

WPMJ Issues and Programs: First Quarter 2023

Issue: Family, Parenting and Relationships

02/13/23 12:00PM THE DR IS IN...60 minutes

TEXTING CAUSED MY BOYFRIEND TO BREAK UP WITH ME! Justine from Ohio was dating for over a year when this guy just told her they were breaking up by sending her a nasty text message. However, the doctor says that the text was NOT the reason for the breakup, It was something else.

02/15/23 4:00PM KRESTA IN THE AFTERNOON...60 minutes

THE POWER OF FORGIVENESS Fr. Jim Bilot shares how his parish is helping the MSU community recover from Monday's mass shooting. Also, Peggy Stanton discusses the Sunday Gospel and the power of forgiveness and Ed Clancy has an update on the earthquake in Syria. Matthew Minerd joins us to explore the theology of Fr. Réginald Garrigou-Lagrange.

02/22/23 12:00PM THE DR IS IN...60 minutes

EMOTIONAL ABUSE! Caleb called in to talk about this kind of abuse from a biblical perspective.

02/27/23 12:00PM KRESTA IN THE AFTERNOON...60 minutes

A GUIDE TO GOD'S INVINCIBLE GIFTS John-Mark Miravalle joins us to explore the meaning and importance of beauty, and we look at the dangers of secularism with David Zahl. A third of Catholic parents don't care if their kids grow up to share their faith. Why so many? We talk with Greg Popcak, and look at the gifts of the Spirit with Kevin Vost.

Issue: Youth Programming

01/22/23 6:30PM BLESSED2PLAY...30 minutes

JAKE WIENEKE This week's guest is Jake Wieneke a professional football player who plays in the Canadian Football League (CFL). Host Ron Meyer talks with Jake about his career on the gridiron and the importance the Catholic faith has in his life.

01/28/23 6:30PM BLESSED2PLAY...30 minutes

EMILY CURLETT This week's guest is Emily Curlett a women's professional hockey player who played her collegiate hockey at Robert Morris University and Ohio State University. Host Ron Meyer talks with Emily on how Catholicism brought her to a deeper faith life.

02/18/23 6:30PM BLESSED2PLAY...30 minutes

AMY SEAGO This week's guest is Amy Seago. One of the longest-tenured coaches at the College of Charleston, Coach Seago is in her 20th season at the helm of the Cougar track and field and cross-country programs. Host Ron Meyer talks with Amy about her passion for coaching student athletes and how the Catholic faith guides.

03/04/23 6:30PM BLESSED2PLAY...30 minutes

CESAR MARKOVIC This week's guest is Cesar Markovic the head men's soccer coach at Ave Maria University. After a long tenure coaching division one soccer, where he won more than 150 games, coach Markovic is focused on building athletic and spiritual excellence at AMU.

Issue: Educational

02/13/23 8:00AM...CATHOLIC CONNECTION...60 minutes

NATIONAL HEART HEALTH MONTH! February is heart health month, so Teresa welcomes Chuck Gaidica to explore it from a Catholic angle. Terry Poplava, of church ministry software ACS Technologies, reports on how giving since Covid-19 has affected parishes.

02/15/23 8:00AM...CATHOLIC CONNECTION...60 minutes

FR. MITCH PACWA Teresa welcomes EWTN's television and radio favorite Fr. Mitch Pacwa! Melissa Henson, Vice President of the Parents Television and Media Council explains why they are calling for Congress to take action to protect children on-line

02/19/23 1:00PM...CALLED TO COMMUNION...60 minutes

HELP ME UNDERSTAND THE EUCHARIST Eric asks Dr. Anders to help him understand the #Eucharist better?, what is the #FSSP?, and why do Catholics not keep the #Sabbath of the Old Covenant? #Catholic #Catholicradio

02/22/23 1:00PM...CALLED TO COMMUNION...60 minutes

WHY DO CATHOLICS GIVE UP MEAT? Why do Catholics give up #meat during the Fridays of #Lent?, do Catholics worship Mary?, and If #God doesn't need us to offer #sacrifice, why did He ask us to do it? #Catholicradio

Issue: Public Interest

02/19/23 4:00PM...KRESTA IN THE AFTERNOON...60 minutes

RELIGION IN THE OVAL OFFICE David Kries looks at the Two Wings of Faith and Reason. On Presidents Day, we discuss religion in the Oval Office with Gary Scott Smith.

02/20/23 4:00PM...KRESTA IN THE AFTERNOON...60 minutes

COMMUNISM'S DEADLY LEGACY On this day in 1848 Marx's Communist Manifesto was published. We explore its legacy with Paul Kengor. Today we celebrate the Feast of St. Peter Damian. We look at his battle against clerical sin with Matthew Hoffman.

02/28/23 1:00PM...CALLED TO COMMUNION...60 minutes

HOW IS "GOOD FRIDAY" A GOOD DAY? Michael has a Jewish friend who wants to know, how is #GoodFriday a "good" day?, how does the Catholic Church view the salvation of Christians from other denominations?, why do Catholics not eat #meat on Fridays, especially during #Lent?, and what makes an #angel? #Catholic

03/02/23 1:00PM...CALLED TO COMMUNION...60 minutes

WHAT IS BEHIND EATING FISH ON FRIDAY? What is behind eating #fish on #Friday?, what is the significance of 40 days, teaching the Apostle's Creed and the Nicene #Creed, and how #reincarnation is not possible. #Catholic

Issue: Health

02/14/23 9:00AM...MORE2LIFE...60 minutes

FEELING FRAZZLED Are you feeling overwhelmed or frazzled by your schedule or to-do list? Greg & Lisa can help you get control!

02/20/23 9:00AM...MORE2LIFE...60 minutes

GOD HELP ME! Are you feeling stressed? The Popcaks can help you manage stress effectively.

02/22/23 9:00AM...MORE2LIFE...60 minutes

SPIRITUAL STRUGGLES Are you dealing with doubts, spiritual dryness or other common faith struggles? We're going to help you get back on track!

03/01/23 9:00AM...MORE2LIFE...60 minutes

A HAPPIER, HEALTHIER YOU?

Do you want to be happier? Greg and Lisa help you find joy in your life.2