PUBLIC INTEREST**

Kresta in the Afternoon...120 minutes at 16:00...Host Al Kresta's daily current events show discusses the salient points of today's news and other subjects of personal interest to Catholics.

- 1/08/23 .... Al discussed why we persist in prayer. Also, Greg Popcak had tips for helping your kids navigate social media and Dan Lipinski discussed our political divisions. What are the worst cases in the history of the Supreme Court? John Czarnetzky of Ave Maria Law School joined for an in-depth discussion.
- 1/10/23 ... Discussion concerned receiving the Fire of the Lord with Peter Herbeck. There are several Christians on both sides of the field at the Super Bowl. Al shared some of their faith testaments, and Matthew Bunson looked at how bishops are responding to the German Synod
- 2/03/23 ... Fr. Jim Bilot shareg how his parish is helping the MSU community recover from Monday's mass shooting. Also, Peggy Stanton discussed the Sunday Gospel and the power of forgiveness and Ed Clancy has an update on the earthquake in Syria. Matthew Minerd joined to explore the theology of Fr. Réginald Garrigou-Lagrange.
- 2/16/23 ... On this show, Al discusses the importance of a biblical worldview, the leak of the Supreme Court's draft opinion on Dobbs vs. Jackson, as well as Sweden and Finland applying for NATO membership.
- 3/3/23 ... What evidence do we have of the miracles we hear about? Investigative reporter Lee Strobel takes the case. Dan and Amber Dematte take us on a 33-day couples retreat to bring your family closer to Jesus, and Lyda McGrew explains the "hidden coincidences" she has found in Scripture.
- 3/22/23 ... Discussion with Joe Jordano about not being "adverse to adversity" and Steve Gleason shares his journey back to the Catholic Church. Deacon Steve Hilker explores how the laity and deacons can work together in the New Evangelization.

### **ISSUE: WOMEN'S INTERESTS**

*Women of Grace...* 60 minutes at 16:00... Host Johnnette Williams hosts this live program of special interest to women. She informs, instructs and inspires listeners with the truth of the Catholic faith.

- 1/5/23 .... Today, Johnnette explained how God gives us help through our relationships. She also discussed embracing the essence of feminine spirituality and informed, instructed and inspired listeners with the truth of the Catholic faith.
- 1/13/23 ... "He took what is mine in order that He might impart to me what is His. He took it not to overturn it but to fill it...... " St. Ambrose. Johnnette noted that we should be full of zeal. See God in ALL things. How did you see God yesterday? Be a microphone for God Today,
- 2/6/23 ... Johnnette Williams welcomed her husband Jack as they talked about marriage and how we are to lead our spouse to the faith. They discussed helping each other when you lose a parent. The caller Anna Marie needed a prayer for a pet peeve that her husband has been doing.
- 2/17/23 ... Today, host Johnnette Williams discussed "is being gay ok with the church?" and answered numerous emails and phone calls.
- 3/1/23 ... She informs, instructs and inspires listeners with the truth of the Catholic faith. Johnnette continued her teaching on JOURNEY TO JOY: HEALING LIFE'S SORROW Part 3..
- 3/16/23 ... Johnnette welcomed Andi Oney/ They discussed the power of a women's retreat, and invited callers to share their experiences with Women of Grace Retreats! .