

ISSUES AND PROGRAMS: THIRD QUARTER 2017

July 11: Host: Jeanine and Paul: Real Presence Live

ISSUE: FAMILY

9-9:30 We welcome Ben for a faith and finances segment. Throughout this segment, we'll discuss whether or not we should be saving for college for our children and talk about the importance of disability insurance.

ISSUE: PUBLIC INTEREST

9:30 -10: While some areas have enjoyed plentiful moisture throughout the spring and beginning of summer, many in our listening areas are seeing or are starting to see serious drought conditions. In this segment, we'll talk with Jim and Luke of Catholic Social Services.

ISSUE: YOUTH INVOLVEMENT

10:40-11 Technology plays a major role in our day-to-day lives, whether it be cell phones, computers, iPods, you name it. And while there is certainly nothing wrong with technology when used for good, the Diocese of Fargo's Msgr. Joseph Goering will be with us to talk about the importance of making sure there is a proper balance between technology and family time.

July 25: Host: Michael: Real Presence Live

ISSUE: FAMILY

9-9:30: Have you ever had trouble communicating with your spouse? Did you know that many marriages could be saved if spouses improved the ways they communicate with each other? Tune in for this half hour as Jennifer, a Clinical Therapist shares what she believes the keys to successful communication in marriage are.

9:30-10: Larry and Marilyn have been married for 54 years, but their journey hasn't been complete marital bliss through those 54 years. They have walked through marriage, divorce, and even federal prison time. Don't miss this segment as they share their story of how God's grace can dramatically heal, through even the most difficult of circumstances.

ISSUE: PUBLIC INTEREST AND EDUCATIONAL

10-10:20: Hispanic ministry is a growing need in many of our parishes. We'll visit with Anisabel, Director of Hispanic Ministry about the work she does to reach out to our Hispanic brothers and sisters and how we can play a role in helping with this ministry in our own parishes with Hispanic populations.

ISSUE: EDUCATIONAL

10:20-10:40: Fr. Bryan this upcoming Sunday's Gospel reading, we hear from Jesus about the kingdom of heaven and what it's like. But what does that mean to us? We'll have a chance to talk about this passage and how we can truly live our faith as if it's a great treasure.

10:40-11: We've seen it happen at Mass, and we may have also done it: holding hands during the Our Father. But did you know that holding hands during this prayer isn't part of Church teaching? In this segment we'll talk with Fr. Richard about what the Church would like us to do as we are praying the Our Father and why.

August 1: Host: Fr. Jason: Real Presence Live

ISSUE: PUBLIC INTEREST

9-9:20: Priests fight spiritual fires day in and day out as they live out their vocation. Fr. Bill takes it a step further and actually fights fires as the Fire Chief. Tune in as we talk with Fr. Bill about what it's like to be a priest and Fire Chief, and how being the Chief helps him to be able to engage further with the community.

ISSUE: YOUTH INVOLVEMENT

9:20-9:40: We're just a few weeks away from the Matt Maher concert! During this segment, we'll have the chance to talk with Matt himself about his love for music, how his faith helps him as an artist, and his excitement to come to the big event.

ISSUE: EDUCATIONAL

10-10:30: St. John Vianney...have you ever heard of him? He was a man who found learning difficult, who at one point was not recommended for ordination to the priesthood because he couldn't pass exams. Once he became a priest, he was forbidden to hear confessions because of what was considered deficient formation. And yet he became known throughout France and the Christian world, becoming one of the most famous confessors and eventually being named the patron saint of parish priests.

10:30-11: Have you ever wondered what God's will is for you? What if there was a way for you to be able to consistently make good choices that lead you along the right path? In this segment, we'll visit with Fr. Christopher about the Spiritual Exercises of St. Ignatius of Loyola and how regular practice of them can help us order our lives to God's plan.

September 19 Hosts: Andy and Fr. Michel: Real Presence Live

ISSUE: HEALTH

9-9:20: As Catholics, we are called to be good stewards of our environment. But what does that mean exactly? We'll talk with DJ Bakken, a Forester, about the work he does to help preserve the forests and how we can help in our own little ways.

ISSUE: EDUCATIONAL

9:40-10: Many people throughout the region are beginning what we call RCIA classes. Simply put, these are classes that help non-Catholics join the Church. We'll chat with Deacon Les about his personal journey with the Catholic faith and how he hopes to help others find their home in the Church.

ISSUE: HEALTH

10-10:20: EWTN Morning Glory host Gloria Purvis is a passionate pro-life warrior. Through her own struggles to have children for more than 10 years, she'll be on with us to share why she finds life to be so beautiful and valuable.

ISSUE: PUBLIC INTEREST

10:22-10:30: Fall Festival season continues and so does our Fall Festival Tour!

ISSUE: HEALTH AND EDUCATIONAL

10:42-10:56: we'll talk with Dr. Mary and Dr. Jodi about a recent pilgrimage they embarked upon. They will share what they learned about the dignity of the human person and their roles as healthcare providers after visiting Dachau concentration camp and spending several days in Lourdes where they served sick and disabled pilgrims.