

Quarterly Report For WXHL Christiana DE, WXHM Middletown, DE, WVBH Beach Haven West, NJ, and WSRV Elkton, MD
For July 1, 2023/Public Affairs Broadcasts

Programs relating to issues faced in our listening areas **April through June 2023**

1. SINCE JANUARY 2016, SEVEN DAYS A WEEK, THE "**REACH RADIO CONNECT LINE**" IS OPEN FOR PRAYER. WE OFTEN PRAY FOR THE PEOPLE THAT HAVE CALLED IN FOR PRAYER.

THE CALLERS ASK FOR PRAYER FOR ADDICTIONS, FINANCIAL STRESS, MARITAL SITUATIONS, LOSS OF FAMILY MEMBERS, HEALTH ISSUES AND MUCH MORE. LISTENERS ARE ENCOURAGED BY THE PRAYERS. THEY CAN ALSO LEAVE PRAISE REPORTS ON THE CONNECT LINE. THESE IN TURN ARE PUT ON THE AIR FOR ENCOURAGEMENT. DOZENS OF THESE REPORTS ARE ROTATED ON THE AIR FOR SEVERAL WEEKS. THE CALLS THIS QUARTER CAME FROM ALMOST ALL OF OUR LISTENING AREAS.

2. ON TUESDAY, APRIL 25TH SAFE SPACE COALITION CONFERENCE AT DELSTATE UNIVERSITY-DOVER, DE FROM 8AM-4PM.

3 ON THURSDAY, JUNE 1ST FROM 11:30AM TO 1:30PM, REACH GOSPEL RADIO PRESENTED A PRAYER LUNCHEON OPEN TO ALL PASTORS, MINISTERS AND MINISTRY LEADERS. ABOUT 90 PEOPLE CAME OUT TO THE HILTON GARDENS IN DOVER, DE AND WE PRAYED FOR OUR COMMUNITIES AND LEADERS. HIGHLIGHTS OF THE EVENT WERE BROADCAST OVER THE NETWORK.

4. ON FRIDAY, JUNE 2ND FROM 7-8:30PM AT THE HILTON GARDENS IN DOVER, DE , REACH GOSPEL RADIO PRESENTED A NIGHT OF PRAYER, FELLOWSHIP AND WORSHIP AS SEVERAL HUNDRED MINISTRY LEADERS CAME OUT FOR THE EVENT FROM ALL OVER DELAWARE AND MARYLAND. OVER ONE HUNDRED PEOPLE CAME OUT FOR THE EVENT. WE AGAIN PRAYED FOR OUR COMMUNITIES, OUR LEADERS AND THE DIRECTION OF AMERICA. HIGHLIGHTS OF THE EVENT WERE BROADCAST OVER THE NETWORK.

5. IN HONOR OF JUNETEENTH, ON SATURDAY, JUNE 3RD FROM 1PM – 4PM AT THE CENTRAL MIDDLE SCHOOL, DOVER DE, REACH GOSPEL RADIO PRESENTED THE FESTIVAL OF HOPE OUTREACH...FEATURING AN EXPUNGEMENT CLINIC WITH ALL FEES PAID. THERE WAS ALSO A BIG FREE FOOD GIVEAWAY, A JOB FAIR WITH HUNDREDS OF JOBS AND AN ON SITE HIRING TEAM. THERE WERE 25 COMMUNITY PARTNER EXHIBITS FROM MENTORING & TUTORING, GRIEF COUSELING, HEALTH AND WELLNESS, AND MANY OTHERS. THERE WAS ALSO DISTRIBUTION OF NEW CLOTHES, SHOES AND SUPPLIES. THERE WAS ALSO FREE DELICIOUS SOUL FOOD DINNERS FOR ALL IN ATTENDANCE. NEARLY 1000 PEOPLE CAME OUT TO THE EVENT. THE ENTIRE EVENT WAS FREE TO THE PUBLIC. HIGHLIGHTS OF THE EVENT WERE BROADCAST OVER THE NETWORK.

5. JUNETEENTH EVENTS:

A: SUNDAY, JUNE 11TH. THE JUNETEENTH GALA. 7-10PM . THIS WAS A CELEBRATION OF FREEDOM FROM SLAVERY...CELEBRATED WITH SONG, FOOD AND ENTERTAINMENT. MANY PASTORS AND LEADERS ATTENDED THE EVENT.

B: SATURDAY JUNE 17TH, THE JUNETEENTH PARADE. 8:30AM-3PM. THIS PARADE CELEBRATED THE FREEDOM FROM SLAVERY ON THIS DAY IN 1865. HUNDREDS AND HUNDREDS LINED UP TO SEE THE PARADE.

C: SATURDAY, JUNE 24TH 5PM-8PM PAGEANT AND SHOWCASE. ANOTHER CELEBRATION OF FREEDOM FROM SLAVERY FOR THE ANNIVERSARY OF JUNETEENTH IN 1865. NEARLY 100 YOUTH PORTRAYED OR TOLD STORIES OF KEY HISTORY MOMENTS IN BLACK HISTORY.

5. "URBAN ALTERNATIVE" WITH TONY EVANS (30 MIN PROGRAM AIRS SATURDAY AND SUNDAY AT 4:00AM) (60 MIN PER WEEK) = MINIMUM 12 ½ HOURS PER QUARTER. TOPICS AFFECTING LISTENERS IN OUR 17 SIGNAL AREA IN 9 STATES/SHOW SUMMARIES:

SUNDAY, APR 2, 2023 TOPIC: You're never too "far gone" for God.

All of us are capable of much more than we realize... both good and bad. On *The Alternative*, Dr. Tony Evans will introduce us to a man who failed in a way he never thought he could but came back to accomplish great things for the kingdom. Good news for people who feel that they're too far gone for God.

SATURDAY, APRIL 8, 2023 TOPIC: Don't let the devil get a foothold in your life. Every time we let the devil get the upper hand in our lives, we surrender a little bit of territory that doesn't belong to him. But on *The Alternative*, Dr. Tony Evans will explain that it's not too late to go back and turn those defeats into victories.

SUNDAY, APR 8, 2023 TOPIC: There is a point to your pain.

Are the tough times in your life going to take you apart or put you back together better than ever? On *The Alternative*, Dr. Tony Evans will explain that, even in the midst of those hurtful circumstances, God promises there's a point to your pain. We find out more about the purpose of trials on this edition of *The Alternative with Dr. Tony Evans*.

SATURDAY, APRIL 15, 2023 TOPIC: Getting out of the "hopeless" situation.

It's easy to let our circumstances get us down... especially when our problems seem to be piling up around us. On *The Alternative*, Dr. Tony Evans will explain how God can get us out from under that burden, even when our situation seems hopeless. Discover God's way out of your own personal "Great Depression," on this edition of *The Alternative with Dr. Tony Evans*.

SUNDAY, APR 16, 2023 TOPIC: Trusting God in the darkness.

Depending on God isn't that hard when life is sailing along. But when your problems pile up to the point where you can't see where you're going, it can be

difficult hold onto hope. Join Dr. Tony Evans on *The Alternative* as he talks about what it takes to trust God in the darkness.

SATURDAY, APRIL 22, 2023 TOPIC: Surrendering to God.

On *The Alternative*, Dr. Tony Evans will have some insights for us on the importance of surrendering to God, including a look at what the Lord has in mind for us once we do. You'll discover why God's will finds us when we give ourselves to him.

SUNDAY, APR 23, 2023 TOPIC: How losses turn into victories.

You win some and you lose some. It's true enough in everyday life, but on *The Alternative*, Dr. Tony Evans will explain how, spiritually, even the battles we *lose* can be turned into victories. It's a look at recovering what the enemy has stolen on this edition of *The Alternative with Dr. Tony Evans*.

SATURDAY, APRIL 29, 2023 TOPIC: Planting the meaning of the Bible into our soul.

It's possible to spend a lot of time reading the Bible, yet never really get into "the word." On *The Alternative*, Dr. Tony Evans will talk about the difference between the two, and explain what can happen when the word is truly planted inside us. It's a look at how the spirit can change our *soul*... and our *circumstances*, on this edition of *The Alternative with Dr. Tony Evans*.

SUNDAY, APR 30, 2023 TOPIC: There's a point to your pain.

Are the tough times in your life going to take you apart or put you back together better than ever? On *The Alternative*, Dr. Tony Evans will explain that, even in the midst of those hurtful circumstances, God promises there's a point to your pain. Find out more about the purpose of trials on this edition of *The Alternative with Dr. Tony Evans*.

SATURDAY, MAY 6, 2023 TOPIC: Perfecting your faith.

People have been arguing for centuries about whether salvation is a matter of what you *believe* or what you *do*. But Dr. Tony Evans says it's not an "either/or" question. Join him on *The Alternative* as he tackles the classic "faith versus works" debate, and describes what the Bible means by "*perfecting* our faith."

SUNDAY, MAY 7, 2023 TOPIC: Avoiding temptation

Dr. Tony Evans says that temptation comes at us from three different, dangerous sources. On *The Alternative*, he'll expose each one of them and tell us about ways to recognize and reject their schemes.

SATURDAY, MAY 13, 2023 TOPIC: Coping with life's challenges.

Don't miss the final installment of a powerful Mother's Day series, On *The Alternative*. Dr. Tony Evans' daughters, Chrystal Hurst and Priscilla Shirer will talk about important lessons they learned from their late mother, Lois... including how to cope with life's challenges by looking backward instead of forward.

SUNDAY, MAY 14, 2023 TOPIC: Coping with life's challenges.

In a special Mother's Day edition of *The Alternative*, Dr. Tony Evans' daughters, Chrystal Hurst and Priscilla Shirer will talk about how to help children see and embrace God and recall important lessons they learned from their late mother, Lois. This was a tender and heartfelt edition of *The Alternative with Dr. Tony Evans*.

SATURDAY, MAY 20, 2023 TOPIC: Making the right plans in life.

The old saying goes "He who fails to plan, plans to fail." But on *The Alternative*, Dr. Tony Evans will explain why the wrong *kind* of planning is just as likely to leave us disappointed – or worse. Learn how to chart a course for the center of God's will on this edition of *The Alternative with Dr. Tony Evans*..

SUNDAY, MAY 21, 2023 TOPIC: Using wisdom to build your future.

Wisdom is more than knowledge – it's understanding how to *apply* what you know to real-life circumstances. And, on *The Alternative*, Dr. Tony Evans will explain why it comes in handy when those circumstances turn sour. Learn how God can use your past experiences to rebuild your future on this edition of *The Alternative with Dr. Tony Evans*.

SATURDAY, MAY 27, 2023 TOPIC: Making prayer a top priority.

We've all heard the expression, "When all else fails – pray!" But on *The Alternative*, Dr. Tony Evans will explain why our best efforts *begin* with prayer, and teach us how to make it our top priority in life.

SUNDAY, MAY 28, 2023 TOPIC: Stopping the spread of worldliness.

God put His church here to change the world. But too often the *world* changes the *church*. And Dr. Tony Evans says when that happens, both come out losers.

On *The Alternative*, he'll teach us how to stop the spread of worldliness before it stops us.

SATURDAY, JUNE 3, 2023 TOPIC: Fasting: A sacrifice that is more than an act. Most people think of fasting in terms of what we don't do: eat. But, on *The Alternative*, Dr. Tony Evans will talk about a very active side to fasting – one that proves our act of sacrifice is more than just an act.

SUNDAY, JUNE 4, 2023 TOPIC: What believers should want. Crying out to God for revival can seem very spiritual. But on *The Alternative*, Dr. Tony Evans will explain why there's something believers should want even more desperately. Find out what it is on this edition of *The Alternative with Dr. Tony Evans*.

SATURDAY, JUNE 10, 2023 TOPIC: Facing the day of judgment with confidence. When we became Christians, Jesus saved us from hell. But that doesn't mean we won't find ourselves standing before the judgment seat of Christ. On *The Alternative*, Dr. Tony Evans will take a look at how God will evaluate the eternal significance of our life's work. Learn how you can face that day with confidence on this edition of *The Alternative with Dr. Tony Evans*.

SUNDAY, JUNE 11, 2023 TOPIC: How fasting can help us connect with the Lord. People are designed with a built-in hunger for God. On *The Alternative*, Dr. Tony Evans will explain why, sometimes, the best way to satisfy that spiritual appetite is to deny your physical one. It's a look at how fasting can help us reconnect with the Lord.

SATURDAY, JUNE 17, 2023 TOPIC: Avoid chaos: Get closer to God. On *The Alternative*, Dr. Tony Evans will talk about what happens when God energizes us to live life by *his* power, including a look at why getting *closer* to the Spirit moves us *farther* from the chaos we've been living in.

SUNDAY, JUNE 18, 2023 TOPIC: Getting a firm grip on Biblical truth. Not everybody seeks out truth these days. But even many who do aren't sure what it is. Well, Dr. Tony Evans will settle that for us on *The Alternative* as he talks about how a firm grasp of biblical truth can get us reconnected to God.

SATURDAY, JUNE 24, 2023 TOPIC: What happens when we die.

Some people say life's too short to be "religious." On *The Alternative*, Dr. Tony Evans will explain why eternity's too long not to be... as he takes a biblical look at what happens when we die.

SUNDAY, JUNE 25, 2023 TOPIC: What happens when we die.

Some people say life's too short to be "religious." On *The Alternative*, Dr. Tony Evans will explain why eternity's too long not to be... as he takes a biblical look at what happens when we die.