

# ISSUE AND PROGRAM REPORT


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## **ISSUE: EDUCATIONAL**

**1/2/2019 at 7:00 AM... Catholic Connection... 55 minutes.**

Topic/Description: Deacon Harold Burke-Sivers, author and speaker tells the gripping story of Augustine Tolton, who became the first black American priest.

**1/3/2019 at 7:00 AM... Catholic Connection... 55 minutes.**

Topic/Description: "The early Church faced its share of villains—persecutors like Nero and Julian, heretics like Marcion and Ariu and the threat of persecution made Christians strong and bold."

**1/30/2019 at 3:00 PM... Kresta in the Afternoon... 55 minutes.**

Topic/Description: The term "toxic masculinity" dates back to the 1980s and is now used to explain virtually any crime or bad deed committed by a man.

**2/4/2019 at 3:00 PM... Kresta in the Afternoon... 55 minutes.**

Topic/Description: Woodrow Wilson is best known as the man who "kept us out of the war," then later as the president who led the country through the First World War.

**2/8/2019 at 8:00 PM... The World Over...55 minutes.**

Topic/Description: Matt Schlapp, Chairman of the American Conservative Union with analysis of the president's second State of the Union Address, and the latest news from Washington, DC.

**2/15/2019 at 7:00 AM... Catholic Connection... 55 minutes.**

Topic/Description: The Catholic Church has impacted history like no other institution. For more than 2000 years it has influenced politics and culture and seen the rise and fall of empires.

**2/17/2019 at 2:30 PM... EWTN Bookmark... 25 minutes.**

Topic/Description: Joseph Pearce's "Further Up & Further In: Understanding Narnia" explores the Christian symbolism, literary allusions, and profound themes found in "The Chronicles of Narnia."

**3/1/2019 at 3:00 PM... Kresta in the Afternoon... 55 minutes.**

Topic/Description: Michael Behe, professor of biochemistry at Lehigh University, and his 1996 book Darwin's Black Box: The Biochemical Challenge to Evolution asked a long-ignored question: If Darwin's theory explains everything so well, why hasn't anyone shown how it works at the minutest level, biochemistry?

**3/15/2019 at 7:00 AM... Catholic Connection... 55 minutes.**

Topic/Description: "What many are calling the worst admissions scandal in higher education emerged Tuesday, with federal authorities announcing 50 indictments in a scheme that allegedly involved faux athletes, coaches who could be bribed, cheating on the SAT and ACT, million-dollar bribes and "guarantees" that certain applicants would be admitted to highly competitive colleges." ...

**3/17/2019 at 2:30 PM... EWTN Bookmark... 25 minutes.**

Topic/Description: In "To Raise the Fallen," Dr. Patrick Kenny tells the powerful story of Fr. Willie Doyle, a young Irish military chaplain in World War I, through the martyred priest's own letters, prayers, and spiritual writings.



## **ISSUE: FAMILY, PARENTING AND RELATIONSHIPS**

**1/4/2019 at 8:00 AM... More to Life... 55 minutes.**

Topic/Description: Fantastic Family! Strengthen your family in the new year!

**1/4/2019 at 10:00 PM... Take Two... 55 minutes.**

Topic/Description: What song best describes your life. Songs and music are a powerful way of communicating, especially at an emotional level.

**1/4/2019 at 7:00 AM... Catholic Connection... 55 minutes.**

Topic/Description: Jennifer Roback Morse, Ph.D., founded the project of the National Organization for Marriage — which seeks to promote life-long married love to college students by creating an intellectual and social climate favorable to marriage.

**1/5/2019 at 6:00 PM... Encounter... 55 minutes.**

Topic/Description: Emily Reis shares her experience of living fully her vocation as wife and mother.

**1/7/2019 at 3:00 PM... Kresta in the Afternoon... 55 minutes.**

Topic/Description: This past year was great for family film, with movies like Incredibles 2 and Spiderman.

**2/5/2019 at 10:00 PM... Take Two... 55 minutes.**

Topic/Description: We all have seen the Hollywood version of marriages played out on the big screen. Maybe the real truth about marriage is better than anything that could be portrayed in a movie.

**3/4/2019 at 8:00 AM... More To Life... 55 minutes.**

Topic/Description: Rescue yourself from the hostile people dragging you into their drama!

**3/23/2019 at 5:00 AM... Celtic Connections... 55 minutes.**

Topic/Description: Almas was a young orphaned girl who lived her life in Ethiopia. At 14 years Almas died of AIDS. Adopted by the Missionaries of Charity Sisters in Ethiopia, Almas was known for her giving heart. Irish diocesan priest Fr. Brian Kavanagh founded a children's charity he named after Almas.

**3/26/2019 at 8:00 AM... More to Life... 55 minutes.**

Topic/Description: Discover and overcome the little ways you and your spouse are undermining your marriage.

## **ISSUE: HEALTH**

**1/6/2019 at 2:30 PM... EWTN Bookmark... 25 minutes.**

Description: Janet Morana's "Shockwaves: Abortion's Wider Circle of Victims" explores lives affected by abortion, including grandparents, family friends, and present and future siblings.

**1/7/2019 at 8:00 AM... More To Life... 55 minutes.**

Description: Discover how you can have a healthier emotional life!

**1/7/2019 at 3:00 PM... Kresta in the Afternoon... 55 minutes.**

Topic/Description: There are new efforts to push the envelope in genetic engineering and cloning.

**1/8/2019 at 10:00 PM... Take Two... 55 minutes.**

Topic/Description: Young people for decades have had easy access to marijuana. Now, as pot becomes "legal" in states across the country, has that made it even more readily accessible to those you know.

**2/6/2019 at 3:00 PM... Kresta in the Afternoon... 55 minutes.**

Topic/Description: Cancer touches all of us in some way. Almost all of us know someone who has battled the disease, and we've seen the incredible courage of cancer patients like Tyler Trent.

**2/14/2019 at 3:00 PM... Kresta in the Afternoon... 55 minutes.**

Topic/Description: An update on the story of Ohio doctor William Husel, who is accused of ordering abnormally high doses of painkiller to more than 30 patients.

**2/16/2019 at 5:00 PM... Register Radio... 25 minutes.**

Topic/Description: Louisiana pro-lifers experienced a setback last week when the US Supreme Court blocked a state law from taking effect that would have required doctors performing abortions to hold admitting privileges at nearby hospitals. While a temporary stay, the high court's decision was another turn in the on-going legal struggle over abortion in America.

**3/18/2019 at 3:00 PM... Kresta in the Afternoon... 55 minutes.**

Topic/Description: In 1998 CalTech neuroscientist Nirao Shah decided to study sex-based differences in human brains using the latest available technology. But in the years since there has been a sea change as new technologies have generated a growing pile of evidence that there are inherent differences in how men's and women's brains are wired and how they work.

## **ISSUE: YOUTH PROGRAMMING**

**1/5/2019 at 5:30 PM... Blessed to Play... 25 minutes.**

Topic/Description: Former NFL player Zac Woodfin talks about his journey to the NFL and why his faith carried him through the challenges of life on and off the gridiron.

**2/2/2019 at 5:30 P M... Blessed to Play... 25 minutes.**

Topic/Description: Veteran radio personality, Tony Kurre, deemed "Legend of Radio"; talks about Super Bowl mania and why his Catholic faith inspires him to help those with special needs.

**2/2/2019 at 6:00 PM... Encounter... 55 minutes.**

Topic/ Description: Alex Gotay shares how his ministry leads urban youth to Christ.

**3/4/2019 at 10:00 PM... Take Two... 55 minutes.**

Topic/Description: A gospel hymn, a country love song, an instrumental classical arrangement? Music definitely touches our hearts and even our souls. Share with us how music is a part of your life.

**3/16/2019 AT 5:30 PM... Blessed to Play... 25 minutes.**

Topic/Description: Darrin Donnelly talks about his book *Think Like a Warrior* and how to overcome fear with faith by using the examples of some of the greatest coaches in the history of sports.



## **ISSUE: PUBLIC INTEREST**

### **1/7/2019 at 7:00 AM... Catholic Connection... 55 minutes.**

Topic/Description: The Consolidated Appropriations Act of 2019, which is expected to be voted on by the U.S. House of Representatives, repeals President Trump's Protecting Life in Global Health Assistance policy, which stops U.S. taxpayer funding of the abortion industry overseas.

### **1/12/2019 at 4:30 PM... Register Radio... 25 minutes.**

Topic/Description: A political change starts 2019 in Washington, DC. The Democrats take control of the US House of Representatives for the first time since 2011.

### **1/26/2019 at 5:00 AM... Celtic Connections... 55 minutes.**

Topic/Description: This week marked the centenary of two seminal moments in Irish history - the meeting of the first Dáil (parliament) and the start of the War of Independence against Britain.

### **1/29/2019 at 3:00 PM... Kresta in the Afternoon... 55 minutes.**

Topic/Description: The Islamic State has claimed responsibility for twin explosions that rocked a Catholic Cathedral in the Philippines on Sunday, killing at least 20. The attack occurred in a Muslim-majority region where voters recently backed self-rule and ratified a peace deal between the government and separatists.

### **2/9/2019 at 11:00 AM... The Church Alive... 55 minutes.**

Topic/Description: Pope Francis' historic trip to the United Arab Emirates, the Vatican clarifications of the pope's in-flight press conference, and the Maryland assisted suicide bill.

### **2/12/2019 at 3:00 PM... Kresta in the Afternoon... 55 minutes.**

Topic/Description: What's to account for this resurgence in support for socialism? How does the socialist movement view the ideas of family, marriage and society?

### **2/23/2019 at 5:00 AM... Celtic Connections... 55 minutes.**

Topic/Description: Cobh, County Cork Ireland, is a place of great graces for the world - yet also a place of terrible grief and sadness. It's the place that the passengers on the Titanic saw for the last time on that fateful voyage of 1912. The port of Cobh is where countless Irish missionaries and emigrants left their beloved Ireland, most never to return.

### **2/26/2019 at 3:00 PM... Kresta in the Afternoon... 55 minutes.**

Topic/Description: Chicago Police have announced they have more evidence that Jussie Smollett staged the alleged racist and homophobic attack he claims was carried out by two men wearing MAGA hats.

### **3/21/2019 at 1:00 PM... The World Over... 55 minutes.**

Topic/Description: Dr. Walid Phares, National Security and Foreign Policy expert discusses the recent terror attacks in New Zealand and around the world, so called "jihadi brides" wishing to return to the US and how the face of global terrorism is changing in 2019.

**BCS Musical PSA**

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**Airs 3/8-3/15**

You think you've heard the story of Noah and his Ark? We'll we're pretty sure you don't know-ah THIS story! The BCS musical The Ark, will have you singing along to this comedy telling of the well-known story of Noah and his family as they prepare for the coming flood! The BCS Musical is always a great night to bring the family and enjoy show! Get your tickets today for The Ark, by calling the Central High office or get your tickets at the door. We'll see you the MSUB Petro Theater Friday the 15<sup>th</sup> at 7:30 or Saturday at 2 and 7:30.

**Blood Drive @ St. Pius X**

**PSA 30**

**Airs 1/11-1/22**

Give the gift of life by joining the St. Pius the 10<sup>th</sup> parish Blood Drive. You don't have to be a parish member to donate... they just want you to join them Tuesday January 22<sup>nd</sup> from 2 till 6:30 and give a gift that everyone can use! If you're blood type is red, they want to see you on the 22<sup>nd</sup>! Partnering with Vitalant (formerly United Blood Services) you will benefit the community more than you know.

Make an appointment at [blood hero dot com](http://bloodhero.com) or call the St. Pius office at 656-2522 today. Home made goodies for everyone who donates so register now at [blood hero dot com](http://bloodhero.com)!



## **CCW Vicariate Meeting**

**3/13-4/5**

**PSA30**

The Vicariate Council of Catholic Women will have their annual spring meeting on April 6th, from 8:30- till 2, at Mary Queen of Peace. The morning will begin with Mass at 9 am followed by a business meeting. We will have a fun cooking lesson put on by Nelly and Juan Nuno. The theme, "Feed My Lambs", is fitting as Fr. Jose will lead a mini-retreat on the Eucharist in the afternoon. Please check your parish bulletin for details. Cost is just \$10 and includes lunch! We hope to see you there!

## **Cross Walk**

**3/15-4/19**

### **PSA30**

Join Billings Catholic Radio, KJCR Good Friday April 19th for the annual Ecumenical Pro-Life Cross Walk beginning at 12:30. We'll meet at St. Bernard Church on Wicks lane and pray the stations of the cross, as we meditate on the passion of our Lord and pray for an end to abortion in America. Afterward we will return to St. Bernard for the Divine Mercy in song as we begin our 9 day novena for Divine Mercy. Join us Good Friday at 12:30 at St. Bernard Church- 226 Wicks Ln in the heights.

## **Cum Christo**

**:30 PSA**

**3/18-4/24**

It's time once again for the Men's and Women's Cum Christo Weekends! This is a major conversion event for so many in the Church and we want you to be a part of it. It's a 3 day weekend like none other. Imagine 3 days to spend time with our Lord, visit with others who have experienced the joy that comes from giving their life to following the call of Jesus in their daily activities. Check with your parish office today and 4<sup>th</sup> dayers- it's time for you to bring a friend to Jesus. Get the details and get registered today!



## **Cum Christo Renewal Weekend**

Airs 1/10-2/28

Attention All 4<sup>th</sup> Dayers!

Do you remember how close to God you felt on your Cum Christo weekend?

Do you hunger deep down for that closeness once again?

Lord send out your Spirit, and renew the face of the Earth.

The upcoming Cum Christo renewal weekend may be just what you are craving. Inspiring talks, meditations, spiritual direction, music, time for personal reflection, the Cum Christo Renewal weekend will fill your heart and soul with that deep love that only God can provide.

Join your brothers and sisters, March 1,2 3 at St. Anthony's Parish Hall in Laurel. More information is available at [www.BigSkyCumChristo.org](http://www.BigSkyCumChristo.org) or call Rich Wood 406-606-2371. Come be filled. Get your Rooster Booster!! DeColores!

**KofC Fish Fry**  
**PSA30**  
**Airs 3/1-4/11**

Prayer, Fasting and Almsgiving is our Lenten tradition. Another of the most treasured traditions of Lent has returned... the Knights of Columbus Fish Fry! Join the Knights at the Columbus every Friday in Lent beginning at 5:30 for the Fish Fry and stick around for Bingo beginning at 6. All proceeds will support the local Knights of Columbus charities and building improvements at the Columbia Club at 2216 Grand Avenue. Make Lent a family practice with your family of Knights of Columbus.

**LaVie-Nurse**  
**Airs 1/11-1/31**

**LaVie is looking for a part-time nurse to join the their team!**

You've heard testimonials from the patients of LaVie but we also get great testimonials from our employees! One of LaVie's own nurses, Stacie, has this to say about working at LaVie:

"I love working with LaVie because of the time I get to spend with the patients and really connect in a personal and meaningful way. The staff is fearlessly compassionate with patients and with one another. LaVie is the most supportive and caring organization I have ever worked for."

Now that sounds like a great place to work! LaVie is currently looking for an LPN/RN willing to work flexible clinic hours for a community-based, non-profit, acute care clinic. Position involves knowledge and ability to perform limited obstetric ultrasound. Training is provided. Candidate must comply with the mission of LaVie. If this sounds like your type of work environment email [admin@billingscpc.org](mailto:admin@billingscpc.org) to request an application or send your resume. Once again that's [admin@billingscpc.org](mailto:admin@billingscpc.org)



March4Life  
PSA 60  
Airs 12/13-1/20

Marking the sad anniversary of the Roe vs Wade decision of 1973 that ushered in an era of abortion on demand, we ask that you join Billings Catholic Radio and the Yellowstone County Christians for Life for our annual remembrance of this day that has cost the lives of approximately 60 million innocent lives. We will gather at St. Patrick Co-Cathedral on Sunday January 20<sup>th</sup> at 2pm. With prayerful hearts we will march to the courthouse lawn where we will have a short program with local speakers. We will return to St. Patrick Co-Cathedral for refreshments and fellowship. Join Billings Catholic Radio and the Yellowstone Valley Christians for Life to take a stand for the sanctity and dignity of ALL human life. More details can be found online at [kjcr radio dot com](http://kjcr-radio.com).

## **Pro-Life Speech Contest**

PSA30

Airs 1/31-2/17

All kids in 6<sup>th</sup> through 12<sup>th</sup> grade who are positively Pro-Life are encouraged to join us for our annual Pro-Life Speech Contest, Sunday February 17<sup>th</sup> from 2 till 5.

Your child could win one of three cash prizes. Registration is required so call 855-3737 today. Parents, teachers, and friends of students should encourage their children to register and support this annual event that helps our youth learn to defend their pro-life belief with confidence and charity. Call 855-3737 today and join us to be inspired by these wonderful speakers, Sunday February 17<sup>th</sup> from 2 till 5. Call 855-3737 today.

**St. Anthony CCW Retreat**

**PSA 30**

**Airs 12/11-1/18**

Ladies, in the New Year, gather for a day of prayer, fellowship, and inspiring talks by **Fr. Bart Stevens** and **Fr. Garrett Nelson** Saturday January 19<sup>th</sup>. Many are familiar with the picture Our Lady of Good Counsel, but have you heard the miraculous story behind the Madonna image? It's truly an inspiring message of people with great personal courage, who remain faithful and devoted to Our Lady in very challenging times. Invite a friend and join the women of St. Anthony parish to start 2019 off right!

There is no cost for the retreat but a Free Will Offering will be available and appreciated. Lunch will be provided by the CCW and you can register at [saint Anthony catholic church dot org](http://saintanthonycatholicchurch.org).



**St. Anthony Men's Retreat**

**PSA 30**

**Airs 2/26-3/23**

Men, this one's for you! Men of the Sacred Heart: The Sacrifice of True Devotion will be our theme when St. Anthony Catholic Church hosts a Men's retreat on March 23<sup>rd</sup>. On this day during Lent, set aside the world and experience authentic manly Catholic devotion with St. Frances de Sales. Engaging talks, faith strengthening opportunities and fraternity are waiting for you. This is a free event and lunch is provided so what are you waiting for? Register today at [saint Anthony catholic church dot org](http://saintanthonycatholicchurch.org).

St Jean Vianne-Relic Tour

PSA 60

Airs 3/1-3/25

Monday March 25<sup>th</sup> is a date you definitely want on your calendar. Yes, it is the feast of the Annunciation of our Lord and now it's also the date you will have the opportunity to venerate one of the Churches most famous saints- St. Jean Vianney. The Knights of Columbus are happy to present the St. Jean Vianney Relic Pilgrimage, making a stop at St. Anthony Parish in Laurel- Monday March 25<sup>th</sup> from Noon till 9. Known as the Cur d'Ars and the Patron Saint of Parish Priests, you'll see the incorruptible heart of St. Jean Vianney, receive the sacrament of reconciliation, join us in the Chaplet of Divine Mercy, The Rosary, Benediction and the solemn Mass. Don't miss this once in a lifetime opportunity. Come and be blessed in this solemn day of veneration to St. Jean Vianney, March 25<sup>th</sup> at St. Anthony Parish in Laurel. More details and a schedule of events are online at [KJCR RADIO DOT COM](http://KJCR.RADIO.DOT.COM).

## **St John's St. Patty's Day Dinner**

**3/1-3/17**

**PSA30**

Join your family and friends at St. John's Catholic Church in Joliet for your St.

Patrick's Day celebrations! Come and have fun and support St. John's parish.

There will be plenty of traditional Irish goodies to make this an authentic

celebration of the Irish in all of us. Corn Beef and Cabbage and delicious Irish

desserts for everyone. Dinner for kids 4-10 are \$5, over 10 is \$10, and the young

ones eat for free. We'll see you Sunday March 17<sup>th</sup>- St. Patrick's Day at St. John's

Catholic Church in Joliet from 1 till 4!