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Below is a listing of some of the issues and/or problems that we have become aware of during this past quarter and a description of some of the programs that we aired to address these issues.

FAITH IN ACTION (FIA) is a locally produced 28 minute program. It is co-hosted by station manager Jim Ganley and Brigid Ayer. Each program features one or more in-studio guests (or by phone) and addresses a particular issue. Each week, two different programs are produced and aired. Each program is broadcast three times during the specific week indicated. Some of the programs and their topics are listed below. The programs are aired every week on the following schedule:

Schedule A

Monday 12:00 PM, Thursday 4 PM, and Saturday at noon.

Schedule B

Monday 4 PM, Friday 12:00 PM, and Saturday at 12:30 PM

Helping Older adults and those with disabilities to stay in their homes

Three times during the week of Sept 27 – Oct 2, FIA (Schedule A) featured an interview with Tauhric Brown, President & CEO of Central Indiana Council on Aging in Indianapolis. Their program will give older citizens and those with disabilities a way to stay in their homes with private and government assistance.

Adolescent Addiction and Recovery

Substance Abuse is a huge issue in the US, one that has not gotten better throughout the Pandemic. But there is still hope for those struggling. Rachelle Gardner, Executive Director of Hope Academy High School as interviewed. This program aired 3 times the week of Oct 18-23, FIA (Schedule B).

Digital Media Dangers and the Gift of Free Will

Deacon Chris Bock was interviewed about the dangers of our 'connected' world, with the internet drawing more and more of the attention of all of us, especially children. This program aired the week of Nov 8-13, FIA (Schedule B), and ran 3 times.

Fire Safety and the Holiday Season

With increased holiday cooking, fires in the fireplace, space heaters, candles, Christmas trees, and busy schedules, we need to keep our houses fire-proofed and safe. Timothy Griffin, Public Information Officer of the Carmel Fire Department was interviewed by Brigid Ayer and Jim Ganley, co-hosts of Faith in Action. The program ran the week of Nov 22-27 FIA (Schedule A), and ran three times.

Mastering the Work-Life Balancing Act & Building Resilience

With the ongoing Pandemic, mental health and the importance of it has been at the forefront in a way it really hasn't been before. How to keep good mental health and what does good mental health look like. Program featured Christine Turo-Shields, co-owner of Kenosis Counseling Center, LCSW, LCSC. It aired Nov 8-13, FIA (Schedule A), and ran 3 times.

Holiday Grief & St. Dymphna's Playbook

Holidays are a time of family and friends. It can be a time of great joy, seeing people you love surrounding you at this time. But for people who have lost loved ones, this season can be especially challenging to see those empty seats at the table. Tommy The, marriage and family therapist was interviewed on this program that ran Dec 6-11 FIA (Schedule B), and which ran 3 times.