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**Issues/Programs**

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**October 1 - December 31**

The following is a listing of some of the significant issues responded to by KBHL - Osakis which is simulcast to KBHZ - Willmar and KCGN - Ortonville/Milbank along with the most significant programming treatment of those issues for the period of October 1 - December 31. The listing is by no means exhaustive. The order in which the issues appear does not reflect any priority or significance. All times are Central.

1. DRUG ABUSE AND RECOVERY
2. GRIEVING AND LOSS
3. DEPRESSION AND MENTAL ILLNESS
4. ADOPTION
5. DOMESTIC ABUSE
6. COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT: HOMELESSNESS AND THE HOLIDAYS

Issue	Program	Date	Time	Duration	Description of Issue
<b>Drug Abuse And Recovery</b>					Drug Abuse continues to claim lives and bring destruction to families across Minnesota and the US.
	Focus on the Family	10/11-12	11:00am	28 Minutes	Writer and speaker Kelly Stigliano shares her inspiring account of experiencing God's grace and healing following a turbulent past marked by drugs, promiscuity and physical abuse.
		11/06-7			Mac Owen and his wife, Mary, discuss their turbulent past marked by his hard core drug addiction, and how they came to experience God's grace and healing, which has not only restored their lives but has led to a recovery ministry for addicts and their family members.
	Family Life Today	October 1-3	12:35pm		Opioid-based pain pills are the cause of thousands of deaths each year. Author and businessman Rick Van Warner is all too aware of the crisis. Van Warner gives us a glimpse of what it's like to live with and love an opioid addict, his son, Tommy. Van Warner first realized his 16-year old son had a problem when he went missing. Five days later Van Warner found Tommy in an old, abandoned building in town, barely recognizable and on the brink of an overdose. Detox and rehab came next, but it wouldn't be his last.
	Minnesota Teen Challenge	Daily	2:59pm	1:00	Minnesota Adult and Teen Challenge and Teen Challenge USA have been helping individuals from all backgrounds fight and recover from the effects of drug addiction. Their stories bring hope to others who want to break the cycle of destruction that drugs bring.
<b>Grieving and Loss</b>					Dealing with Loss is difficult at any time, but it can amplify during the holidays.
	Focus on the Family	10/15/	11:00 AM	28 min	Counselor and author Pam Vredevelt discusses the grief she and her husband experienced after losing two children, and she offers encouragement and advice for managing hurt, letting go of the past, and trusting God through tragedy. She also offers

					insight for talking appropriately to grieving people.
	Family Life Today	10/4	12:35 pm	25min	Author Albert Hsu is a suicide survivor. He didn't try to take his own life, but he has grieved his own father's suicide. Hsu remembers his brilliant 58-year old father, an electrical engineer by trade, who had been stricken with a stroke just three months prior to his suicide. He recalls his father's battle with clinical depression and his lost sense of hope as he fought for normalcy in rehab. Hsu talks about the effect his father's suicide had on their family and gives us a first-hand look at this complicated loss.
	Local Events		Variable	Variable	Airdate: Oct. 1 - 5 2018 Faith Rose 5K Walk/Run : event promotion supporting awareness for infant loss, stillbirth, and miscarriage.  Airdate: November 14-15, 2018 Getting Through the Holidays, a gathering hosted by local professionals addressing grief and the holidays.
	Morning Show w/Kerry	12/5	various	various	Kerry shared "5 Steps to help hurting and lonely people through the Holidays".
<b>Depression and Mental Illness</b>					Depression and Mental Illness continue to be key factors in an increasing suicide rate in the US and even Homelessness in Minnesota
	Focus on the Family	10/25-26	11:00 am	28 min	Kay Warren explains how childhood trauma and/or mental illness can make people susceptible to depression and even suicidal thoughts, and encourages us to focus on what Jesus accomplished on the cross, to seek comfort in Him, and to stand strong until we see Him.
	Focus on the Family	11/13-14	11:00	29 Min	Lysa TerKeurst offers hope and encouragement to listeners struggling with life's hardships in a discussion based on her new book, It's Not Supposed to be This Way: Finding Unexpected Strength When Disappointments Leave You Shattered.
	Morning Show	11/15	Various	Various	Kerry shared the story of Selena Gomez talking about her personal struggle with depression, and anxiety. She included

					crediting Lauren Daigle's song "Look up Child" with being very influential in giving her perspective in difficult moments.
	Campaign	11/12-22	Various	Various	Holiday's can be a time of joy, with family and friends. Not everyone, however has that same experience due to various factors, including emotional struggles and external factors such as work load. Basic human needs include the need to feel approved, and appreciated. Praise FM/Praise Live encouraged listeners to be deliberate, and specific with expressing gratitude and appreciation to a stranger. Listeners responded and reported back their experiences in encouraging and giving appreciation.
<b>Adoption</b>					Christians have a clear command to care for children, and there are many ways to get involved—praying, giving, mobilizing your church, fostering, or adopting. Throughout the United States, there are over 400,000* children and youth in foster care of which more than 100,000* legally available for adoption. Their only permanent parent is the state in which they live. For many of these children and youth, the thought of being welcomed into a family seems like a dream. But with more than 300,000 churches throughout the US, those dreams can become reality for many children.
	Focus On the Family	11/9	11:00 am	28 Min	Mike and Kristin Berry tell their inspiring story of adopting eight children and encourage listeners to consider how they might make a positive difference in the life of a child in foster care or an adoptive family.
	Family Life Today	12/17-19	12:35 pm	25 min	Have you ever considered adoption? Michael and Sharon Dennehy didn't, at least not in the early years of marriage as they dreamed about their ideal family. But God began to change their minds. And then they saw George, a little boy from Romania with no arms, and knew they wanted him to be their son. Michael and Sharon talk about the incredible family God designed for them, which includes 12 children, nine of whom are adopted and many of whom have special needs.

<b>Domestic Abuse</b>					October is Domestic Abuse Awareness Month.
	Family Life Today	12/3	12:35	25 Min	Author and family therapist Dr. Ramona Probasco tells what it's like to be married to an abusive man because she's been there. The man she thought was her knight in shining armor on her wedding day began physically abusing her just three years into the marriage. She prayed for years that her husband would change, and that God would give her the strength to save her marriage, but she saw little improvement. Probasco provides insight into why abused wives don't leave their husbands sooner, and how the abuse affected her children.
	Family Life Today	12/4	12:35	25 min	Dr. Ramona Probasco hid a dirty little secret for years. While her marriage and family might have seemed perfect from the outside, the reality was much different. She was emotionally and physically abused by her "Christian" husband regularly, despite her fervent prayers. Probasco tells what led her to seek help, and what she did to finally leave her abusive marriage once and for all.
	Morning Show	10/24	6-9am	8:04 am	Kerry shared a story from on a ceremony by the St. Paul and Ramsey County Domestic Abuse Intervention Project honoring victims of domestic violence and Domestic Violence Awareness Month. Law enforcement and city leaders honored the program's work with a ceremony Wednesday morning. At the ceremony, they unveiled a mosaic of a tree made at the hands of victims, volunteers, advocates and investigators over the course of a year and a half. The artwork, which now stretches across a side of the building, represents all the components needed to end domestic violence for good.
<b>Community Involvement: Homelessness and the Holidays</b>					Even though the world is within greater reach than ever before, isolation continues to be a consistent theme. Encouraging community involvement and relationship development is essential to personal and community growth and unity.
	Morning Show w/Kerry	Various	Various	Variable	

		12/3			Interview with Richard Bahr, author of a book called "Those People: The True Nature of the Homeless". Through years of experience feeding and helping portions of the homeless population in the Twin Cities, Richard gives insight in the "who" and "why" of homelessness. He also shared about the character of the homeless in their resilience and generosity.
		12/7			Interview with Brian Monohon of Union Gospel Mission. Brian spoke to the issues surrounding homelessness around the state of Minnesota and some of the ways Union Gospel Mission works to help break the cycle along with the need to provide food and shelter, especially during the holidays and cold winter months.
		12/10			Major Bob Doliber of the Salvation Army was interviewed. Major Bob highlighted the programs available to break the cycle of poverty of relationships and basic life skills that can often lead to homelessness. He also included and update on the season's Kettle donations.
	Praise FM/Praise Live Holiday Public Service	November and December			Praise FM/Praise Live aired a number of difference Public Service Announcements from various organizations throughout the holiday season encouraging donations of gifts and food for the holidays for those without the financials resources. Events like the Christmas 2018 Kid's Hope Shop in St. Cloud through Place of Hope Ministries. The program provided meals for over 400 kids, gifts for families who don't have the resources to provide on their own, and Christmas Day Meals for families in need.
		12/10-23	:60		Praise FM/Praise Live ran a series of :60 public service announcements encouraging generous giving and involvement during the holidays to help those without food or shelter.