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First Quarter 2017 (1 January to 31 March)

The following is a listing of some of the significant issues responded to WFTF, Rutland, VT, along with the most significant programming treatment of those issues for the period of 1 January to 31 March. 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.

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Issue	Program	Date	Time	Duration	Description of Program
Technology	Closer Look	1/1/17	7:00pm	19min	<p>The GAMER Pastor <i>Known as "SouZy" when he plays his Xbox, Pastor Matt Souza offers Jesus to the world's 1.2 Billion online gamers.</i> Air1's George Rath learns about the gaming world and the weekly stream of GodSquad Church.</p> <p>Related Links: Pastor "Souzy" - TwitchTV/godsquadchurch "Gaming and Gamers," Pew Research. "More than 1.2 billion people are playing games," Venture Beat.</p>
Faith	Pastor's Roundtable	1/1/17	7:20pm	9min	<p>When Life Falls Apart <i>Pastors Mike, Jeff and Keith encourage Christians to see hope in the promises of God.</i></p>
Weather	News	1/5/17	3:40am, 5:10am, 6:40am	60sec	<p>A winter storm in the West has caused white-out conditions and closed major highways. All the passes were closed last night across the Sierra Nevada because 2 feet of snow fell there, and they're expecting another 2 feet today! Highways flooded in the Bay Area, mudslides along the Central California coast and more possible with as much as a foot of rain expected today. It sounds bad, but there's some big good in all this – it could put a big dent in the drought California's been hit with!</p>
Economy	News	1/5/17	3:10am, 4:40am, 6:10am, 7:40am	60sec	<p>Macy's is cutting more than 10,000 jobs and closing 68 stores after a pretty down holiday shopping season. Sadly, they're not the only ones: Sears Holdings is closing both Sears and Kmart stores, 150 in all. Traditional retailers, like these and others, have really been struggling because of an increase in online sales and a big decline in people actually in their stores.</p>
Community	Closer Look	1/8/17	7:00pm	19min	<p>Preschoolers Play With The Elderly <i>The Intergenerational Learning Center in West Seattle is an award-winning daycare-nursing home combo where "the joy and the laughter and the smiles that come from both sides are just unbelievable."</i> Air1's Susan Miller talks with Charlene Boyd of Providence ILC.</p> <p>Related Links: Providence Intergenerational Learning Center - West Seattle WA "Seattle Preschool in a Nursing Home 'Transforms' Elderly Residents"</p>
Finances	Closer Look	1/8/17	7:00pm	9min	<p>Kids Learn About Money <i>"Imagine 5th graders understanding the importance of budgeting and teaching our kindergarten and 1st grade students about the value of a dollar."</i> Air1's Rafael Sierra talks with Tara Michener with Junior Achievement USA.</p> <p>Related Links: Junior Achievement USA</p>

Healthcare	News	1/13/17	3:10am, 4:40am, 6:10am, 7:40am	60sec	A new study says children who get a good amount of exercise are less likely to struggle with depressive disorders as they grow up. Researchers say depression and other mental health disorders often don't usually show until adolescence or early adulthood. This is good news for children and their grown-ups because exercise increases hormones that help with mood and well-being.
Law Enforcement – Volunteer	Closer Look	1/15/17	7:00pm	8min	Big In Blue: Police Outreach Police officers in a dozen cities volunteer as Big Brothers/Big Sisters. Air1's Tracy Lynn has details. Related Links: Big In Blue - Big Brothers/Big Sisters of America
Community – Technology	Closer Look	1/15/17	7:10pm	8min	"No Phones" Zone: Coffee and Community Some college kids in Ohio turn off their phones on Tuesdays. Air1's Billie Branham finds out why. Related Links: "Coffee and Community Night Fosters Conversation," Cedarville University.
Human Trafficking	Closer Look	1/15/17	7:20pm	15min	'Priceless Alaska' Mentors Trafficked Girls Ministry founder Gwen Adams tells Air1's Becky Hansen how she and <i>"a bunch of crazy church ladies"</i> battle human trafficking. <i>"I'm telling you, I'm watching these women who maybe never gave their life away beyond bake sales and VBS before fighting this crime in Alaska."</i> Related Links: Priceless Alaska - Redefine Worth
Government	News	1/20/17	3:10am, 3:40am, 4:10am, 5:40am, 6:40am, 7:10am, 7:40am	60sec	President Barack Obama and First Lady Michelle will meet at the White House this morning with President Elect Donald Trump and his wife Melania, the ride together to the Inauguration when Mr. Trump will be sworn in as the nation's 45th president. The official swearing in ceremony start this morning at the Capitol at 11:30 a.m. Eastern. Afterwards, the new President and First Lady will be part of the traditional parade down Pennsylvania Avenue and celebrate with several inaugural balls tonight.
Healthcare	Closer Look	1/22/17	7:00pm	19min	Dependence On Rx Painkillers <i>Medicine for your bad back or post-surgery narcotics can quickly lead you to prescription addiction.</i> Air1's Kenny Noble Cortes talks with recovering Rx addict Michele Zumwalt and Will Wesch, VP of Admissions at Novus Medical Detox. Related Links: "Life in recovery after prescription addiction," (CNN) "As U.S. grapples with opioid epidemic, new ways to fight pain and addiction," (CBS NEWS) Will Wesch (bio) - Novus Medical Detox Michele Zumwalt author, "Ruby Shoes: Surviving Prescription Drug Addiction"

Homemaking	Closer Look	1/22/17	7:20pm	9min	Consider The "Made From Scratch" Life <i>"Homestead" wife and mother Melissa K. Norris offers tips for simplifying your home, eliminating processed foods from your dinner table and growing closer to God in the process. Airl's Monika Kelly reports.</i>
Sports	News	1/23/17	3:40am, 4:10am, 5:40am, 6:40am, 7:10am	60sec	Your Super Bowl teams have been set – we'll be watching the Atlanta Falcons and New England Patriots duke it out in Houston February 5 th !!! This will be the Falcons second trip to the big game, and the Patriots are going for, I think, the 9 th time? More than any other team.
Natural Disaster	News	1/23/17	3:10am, 4:40am, 6:10am, 7:40am, 4:10pm, 5:40pm, 7:10pm	60sec	An enormous storm system across the Southeast spawned enormous tornadoes that claimed at least 18 lives. January tornadoes are rare but not unheard of, particularly in the South. Governor Deal declared a state of emergency in parts of Georgia, freeing up state funds to help with recovery. I'm sure prayers are very appreciated there. And there's a HUGE Nor'easter blowing into the North East today today – so it's just a super festive weather day.
Natural Disaster	News	1/24/17	3:10am, 4:40am, 5:10am, 5:40am, 6:10am, 7:10am, 7:40am,	60sec	California Gov. Jerry Brown declared a state of emergency for 50 of the 58 counties in California because the recent storms have caused tens of millions of dollars in damage to the state. That dangerous Nor'easter continues its march into New York and New England today with wind gusts at hurricane strength, and as much as 8 inches of snow, ice and sleet in some areas. And the difficult cleanup continues from storms that tore across the South, taking the lives of 20 people. Official reports say there were 39 possible tornadoes across the South this past weekend.
Ministry	Closer Look	1/29/17	7:00pm	29min	Ex-Cons Learn To Live In Christ <i>"I was a criminal, I was thief, that's what I wanted to be; so when I gave my life to Christ and decided I need to stay out here, I didn't know how. People that were here they taught me how to be a Christian man. I love Shepherd's Fold."</i> Airl's Frank Hammond talks with ex-cons succeeding with the help of re-entry ministry Shepherd's Fold. Guests include Exec Dir Jack Hausen, graduate and Dir. of Ops Darrell Elmore and Carmone Owens, owner of Exotic Upholstery and also a program graduate. Related Links: Released inmates receive help with 'new start' Shepherds Fold - Gospel-Based Prison Re-entry Ministry

Real Estate	Closer Look	2/5/17	7:00pm	19min	<p>Homebuying 101 <i>Tips for first-time homebuyers and hear from a married mom who downsized to join the 'tiny house' movement.</i> Air1's Susan Miller talks with Trudy Van Dyke, buyers agent with Tru California Real Estate and Kim Kasl, blogger and tiny-house owner.</p> <p>Related Links: Buying a home: Buyer's guide (CNN) Tips for Buying Your First Home Bless This Tiny Home (blog) "Tiny House Villages Are About to Be the Next Big Housing Trend" (Country Living)</p>
Professional Sports	News	2/6/17	4:10am, 4:40am, 5:40am, 6:10am, 7:40am	60sec	<p>Tom Brady led what was probably one of the greatest comebacks in Super Bowl history...coming from 25 points down to win the Patriots' fifth NFL championship! Last night's game was the first overtime finish in Super Bowl history.</p>
Marriage	Closer Look	2/12/17	7:00pm	28min	<p>Man-Talk On Marriage <i>Men respond to media mockery of husbands, discuss the importance of having a woman's respect and explore what it means to cherish their wives.</i> Air1's George Rath gets input from successful authors Dr. Emerson Eggerichs of Love and Respect Ministries and Gary Thomas author of 'Sacred Romance' and 'Cherish.'</p> <p>Related Links: Love and Respect : relationship advice Gary Thomas (official)</p>
Public Safety	News	2/14/17	3:10am, 4:10am, 4:40am, 5:40am, 6:10am, 7:10am, 7:40am	60sec	<p>Nearly 200,000 people are STILL out of their homes over of concerns about the Oroville Dam spillway. It's the tallest dam in the nation, and a breach would drop literal billions of gallons of water onto the towns below Lake Oroville. Yesterday, helicopters dropped giant sandbags full of rocks to help shore up the spillway. Even though water levels at the Lake have dropped, there's no word on when people will be able to go back to their homes.</p>
Government	News	2/14/17	3:10am, 4:40am, 6:10am, 7:40am	60sec	<p>National security adviser Michael Flynn has resigned. This comes after questions about his contact with Russia's ambassador to the US. Initially, he said he didn't talk about sanctions with the ambassador, but recently he backtracked and says he may have talked about sanctions with the ambassador.</p>
Healthcare	News	2/17/17	3:10am, 4:40am, 6:10am, 7:40am	60sec	<p>This season's flu vaccine seems to be working pretty well against that nasty bug that's going around. This year's vaccine is 48 percent effective. Experts consider it a victory when a flu vaccine is 50 percent effective – or more. The flu vaccine changes each year based on the best guess of which strains will be the biggest problem for the next season.</p>

Healthcare	Closer Look	2/19/17	7:00pm	28min	<p>FAQ Blood & Organ Donation</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <i>Blood must be real.</i> There's no substitute. We need donors. Organs go to the <i>sickest</i>--not the richest--patients. <p>Air1's Tracey Lynn gets the facts from Chris Hrouda of the American Red Cross and Anne Paschke of the United Network for Organ Sharing (UNOS).</p> <p>Related Links: American Red Cross United Network for Organ Sharing (UNOS) "Transplant patient holds her own heart after lifesaving operation," (ABC NEWS)</p>
Science	News	2/22/17	4:10am, 5:40am, 7:10am	60sec	<p>Is an old friend finally coming home? A group of NASA scientists are proposing a new definition of what a planet should be, and that could return our old friend, Pluto, to its former glory as a planet. They sent a proposal to the International Astronomical Union, forcing them to make a decision. So, maybe this time next year, you'll have to relearn the solar system, and My Very Eager Mother Just Served Us Nine Pizzas will make sense again. It doesn't make sense without Pluto.</p>
Healthcare	Closer Look	2/26/17	7:00pm	18min	<p>We Heart CPR</p> <p><i>Even one minute of chest compressions/CPR can keep a person alive til help arrives. A 5th grade girl used CPR training from summer camp to save a boy from drowning.</i></p> <p>Air1's Rafael Sierra hears from cardiologist Dr. Diane Sobkowitz of Sutter Heart & Vascular Institute and CPR Hero Skylar Berry tells her rescue story.</p> <p>Related Links: American Heart Association - Find a CPR Training Center Near You "CPR Saves More Than 92,000 Lives Annually; Only 4 Percent of Americans Train Each Year" (ABC NEWS) "Teen Who Used CPR to Save Boy's Life Teaches Skill at Rio Linda High School" (KTXL)</p>
Mental Health	Pastor's Roundtable	2/26/17	7:20pm	9min	<p>Air1 Pastors: Why Cutters Cut</p> <p><i>Closer Look Pastors Mike and Dave explain why some kids use sharp objects to relieve stress.</i></p>
Environment	News	3/1/17	3:40am, 5:10am, 6:40am	60sec	<p>Spring sprung early this year, record early in a lot of the US. Flowers and trees are blooming way earlier than usual almost coast to coast. Experts say 2017 will be the earliest spring for much of the country since they first started keeping records in 1900.</p>
Financial	News	3/2/17	3:10am, 4:40am, 6:10am, 7:40am	60sec	<p>The IRS has \$1 billion – a BILLION DOLLARS – in unclaimed tax refunds from the 2013 tax year. Apparently, that money is just waiting for the nearly 1 million people who didn't file a tax return for 2013. You only have three years to claim a past refund, and that deadline's coming up pretty quickly! Remember: all unclaimed refunds are forfeited to the U.S. Treasury.</p>

Technology	News	3/3/17	3:10am, 4:40am, 6:10am, 7:40am	60sec	Apparently, one little letter has the power to bring down all the interwebs! Most of the internet is hosted on just a handful of servers. Amazon is one of the largest, and they host sites like Netflix and Britain's national healthcare website. Well, earlier this week, an employee typed in a command, with one wrong little letter, and took down the entire server. For hours! They promise this will never happen again, which, reminds me of that very old saying...to err is human, to forgive divine.
Safety	Closer Look	3/5/17	7:00pm	18min	Phone Apps For Child Safety <i>Wanna have your kid's info handy in case something bad happens? There's an app for that.</i> Airl's Billie Branham talks Gina Swankie of the FBI and Callahan Walsh, brother of Adam Walsh whose family founded the Nat'l Center for Missing & Exploited Children. Related Links: Nat'l Center for Missing and Exploited Children FBI S.O.S. for Kids - Safe Online Surfing Safety Central App by NCMEC - free
Taxes	Closer Look	3/5/17	7:20pm	10min	Tax Tips (2017) <i>Should you have your refund sent to your HSA? Do you know how to file for an extension? Hear tips for getting ahead of this year's deadline: Tuesday April 18th!</i> Airl's Monika Kelly talks with Barbara Weltman, spokesperson for JK Lasser: Your Income Tax 2017. Related Links: IRS Tax Tips
Commerce	News	3/6/17	3:10am, 4:40am, 6:10am, 7:40am	60sec	The National Biscuit Company, which is now Nabisco, first developed it as a "Biscuit" in March of 1912. Then it became a "Sandwich" in the 1940's. But, today, we call 'em Oreos and today is the day we celebrate the Oreo – the best-selling cookie in America.
Finances	News	3/10/17	3:10am, 4:40am, 6:10am, 7:40am	60sec	Analysts say we'll hit \$1 trillion in credit card debt this year, that's the highest in a decade. Most of us are paying our credit card bills on time, which is good, but more people are putting rent or mortgage payments on their card, which worries analysts because if the economy stumbles, it could make millions of Americans what they like to call "debt vulnerable" again.
Business	Closer Look	3/12/17	7:00pm	19min	Businesses Join 'Super Service Challenge' <i>Your employees can win prize \$\$\$ for charities they already care about. "Our mission is to see businesses transformed by service."</i> Airl's Tanya Bohannon talks with Super Service Challenge exec dir Patrick Sells about how companies and co-workers participate. Related Links: Super Service Challenge (official)
Self-care	Pastor's Roundtable	3/12/17	7:20pm	9min	Airl Pastors: Control Yourself <i>Closer Look Pastors Mike, Josh and Dave say self-control leads to a better life.</i>

Environment	News	3/13/17	4:10am, 5:40am, 7:10am	60sec	Where's Buzz? Buzz The Bee on the Honey Nut Cheerios Box! He's missing. And, for good reason, actually – to bring awareness to the fact that honey bee populations that are dying! General Mills, the parent company of Cheerios, says one in every three bites of food is what would go away if the bees go away. So, they're asking us to plant wildflowers and do what we can to help, hashtag, bring back the bees!
Environment	News	3/15/17	3:10am, 4:40am, 6:10am, 7:40am	60sec	Got plans for Spring Break? How about a visit to the Oroville Dam? All that flooding recently has exposed deep veins of gold that had been hidden for 200 years! You could come home from spring break a multimillionaire!! Do they teach Panning classes at Hobby Lobby?
Disabilities	Closer Look	3/19/17	7:00pm	28min	Kids Learn About Disabilities <i>Your child sees a wheelchair, a prosthetic leg or a service dog and they have questions. "A Touch of Understanding" teaches school kids what to say when they meet a person with a disability.</i> Air1's Billie Branham talks with ATOU founder Leslie DeDora and board members Bob Schultz and Darlene O'Brien, a woman who is blind and shares her story with students. Related Links: A.T.O.U. - A Touch of Understanding (official)
Travel	News	3/21/17	3:10am, 4:40am, 5:40am, 6:10am, 7:40am	60sec	Have you heard about the newest travel ban? Effective today, passengers on nonstop flights to the US from eight Middle Eastern and North African countries won't be able to bring laptops, iPads, cameras or other devices in their carry-on luggage. Not sure exactly why, officials wouldn't comment. But, security experts think it's because of new intelligence about a possible attack.
Homeless	Closer Look	3/26/17	7:00pm	19min	'Shower To The People' Mobile Baths <i>A box truck tricked out with shower stalls, body wash and fresh towels rolls around St. Louis serving the city's homeless men and women. "One of the most inspiring things for me is just to see people's whole demeanor change just by something as simple as hot water and soap."</i> Air1's Rafael Sierra talks with STTP founder Jake Austin to see how it works. Related Links: Shower To The People (official)
Mental Health	Pastor's Roundtable	3/26/17	7:20pm	9min	Air1 Pastors: Called To Comfort <i>Air1 Pastors Mike, Josh and Dave say people in grief often need our practical help.</i> Call the Pastors 888-YES-AIR1

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International Relations	News	4/7/17	3:00am, 4:00am, 12:00pm, 1:00pm, 2:00pm, 5:15pm	60sec	In response to the Assad regime's horrific chemical attack on Syria, President Trump ordered a military strike on a Syrian airfield, destroying 20 Syrian jets. Western leaders backed the action. So what will this mean – right here....Homeland Security and the FBI watching things closely, will increase security, if needed. Its day two of our President meeting with China's leader...the main focus, likely trade and North Korea.
Technology	Closer Look	4/9/17	7:00pm	19min	Challenge Academy for At-Risk Kids <i>In nearly every U.S. state the Nat'l Guard offers troubled teens a FREE, 6-month, residential program to get their futures on back on track.</i> Air1's Alex Gregory talks with Maj. Peter Lewis of the CA Nat'l Guard Challenge Academy and Dir. Peter Thomas of Challenge Academy, IL Nat'l Guard. Related Links: Nat'l Guard Youth Challenge: Find Program Near You "A Last Second Chance: 'CBS News follows high school dropouts trying to turn their lives around
Faith	Pastor's Roundtable	4/9/17	7:20pm	9min	Air1 Pastors: Trauma/Emotional Pain <i>Closer Look Pastors Mike, Josh and Dave encourage you to seek healing for emotional injuries.</i>
Healthcare	News	4/10/17	3:40am, 5:10am, 6:40am	60sec	Have you been sneezing a lot? Spring allergy season is in full-swing, and experts say it's only going to get worse because allergens are building from coast to coast. Experts say allergies can aggravate asthma and lead to sinus infections, so if it all starts to affect your quality of life, see your doc or consider an allergy specialist.
Public Safety – Education	News	4/11/17	3:10am, 4:40am, 6:10am, 7:40am	60sec	A sad day in Southern California yesterday. A man went into his estranged wife's elementary school classroom where she was teaching and began firing without saying a word. Sadly, she lost her life, as did an 8-year-old student before the man took his own life. A 9-year-old was also critically wounded. This entire community and the children in that room could certainly use our prayers.
Relationships	News	4/11/17	4:10am, 5:40am, 7:10am	60sec	You've heard how a trip to IKEA can test your relationship, but the IKEA in Burbank, California finally is doing something about it with the Relationship Saving Station. They have 5 different ways to help ease tensions: You can yell at a tiny little plastic horse instead of each other. You can look at a pic of a teeny little puppy. You can blow bubbles. Write down your frustrations and put them in the Let it Go jar. Or you can put on some super silly hats because the hats are so ridiculous that you can't seriously argue with someone while you're wearing them. This would be great at home to keep tensions down. Do you do anything like that at your house? We have an I LOVE YOU shirt we make the kids wear when they get really mean to each other. But that's getting old – these are some great new ideas!!

Transportation	News	4/12/17	3:10am, 4:40am, 6:10am, 7:40am	60sec	United Airlines CEO Oscar Munoz has finally apologized to the man who was dragged off a plane Sunday in Chicago. Originally blaming the man for being unruly, Mr. Munoz's latest statement said the ordeal was "truly horrific." He also said United would review policies for handling oversold flights, and for partnering with airport authorities and local law enforcement.
Emergency Services	News	4/13/17	12:45pm	60sec	911 emergency lines are down in Karnes County. Sheriff Dwayne Villanueva says the best option to reach the department is to call 830-780-3931 and select option 1. Anyone who dials 911 will have calls answered by the Wilson County Sheriff's office which will contact Karnes County. A main cable to Verizon has apparently been compromised and it's not known how long the outage will last. Again the number to contact law enforcement for emergency and non-emergencies right now in Karnes County is 830-780-3931 and choose option 1.
International Relations	News	4/13/17	3:10am, 4:40am, 6:10am, 7:40am	60sec	President Trump says our relationship with Russia "may be at an all-time low." Secretary of State Rex Tillerson agreed after meeting with Russian President Vladimir Putin. Still, there were positives from this meeting. Groups will be put together to improve the US-Russia bond, and talk about how to end Syria's civil war.
Economy	News	4/17/17	3:40am, 5:10am, 6:40am	60sec	Looking for a new and exciting career? How about Drone Repair? The number of commercial drones is expected be into the millions in the next few years, not even counting privately owned drones – and, sadly, there aren't many drone mechanics. One industry expert says there's always shortage of avionics technicians...so a good career is there for anyone looking to take this beyond a hobby.
Education	News	4/18/17	3:40am, 5:10am, 6:40am	60sec	A new report says there's HUGE improvement in the reading skills of kids entering first grade. They're calling kindergarten the new first grade, researchers say children are better prepared now than over a decade years ago entering the first grade.
Economy – Natural Resources	News	4/19/17	3:40am, 5:10am, 6:40am	60sec	Pork and chicken are typically more affordable than beef, but steak and burgers might taste a little better this summer because the cost of beef is going down! Officials say it'll continue all summer because of an increase in beef production. After years of higher beef prices, this is good news.
Entertainment	News	4/19/17	4:10am, 5:40am, 7:10am	60sec	There have been over 50 million PlayStation 4 sold since they launched in 2013. They've obviously, hugely popular. But they've had some bugs because some PS4s have just been dying and Sony won't fix them. Turns out, they literally won't touch them – because many of the units have fried because of roaches. Apparently, the PS4 is a super friendly roach motel that does, in fact, cause a roach to fry itself on the power supply – which fries your system. Sony doesn't work on them so you have to take them somewhere locally for repairs.

Healthcare – Sports	News	4/20/17	3:10am, 4:40am, 6:10am, 7:40am	60sec	In high school sports played by both girls and boys, girls are more likely to get a concussion. 50 percent more likely, but no clear reasons why. It could be physical differences, equipment differences, it may even be how concussions are reported. Whatever the reason, there's obviously a need for more and better research along with better prevention strategies. The most common cause of concussions for girls? Contact with a ball, like headers in soccer.
Ministry – Community	Closer Look	4/23/17	7:00pm	21min	Uniquely Urban Outreach Options <i>With bulldogs and hotdogs Camden's "Pastor Diddy" works to renew one of America's most violent cities.</i> Air1's Peter Kaye talks with Camden N.J. Epiphany Fellowship Church Pastor Doug Logan, author of the book: "On the Block: Developing a Biblical Picture for Missional Engagement" Related Links: Pastor Doug Logan - bio - Epiphany Fellowship Church Camden N.J. Crime Rates (Neighborhood Scout) "2016 Camden homicide count climbs even as number of other violent crimes decline," New Jersey Online
Military – Faith and Religion	Closer Look	4/23/17	7:22pm	8min	Christian Docs Saving ISIS Soldiers In Iraq <i>U.S.-based ministry Samaritan's Purse set-up a field hospital to treat people wounded in combat near Mosul, the Bible's ancient city of Nineveh.</i> Air1's Tracey Lynn talks with Dr. Elliott TenPenny who treated patients at the hospital. Related Links: "Franklin Graham: Samaritan's Purse Is Saving Lives of ISIS Fighters Outside Mosul," (Christian Post)
Government	News	4/24/17	4:10am, 5:40am, 7:10am	60sec	Congress is going to try to avoid a government shutdown. Getting lawmakers to agree on a budget could require an act of God, though. If budget talks fail, the government would shut down Saturday...which also marks President Trump's 100th day in office. Between now and then, the President is expected to roll out his tax overhaul plan Wednesday.
Technology	News	4/25/17	4:40am, 5:40am, 6:40am	60sec	Handing your toddler a smartphone or a tablet may not actually be the best idea. Researchers say for every hour a child spends on a device, they lose 15 minutes of sleep per day. It may not sound like a lot, but babies and toddlers need sleep – LOTS of sleep – so time they spend on electronics could start to impact their development.
Transportation	News	4/27/17	3:10am, 4:40am, 6:10am, 7:40am	60sec	United is making changes!! They're raising the limit to \$10,000 for customers who give up seats on oversold flights, and they're going to add training for employees. Gate agents get a refresher in dealing with oversold flights, and agents and flight attendants will be trained to de-escalate tense situations.
Government – Economy	News	4/27/17	4:10am, 5:40am, 7:10am	60sec	President Trump laid out his new tax plan, making good on his campaign promises to do it. Trump's plan lowers individual tax rates from 39% to 35%, and reworks the tax brackets from 7 to 3...meaning you have to give less of your paycheck to Uncle Sam. Some think the plan goes too far, but others feel this plan could lead to good economic growth

Law Enforcement	News	4/28/17	3:40am, 5:10am, 6:40am	60sec	A federal appeals court says employers can legally pay women less than men for the same work based on their previous salaries. The decision by the 9th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals overturned a lower-court ruling that said pay differences were discriminatory because of the Equal Pay Act. One lawyer said "The...decision is hard to accept." And sees the case going to the Supreme Court on an appeal.
Law Enforcement – Finances	News	4/28/17	4:10am, 5:40am, 7:10am	60sec	8 people were arrested yesterday for scamming millions of dollars from people by pretending to be angry IRS agents. The Treasury Department wants to remind you the IRS will NEVER demand anyone to wire money immediately OR pay with iTunes gift cards or other gift cards. EVER. If you've gotten a call from someone who says they're with the IRS, or if you get a call and they start demanding that you wire money or send gift cards – hang up! Then, report them. There's a special link from the IRS that we've posted on our FB page so you can report scammers – just search Air1 Morning Show.
Foster Care	Closer Look	4/30/17	7:00pm	16min	Churches Partner With Texas Gov't For Foster Kids A unique cooperation between the Christian community and the Texas Dept. of Family and Protective Services aims to ease the state's foster care crisis. Air1's Felipe Aguilar hears from Pastor Eric C. Hallback Sr. of the Rock Faith Center in El Paso and Felicia Mason-Edwards, regional administrator of faith-based initiatives with TXDFPS. Related Links: "Children sleeping in CPS offices spiked in March, mystifying Texas officials," (Dallas News) TX Dept of Family and Protective Services: A New Partnership for Children (official) Bio - Pastor Eric C. Hallback Sr. - The Rock Faith Center El Paso The Care Portal
Foster Care	Closer Look	4/30/17	7:17pm	14min	Foster Care Averted with 'Miriam's Hope' Keeping children out of foster care is the primary goal of a residential program in Hastings, Nebraska. Ministry founder Luke Kliwer was once himself a foster child and knows the pain of being in 'the system.' " <i>We are really interested in catching these families before that happens.</i> " Air1's Joel Reagan reports. Related Links: Miriam's Hope (Facebook) Miriam's Hope (website)
Human Trafficking	News	5/2/17	3:10am, 4:40am, 6:10am, 7:40am	60sec	70% of child victims of human trafficking come from foster care, and Air1's George Rath has the story on the urgent search for forever families of kids in the foster care system. The Christian Alliance for Orphans is hosting a summit at Brentwood Baptist Church near Nashville to talk about how to connect with kids who have tough backgrounds, understanding the foster care system, childhood trauma, and adopting children from Foster Care. Go to Air1.com, keyword NEWS for more on this from George.

Science	News	5/3/17	3:10am, 4:40am, 6:10am, 7:40am	60sec	The scientific community works hard to discover new things about our world, and a new celestial event has been discovered! It looks similar to the Northern Lights, but this is a single pillar of light. It was first seen by Aurora chasers in Canada. You'll need a little help seeing it, like binoculars, but they say it's quite stunning. The scientists have even given it a name: Steve.
Healthcare	News	5/4/17	4:10am, 5:40am, 7:10am	60sec	Experts are saying this could be a really bad year for ticks, and for something as bad as or worse than Lyme Disease: the Powassan virus. The CDC says Powassan can cause meningitis, encephalitis, permanent neurological issues, headaches, muscle pain, memory problems. It's bad! And even worse, there's no treatment. Bug spray and tick checks for everyone!
Natural Disaster	News	5/5/17	3:10am, 4:40am, 6:10am, 7:40am	60sec	We've already seen wildfires in Florida, Georgia, Arizona, New Mexico and Oklahoma...and an area hard hit with fires last year – Gatlinburg, Tennessee – had to deal with an 80-acre wildfire that, thankfully, was fully contained last night. Officials say they're expecting wildfires this summer to be bad in Florida, Georgia, California and Nevada.
Healthcare	News	5/5/17	3:10am, 4:40am, 6:10am, 7:40am	60sec	The American Academy of Pediatrics says toddlers are more likely to have French fries than a vegetable on any given day. The study shows that younger children go without eating any vegetables – at all. Since, eating habits develop at a young age, this is really concerning for docs. Experts know toddlers don't make it easy on parents. They don't like trying new things, and – this is where it gets hard – parents might have to offer a new food as many as 10 times before a toddler will even try it. Maybe a course in negotiation skills would help, or is this how God teaches patience?
Veterans	Closer Look	5/7/17	7:00pm	21min	<p>Combat Vet Helps Others Fight PTSD <i>Shield of Faith Missions connects U.S. soldiers at high-risk for suicide to a renewed purpose through community service. SOF also reaches soldiers and educates civilians about PTSD using a dramatic documentary featuring combat testimonials: "Surrender Only To One."</i></p> <p>Air1's Alex Gregory talks with SOF president U.S. Army Lt. Colonel Damon Friedman who personally survived combat in Afghanistan's Valley of Death.</p> <p>Related Links: Shield of Faith Missions (official) "Surrender To Only One" Movie Trailer</p>
Veterans	Closer Look	5/7/17	7:22pm	9min	<p>Care Packs and Camps Battle PTSD <i>Spotlight on a ministry that remembers deployed soldiers with tastes of home and offers a safe place to heal from spiritual and emotional effects of war.</i></p> <p>Air1's Monika Kelly talks with Ed McClelland of Operation Creekside.</p> <p>Related Links: Operation Creekside (official)</p>
Human Trafficking	News	5/8/17	3:40am, 5:10am, 6:40am	60sec	Big news out of Nigeria – the group Boko Haram released dozens of young women they've held since 2014. The Nigerian government has been trying to find and rescue those girls, 100 of whom are still being held.

Holiday	News	5/9/17	4:10am, 5:40am, 7:10am	60sec	Today is National Teacher Appreciation Day! Teaching can be challenging, it can be downright difficult at times, but most teachers you talk to will tell you it's a very rewarding career.
Government	News	5/10/17	3:10am, 4:40am, 6:10am, 7:40am	60sec	President Trump fired FBI Director James Comey yesterday. President Trump said he wanted to restore "public trust and confidence" in the FBI. Comey has been under fire from both sides of the political aisle on how his office has handled a few recent investigations you may have heard about.
Transportation	News	5/10/17	4:10am, 5:40am, 7:10am	60sec	Experts say there are a record number of vehicles on the road with unfixed recall problems. You can even buy a car without being told about an unrepaired safety issue! You wanna know how many of these vehicles are on the road right now? Over 63 million. Most of them are in Texas, where one out of every three vehicles has a safety problem that hasn't been fixed. That makes the commute a little more festive this morning, doesn't it?
Healthcare	News	5/11/17	4:10am, 5:40am, 7:10am	60sec	Experts say kids should always wear helmets when they're on any wheeled vehicle, because concrete is concrete. They say when kids fall off a bike, skateboard or scooter, they fall hard. And, Researchers say about 50 kids an hour end up in the emergency room, with broken bones, yes, but a surprising number with head injuries.
Homelessness	News	5/11/17	4:10am, 5:40am, 7:10am	60sec	Amazon announced its going to donate nearly 50,000 square feet of space in their new HQ building to house the homeless! They're going to partner with a non-profit in Seattle to take care hundreds of homeless people each night. They did something similar last year, letting homeless people stay in a building they weren't using. But, now they need that building for offices, so they're moving the homeless families to a building nearby that used to be a hotel.
Health	News	5/12/17	4:10am, 5:40am, 7:10am	60sec	What kind of milk should you drink? Cow's milk? Goat milk? Soy milk? Cashew milk? Experts say there's no reason to drink anything other than good, old-fashioned cow's milk...unless you have a real dairy allergy. They say it's the got the most nutrients, especially since other milks don't really have a lot of their advertised ingredient in them – they're mostly water.
Technology – Mental Health	Closer Look	5/14/17	7:00pm	22min	Mean Meme Leads To Ministry <i>A large purple birthmark on her face went viral to 30-million strangers on Facebook. Crystal Hodges and her mom Rhonda join Air1's Abby Aronoff to talk about beauty, faith and living with a physical difference.</i> Related Links: "After bullies mocked her birthmark, this woman became a force for kindness" (TODAY) "TO THE MAN WHO TURNED ME INTO A MEME" (blog) Crystal Hodges (official)
Mental Health	Pastor's Roundtable	5/14/17	7:23pm	8min	Air1 Pastors: Stop Bullies! <i>Pastors Mike and Dave encourage victims of bullies to tell an adult what's going on. Contact the CloserLook Pastors at (888)YES-AIR1</i>

Recreation	News	5/15/17	3:10am, 4:40am	60sec	A recent study says dancing helps. Researchers believe the white matter in our brain ages just like our body, and dancing helps the brain connections in our brains. In dancing, like actual dances – like the fox trot, the waltz, the paso doble – you have to know all the steps and where you are while you’re dancing. And, you get a GREAT workout – you’re socializing – so dancing has a TON of benefits no matter how old you are!
International Relations	News	5/15/17	4:10am, 5:40am, 7:10am	60sec	The U.N. Security Council having emergency meeting after North Korea tested a ballistic missile that went into the Sea of Japan over the weekend, but not just any missile – this missile is much bigger, flying higher and farther than any of their other missiles. The US, Japan and South Korea requested the UN meeting, which is scheduled for tomorrow afternoon.
Technology	News	5/16/17	3:10am, 4:10am, 6:10am, 7:40am	60sec	A 22-year-old computer whiz who found the ‘kill switch’ to the recent cyberattack says he’s no hero. “I’m just doing my bit to stop botnets” he said. While he didn’t stop the attack completely, it hit 150 countries worldwide, he did slow it down and keep it from spreading unchecked throughout the US.
Social Issues	News	5/16/17	3:40am, 5:10am, 6:40am	60sec	One in every 5 middle and high school students has complained of being bullied at school. That was slightly below the international average. David Osher, vice president at the American Institutes for Research. "Bullying is a public health issue because it really affects the mental wellness and health of students...Because it happens, it doesn't mean it has to happen."
Natural Disaster	News	5/17/17	3:10am, 4:10am, 4:40am, 5:40am, 6:10am, 7:10am, 7:40am	60sec	Two people lost their lives in tornadoes yesterday. A tornado went thru a mobile home park near Chetek, Wisconsin, taking one person’s life, and another person died when a tornado hit a subdivision near Elk City, Oklahoma. This monster storm hit least seven states, and there are dozens of injuries – nearly two-dozen tornadoes reported yesterday. This is where it gets odd – Western states could see snow! As much as 18-inches in higher elevations.
Technology – Relationships	News	5/18/17	4:10am, 5:40am, 7:10am	60sec	New research found that as screen time increases with very young children, the more likely they are to develop a speech delay. The biggest concern is that technology is getting in the way of interaction with other people. Research showed something surprising – more than 70 percent of young children were given an electronic device during a meal. The children would start acting up to get their caregiver’s attention, which is most cases, would upset the caregiver. Experts say the best thing adults can do during early development is disconnect.
Government	News	5/18/17	4:10am, 5:40am, 6:10am, 7:10am	60sec	After weeks of debate, the Justice Department named Former FBI director Robert Mueller as “special counsel” to oversee the federal investigation into possible Russian meddling in the presidential election, and, if so, whether anyone in the Trump campaign had knowledge of it.
Community Service	Closer Look	5/21/17	7:00pm	8min	Bigs In Blue: Police Outreach Police officers in a dozen cities volunteer as Big Brothers/Big Sisters. Airl’s Tracy Lynn has details. Related Links: Bigs In Blue - Big Brothers/Big Sisters of America

Technology	Closer Look	5/21/17	7:09pm	8min	"No Phones" Zone: Coffee and Community Some college kids in Ohio turn off their phones on Tuesdays. Air1's Billie Branham finds out why. Related Links: "Coffee and Community Night Fosters Conversation," Cedarville University.
Human Trafficking	Closer Look	5/22/17	7:17pm	15min	'Priceless Alaska' Mentors Trafficked Girls Ministry founder Gwen Adams tells Air1's Becky Hansen how she and <i>"a bunch of crazy church ladies"</i> battle human trafficking. <i>"I'm telling you, I'm watching these women who maybe never gave their life away beyond bake sales and VBS before fighting this crime in Alaska."</i> Related Links: Priceless Alaska - Redefine Worth
Food Industry	News	5/22/17	4:10am, 5:40am, 7:10am	60sec	Just in time for backyard grilling season, over 200,000 pounds of hot dogs are being recalled because of small metal pieces. The recall is for 14-ounce packages of "Nathan's Skinless 8 Beef Franks," and 16-ounce packages of "Curtis Beef Master Beef Franks." Thankfully, no one's been injured, but they're telling anyone who bought these hot dogs to pitch them or return them. You know why this is a big deal, don't you? That Nathan's Hot Dog Eating Championship is July 4 th at Coney Island.
Space Exploration	News	5/22/17	4:10am, 5:40am, 7:10am	60sec	NASA astronauts will have to venture outside the Space Station today to make some repairs. They have to replace a computer that controls the Station's solar power system, radiators, and other equipment. The crew isn't in danger, the secondary control has taken over, but the repair is very necessary. Peggy Whitson and Jack Fischer, who will be doing the repairs during the spacewalk, say it should just take a couple of hours.
Terrorism	News	5/23/17	3:10am, 4:40am, 5:10am, 6:40am, 7:40am,	60sec	An explosion struck at a concert in northern England late yesterday took the lives of at least 19 people and injured dozens more. A terror group has claimed responsibility for the attack. Witnesses say there were two loud bangs, but there aren't many more details. Thanks for praying for the families affected by this. As the day goes on, we're hearing more and more stories of goodness and heroism. Thanks for praying for everyone affected by this.
Employment	News	5/23/17	3:10am, 4:40am, 6:10am, 7:40am	60sec	What's the key to happiness at work? Independence. Well, a little more, anyway. Experts just finished years' worth of research that shows when employees are able to make decisions without having to run every single one by a manager – especially the little decisions, workers are happier. What else helps? Feeling like what they have to say and what they contribute actually matters, or even just having a little freedom over their schedules improves job satisfaction MORE than raises and bonuses.
Government – Transportation	News	5/24/17	3:10am, 4:40am, 6:10am, 7:40am	60sec	The government is suing Fiat Chrysler because they say some of its diesel pickup trucks and Jeep SUVs cheat emissions tests. The lawsuit says software on diesel engines allows them to produce more pollution on the road than they do during lab tests. This is the second time the Justice Department has gone after an automaker – remember the brouhaha with Volkswagen.

Healthcare	News	5/25/17	3:10am, 4:40am, 6:10am, 7:40am	60sec	Researchers say Zika began spreading in mosquitoes in Miami three months before infections even started showed up last summer. They think it was carried by people traveling from the Caribbean. I didn't know this, but most people with Zika don't get sick. It can cause a mild fever, rash and joint pain – but that's just like a lot of other viruses. The problem is Zika infection during pregnancy – because that can lead to very severe birth defects.
Technology – Mental Health	News	5/25/17	4:10am, 5:40am, 7:10am	60sec	You've heard over and over about how social media can cause extra stress because it makes us feel like our lives are less than. But, did you know one is worse than the others? Instagram. Experts say Instagram is so addictive because you can just scroll and scroll and scroll, and everyone on there looks so perfect and they're having so much fun. It makes us feel like our lives are rubbish. And, they say it's super destructive for teens and tweens who already deal with a lot of pretty coldblooded comparisons.
Self-care	News	5/26/17	3:10am, 4:40am, 6:10am, 7:40am	60sec	It may be Friday, but it's also Don't 'Fry-Day.' Since this is the first unofficial weekend of summer, experts say heat-related deaths are preventable. We're outside more in the hot, hot heat, and they say the key is to stay hydrated. Drinks with caffeine and drinks with lots of sugar actually dehydrate you, even though a nice cold Coca Cola tastes SOOOOOOOO good when it's hot. Straight up water is the way to go. If you're out in the heat and you DO start to feel icky, take a break and find a cool place to hang out for a bit.
Transportation - Exercise	Closer Look	5/28/17	7:00pm	19min	Joys of Cycling <i>Jump on your bike for fun or exercise or to save money on your work commute. Cities across America are more rider-friendly than ever.</i> Air1's Rafael Sierra talks with Alex Doty, Exec. Dir. of The League of American Bicyclists. Related Links: The League of American Bicyclists
Incarceration	Closer Look	5/28/17	7:20pm	9min	Prison Recovery Network <i>Matthew Platshorn is an ex-con and the son of convicted felons. His mission? Connect other ex-cons with support and skills for building a new life after prison.</i> Air1's Kindra Ponzio is on location at Prison Recovery Network. Related Links: Prison Recovery Network
Food Industry	News	5/31/17	3:40am, 5:10am, 6:40am	60sec	Big recall to tell you about – Simple Truth Dry Roasted Macadamia Nuts and Ava's Organic Cashews Roasted and Salted are being recalled because of possible listeria. Thankfully, there haven't been any reports of anyone getting sick from the nuts, but if you have some of these, pitch them or take them back.
Environment	News	6/1/17	3:10am, 4:40am, 6:10am, 6:40am	60sec	President Trump's decision about whether the US should get out of the Paris Climate Agreement is expected this afternoon. He'll make an announcement from the Rose Garden. There's pretty intense pressure from both sides of the aisle, and from around the world.

Entertainment	News	6/2/17	3:10am, 4:40am, 6:10am, 7:40am	60sec	You may have gone to bed before it was over, but we have a winner! 12-year-old Ananya Vinay from Fresno, California has won the National Spelling Bee by correctly spelling marocain, which is a dress fabric. She brings home more than \$40K in cash and prizes, and this was the first time since 2013 that there wasn't a tie!
Healthcare	Closer Look	6/4/17	7:00pm	28min	FAQ Blood & Organ Donation 1. <i>Blood must be real.</i> There's no substitute. We need donors. 2. Organs go to the <i>sickest</i> --not the richest--patients. Air1's Tracey Lynn gets the facts from Chris Hrouda of the American Red Cross and Anne Paschke of the United Network for Organ Sharing (UNOS). Related Links: American Red Cross United Network for Organ Sharing (UNOS) "Transplant patient holds her own heart after lifesaving operation," (ABC NEWS)
Finances	News	6/6/17	4:10am, 5:40am, 7:10am	60sec	We all like to save money, but experts say there ARE things that are worth the extra money because they last longer! Quality tools – both power tools and kitchen tools...hiring pros for services you're not confident in – accountants, mechanics and lawyers...and, they say pay a little more for really good clothes and shoes they'll last you a very long time.
Government	News	6/8/17	3:10am, 4:40am, 6:10am, 7:40am	60sec	Former FBI Director James Comey will testify before the Senate Intelligence committee today. His prepared statement was released Wednesday afternoon. Comey mentions in his statement that the president was not under investigation in any Russian probe.
Entertainment	News	6/9/17	3:10am, 4:40am, 6:10am, 7:40am	60sec	Who needs cable? Fewer of us apparently. Internet users of all age groups now more likely to use streaming services like Hulu, Netflix, and Amazon Prime. A million and half Americans cut their cable last year
Healthcare	News	6/9/17	3:10am, 4:40am, 6:10am, 7:40am	60sec	We are facing an opioid epidemic - a public health crisis - that's what the FDA commissioner says. That agency is telling one drug company to remove their pain killer from the market altogether. That drug is twice as powerful as OxyContin.
Technology	Closer Look	6/11/17	7:00pm	19min	The GAMER Pastor <i>Known as "SouZy" when he plays his Xbox, Pastor Matt Souza offers Jesus to more than a billion online gamers worldwide.</i> K-LOVE's George Rath learns about the gaming world and the weekly stream of GodSquad Church. Related Links: Pastor "SouZy" - TwitchTV/godsquadchurch "Gaming and Gamers," Pew Research. "More than 1.2 billion people are playing games," Venture Beat.
Life Issues	Pastor's Roundtable	6/11/17	7:20pm	9min	Air1 Pastors: When Life Falls Apart <i>Pastors Mike, Jeff and Keith encourage Christians to see hope in the promises of God.</i> Contact the CLOSER LOOK PASTORS TOLL FREE (888)YES-AIR1.

Public Safety – Government	News	6/14/17	6:10am, 6:40am, 5:10am, 7:40am	60sec	House Majority Whip Steve Scalise of Louisiana was shot Wednesday at a congressional baseball practice in Alexandria, Virginia. His wounds are not believed to be life-threatening. Alexandria police said the suspect is in custody. Several other people were also injured, including two law enforcement officers. Members of Congress gathered and prayed in one of the dugouts for the injured.
International Relations	News	6/14/17	4:10am, 5:40am, 7:10am	60sec	An American college student who had been held in North Korea has finally returned to his family in Cincinnati. Otto Warmbier arrived on a stretcher, and was taken straight to a hospital for treatment. Otto's parents say their son has been in a coma for over a year. North Korea detained him on espionage charges and sentenced him to 15 years hard labor.
Government	News	6/15/17	3:10am, 4:40am, 6:10am, 7:40am	60sec	The game will go on. The 108 th Annual Congressional Baseball Game <u>will</u> be played today, despite yesterday's violence. The game is partly to have a little fun outside of work, but it's also played for charity. Rep. Steve Scalise of Louisiana is in critical condition, and four other who were injured also remain hospitalized.
Public Safety	News	6/15/17	4:10am, 5:40am, 7:10am	60sec	The massive hunt is still on for two Georgia inmates who escaped from a prison bus and took the lives of their guards. They've stolen another vehicle, a white Ford F-150, and the reward for information about the two has grown to \$115,000. Officials say the men are incredibly dangerous, so if you see them, call 911 immediately.
Public Safety	News	6/16/17	3:10am, 4:40am, 6:10am, 7:40am	60sec	Those two inmates who escaped from a Georgia prison have been caught in Tennessee. A homeowner saw Donnie Rowe and Ricky Dubose allegedly trying to steal his car. He called a neighbor for help, and they held the convicts at gunpoint until sheriff's deputies arrived.
Military	News	6/16/17	3:10am, 4:40am, 6:10am, 7:40am	60sec	The Pentagon is sending almost 4,000 more American troops to Afghanistan. Most of the troops will train Afghan forces, while the rest will be assigned to counterterrorism operations against both the Taliban and ISIS.
Faith and Religion	Closer Look	6/18/17	7:00pm	28min	Stories of Former Muslims Turning to Jesus <i>A Muslim terrorist converted to Christianity after a bomb nearly took his life. A Palestinian Arab once committed to destroying Israel now ministers the love of Jesus to the Jews he once hated. Air1's Marya Morgan hears real-life experiences from Iran, Lebanon and Syria from Tom Doyle, American missionary and author of "Standing In the Fire: Courageous Christians Living in Frightening Times."</i> Related Links: Facebook: 8thirty8 - Prayer for Christians in the Middle East God's Heart is Big Enough (Tom Doyle - bio)
Military	News	6/19/17	3:10am, 4:40am, 6:10am, 7:40am	60sec	The American destroyer, The USS Fitzgerald, collided with a Philippine container ship nearly four times its size off the coast of Japan. 7 sailors lost their lives in the crash. Officials don't know why the two ships didn't avoid each other, but US and Japanese officials are looking into it.
International Relations	News	6/20/17	3:10am, 4:40am, 6:10am, 7:40am	60sec	The American college student, who returned home to Cincinnati in a coma last week after being released from a North Korean prison, has died. Otto Warmbier's family says the 22-year-old "completed his journey home." No specific cause of death was given, but I know they'd sure appreciate our prayers.

Natural Disaster	News	6/22/17	3:40am, 5:10am, 6:40am	60sec	The 120-degree heat in the Southwest is making it hard to fight the wildfires there. A Utah fire forced evacuations and shut down part of a highway. Another in Arizona destroyed at least four homes. Firefighters in California have been fighting a 1,200 acre fire northeast of Los Angeles for days.
Veterans	News	6/23/17	3:10am, 4:40am, 6:10am, 7:40am	60sec	It's no secret there've been problems at the VA for years, so today, President Trump is expected to sign a bill to help clean up the VA. This new bill creates an office that will hopefully fix the problems at the VA and the hospitals nationwide. The bill also protects employees who report problems, and makes it easier to fix problems without all the red tape.
Addiction	Closer Look	6/25/17	7:00pm	15min	Rx Addiction Affects Kids <i>When mom or dad is addicted to 'medicine' it distorts a child's reality and often creates deep resentment. Kids whose parents can't care for them are flooding the foster system.</i> Air1's Phil O'Bryan talks with Kate McQueen, pediatric therapist of Salus Care, Ft. Myers FL. Related Links: The Children of the Opioid Crisis (Wall Street Journal)
Animal Care	Closer Look	6/25/17	7:15pm	7min	Before You Adopt a Dog: 10 Tips <i>Consider the time a new pup needs, be willing to pay for training and some other things to think about...</i> Air1's Laura Daniels talks with certified Humane Specialist Diane Rose-Solomon. Related Links: What to Expect After Adopting A New Dog
Faith – Life Choices	Pastor's Roundtable	6/25/17	7:22	9min	Air1 Pastors: Steps To God's Will <i>"What does God want me to do with my Life?" Closer Look Pastors Dave and Bill help you find answers.</i> CALL THE CLOSER LOOK PASTORS: (888)YES-AIR1(937-2471).
Government - Security	News	6/26/17	3:40am, 5:10am, 6:40am	60sec	The Director of the CIA says intelligence leaks are on the rise. He says not only are other nations trying to steal our info, but employees who work for government agencies <u>and</u> sites like WikiLeaks are causing big trouble for security in the US!!

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The following is a listing of some of the significant issues responded to WFTF, RUTLAND, VT, along with the most significant programming treatment of those issues for the period of 1 July to 30 September. 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.

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Issue	Program	Date	Time	Duration	Description of Program
Law Enforcement – Faith and Religion	Closer Look	7/2/17	7:00pm	29min	<p>Felons Learn To Live In Christ <i>"I was a criminal, I was thief, that's what I wanted to be; so when I gave my life to Christ and decided I need to stay out here, I didn't know how. People that were here they taught me how to be a Christian man. I love Shepherd's Fold."</i></p> <p>Airl's Frank Hammond talks with ex-cons succeeding with the help of re-entry ministry Shepherd's Fold. Guests include Exec Dir Jack Hausen, graduate and Dir. of Ops Darrell Elmore and Carmone Owens, owner of Exotic Upholstery and also a program graduate.</p> <p>Related Links: Released inmates receive help with 'new start' Shepherds Fold - Gospel-Based Prison Re-entry Ministry</p>
Technology – Mental Health	News	7/5/17	3:10am, 4:40am, 6:10am, 7:40am	60sec	<p>You know using your phone can keep you from falling asleep, but a new study says it can trigger anxiety and depression in teenagers, which leads to a much lower self-esteem, especially for girls. Teen girls typically get less sleep than boys, so the study say set an electronic curfews for teens, and parents need to set an example, so follow the same curfew.</p>
Technology	Closer Look	7/9/17	7:00pm	18min	<p>Phone Apps For Child Safety <i>Wanna have your kid's info handy in case something bad happens? There's an app for that.</i></p> <p>Airl's Billie Branham talks Gina Swankie of the FBI and Callahan Walsh, brother of Adam Walsh whose family founded the Nat'l Center for Missing & Exploited Children.</p> <p>Related Links: Nat'l Center for Missing and Exploited Children FBI S.O.S. for Kids - Safe Online Surfing Safety Central App by NCMEC - free</p>
Marriage	Pastor's Roundtable	7/9/17	7:20pm	11min	<p>Airl Pastors: How-To Connect With Your Husband/Wife <i>Try staff meetings and prayer hugs to make your marriage better. Pastors Dave and Bill explain. Call the Closer Look Pastors 888-YES-AIR1(937-2471)</i></p>
Finances	News	7/12/17	3:40am, 5:10am, 6:40am	60sec	<p>A new study shows we spend most of our money on three things: housing, transportation and food. The report says eating out eats over 40 percent of our food budget! Whoops!! Obvs cuts can be made there, and in transportation budget. They say you don't have to plop down \$500 a month for the next 72 months just to have a reliable car. They say put down as much cash as you can up front, then just do a three or four year loan.</p>
Healthcare	News	7/13/17	3:10am, 4:40am, 6:10am, 7:40am	60sec	<p>New research out of Duke University says the dust in your house can make you fat. They looked at fat cells in people, and the dust in their homes, and found their fat cells had the same elements as the dust. It's not just skin cells in dust – its lots of things, tiny particles of plastics, chemicals and other things in our home that can start to affect metabolic rates, reproductive systems, coronary function and cause cancer.</p>

Finances	News	7/14/17	4:10am, 5:40am, 7:10am	60sec	Don't you hate when you check out at the grocery and wonder how two little bags of food cost you nearly \$70? A new grocery startup wants to help you eat well, live well and shop well – for \$3. Brandless is an online store with hundreds of household and grocery items, each just \$3. Organic food, personal care items, even things to set up your kitchen – like plates, bowls, knives, measuring cups – all just \$3. And, Brandless donates meals for every purchase!
Public Safety	News	7/14/17	4:10am, 5:40am, 7:10am	60sec	Marathon Enterprises recalling more than 7 million pounds of beef and pork hot dogs, sausages and salami. The meat is sold under 7 or 8 brands: Sabrett, Nathan's Private Label and Papaya King, to name a few. All you need to know about this recall is on our socials, just search “Air1 Morning Show,” or head over to Air1.com, click Eric & Heather on the DJ tab.
Marriage	Closer Look	7/16/17	7:00pm	28min	Man-Talk On Marriage <i>Men respond to media mockery of husbands, discuss the importance of having a woman's respect and explore what it means to cherish their wives.</i> Air1's George Rath gets input from successful authors Dr. Emerson Eggerichs of Love and Respect Ministries and Gary Thomas author of 'Sacred Romance' and 'Cherish.' Related Links: Love and Respect : relationship advice Gary Thomas (official)
Finances	News	7/18/17	3:10am, 4:40am, 6:10am, 7:40am	60sec	The IRS is warning about a new scam, but this one targets tax professionals! Hackers are trying to scam them, like the do us, hoping to grab taxpayer info through phishing emails. The IRS says 177 tax pros had data stolen in the first 5 months of this year.
Healthcare	News	7/19/17	4:10am, 5:40am, 7:10am	60sec	Go out and get dirty today! A new study from the University of Chicago study says keeping kids from getting dirty could be messing with their immune systems. They say by kids who miss out on bacteria in the environment can end up with allergies, asthma, even eczema. The research says the bacteria in the dirt in your backyard, or even sloppy kisses from the family dog and cat aren't as dangerous as parents think.
Finances	News	7/21/17	3:10am, 4:40am, 6:10am, 7:40am	60sec	Researchers say we're spending more on like groceries and gas than previous generations have – roughly \$2,300 a year. And, because we spend more on these, we're less likely to buy homes. We also spend less on travel and television than our elders.
Disabilities	Closer Look	7/23/17	7:00pm	28min	Kids Learn About Disabilities <i>Your child sees a wheelchair, a prosthetic leg or a service dog and they have questions. “A Touch of Understanding” teaches school kids what to say when they meet a person with a disability.</i> Air1's Billie Branham talks with ATOU founder Leslie DeDora and board members Bob Schultz and Darlene O'Brien, a woman who is blind and shares her story with students. Related Links: A.T.O.U. - A Touch of Understanding (official)

Food Distribution	News	7/24/17	3:40am, 5:10am, 6:40am	60sec	Big recall of a great summertime side – Bush’s Baked Beans has announced a voluntary recall because of defective side seams on some of the cans. 28-ounce cans of Bush’s Brown Sugar Hickory Baked Beans, Country Style Baked Beans and Original Baked Beans. The cans have a “best by” date of June 2019. The Bush Bean Company says no one has reported getting sick.
Childcare – Finances	News	7/25/17	3:10am, 4:40am, 6:10am, 7:40am	60sec	Oregon, New York and Alaska have the highest childcare costs, but a new study says that a third of us spend, on average, spend \$25,000 a year on childcare. Some families are spending over \$50,000 a year! Naturally, some spend less, but it’s one of the biggest expenses for families.
Healthcare	News	7/26/17	3:10am, 4:40am, 6:10am, 7:40am	60sec	The Senate voted yesterday to move forward with the promise to repeal and replace "Obamacare." What that bill will look like is anyone’s guess. Senator John McCain was on the floor after his cancer diagnosis to cast his vote and encourage politicians on both sides to work together. The vote passed, 51-50.
Government – Healthcare	News	7/28/17	5:30am	60sec	The Senate voted down the latest repeal for parts of the Affordable Care Act. Insurance lobbyists weren’t for it, a number of Governors weren’t for it, and neither was the American Medical Association. That vote was last night, 49-51.
Family Issues	Closer Look	7/30/17	7:00pm	16min	Churches Partner With Texas Gov’t For Foster Kids A unique cooperation between the Christian community and the Texas Dept. of Family and Protective Services aims to ease the state's foster care crisis. Air1's Felipe Aguilar hears from Pastor Eric C. Hallback Sr. of the Rock Faith Center in El Paso and Felicia Mason-Edwards, regional administrator of faith-based initiatives with TXDFPS. Related Links: "Children sleeping in CPS offices spiked in March, mystifying Texas officials," (Dallas News) TX Dept of Family and Protective Services: A New Partnership for Children (official) Bio - Pastor Eric C. Hallback Sr. - The Rock Faith Center El Paso The Care Portal
Family Issues	Closer Look	7/30/17	7:17pm	13min	Foster Care Averted with ‘Miriam’s Hope’ Keeping children out of foster care is the primary goal of a residential program in Hastings, Nebraska. Ministry founder Luke Kliewer was once himself a foster child and knows the pain of being in ‘the system.’ “ <i>We are really interested in catching these families before that happens.</i> ” Air1's Joel Reagan reports. Related Links: Miriam's Hope (Facebook) Miriam's Hope (website)

Education	News	7/31/17	3:10am, 4:40am, 6:10am, 7:40am	60sec	Air1's Billie Branham spoke with Dr. Angelica Ha, a pediatrician with Kaiser Permanente, who says a relatively stress-free first week of school is possible! Getting good sleep – not just for the kids, but you, too – will help alleviate some of the stress. But there's one small, but very important thing that WILL help the day start right – put together a sort of staging area for everything you need to get out the door. Hear the rest of Billie's conversation with Dr. Ha at Air1.com, keyword news.
Healthcare	Closer Look	8/6/17	7:00pm	18min	We Heart CPR <i>Even one minute of chest compressions/CPR can keep a person alive til help arrives. A 5th grade girl used CPR training from summer camp to save a boy from drowning.</i> Air1's Rafael Sierra hears from cardiologist Dr. Diane Sobkowicz of Sutter Heart & Vascular Institute and CPR Hero Skylar Berry tells her rescue story. Related Links: American Heart Association - Find a CPR Training Center Near You "CPR Saves More Than 92,000 Lives Annually; Only 4 Percent of Americans Train Each Year" (ABC NEWS) "Teen Who Used CPR to Save Boy's Life Teaches Skill at Rio Linda High School" (KTXL)
Mental Health	Pastor's Roundtable	8/6/17	7:19pm	9min	Air1 Pastors: Why Cutters Cut <i>Closer Look Pastors Mike and Dave explain why some kids use sharp objects to relieve stress.</i>
Healthcare – Finance	News	8/7/17	3:40am, 5:10am, 6:40am	60sec	Martin Shkreli, the man who fronted a pharmaceutical company that raised the price of an AIDS drug from around \$13 to over \$750, was found guilty of securities fraud. It turns out that Mr. Shkreli was also running a Ponzi scheme as a hedge fund manager, and stole millions from investors. He's looking at 20 years in prison over that.
Entertainment – Healthcare	News	8/9/17	3:40am, 5:10am, 6:40am	60sec	Playing action video games may be detrimental to the brain. Researchers say it reduces the amount of gray matter in a part of the brain linked to episodic memory and orientation, like how we remember to ride a bike. The study says action video game players use "response learning," which is based on forming a habit and relying on it, and relying on it shuts down other avenues of learning.
Technology	Closer Look	8/13/17	7:00pm	22min	Mean Meme Leads To Ministry <i>A large purple birthmark on her face went viral to 30-million strangers on Facebook. Crystal Hodges and her mom Rhonda join Air1's Abby Aronoff to talk about beauty, faith and living with a physical difference.</i> Related Links: "After bullies mocked her birthmark, this woman became a force for kindness" (TODAY) "TO THE MAN WHO TURNED ME INTO A MEME" (blog) Crystal Hodges (official)
Social Issues	Pastor's Roundtable	8/13/17	7:23pm	8min	Air1 Pastors: Stop Bullies! <i>Pastors Mike and Dave encourage victims of bullies to tell an adult what's going on. Contact the CloserLook Pastors at (888)YES-AIR1</i>

Healthcare	News	8/17/17	3:10am, 4:40am, 6:10am, 7:40am	60sec	Hoping to help stop the opioid epidemic, Express Script, the nation's largest pharmacy benefit manager, is going to start limiting prescription painkillers for first-time users. Studies showed a 40 percent reduction in hospital visits with the program. But, The American Medical Association isn't happy, saying decisions about treatment plans should be left to doctors.
Military	News	8/18/17	3:40am, 5:10am, 6:40am	60sec	The Coast Guard is expanding the search area for a Black Hawk helicopter that crashed during nighttime training in Hawaii. The search had focused on waters about 5 miles off shore, but extended to 50 miles because currents might have pushed the helicopter farther out. Two pilots and three crew members are still missing.
Mental Health – Military	Closer Look	8/20/17	7:00pm	21min	<p>Combat Vet Helps Others Fight PTSD <i>Shield of Faith Missions connects U.S. soldiers at high-risk for suicide to a renewed purpose through community service. SOF also reaches soldiers and educates civilians about PTSD using a dramatic documentary featuring combat testimonials: "Surrender Only To One."</i></p> <p>Air1's Alex Gregory talks with SOF president U.S. Army Lt. Colonel Damon Friedman who personally survived combat in Afghanistan's Valley of Death.</p> <p>Related Links: Shield of Faith Missions (official) "Surrender To Only One" Movie Trailer</p>
Mental Health – Military	Closer Look	8/20/17	7:21pm	9min	<p>Care Packs and Camps Battle PTSD <i>Spotlight on a ministry that remembers deployed soldiers with tastes of home and offers a safe place to heal from spiritual and emotional effects of war.</i></p> <p>Air1's Monika Kelly talks with Ed McClelland of Operation Creekside.</p> <p>Related Links: Operation Creekside (official)</p>
Natural Phenomena	News	8/21/17	3:10am, 4:40am, 6:10am, 7:40am	60sec	Air1's Billie Branahm spoke with Steven Beckwith, he's a Professor of Astronomy at the University of California in Berkeley and he's done TONS of YouTube videos about space that you've probably seen but didn't know who it was. Pretty cool, huh? He says today's solar eclipse is such a HUGE deal because it's rare for one to go ALL the way across the US! Dr. Beckwith says solar eclipses happen pretty regularly actually! Get more at Air1.com, keyword NEWS. On a day like today, it's hard to watch something cool like the eclipse AND hold your phone! Well, don't worry your little head because now there's FrontRow – a livestreaming device that looks remarkably like a necklace, but works kind of like a tiny little GoPro! It live streams your life, and totally leaves your hands free to actually enjoy whatever it is you're enjoying without having to fumble with your phone. And, it streams right to FB, Insta, Twitter.
Military	News	8/22/17	3:10am, 4:40am,	60sec	Remains of Navy sailors have been found in a compartment of the USS John McCain, just a day after the warship collided with an oil tanker in Southeast Asia. Ships and planes from 4 countries are helping with the search for more of the missing. The Navy demanded a more in-depth investigation into the 7th Fleet because this is the second major, and deadly, collision they've been involved with in two months.

Military	News	8/22/17	3:40am, 5:10am, 6:40am	60sec	Officials have stopped the search for five Army soldiers who were aboard a helicopter that crashed during offshore training in Hawaii last week. Remotely operated underwater vehicles and sonar were brought in to help search in waters over 1,000 feet deep. Teams searched over 72,000 nautical miles over the last week but saw no signs of the crew that went missing.
Military	News	8/23/17	3:10am, 4:40am, 6:10am, 7:40am	60sec	Vice Admiral Joseph Aucoin, commander of the Navy's 7th Fleet, will be relieved of his duties after 4 warship accidents in the past year. In June, seven sailors lost their lives when the USS Fitzgerald collided with a ship off Japan. Then Monday, The USS John S. McCain collided with a tanker off Singapore. The search continues for missing sailors after some remains were found yesterday.
Finances	News	8/25/17	3:40am, 5:10am, 6:40am	60sec	What happens when you get paid? You barely get to say hi to that money before it's gone, right? A new survey says you are NOT alone: nearly 80% of us are living paycheck to paycheck. From minimum wage earners to people with six figure incomes – most people say they struggle just to pay the bills. Overall, incomes have gone up over the past 10 years, but, it hasn't kept up with the cost of actual living. So, don't let someone's perfectly polished life make you feel bad, honey...we all get it, and we're all in this together.
Active Lifestyle	Closer Look	8/27/17	7:00pm	19min	Joys of Cycling <i>Jump on your bike for fun or exercise or to save money on your work commute. Cities across America are more rider-friendly than ever.</i> Air1's Rafael Sierra talks with Alex Doty, Exec. Dir. of The League of American Bicyclists. Related Links: The League of American Bicyclists
Law Enforcement - Rehabilitation	Closer Look	8/27/17	7:20pm	9min	Prison Recovery Network <i>Matthew Platshorn is an ex-con and the son of convicted felons. His mission? Connect other ex-cons with support and skills for building a new life after prison.</i> Air1's Kindra Ponzio is on location at Prison Recovery Network. Related Links: Prison Recovery Network
Natural Resources	News	8/28/17	4:40am	60sec	Okay, so, you don't live in Texas, think this doesn't affect you? Well...the hurricane and now the flooding has caused oil and gas facilities along the Texas Gulf Coast to shut down temporarily, and experts think gas prices could go up as much as 25 cents a gallon.
Healthcare	News	8/30/17	4:10am, 5:40am, 7:10am	60sec	So...which is worse: fat or carbs? There is ONE that's worse, but not what you think. A gigantic study across 18 countries showed that carbs, especially refined and processed carbs, are one of THE BIGGEST reasons your risk of a premature death is going up! Now, if you start to add fruits and veggies and beans to your diet, it <u>can</u> lower your risk, but there's one other thing the study showed: just 3 to 4 servings of fruit and veg a day does the trick. More than that doesn't add any real health benefits.

Healthcare	News	8/31/17	4:10am, 5:40am, 7:10am	60sec	The FDA approved a treatment yesterday to destroy childhood leukemia. It's made for each patient using their own blood cells to fight blood cancers and tumors. It's just one of a bunch of "living drugs" in development right now. Children's Hospital of Philadelphia treated the first child using this new therapy — a girl who'd been near death but now is cancer-free for five years and counting. A doctor there said, "This is a brand new way of treating cancer" and "...it's enormously exciting."
Volunteer Programs	Closer Look	9/3/17	7:00pm	8min	Bigs In Blue: Police Outreach Police officers in a dozen cities volunteer as Big Brothers/Big Sisters. Air1's Tracy Lynn has details. Related Links: Bigs In Blue - Big Brothers/Big Sisters of America
Technology	Closer Look	9/3/17	7:09pm	8min	"No Phones" Zone: Coffee and Community Some college kids in Ohio turn off their phones on Tuesdays. Air1's Billie Branham finds out why. Related Links: "Coffee and Community Night Fosters Conversation," Cedarville University.
Human Trafficking	Closer Look	9/3/17	7:17pm	14min	'Priceless Alaska' Mentors Trafficked Girls Ministry founder Gwen Adams tells Air1's Becky Hansen how she and "a bunch of crazy church ladies" battle human trafficking. <i>"I'm telling you, I'm watching these women who maybe never gave their life away beyond bake sales and VBS before fighting this crime in Alaska."</i> Related Links: Priceless Alaska - Redefine Worth
Finances	News	9/8/17	3:10am, 4:40am, 6:10am, 7:40am	60sec	Credit monitoring company Equifax has been hacked. Social Security numbers and other sensitive information all exposed. They say about 143 million people are affected. Now, if you're not familiar, Equifax is one of the three major credit bureaus. The hack was discovered July 29 th , but they say they were asked by authorities to keep it quiet while the investigation was underway. This is why it's so important to use a solid credit check.
Faith & Religion	Closer Look	9/10/17	7:00pm	28min	Stories of Former Muslims Turning to Jesus <i>A Muslim terrorist converted to Christianity after a bomb nearly took his life. A Palestinian Arab once committed to destroying Israel now ministers the love of Jesus to the Jews he once hated. Air1's Marya Morgan hears real-life experiences from Iran, Lebanon and Syria from Tom Doyle, American missionary and author of "Standing In the Fire: Courageous Christians Living in Frightening Times."</i> Related Links: Facebook: 8thirty8 - Prayer for Christians in the Middle East God's Heart is Big Enough (Tom Doyle - bio)
Patriot Day	News	9/11/17	3:10am, 4:40am, 6:10am, 7:40am	60sec	It's been 16 years since one of the nation's most sobering days. Thousands of relatives of the victims of the 9/11 attacks, as well as survivors, rescuers and others together this morning at the 9/11 Memorial Plaza, as well as at the Pentagon and in Shanksville, Pennsylvania. There are also memorials planned around the country today, too.

Healthcare	News	9/13/17	3:10am, 4:40am, 6:10am, 7:40am	60sec	A new study says sitting for hours a day may lead to an early death. Yeah, that kind of got my attention too! Researchers say most of us sit as much as 10 hours a day! This is not good! Well, no, actually. They say exercise does NOT make a difference! The study said key is to break up the time we spend sitting. So, put that timer on your phone to good use today and get moving.
Immigration	News	9/14/17	3:10am, 4:40am, 6:10am, 7:40am	60sec	House and Senate Democrats say they've reached agreement with the Trump Administration to protect younger immigrants from deportation. The deal continues protections for nearly 800,000 immigrants brought illegally to the US country as children and protected former President Obama's DACA plan.
Childhood Issues	Closer Look	9/17/17	7:00pm	19min	Challenge Academy for At-Risk Kids <i>In nearly every U.S. state the Nat'l Guard offers troubled teens a FREE, 6-month, residential program to get their futures on back on track.</i> Air1's Alex Gregory talks with Maj. Peter Lewis of the CA Nat'l Guard Challenge Academy and Dir. Peter Thomas of Challenge Academy, IL Nat'l Guard. Related Links: Nat'l Guard Youth Challenge: Find Program Near You "A Last Second Chance: 'CBS News follows high school dropouts trying to turn their lives around
Mental Health	Pastor's Roundtable	9/17/17	7:20pm	9min	Air1 Pastors: Trauma/Emotional Pain <i>Closer Look Pastors Mike, Josh and Dave encourage you to seek healing for emotional injuries.</i>
Technology	News	9/18/17	3:40am, 5:10am, 6:40am	60sec	Verizon has notified rural customers in 13 states that they'll be dropping their service. Obviously, the big concern is how this will impact emergency services. Volunteer firefighters and ambulance drivers in rural Montana say Verizon texts are how they get a majority of their pages. The company says it's impossible to turn a profit in these areas.
Finances – Technology	News	9/19/17	4:10am, 5:40am, 7:10am	60sec	This is news about a NEW Equifax hack...one that happened back in March...BEFORE the breach of over 143 million people's info. See, the March breach wasn't related at all to the breach that happened in July, and security experts say it wasn't even the same hackers. But, now, news of this breach from back in March has investigators even MORE curious about the big sale of Equifax stock by Equifax executives.
Technology – A1	News	9/20/17	6:10am, 7:40am	60sec	Did you get an email from Amazon about someone sending you a gift from your baby registry? Are you confused because you don't have a baby registry? Or, possibly don't even have a baby? Yeah, it wasn't a phishing scam...it was an accident. Some people got more than a few notices, so it got funny for a bunch of people. But, Amazon admits it was human error – a simple little mistake – no worries. Amazon even sent out an apology email for the slip-up.
Professional Sports	News	9/21/17	3:40am, 5:10am, 6:40am	60sec	A two-year-old girl at Yankee Stadium was badly injured yesterday by a 105 mph foul ball off the bat of Yankees Todd Frazier. Frazier was pretty shaken by it, crouching with his hands over his face. Minnesota Twins Brian Dozier and Yankees' Matt Holliday had tears as they said prayers. Players have been asking that nets be extended at ballparks just to avoid things like this. Thankfully, the little girl was OK after being treated at a local hospital.

Economy	News	9/22/17	3:10am, 4:40am, 6:10am, 7:40am	60sec	Car-maker Mercedes-Benz is investing \$1 billion build an electric vehicle assembly plant in Alabama. Mercedes says it'll also build a battery factory nearby, and the two plants will create 600 new jobs. Construction starts next year, and plan to open in 2020. They'll be making electric SUVs at the Alabama plant, and they'll also probably be making Tesla a little angry.
Community Service	Closer Look	9/24/17	7:00pm	16min	'Little Chefs' Cook For OKC Elderly Young children join other volunteers who cook and deliver food and love to needy senior citizens via Edmond Mobile Meals in Oklahoma. Airl's Monika Kelly talks with Cristi Twenter about the Little Chefs Learn to Serve program. Related Links: Edmond Mobile Meals - Little Chefs Learn to Serve
Immigration	Closer Look	9/24/17	7:17pm	13min	Korean-Americans Can Call KFAM Korean immigrants in the U.S. can find it especially difficult to talk about issues like domestic abuse or mental illness. K-LOVE's Dan Beck talks with Connie Jung Cho of Korean American Family Services about KFAM's commitment to help to this very traditional and linguistically-isolated community. Related Links: Korean American Family Services
Healthcare	News	9/26/17	3:40am, 5:10am, 6:40am	60sec	A nonprofit group wants manufacturers, distributors and retailers to put warning labels on coffee. This group has been presenting evidence in a Los Angeles courtroom to make its case, claiming about 90 companies, including grocery stores and retail shops, have NOT followed a California law that requires warnings about hazardous chemicals. Coffee is hazardous? Well, no, but acrylamide is. And acrylamide is a carcinogen, and it's found in cooked foods – like French fries – but it's also a natural byproduct of the coffee roasting process. The coffee industry admits the chemical's in coffee, but say the levels so low they're harmless, and the benefits of drinking coffee far outweigh the tiny amount in coffee.
Sports – Law Enforcement	News	9/27/17	4:10am, 5:40am, 6:10am	60sec	Money doesn't corrupt. The love of money corrupts. Proof in one of the biggest corruption scandals in college basketball. 10 men charged yesterday with using hundreds of thousands of dollars in bribes to get star athletes to certain schools. Some of the people charged include a top Adidas executive, and assistant coaches from BIG college ball programs! Investigators said at least three top high school recruits were promised \$150,000, each, with money from Adidas, so those recruits would choose universities sponsored by Adidas. Prosecutors said some bribe money went directly to athletes and their families, and some went to coaches so they would sway players that might be headed to the NBA.
Mental Health	News	9/28/17	3:10am, 4:40am, 6:10am, 7:40am	60sec	Experts say the key to happiness is, well, optimism. That's all well and good, but how do you get there? One expert says as you get ready for the day, mentally go through your day and find two things you're looking forward to. That starts to train your brain to focus on the positive, which boosts your mood and your overall attitude and outlook on life. Ask your kids what they're looking forward to...because only you have the power to change the way you do life.

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The following is a listing of some of the significant issues responded to WFTF, RUTLAND, VT, along with the most significant programming treatment of those issues for the period of 1 October to 31 December. 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.

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Issue	Program	Date	Time	Duration	Description of Program
Incarceration	Closer Look	10/1/17	7:00pm	19min	Shelter Dogs Trained By Prisoners Dogs with behavior problems get obedience training from men who understand how it feels to be locked up. Air1's Kindra Ponzio visited Stephanie Leth about the mission of the Inmate Dog Alliance Project of Idaho (IDAPI). Related Links: Idaho Humane Society (Facebook) Inmate Dog Alliance Project of Idaho (IDAPI) Program -- City of Boise Police
Relationships	Pastor's Roundtable	10/1/17	7:20pm	11min	Air1 Pastors: Dating In The Hookup Culture Pastors Bill and Joesy share their thoughts on your search for love and romance. Call the Closer Look Pastors toll free 888-YES-AIR1.
Government	News	10/2/17	3:40am, 5:10am, 6:40am	60sec	The Supreme Court gets underway this week. The justices will hear some pretty important cases this term, including the government's ability to track people without search warrants, and employees' rights to band together over workplace disputes.
Childhood Issues	Closer Look	10/8/17	7:00pm	20min	Inner-City Youth Dealt 'ACES' Get KidPOWER Some kids live with the deck stacked against them -- 'ACES' or 'adverse childhood experiences' cause anxiety and anger which can lead to a legacy of bad behavior. Air1's Alex Gregory hears from Tina Mitchell about how the KidPOWER afterschool program breaks the cycle in inner-city Nashville. Related Links: KidPOWER by CrossBRIDGE - Nashville TN CDC: Adverse Childhood Experiences (ACEs)
Addiction	Pastor's Roundtable	10/8/17	7:20pm	9min	Air1 Pastors: Rx Addiction Air1 Pastor Joesy tells Pastor Bill her husband's heroin problem began as a simple addiction to prescription pain pills. CALL THE CLOSER LOOK PASTORS 888-YES-AIR1.
Addiction	Closer Look	10/15/17	7:00pm	29min	Opioid Overdoses Plague The U.S. <u>30,000+</u> people die every year from addiction to Rx pain pills. Who's to blame? And <i>how do we fix it??</i> Air1's Billie Branham talks with Andrea Boxill of the Ohio Governor's Cabinet Opiate Action Team and Jean Krisle of 10,000 Beds which offers financial assistance for rehab. Related Links: Governor's Opiate Action Team - Ohio 10,000 Beds - rehab/drug treatment scholarships The Opioid Epidemic in 6 Charts
Finances	News	10/16/17	3:10am, 4:40am, 6:10am, 7:40am	60sec	If procrastinators had a holiday – today might be it. If you filed an extension with the IRS in April, today is your day!! Today is the deadline for filing your 2016 Return. Penalties and fees pile up if you owe, so get it together and in the mail by midnight. If you miss the deadline today? Well, again penalties and fees. But, if you don't owe and don't file today, don't expect your refund to arrive on time.

Technology	News	10/17/17	3:10am, 4:40am, 6:10am, 7:40am	60sec	Remember how much life changed when 4G networks became a reality? The speed, the availability...it was incredible!! Well, hold on to your hats kiddies, because 5G is coming. And it WILL be life changing because 5G is 50 times faster than 4G. Experts said it would be 2020 before 5G became a reality, but so many companies have been working so hard on it that it will be a reality in just over 18 months!!
Technology	News	10/17/17	3:40am, 5:10am, 6:40am	60sec	Security researchers have found a Wi-Fi network issue that could allow attackers to steal information or spread malicious software. This affects anyone using Wi-Fi... at home, work or public Wi-Fi. The report says the issue can be resolved through software updates. Microsoft says it's already sent patches in their updates. Google says their fixes are coming in the next few weeks.
Technology	News	10/19/17	3:40am, 5:10am, 6:40am	60sec	Do you phubb or have you been phubbed? Probably a little of both at this point, if we're honest. Phubbing is just such a normal part of life that it's almost just been accepted as normal. Phubbing is when you snubbing the person or people you're with to connect with someone on your phone. A new study called "My Life Has Become a Major Distraction From My Cell Phone" says using our phones when we're with other human beings, it hurts those relationships. And sometimes, those are the most important support systems – close friends, spouses, and family. Phubbing makes them feel disrespected, and unheard, kind of unimportant...and then THAT starts to drag us into depression. So, don't be a phubber. Put down your phone and connect with the person you can literally reach out and touch.
Healthcare	News	10/19/17	4:10am, 5:40am, 7:10am	60sec	There's new CDC report says that nearly half of all cancers can be linked to being overweight or considered clinically obese. More Americans than ever – nearly 2/3 of us – currently fall into the overweight or clinically obese category. Brenda Fitzgerald, Director of the CDC, says these findings are a BIG cause for concern. She went on to say that by getting healthy – getting to a healthy weight and eating better, we all can literally play a role in cancer prevention in our lives.
Finances – Technology	News	10/20/17	3:10am, 4:40am, 6:10am, 7:40am	60sec	Visa is kicking off a platform that will let banks use biometrics, like your fingerprint, your voice and your face to approve credit card applications and payments. Meaning, your bank may ask you to drop 'em a selfie. Banks are looking for better fraud protection. But, you don't have to worry just yet – look at how long it took... and IS taking... for chip cards to be fully functional.
Childhood Issues	Closer Look	10/22/17	7:00pm	20min	Inner-City Youth Dealt 'ACES' Get KidPOWER Some kids live with the deck stacked against them -- 'ACES' or 'adverse childhood experiences' cause anxiety and anger which can lead to a legacy of bad behavior. Air1's Alex Gregory hears from Tina Mitchell about how the KidPOWER afterschool program breaks the cycle in inner-city Nashville. Related Links: KidPOWER by CrossBRIDGE - Nashville TN CDC: Adverse Childhood Experiences (ACEs)

Drug Abuse	Pastor's Roundtable	10/22/17	7:20pm	10min	Air1 Pastors: Rx Addiction Air1 Pastor Joesy tells Pastor Bill her husband's heroin problem began as a simple addiction to prescription pain pills. CALL THE CLOSER LOOK PASTORS 888-YES-AIR1.
Economy	News	10/24/17	3:10am, 4:40am, 6:10am, 7:40am	60sec	It's a trend that's catching on – thankfully – pushing back against the "Christmas creep." Target has announced they're going to ease into Christmas and take time to better recognize Thanksgiving. RIGHT ON!!! Target says they're gonna keep the Christmas lights from tangling with the candy corn, and keep Thanksgiving signs and displays up during November. The focus will be on T-Day meal prep, and entertaining all those people til' the turkeys on the table.
Government – Finances	News	10/25/17	4:10am, 5:10am, 6:40am	60sec	The Senate approved \$36.5 billion in emergency aid yesterday to refill disaster accounts, pump some much-needed cash into Puerto Rico, and bail out the federal flood insurance program. The measure heads to the White House, where the President is expected to sign it. The White House said this will "provide critical relief" from all the recent natural disasters.
Holiday	News	10/26/17	3:10am, 4:40am, 6:10am, 7:40am	60sec	You know all those national holidays that don't get a lot of attention? Like "Leave a Zucchini on Your Neighbor's Doorstep Day" and "National Lollipop Day?" Today's a day that doesn't get a lot of attention, and should. October 26 th is National Day of the Deployed. A way to honor the brave men and women who are deployed, defending the US. The day ALSO honors all the families who are home keeping things going until their loved get home. We appreciate your sacrifice – whether you're deployed or keeping the ball rolling at home. Thank you.
Drug Abuse	News	10/27/17	4:10am, 5:40am, 7:10am	60sec	The President got real yesterday. His brother, Fred, was an addict. And that addiction eventually took Fred's life. The President says his brother warned him not to drink or do drugs or smoke...so he never has. But, not everyone has someone to warn them about how easy it is to fall into the trap of addiction. The opioid crisis is getting worse every single day, so the President declared it a public Health Emergency. Well, the government can move around some money so more rural areas that need money to fight this actually get it, AND it cuts thru the hoops people needed to jump thru to get actually help. Addiction is cruel. It doesn't discriminate. And right now, this opioid crisis is killing 100 people – in this country – every single day. National Prescription Drug Take Back Day is tomorrow. Millions of people start experimenting with drugs that are in the medicine cabinet, and this is a great way to get those meds OUT OF THE HOUSE! GO to Air1.com, just click Eric & Heather under the DJ tab to find a drop-off location near you.

Faith and Religion – Mental Health	Closer Look	10/29/17	7:00pm	23min	Prevent PASTOR Burnout <i>"I think people sometimes forget that pastors are as human as everybody else."</i> Air1's George Rath talks with Denny Howard, Dir. of Counseling with Full Strength Network which helps pastors stay emotionally and spiritually strong. Related Links: Full Strength Network "Many Pastors Overworked, Feel Inadequate, Says Survey— Find Out How You Can Help Prevent Pastor Burnout" "The Best Way To Avoid Pastor Burnout? Equip The Saints"
Mental Health	Pastor's Roundtable	10/29/17	7:24pm	7min	Air1 Pastors: Signs Of Depression Depression can strike anyone, even faithful Christians. Pastor Bill tells Pastor Dave what happened to him. CALL THE CLOSER LOOK PASTORS 888-YES-AIR1(888-937-2471)
Education – Finances	News	10/30/17	3:10am, 4:40am, 6:10am, 7:40am	60sec	You got a loan from one of those for-profit colleges that closed? Former President Obama had okayed over \$550 million worth of those loans to be completely forgiven and canceled. But, the Department of Education is reconsidering that deal, which could leave thousands of people trying to figure out how to pay those loans.
Government	News	10/31/17	3:10am, 4:10am, 4:40am, 5:40am, 6:10am, 7:10am, 7:40am	60sec	Former Trump advisors Paul Manafort and Rick Gates both plead NOT guilty in federal court after turning themselves in yesterday. The charges aren't related to the President's campaign, they actually come from their connection to political activity in Ukraine and money laundering. George Papadopoulos, another a former Trump advisor, pled guilty, but not to Russian connection charges – he pled guilty to charges of lying to FBI agents.
Healthcare	News	11/1/17	4:10am, 5:40am, 7:10am	60sec	46 states want to expand a federal lawsuit against generic drug makers to include even more drug makers and medications, plus include senior executives at a couple of drug companies. The lawsuit accuses 18 different manufacturers of price fixing medications, and also of dividing up markets across the US for specific generic drugs, including treatments for high blood pressure, arthritis and asthma, making sure there wasn't any other competition in those areas, giving patients no other alternatives.
Technology – Government	News	11/2/17	4:10am, 5:40am, 7:10am	60sec	Facebook made thousands of ads public yesterday as they talk with Congress about Russia's possible interference in the 2016 election. Turns out, dozens of ads on Facebook were paid for in Russian Rubles through a third-party site, and these ads featured HIGHLY divisive issues, like race and gun ownership, and went so far as to organize opposing rallies directly across the street from each other that Congress said were meant to make Americans turn against each other and "make us feel like we are coming apart at the seams."

Faith and Religion	Closer Look	11/5/17	7:00pm	30min	<p>Christianity Grows Overseas Despite Persecution Christians courageously face hostile laws and threats, especially in Asia. We'll look at Christian faith in Russia, SE Asia and Africa through conversations with missions managers Burt Reed and Keith Townsend of Int'l Cooperating Ministries and Jim McBride of With Open Eyes/Mobile Messengers. Marya Morgan and George Rath report. Related Links: International Cooperating Ministries - Church-building worldwide With Open Eyes - Mobile Messengers "Christians the most persecuted group in world for second year: Study"</p>
Healthcare	News	11/7/17	3:40am, 5:10am, 6:40am	60sec	<p>Now that the Old Man is back and binging his winter chill – what about your workout? Skip it or move it indoors? The American Heart Association and TONS of research say working out in the cold can be great for you! The sunshine – even cold sunshine – helps with Vitamin D, which helps your body AND your mood. Winter workouts boost your immunity and help you fight bacterial AND viral infections! AND – shivering helps you burn more of the bad fat! There are limits – obvs – I mean, if it's too cold to be outside, or if there's ice everywhere... use your head. But there's no reason to be trapped inside just to get your workout in.</p>
Technology	News	11/8/17	3:10am, 4:40am, 6:10am, 7:40am	60sec	<p>They've been testing it for weeks and today is the day that Twitter ends the 140-character limit, giving almost everyone 280 characters. If you tweet in Chinese, Japanese or Korean, you still have the original 140 limit because those languages just use fewer characters. Twitter hopes expanding the character limit will cause people to tweet more often.</p>
Mental Health	News	11/9/17	4:10am, 5:40am, 7:10am	60sec	<p>Did you ever walk into a room and totally forget why you walked in there? You're losing it, right? Well, not really. It's actually proof that your brain is working perfectly. Think of your brain like the most smoking fast phone...and you can open 87 of your favorite apps all at once, then you walk thru a doorway and it all stops. Researchers call it the "Doorway Effect" and – for whatever reason – you brain just does a data dump of useless information when you walk thru a doorway because it feels that you're moving on to another thing and that temporary info isn't really important. So, you're not cracking up – you're fine.</p>
Disasters – Technology	News	11/10/17	3:40am, 5:10am, 6:40am	60sec	<p>The wildfires in California showed just how easily modern technology can fail us, especially when officials were trying to get the word out to evacuate. The fires took down landlines, cell phones and internet service...and that's why officials say old-fashioned sirens and ham radios still have a place in emergencies! It was ham radio operators who helped coordinate transportation for victims in those fires.</p>

Veterans	Closer Look	11/12/17	7:00pm	21min	<p>Combat Vet Helps Others Fight PTSD <i>Shield of Faith Missions connects U.S. soldiers at high-risk for suicide to a renewed purpose through community service. SOF also reaches soldiers and educates civilians about PTSD using a dramatic documentary featuring combat testimonials: "Surrender Only To One."</i></p> <p>Air1's Alex Gregory talks with SOF president U.S. Army Lt. Colonel Damon Friedman who personally survived combat in Afghanistan's Valley of Death.</p> <p>Related Links: Shield of Faith Missions (official) "Surrender To Only One" Movie Trailer</p>
Military	Closer Look	11/12/17	7:21pm	9min	<p>Care Packs and Camps Battle PTSD <i>Spotlight on a ministry that remembers deployed soldiers with tastes of home and offers a safe place to heal from spiritual and emotional effects of war.</i></p> <p>Air1's Monika Kelly talks with Ed McClelland of Operation Creekside.</p> <p>Related Links: Operation Creekside (official)</p>
Mental Health – Holiday	News	11/13/17	3:40am, 5:10am, 6:40am	60sec	<p>So, when do you start listening to Christmas music? A Best Buy in Tampa started playing it in the middle of October! A psychologist from England says too much too soon can affect your mental health! It causes you to feel mentally drained – especially retail workers – because it gets difficult to focus on anything else, and a lot of energy is spent trying NOT to hear it or sing along. One woman said “The 12 Days of Christmas” really gets her because you she really doesn’t want to think of a song that lasts for 12 days.</p>
Healthcare	News	11/14/17	3:10am, 4:40am, 6:10am, 7:40am	60sec	<p>How high is your blood pressure? If you’re in traffic, don’t answer that! The guidelines for what’s considered high blood pressure have been lowered to 130/80, so you may be surprised when you go to the doc next time. Nearly half of ALL adults in the US has high blood pressure because of what we eat, lack of exercise and other bad habits. High blood pressure puts you at a much higher risk of heart disease and stroke, and doctors realized damage before numbers reached the old guidelines.</p>
Art History	News	11/16/17	4:10am, 5:40am, 7:10am	60sec	<p>A representative at Christies says, “...it’s a painting of the most iconic figure in the world by the most important artist of all time.” A painting of Jesus painted by Leonardo da Vinci sold at an auction yesterday for \$450 million!! That’s a massive record for the sale of artwork – either at auction or in a private sale. The painting’s called, “Salvator Mundi,” which is Latin for “Savior of the World,” and it’s one of only 20 paintings by da Vinci that even exist today, and it’s the only one owned by a private buyer.</p>
Mental Health	News	11/17/17	4:10am, 5:40am, 7:10am	60sec	<p>For the first time, researchers have found evidence of CTE in a living patient. It’s that degenerative brain disease that so many retired football players have struggled with, and it’s typically only found during an autopsy after they pass away. Well, it’s a clump of proteins all mashed together in the brain, and being able to actually see this in a living patient puts docs that much closer to hopefully being able to treat these guys.</p>

Elder Issues – Mental Health	Closer Look	11/19/17	7:00pm	30min	<p>Go Gray: Care For Elders With Dementia & Alzheimer's Millions of Americans will live beyond 80. Most will need younger help with basic tasks. Some will suffer dementia or Alzheimer's disease. What do you need to know??</p> <p>Frank Hammond asks Helene French of the Alzheimer's Assoc. of KY/IN and Dan Beck chats with Kay Owen Larson of Crossroads about training chaplains to visit abandoned elders in nursing homes.</p> <p>Related Links: Alzheimer's Association U.S.A. Crossroads Ministries USA, Inc. -- Answering God's Call for the Elderly Living in Care Centers U.S. Census Bureau: Older Americans</p>
Professional Sports	News	11/20/17	3:40am, 5:10am, 6:40am	60sec	<p>It was the last lap for Junior. Dale Junior took the final lap of his 18-year-career as a full-time racer at Homestead yesterday...and on his way out, he bumped his friend Martin Truex's car, Dale said he wanted a little of Martin's paint on his car to remember him by...because Dale's Team owner, Rick Hendrick, said Dale could keep his #88 car...do you put that little memento on your mantle or desk?</p>
Technology	News	11/21/17	3:10am, 4:40am, 6:10am, 7:40am	60sec	<p>The Justice Department is suing AT&T to stop its \$85 billion purchase of Time Warner. The DOJ thinks the buy would cause bills to skyrocket for customers and get in the way of innovation. AT&T and Time Warner aren't direct competitors – AT&T is the biggest provider of traditional satellite and cable TV services. Time Warner owns several cable networks. AT&T says they are confident they'll win this court battle.</p>
Technology – Transportation	News	11/22/17	3:10am, 4:40am, 6:10am, 7:40am	60sec	<p>Uber coming clean about a BIG cover-up of a hack that stole personal information from more than 57 million customers and drivers. There's no evidence that any of that data has been misused, but Uber says they paid the hackers \$100,000 to destroy stolen information, which included names, email addresses and phone numbers of customers and license numbers of Uber drivers. The NY Atty General has started an investigation.</p>
Drug Abuse	Closer Look	11/26/17	7:00pm	15min	<p>Rx Addiction Affects Kids <i>When mom or dad is addicted to 'medicine' it distorts a child's reality and often creates deep resentment. Kids whose parents can't care for them are flooding the foster system.</i> Air1's Phil O'Bryan talks with Kate McQueen, pediatric therapist of Salus Care, Ft. Myers FL.</p> <p>Related Links: The Children of the Opioid Crisis (Wall Street Journal)</p>
Pets	Closer Look	11/26/17	7:15pm	7min	<p>Before You Adopt a Dog: 10 Tips <i>Consider the time a new pup needs, be willing to pay for training and some other things to think about...</i></p> <p>Air1's Laura Daniels talks with certified Humane Specialist Diane Rose-Solomon.</p> <p>Related Links: What to Expect After Adopting A New Dog</p>
Faith and Religion	Pastor's Roundtable	11/26/17	7:22pm	8min	<p>Air1 Pastors: Steps To God's Will <i>"What does God want me to do with my Life?" Closer Look Pastors Dave and Bill help you find answers.</i></p> <p>CALL THE CLOSER LOOK PASTORS: (888)YES-AIR1(937-2471).</p>

Economy	News	11/27/17	3:10am, 4:10am, 4:40am, 5:40am, 6:10am, 7:10am, 7:40am	60sec	Across the country, it was the warmest Black Friday weekend in 16 years. But the fun continues today – it's Cyber Monday!! Some of the biggest deals? Make-up that's been a little too pricey to bring home, electronics – from gaming consoles, smart home gadgets, laptops everything...also shoes, and appliances – anything from freezers to Instant Pots. Some amazing travel discounts are available, too – so today, nothing is out of the question today! Except the potential for a scam or two, so make sure you're on a legit link, OH, and check the return policy before you click BUY NOW. Cyber Monday is a big deal – the biggest one EVER they say. Who are THEY? Well, THEY have a lot time to research this and say today's deals are really amazing – 50% off of things from socks and to vacays and EVERYTHING in between. THEY also say that the deals aren't just good online, sometimes the actual stores have the same deals PLUS a few extra discounts!
Tourism	News	11/30/17	3:40am, 5:10am, 6:40am	60sec	The number of visitors to the US from nations around the world went down nearly 4 percent in the first six months of this year. Except for Canada, there was a 5 percent increase in visitors from Canada. The drop in global tourists has the travel industry concerned, so they're launching promotions to bring visitors back to the US.
Government	News	12/1/17	7:10am	60sec	Former Trump national security adviser Michael Flynn has been charged with making false statements to the FBI, now the fourth person charged in the investigation by special counsel Robert Mueller. Flynn will admit to lying to the FBI about whether he had talked about sanctions with the Russian ambassador to the US during the Administration's transition. A hearing is scheduled for 10:30 Eastern this morning, and your Air1 News Team will keep you updated.
Community – Elderly Care	Closer Look	12/3/17	7:00pm	16min	'Little Chefs' Cook For OKC Elderly Young children join other volunteers who cook and deliver food and love to needy senior citizens via Edmond Mobile Meals in Oklahoma. Air1's Monika Kelly talks with Cristi Twenter about the Little Chefs Learn to Serve program. Related Links: Edmond Mobile Meals - Little Chefs Learn to Serve
Family Issues	Closer Look	12/3/17	7:17pm	13min	Korean-Americans Can Call KFAM Korean immigrants in the U.S. can find it especially difficult to talk about issues like domestic abuse or mental illness. Air1's Dan Beck talks with Connie Jung Cho of Korean American Family Services about KFAM's commitment to help to this very traditional and linguistically-isolated community. Related Links: Korean American Family Services
Commerce	News	12/6/17	3:10am, 4:40am, 6:10am, 7:40am	60sec	Lots of packages headed to your doorstep in the next couple of weeks? Experts say there are things you can do to keep the Grinch from stealing your Christmas. Have packages delivered to work or a friend you know will be home. Second, consider the Amazon Locker – tons are popping up, and that could be easy! You could get a package alarm that goes berserk if a package is taken off of it, or seriously reconsider your concern about the Smart Lock that lets delivery drivers put packages INSIDE your home.

Homelessness	News	12/6/17	3:40am, 5:10am, 6:40am	60sec	The nation's homeless population went UP this year for the first time since 2010. Apparently, there's been a huge bump in the number of people living on the streets along the West Coast. A federal report says the problem is the West's booming economy. Which sounds weird, but rents have gone beyond affordability for lower-wage workers, who until just few years ago could typically find a place to stay.
Veterans	News	12/7/17	3:10am, 4:40am, 6:10am, 7:40am	60sec	It's the 76th anniversary of the bombing of Pearl Harbor during World War II, and today we honor the nearly 1,200 servicemen those who lost their lives on that bright sunny morning. Yesterday, three of the remaining USS Arizona survivors were honored at a special event, and were taken by helicopter over the sunken battleship.
Homelessness	Closer Look	12/10/17	7:00pm	16min	People Who Are Homeless Learn To Run Small Business Business and Law students mentor willing L.A.-area homeless to become self-sufficient entrepreneurs. Air1's Alex Gregory talks with Keith Obilana, Director of the Pepperdine Microenterprise Program to find out how the university helps these men and women change their lives. Related Links: Pepperdine Microbusiness Program "Pepperdine programs help some move from rags to riches"
Family Issues	Pastor's Roundtable	12/10/17	7:17pm	14min	Air1 Pastors: You Can Say 'No' To Mom Family gatherings like birthdays or holidays can be tense and uncomfortable. Pastors Bill and Dave say boundaries and exit strategies can help you keep the peace. CALL THE CLOSER LOOK PASTORS 888-YES-AIR1
Healthcare	News	12/11/17	3:40am, 5:10am, 6:40am	60sec	After you've tangled with cancer, recurrence is a big fear. A new blood test, called a liquid biopsy, does a pretty good job identifying which patients are at risk of a recurrence of breast cancer. The hope is that this new test would help docs see which women need preventive therapy longer, and which women don't need any further therapy.
Healthcare	News	12/11/17	4:10am, 5:40am, 7:10am	60sec	A new law in California could affect the price of prescription drugs nationwide. The law requires drug companies to give patients advance notice before any big price increases. Drug companies, however, are now taking the case to court, because they want to block the new law before it takes effect.
Science	News	12/12/17	3:40am, 5:10am, 6:40am	60sec	President Trump signed "Space Policy Directive 1" yesterday. Oddly, this was almost 45 years to the DAY since a human touched foot on the moon. This Directive formally tells NASA to get US astronauts back to the moon. Could be a bit of an issue since NASA doesn't have any way to get there. When the US sends astronauts to the ISS, for instance, we hitch a ride with the Russians. We're not picking nits, right now we're celebrating, because we're headed back to the moon.
Technology – Social Media	News	12/13/17	4:10am, 5:40am, 7:10am	60sec	Some of Facebook's first friends are starting to express some serious doubts about the social network they helped create. The company's first president said Facebook exploits "a vulnerability in human psychology." A former vice president feels guilty about what he helped create, saying Facebook is "ripping apart the social fabric." But, Facebook said they're "working hard to improve," and went on to say, they're "... willing to reduce [our] profitability to make sure the right investments are made..." going forward.

Government – Finances	News	12/14/17	3:10am, 4:10am, 5:10am, 6:10am, 7:10am	60sec	Republicans came to an agreement Wednesday on a major overhaul of the nation's tax laws. Negotiators removed several controversial provisions from the tax bill during negotiations, including one that would have eliminated the deduction for medical expenses. Senate leaders plan to vote on the package Tuesday. If it passes, the House votes next before going on to the president.
Marriage	Closer Look	12/17/17	7:00pm	28min	<p>Man-Talk On Marriage</p> <p>Men respond to media mockery of husbands, discuss the importance of having a woman's respect and explore what it means to cherish their wives.</p> <p>Air1's George Rath gets input from successful authors Dr. Emerson Eggerichs of Love and Respect Ministries and Gary Thomas author of 'Sacred Romance' and 'Cherish.'</p> <p>Related Links: Love and Respect : relationship advice Gary Thomas (official)</p>
Healthcare	News	12/19/17	3:40am, 5:40am, 6:40am	60sec	The Food and Drug Administration cracking down on alternative medicines that, they say, could be dangerous. They're focusing on remedies like teething tablets, which if you remember, were recalled earlier this year because they were being linked to seizures in infants and children. The agency will take comments on their proposal for alternative medicines for 90 days before they finalize the plan. If you want to chime in, or see what other alternative medicines they're looking at, check their website, FDA.gov.
Social Media	News	12/19/17	4:10am, 5:40am, 7:10am	60sec	Today is the day Twitter starts to enforce new rules about hateful, harassing or abusive tweets and accounts. Any account that promotes violence against others – on or OFF of Twitter – will be banned. Content that glorifies violence will be banned. Now, a single tweet won't get you banned, but a pattern will. So will hate speech in your bio, even if you never tweet about it. Twitter is beefing internal tools to find accounts that violate their new rules. May this be the beginning of the end of anonymous vitriolic hate on the internet?
Government	News	12/20/17	3:10am, 4:40am, 6:10am, 7:40am	60sec	Senate lawmakers passed the tax overhaul bill early this morning, after the House approved the measure on Tuesday. But there is one last hiccup. There were three provisions in the bill that violated Senate rules, so the House will have to vote on the measure for a second time, which should happen today. The measure then heads to President Trump. The tax cuts would take effect in Jan 1, and that means about 80% of Americans will see an increase their paychecks by the end of January.
Drug Abuse	News	12/21/17	4:10am, 5:40am, 7:10am,	60sec	Some disturbing new research shows that Americans are dying young. Life expectancy is down, and this is the second year in a row and something that hasn't happened in over 50 years. Actually, it has nothing to do with food, and everything to do with the opioid epidemic. The opioid epidemic is literally killing American's at a shocking rate. The CDC published a couple of reports yesterday that outlines exactly what's going on, and what's going on is the purest definition of tragedy.

Weather	News	12/22/17	3:40am, 5:10am, 6:40am	60sec	So...will you get a white Christmas? Well, maybe. Some storms in the central and eastern US will likely bring a White Christmas to much of the northern half of the nation. The lower part of the country? Well, enjoy your cookout, I guess. Another round of cold air is expected to swoop down into the central US today, which means white or not on Christmas day, it's gonna be chilly across the whole country.
Weather	News	12/27/17	3:10am, 4:10am, 5:10am, 6:10am, 7:10am	60sec	Snow has given way too cold for much of the country until the New Year. Wind chill advisories or warnings are in effect from the Northern Plains to the Ohio Valley, and in much of the Northeast. Temperatures on New Year's Eve may be at least 15 degrees below normal from the Northern Plains and New England south to the Central Plains and the Carolinas.
Economy	News	12/28/17	3:10am, 4:10am, 5:10am, 6:10am, 7:10am, 8:10am	60sec	The American spirit remained high overall during the Christmas shopping season. Federal officials say consumer confidence remains strong, but took a small dip in December. And economists believe economic growth will continue well into the New Year, after a fairly strong year this year. Another good sign is unemployment is at a 17-year-low at only 4.1 percent.
Technology	News	12/29/17	3:10am, 4:10am, 5:10am, 6:10am, 7:10am	60sec	Apple is apologizing for slowing down older phones to protect battery stability. The company is reducing the cost for a battery replacement on the iPhone 6 or later, dropping to \$29 in late January. Customer reaction was swift after a report this month uncovered the intentional slowdown in speed tests. Many customers had interpreted the move as a way to increase demand for Apple's newer models.

