

COMMUNITY ISSUES PROGRAM LIST- KAIZ
Fourth Quarter 2022 (October-December)
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The following is a listing of some of the significant issues responded to by KAIZ, AVONDALE, AZ for the period of October 1st-December 31st. The listing is by no means exhaustive. The order in which the issues appear does not reflect any priority or significance. All times are Pacific Daylight Time.

1. Disabled Care
3. Special Needs
4. Convoy of Hope
5. Security Issues
6. Trauma

Issue	Program	Date	Time	Duration	Description of Program
Disabled Care	Closer Look	11/13/2022	7pm	17:41	<p>Disabled Vets Skydive, Drive Racecars with Ranger Road</p> <p>No arms? No legs? No problem! “Whether you’re an amputee, double amputee, triple amputee, you’re paralyzed, our skydiving, our scuba, our car races -- they are all adaptive capable.” In fact, the leaders and trainers at RR events are themselves disabled vets. “Our skydiving program manager, he’s an 82nd airborne guy, double amputee.” Participation in these events can bring a soldier camaraderie and a renewed sense of purpose towards mental health and healing. Kindra Ponzio reports. Related links: https://rangerroad.org/pages/our-programs</p>
Special Needs	Closer Look	11/13/2022	7pm	13:58	<p>Can Play: Iowa Mom Helps Kids With Special Needs Play Sports, Have Fun</p> <p>Jack suffered six strokes when he was just 8 years old, which left his left him with cognitive delays, partial paralysis and ‘limited ability to play.’ Can Play gives kids like Jack “a place that they can come, be themselves, learn about their bodies and what their bodies can do.” Rafael Sierra reports. Related links: https://www.klove.com/news/positive-people/iowa-mom-helps-kids-with-special-needs-play-sports-have-fun-podcast-34872?preview=true</p>

Convoy of Hope	Closer Look	11/20/2022	7pm	n/a	<p>Convoy of Hope Marks Billions In Relief (2022 Ministry Update)</p> <p>“Young man, what are you doing to help the poor and suffering?” Hal Donaldson was pierced to his soul by her words. “Everyone can do something.” Donaldson was interviewing Mother Theresa when she asked him the question that would inspire him to launch Convoy of Hope. He went home, bought \$600 groceries for hungry neighbors and in the years since 1994, the international ministry he founded has given away \$2-Billion relief supplies worldwide. Marya Morgan checks in with Ethan Forhertz, Convoy’s VP of Public Engagement.</p> <p>Related links: https://www.klove.com/News/Closer-Look/hot-topx/closer-look-convoy-of-hope-marks-billions-in-relief-2022-ministry-update-4246</p>
Safety/Security	Closer Look	11/27/2022	7pm	29:15	<p>Closer Look: Be Safer At Work Or Church, Thoughts On Security</p> <p>You see trouble, you hear it – now believe it. “Trust your intuition...you know when a situation is different,” says Hector Alvarez, an expert in workplace security with more than 25 years of experience in threat assessment. “One of your best bets for surviving these incidents is thinking about it before it happens.” Preparation is key says Mindi Russell, exec. dir. of the Law Enforcement Chaplaincy of Sacramento. “Instead of, ‘it will never happen here,’ have the mindset that if something happens, this is what we’ll do.” Bob Dittman reports.</p> <p>Related Links: https://www.klove.com/news/closer-look/health-and-safety/closer-look-be-safer-at-work-or-church-thoughts-on-security-2862</p>

Addiction	Closer Look	12/11/2022	7pm	12:55	<p>Closer Look: Gambling, Suicide Risk and Addiction Recovery</p> <p>Gambling addiction is a leading cause of suicide in the United States. The thrill of the bet buries vulnerable gamblers deep in debts matched only by their secret shame. But stats prove you can win recovery, as 2 outta 3 people who seek treatment are able to stop. Rafael Sierra talks with Derek Longmeier of Problem Gambling Network of Ohio and Keith Whyte of the National Council on Problem Gambling. Need to talk? Call the National Problem Gambling Helpline: (800) 522-4700.</p> <p>Related links: https://www.klove.com/news/closer-look/dollars-and-sense/closer-look-gambling-suicide-risk-and-addiction-recovery-3518</p>
Family Promise of Greater Phoenix	Local News	11/27/2022	7:30pm	n/a	<p>Monika Kelly speaks with Ted Taylor, Executive Director of Family Promise of Greater Phoenix about this unique opportunities for families to find shelter within the faith community. Churches and synagogues offer safe space within their buildings for families to have dinner and overnight bedding. The church's congregation provides the meals and volunteers to serve and eat with each family. In the morning, the families go back to the day center at Family Promise where staff helps secure childcare, job opportunities and anything else that they need (health care, toiletries, etc.). Ted Taylor mentioned that 70 percent of the families that they serve are eventually re-housed. Most of those families are led by single-women, but intact families are welcome as well. Ted Taylor shares his personal faith journey during the interview and it is quite moving.</p>

Arizona Helping Hands	Local News	12/4/2022	7:30pm	n/a	<p>Monika Kelly spoke to Matt Lipan, Director of Communication Engagement at Arizona Helping Hands about their work to help provide foster children with beds, clothing, shoes, lockers and school supplies. Arizona Helping Hands is the largest provider of essential needs to the 14,000+ children in foster care in Arizona, and they rely on volunteers and donors to deliver their programs. They have served more than 4,000 children through their Basic Needs program in 2021. Matt also spoke of a new option for older foster children--extended foster care provides housing and other services intended to ease the move into adulthood. The legislation, House Bill 2728, would presume all foster youth stay in the system until age 21 unless they opt out. It's the inverse of the current policy, where foster youth must opt in for extended foster care. Arizona Helping Hands also does something called Birthday Dream gifts filled with things like personalized birthday packages filled with toys, games, books, and puzzles to lift the foster children's self-esteem. Matt mentioned that perhaps the church can really support foster parents within the body.</p>

