

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

Programs relating to issues faced in our listening areas **January through March 2023**

NOTE: WSRV resumed simulcasting all the programming with the other stations in the network on Jan. 22, 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 FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 24<sup>TH</sup> FROM 11:30AM TO 1:30PM, REACH GOSPEL RADIO PRESENTED A PRAYER LUNCHEON OPEN TO ALL PASTORS, MINISTERS AND MINISTRY LEADERS. ABOUT 140 PEOPLE CAME OUT TO THE CHRISTIANA HILTON IN NEWARK, DE AND WE PRAYED FOR OUR COMMUNITIES AND LEADERS. HIGHLIGHTS OF THE EVENT WERE BROADCAST OVER THE NETWORK.*

*3. ON FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 24<sup>TH</sup> FROM 7-8:30PM, REACH GOSPEL RADIO PRESENTED A NIGHT OF PRAYER, FELLOWSHIP AND WORSHIP AS SEVERAL HUNDRED MINISTRY LEADERS CAME OUT FOR THE EVENT FROM ALL OVER THE 4 STATE REGION. SEVERAL 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.*

*4. IN HONOR OF BLACK HISTORY MONTH, ON SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 25<sup>TH</sup> FROM 1PM – 4PM AT THE WILLIAM HICKS-ANDERSON COMMUNITY CENTER IN DOWNTOWN WILMINGTON, DE, REACH GOSPEL RADIO PRESENTED THE FESTIVAL OF HOPE SECOND CHANCE 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 18 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.*

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*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, JANUARY 1, 2023 TOPIC: Having a successful new year.**

As we close the book on 2022, remember... it's not too late to rewrite your future. On *The Alternative*, Dr. Tony Evans talks about how God can reshape the rest of your story as he hands you the keys to a successful new year. Make it a resolution...

**SATURDAY, JANUARY 7, 2023 TOPIC: The power of the Holy Spirit.**

Most of the time, connecting to a power source is pretty straightforward—just plug the cord into the socket. But, on *The Alternative*, Dr. Tony Evans says that accessing the power of the Holy Spirit is a different story. Find out why we can't tap into Him until He taps into us.

**SUNDAY, JANUARY 8, 2023 TOPIC: Understanding The Holy Spirit**

Dr. Tony Evans says that the Holy Spirit is a “he,” not an “it” — a person we can relate to, not some kind of spooky ghost. On *The Alternative*, he'll kick off a brand-new series on the names the Bible uses to describe the Spirit and what they teach us about the third person of the Trinity.

**SATURDAY, JANUARY 14, 2023 TOPIC: What it means to be anointed.**

The Bible teaches that as disciples of Jesus, we are “in Christ.” But it also says Christ is in us. So, which is it? Dr. Tony Evans will help us sort that out on *The Alternative* as he continues his look at the work of the Holy Spirit, focusing on what it means to be anointed. Can we really think God's thoughts?

**SUNDAY, JANUARY 15, 2023 TOPIC: The Spirit in our everyday lives.**

The Bible describes the Holy Spirit descending on Jesus like a dove on the day he was baptized. On *The Alternative*, Dr. Tony Evans digs into the deep significance of that image and talk about some surprising ways the Spirit shows up in our lives today.

**SATURDAY, JANUARY 21, 2023 TOPIC: How we can become more productive.**

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**SUNDAY, JANUARY 22, 2023 TOPIC: How we can become more productive.**

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**SATURDAY, JANUARY 28, 2023 TOPIC: Something you need more than oxygen.** Dr. Tony Evans says that many people who get all the fresh air they need are still suffocating spiritually. On *The Alternative*, he’ll talk about how to get a deep cleansing breath of something you need even more than oxygen. Find out what it is when you join us.

**SUNDAY, JANUARY 29, 2023 TOPIC: Bringing our needs to God.** The ordinary aches and pains of life can sometimes make us groan. But when your soul hurts deep down inside, even a groan can be hard to express. But Dr. Tony Evans says that’s when the Holy Spirit takes over, bringing our needs to God in ways words can’t even describe. Discover how to connect with the help and encouragement you need when you join us.

**SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 4, 2023 TOPIC: Race, Culture and Christ.** Prejudice takes practice and most of us have been getting plenty of it since we were kids. On *The Alternative*, Dr. Tony Evans will explain that while un-learning it isn’t easy, we don’t have to compromise the truth to do it. Join us for this look at race, culture and Christ.

**SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 5, 2023 TOPIC: Bringing our Nation to God.** The world believes religion ought to be so “private” that it doesn’t even *show up* in public— let alone have any influence there. On *The Alternative*, Dr. Tony Evans will talk about what happens when we let that lie go unchallenged. Join him for this look at what it’ll take to turn our nation to God.

**SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 11, 2023 TOPIC: Being better prepared for what God has in store for us.**

Just as the Earth undergoes different seasons, so do our lives. Some are warm and pleasant; others nearly unbearable. On *The Alternative*, Dr. Tony Evans will talk about ways we can weather the changes by becoming better prepared for what God has in store.

**SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 12, 2023 TOPIC: Striving toward “victory”.**

When we have pain, we want it to stop. When we’re in trouble, we want it to end. And when it does, we call it “victory.” But on *The Alternative*, Dr. Tony Evans explains why that word can mean so much more, and how we can make the most of the time we spend waiting for it to come.

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**SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 19, 2023 TOPIC: Unity**

Unity among believers was one of Jesus’ final prayer requests before he was crucified. On *The Alternative*, Dr. Tony Evans will explain how we can see that prayer answered in our lifetime. It’s a look at what it truly means to embrace oneness.

**SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 2023 TOPIC: The Gospel is FREE.**

The good news of the Gospel is that freedom is *free*... completely available and waiting for us. So why aren’t more of us experiencing it? Dr. Tony Evans will have the answer.

**SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 26, 2023 TOPIC: The seed of God’s word in our lives.**

People who plant vegetable gardens usually expect to wind up with vegetables. But sometimes it’s not as easy as it looks to get from the seed to the salad. On *The Alternative*, Dr. Tony Evans will explain why the same is true spiritually as he talks about how the seed of God’s word takes root in our lives.

**SATURDAY, MARCH 4, 2023 TOPIC: A lesson from the life of Elijah.**

When it feels like you have nothing left to give, Dr. Tony Evans says that one final investment may be exactly what it takes to turn everything around. Learn what it is as we take a look at another lesson from the life of Elijah.

**SUNDAY, MARCH 5, 2023 TOPIC: Recognizing what comes from God.**

Dr. Tony Evans says that sometimes, God uses “bad” to do good. On *The Alternative*, he’ll teach us how we can recognize the things God provides for us, even when they look like they’re coming from somewhere else.

**SATURDAY, MARCH 11, 2023 TOPIC: Taking prayer to the next level.**

Prayer can be a pleasure as we enjoy the closeness it gives us with God. But on *The Alternative*, Dr. Tony Evans tells us how to take our prayers the next level—a level that's much more effective, but much less comfortable.

**SUNDAY, MARCH 12, 2023 TOPIC: Learning the possibilities that God present you.**

Just when it feels like God is about to sweep in and deliver you from difficult circumstances, sometimes that's when things go from bad to worse. But on *The Alternative*, Dr. Tony Evans says that's not the end of the story. Learn to see the possibilities you may be missing.

**SATURDAY, MARCH 18, 2023 TOPIC: Amazing stories of futures that turned around.**

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**SATURDAY, MARCH 25, 2023 TOPIC: Why the Lord's *will* needs to be carried out in the Lord's way.**

On *The Alternative*, Dr. Tony Evans takes a look at why God's plans aren't limited by our perceptions, and why the Lord's *will* needs to be carried out the Lord's way. Some lessons from the life of Sarah.

**SUNDAY, MARCH 26, 2023 TOPIC: What Faith can earn you.**

Her reputation couldn't be worse, but her faith earned her a place in the Bible's "hall of fame." On *The Alternative*, Dr. Tony Evans looks at the life of Rahab as he talks about the lessons we can learn from the "less than perfect."