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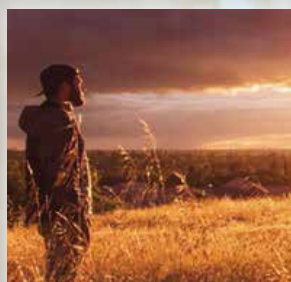
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did you know?

The new **Grace to You** Bible app has launched to what you might term “rave reviews”—more than 10,000 downloaded the app in the first 24 hours. The # is now at over 35,000 and still counting.



“Summerrific Faith Adventures” activity cards are a great way to explore God’s Word as a family. Find out more, and check out the entire guide to family fun for summer in **Focus on the Family’s** *Thriving Family* magazine.

After months in service, the **Africa Mercy** has undergone its annual refurbishing that is an important aspect of its own “health.” The ship is scheduled to be back in Madagascar this month to continue the transformational work being done in that impoverished country.



Following a trip to Cuba, **Charles Morris** invited HAVEN listeners to donate to fund Bibles into the country. Gifts from audiences nationwide (which went 100% for that purpose) helped to send over 40,000 copies of God’s Word to that country of historic import.



on location



◀ That’s our own **Katie Burke** holding up the tower in Pisa—and a copy of her good work, our Update publication. Her “What I Did for My Summer Vacation” this year includes words like Oxford, London, Paris, Venice, Florence, Rome ... you know, all the good stuff! We’re just glad she came back!



▲ Our Man in Yosemite! Earlier this year, **Bob & Mary Ann Lepine** snuck away from speaking duty long enough to enjoy the beauty of California’s majestic Yosemite. Yes, he’s sporting that famous AAA jacket. (And ... yes, we will.)



▲ Thanks, apparently, to **Carl Miller’s** influence, he carried a copy of Update so the whole National Program Development team at Salem could see the latest. That includes **Ron Walters, Chris Gould, Lisa Campos, Patricia Tom, and Tamra Blanco** with Carl. (Actually, we do send them each their own copy but what a great way to get a pix in Update!)



The Amb-OS Family Continues to Grow!

The Friends of Israel Today is now available on Amb-OS. The Friends of Israel is a worldwide Christian ministry communicating biblical truth about Israel and the Messiah. They foster solidarity with the Jewish people and invite you to take a listen to their half-hour, weekly radio program, *The Friends of Israel Today* (radio.foi.org). The program is airing on hundreds of stations across the country since its debut this past April. The weekly broadcast is hosted by Chris Katulka, who serves as a writer, speaker, and blogger for The Friends of Israel.



To add *The Friends of Israel Today* to your weekend lineup, contact Beth Harrison at 610-584-1096, or send an e-mail to media@hamiltonstrategies.com.

The Amb-OS “Three-Finger Salute”

That three-keyed combination (<CTRL><ALT>) used to be the solution to just about any Windows problem. If you know what the “BSOD” stands for, I’m quite sure you’ve used this technique to fix more than one computer problem.

While we don’t have the keyboard to reboot an AMR-100, we do have a “RESET” button hidden on the back panel of the receiver which is sometimes just as useful. Every once in a while, when there’s been a router change or switch reboot, your receiver may not obtain a new DHCP IP address or fail to connect to the Internet. (You’ll be able to tell by the fact that the [LAN] and/or [INET] boxes on the front panel are black.)



Before you give our support team a call or email (1-877-262-6728 or support@amb-os.com), try pressing the “RESET” button. It’s right next to the Ethernet cable on the back of your receiver. (See photo) If that doesn’t fix the problem, give us a call. But please do not remove the power as that will completely erase the trace logs on your unit which will prevent our support team from diagnosing the trouble. Also, please never put anything smaller than your elbow in your ears.

There’s more! See Page 4 for details on FTP site changes.



Janet Mefferd
Today



RETURNING TO THE AIRWAVES SEPTEMBER 14!

After a brief hiatus, popular Christian radio talk show host, Janet Mefferd, is back on-air each day with a new one hour broadcast featuring timely commentary and insightful interviews.

Known for her cutting-edge content, rooted in a deep love for all things biblical, Janet's new daily show will offer the same depth that has been her hallmark since she started as a talk-show host in 2009. She'll be talking to the biggest newsmakers and leading Christian pastors and thinkers to inform, challenge and edify listeners as we navigate today's shifting culture grounded in God's Word.

In a uniquely station-friendly format (see box below), stations will be afforded this outstanding content while retaining a good portion of the hour for local insertion.

This is "real, authentic and transparent" radio that is completely Christ-centered ... the kind that will attract and hold listeners while providing stations great content and opportunity to fund release locally.

For clearance, market exclusive placement with daytime placement, customized promos, and collaterals, contact Selah@ambaa.com.

We look forward to you joining the **Janet Mefferd Today** family ... soon!

PROGRAM CLOCK

Each day's one-hour is **total run time of 54:50**; stations retain 13:00 of the hour for local avail; 4:00 are network inventory appropriate for non-commercial station use.

MINISTRY PSAs

All cut-aways, if not used by station, will be conveniently covered with ministry PSAs including features with **Anne Graham Lotz, Joni Eareckson Tada, John Sorenson, John MacArthur, Jim Garlow, Barry Meguiar and David Wollen.**

SIGN UP

For further details and a copy of the show clock, contact Selah or reference our website page for **Janet Mefferd Today**.

“ I am so excited to return to Christian talk radio with **Janet Mefferd Today**! More than ever before, I believe it's critical for Christians to be informed and encouraged from a solid biblical perspective on the news and important moral and spiritual issues of our day. That's why I am absolutely delighted to be able to partner with Ambassador to reconnect with listeners across the country and to once more be their daily source for a Christ-centered look at life.

—Janet Mefferd

MEET JANET

A native of the Chicago area, Janet is a graduate of Baylor University with a B.A. in journalism and history. As a senior in high school, she guested on a local radio station and that was the end of the story—radio became the path for this bright young woman with something to say!

Her love of God's Word has kept her a student of all things biblical. With a mind for the clarity of Truth in a culture that's being turned upside-down, Janet unfailingly draws the listener to what Scripture would tell us is the answer.

Married to **Charley Mefferd** (ok, yes, that Charley ... one of the Ambassador/Amb-OS team), the couple reside in the Dallas metro and have four terrific kids that the AAA crew loves dearly. When not on-air, Janet enjoys being a mom ... and loves to cook and bake (even won the chili cook-off at their church)!

WHAT PEOPLE ARE SAYING

"The Supreme Court has just made Janet's show more important and relevant than ever!"

—**Rich Bott** (President/
Bott Radio Network)

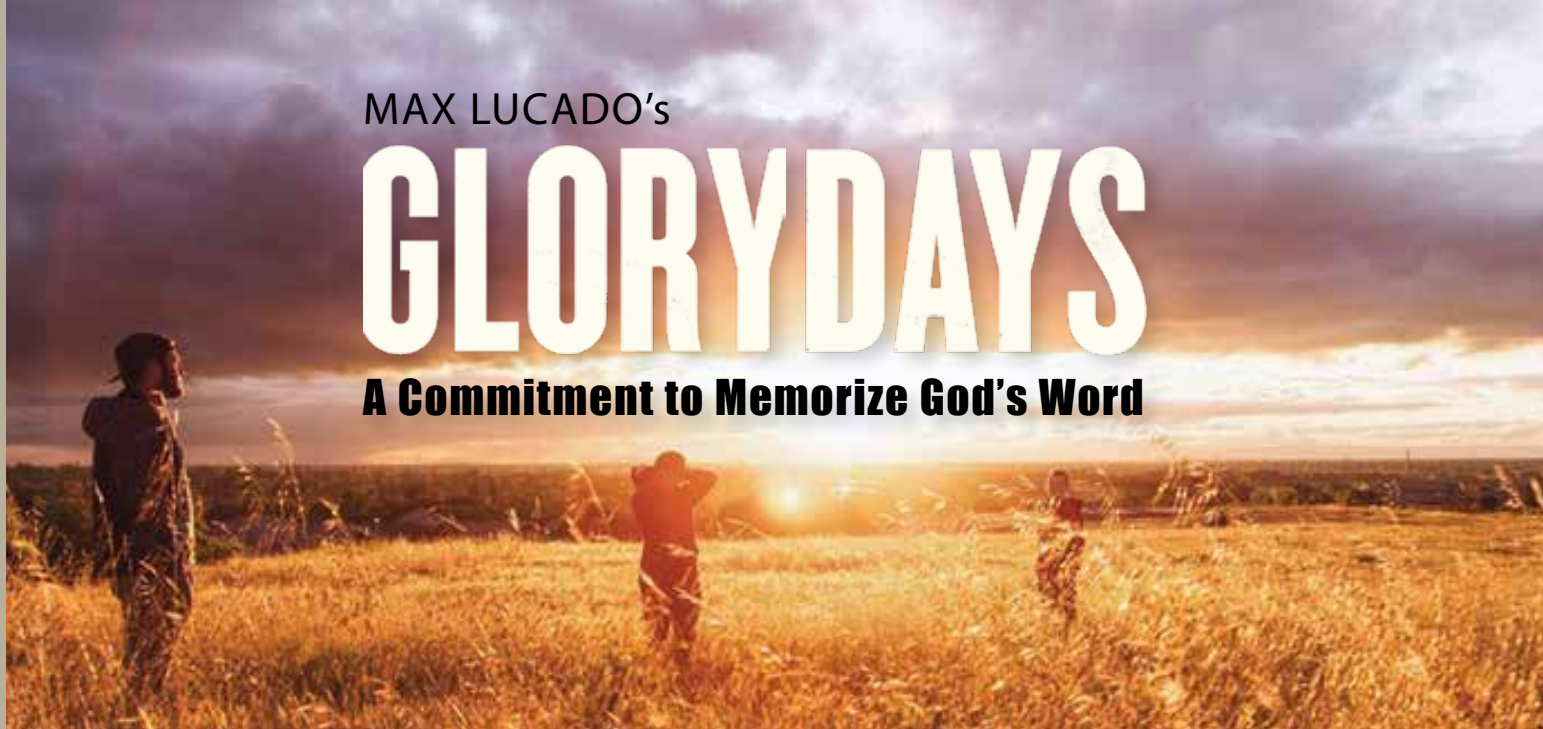
"It's been my privilege and pleasure to be interviewed by Janet Mefferd on controversial, but vitally important, topics that many other evangelicals are too afraid to talk about. I admire Janet's courage in fighting the good fight of faith along with her desire to be biblically correct while avoiding the temptation to be politically correct. Her clarion voice and her passion for the truth are what Christians need to hear in today's culture of growing compromise and worldliness. Those who tune in to 'Janet Mefferd Today' will be better prepared to discern truth from error."

—**Mike Gendron**
(Founder/Proclaiming
the Gospel)

MAX LUCADO'S

GLORYDAYS

A Commitment to Memorize God's Word



Journey in Prayer | September-October

How about a four-week journey with **Max Lucado**?

Beginning September 14, join Max Lucado for a very special "UpWords" series that will guide listeners in a Scripture Memory Challenge.



Each week, listeners are invited to simply put one verse of Scripture to memory—at month's end, if the commitment is fulfilled, sealed in each person's heart will be:

- *The reminder that God has given us power (Joshua 1:9).*
- *The encouragement that Scripture is a weapon useful in all situations (2 Timothy 3:16).*
- *The promise that we will inherit our inheritance (John 1:12).*
- *The peace that is the reality that God fights for us—and thus we can know peace, joy, and rest (Joshua 21:43-45).*

At a supporting website, Max shares in a video his own method for committing Scripture to memory (see sidebar).

Join Max Lucado in this month-long focus on the significance of "hiding God's Word" in our hearts. Contact Selah@ambaa.com to air the special series for the month; delivered via Amb-OS or FTP site access.

NOTE: "UpWords" stations will receive this content automatically; visit ambaa.com/glorydays and contact Selah for promotional resources.

THE MEMORY METHOD

From Max himself, here's a suggested method for memorizing Scripture:

1. Take the passage and divide it into bite-size portions.
2. Read that portion 5 times, looking at the passage.
3. Lift up your eyes and say it 5 more times, looking away from the passage.
4. Look back at that portion.
5. Say it 3 times.
6. Lift up your eyes, say it 3 times.
7. Look back at that passage, read it 1 time.
8. Lift up your eyes and say it 1 time.
9. Repeat this with each portion, going back every so often to "re-proclaim" all of the passage.

You'll find these Scriptures sinking deep into your heart in a relatively quick fashion!

What is FTP? | August-September

Know what this widely-used acronym actually stands for? Give us your most creative answer and you'll win a gift from AAA. Watch your email for the contest this month.

Speaking of FTP—we're shifting to access via a unique username and password for every station partner. More information coming in September!

Questions sooner than that? Talk to Jon Davis (jon@ambaa.com) who's heading up the project at AAA!



FamilyLife's

ONENESS PRAYER CHALLENGE

New Challenge for Couples | September

Recognizing that a lot of married couples find it challenging to pray together, **FamilyLife** has created a simple tool to help husbands and wives begin the habit of taking perhaps just five minutes a day to join hands, bow heads and pray ... together.

As part of the month-long commitment, each day's broadcast will begin with a reminder of the Challenge, inviting couples to fully engage in the practice.

Additionally, FamilyLife will send a prayer prompt along with a prayer guide via email, text or the MyFamilyLife app. It will help couples connect with a recommended theme for the day, along with Scripture to support.

So many benefits come out of such shared spiritual focus—helping to resolve conflict, keeping communication flowing, building transparency with your spouse ... these 30 days could prove transformational for many marriages.

Details are available at FamilyLife's website; for collateral for FLT stations engaged in the Challenge, contact Michelle@ambaa.com or check out ambaa.com/oneness.

Special Series | August-September

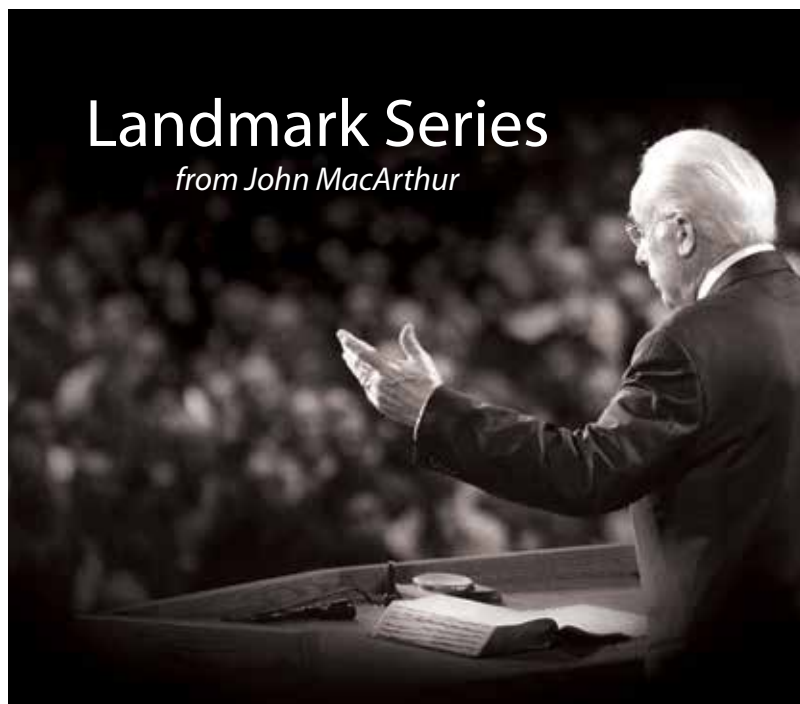
Celebrating the landmark completion of the New Testament commentary, "**Grace to You**" listeners will hear a special series entitled "The New Testament Beginning to End: 27 Landmark Sermons from John MacArthur" (August 17-September 23).

Each day during the series will feature an outstanding message from a book of the New Testament—from Matthew to Revelation.

No other contemporary scholar has finished such a body of work (commentary on every book of the NT). The series has been widely well-received already as the seminal work of **John MacArthur**.

Later this Fall, a parallel special series will be used on "**Bible Q & A**" (2:00 daily) when John takes listeners on a "**Jet Tour Through the New Testament**"—one feature per book of the NT. Watch for the invitation for all stations to participate beginning September 28.

Landmark Series *from John MacArthur*



THE FACES



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1 Nice to meet Haley's beau, **Brian Jessup**, who serves as Executive Assistant to Rick Warren currently.

2 It's APU season at AAA—great to have **Dave Bixby**, Executive Vice President for the University, stop in.

3-4 A privilege for Bill Reitler to do some voicework for Grace to You—and thus a visit with **John MacArthur** and meeting with **Corey Williams** and GTY's newest addition to the production team, **Kaj Burns**.

5 It's the (Selah) **Cosentino Family!** And Evelyn's Vette, of course.

6 A trip to Chicago meant

Jay Flowers could stop in at headquarters of longtime GTY partner WVCY-Milwaukee too!

7 Brothers **Jim Daly** & **Mike Daly** enjoyed a recent SoCal "meeting" with Jim Sanders—who has been mistaken for Jim Daly, so we might say this is the Brothers Daly shot!

8 It's not all work at AAA ... the gals hosted a shower for Michelle's daughter-in-law to be.

9-10 Ev enjoyed a trip to Museum of the Bible HQ. Here pictured with **Cary Summers**, President, and also gabbing with **Steven Bickley** and **Phil Cooke**.

11 Old friends meet again—**John Sorensen** with President of D. James Kennedy Ministries, **Frank Wright**.

12 Jim trekked up the road to participate in the Calvary Chapel pastors' conference—here with **Brian Brodersen** and **Lance Emma**.

13 Our man on the road, Charley made a visit to KCMH-Mountain Home AR where good friend **Jesse Carroccio** is GM.

14 Yeah, well ... it was free Chick-Fil-A in a cow outfit. Our **Jon Davis** won a lunch!

15 Wow! Great devotions with **Ray Vanderlaan** ("That the

World May Know") and **Doug** & **Debbie Birnie** from FOTF.

16 Long history shared, great to have **Roger Manning** at AAA along with **Art Black**.

17 See back page for why Peggy met up with this great group, including Reach Beyond's **Wayne Pederson**, **Jon** & **Noonie Fugler**, **Ron Cline**, and TWR's **Lauren** & **June Libby**.

18 It was "Beauty and the Beast" (though the Beast has obviously already been kissed!) when **Joni** and **Ken Tada** celebrated a special evening at the Camp Allen Family Retreat.

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BE PLUGGED IN DAILY BEGINNING OCTOBER 5!

Already a trusted name for the latest in movie and TV reviews, in response to the growing dilemma families face in our culture, Focus on the Family's *Plugged In* feature moves to a daily (Monday-Friday) 1:00 format beginning October 5.

Anchored by veteran culture analyst **Bob Waliszewski**, each weekday will focus on one of the five big-deal areas in the entertainment world—video games & apps, DVDs, TV, music and movies. Broadcasts are designed to help parents process what is available for families today, ensuring that they're equipped to deal with all that contemporary culture throws at them.

Help your listeners be wise to the world. Good media discernment is about guarding our eyes and hearts before we watch or listen as well as grappling with the entertainment we see or hear. *Plugged In* is the comprehensive guide dedicated to helping families make the most appropriate and well-informed decisions about movies, TV, music and much more.

NEW PLUGGED IN DAILY SCHEDULE

Amplifying *Plugged In*'s current coverage of entertainment, here's what you can expect in the new DAILY version:

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
VIDEO GAMES & APPS	DVDs	TV	MUSIC	MOVIES

Your listeners can count on the latest releases each week being reviewed by the *Plugged In* team!

*** CURRENT STATIONS**
With the move to daily coverage of 1:00 for Monday-Friday, the current 2:00 Tuesday/Friday release of *Plugged In* will be discontinued.

*** SIGN-UP**
To confirm placement beginning 10/5 contact Katie@ambaa.com; delivered by Amb-OS or FTP.



MEET BOB

When it comes to being savvy in interpreting the impact of media on today's youth culture, Bob Waliszewski's experience as a parent and a youth pastor are immediately obvious. Joining Focus on the Family in 1991, Bob anchors the *Plugged In* feature that is supported by a robust website (PluggedIn.com).

In addition to *Plugged In*, Bob's insight is often featured in interviews including secular settings such as CNN, MSNBC, Fox News and other outlets. You'll read his outlook in places such as *Entertainment Weekly*, the *Los Angeles Times*, and *The New York Times*, where he confronts the controversial entertainment issues that impact families.

He regularly speaks to teens and parents on popular culture, and was called to testify before a subcommittee of California legislators on the subject of violent lyrics.

Bob and his wife Leesa and have two adult children. And as the season of the year allows, you can catch them snow skiing or water skiing—even running an occasional half-marathon.

BOB SAYS:

“Expanding from two days to every weekday is a dream I've had for years now! It'll be incredible to concentrate on more than just movies by taking a look at music, TV and games as 'Plugged In' continues to help more families with their entertainment choices.”



INSIDE MUSEUM OF THE BIBLE

Perhaps you are one of thousands who have had the privilege of getting acquainted with the Museum of the Bible's treasures with its touring *Passages* exhibit.

That's simply a taste of what will be found at the actual Museum which is planned to open in 2017—just two blocks from the National Mall and three blocks from the Capitol in Washington DC. What a thrill to envision a place where all people will be invited to engage with the Bible.

The organization, founded by Steve Green (President of Hobby Lobby), is built on four pillars—research, traveling exhibits, education and the museum now under construction.

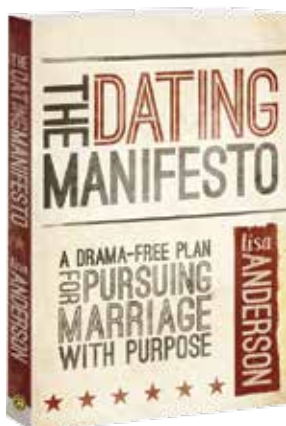
The daily 1:00 radio feature is further underscoring of the Museum's desire to help people understand more fully, more richly, what is both the history and influence of the Bible—*The Book* that has made impact like no other!

As an outgrowth of the organization's passion for and love of the Bible, listeners will have opportunity to explore the Book in ways never before offered with a new 1:00 daily feature from the Museum of the Bible.

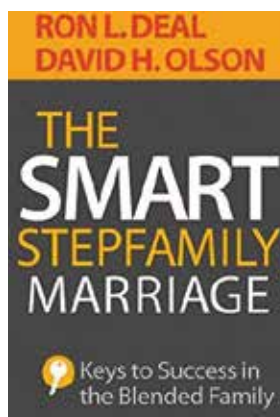
Telling what is the remarkable impact of the Bible on lives across the years of history, "**The Book**" will bring to life those remarkable stories that remind us of how far-reaching is its influence—for all of humanity. While shedding light on the history of the Bible, each day's feature will underscore the Bible's relevance in today's culture with a message designed for contemporary audiences.

Uniquely crafted as well to share information in a richly-textured presentation, each day's feature will underscore the full spectrum of people, spheres of influence, and events impacted by the Bible.

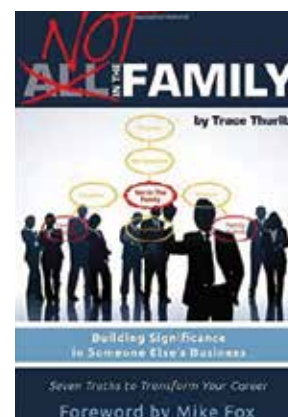
Watch for the demo package coming to your desk soon. Or contact Haley@ambaa.com for more information. Delivered via Amb-OS or FTP site access.



In her first book, **Focus on the Family's Lisa Anderson** has released *The Dating Manifesto: A Drama-Free Plan for Pursuing Marriage with Purpose* (David C. Cook). Director of Boundless at FOF, Lisa is also now on the air weekly with *The Boundless Show* targeted to single young adults.



There's more great encouragement from **FamilyLife's Ron Deal** with *The Smart Stepfamily Marriage: Keys to Success in the Blended Family*—speaking to the thousands who fit that description today. (And hear Ron on *FamilyLife Blended*, the station-customized 1:00 daily feature.)



Good friend **Trace Thurlby** has penned *Not in the Family*—seven foundational truths to improve the way you think, speak and serve in your day to day. Formerly with Bott Radio Network, Trace now leads as President of the Kansas City-based Global Orphan Project.

MORE
GOOD
SUMMER
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NEWS FROM THE COLSON CENTER



A New President

Having served as an integral part of The Chuck Colson Center for Christian Worldview since 2010, **John Stonestreet** has just been appointed as President of the organization effective immediately.

A gifted communicator on areas of faith and culture, and a popular speaker at conferences and various gatherings, John's voice is already identified with The Colson Center, serving as anchor for "The Point" and "BreakPoint This Week" as well as co-host with Eric Metaxas for "BreakPoint."

“Working with Chuck Colson was one of the greatest honors of my life. I believe deeply in his vision of Christianity as the fundamental truth about reality and the task of Christians to be the restorers of culture. We've got a great team, many of whom Chuck personally mentored, and we're ready to build on his legacy.”

—John Stonestreet



As the capstone to his distinguished publishing career, **Chuck Colson's** passion will be evident once again in a new book, **My Final Word**, that features a collection

of never-before-published memos, mostly from the last decade of his life.

Always incisive when it came to cultural issues, the book is his "clarion call" for Christians to think critically about today's most pressing issues. Subtitled "Holding Tight to the Issues that Matter Most," it addresses 12 key concerns for an ongoing and vital Christian witness in the 21st century—exactly the passion that was daily evident on "BreakPoint," in Chuck's establishment of the Centurions program, and in so many other streams of influence over the course of his distinguished life.

After serving as Special Counsel to President Richard Nixon, Chuck Colson came to Christ in 1973 in the midst of the Watergate scandal. He founded Prison Fellowship in 1976 following his release from prison and over the ensuing years became a global figure, speaking to prison reform as well as urging believers to think biblically about all issues. He became a prolific author including 30 books which have sold more than 5 million copies. While Chuck went into the Lord's presence in 2012, the impact of his life remains significant in many dimensions.

Another Voice Each Weekend

As John steps into this new role, he'll be joined on the weekend feature by popular commentator, blogger, and scholar, **Ed Stetzer**. For some time, "BreakPoint This Week" has provided an extended time to address critical contemporary concerns, often in an interview setting. Ed's addition on-air will further amplify the depth of focus with each broadcast.

For more information about any of The Colson Center features, contact Jennifer@ambaa.com.

**MEET
ED**
@edstetzer

Author and well-known speaker, **Ed Stetzer** serves as Executive Director for LifeWay Research and is a highly popular blogger ("The Exchange") for *Christianity Today*.

He is Executive Editor of *The Gospel Project*, a curriculum used by more than 750,000 individuals weekly, and has recently been appointed as Senior Fellow of Wheaton College's Billy Graham Center. As lead pastor of Grace Church (Hendersonville TN), Ed regularly speaks on issues confronting the church from a "front row seat."

Raised in Levittown NY, Ed holds a number of advanced degrees including two earned doctorates (a Doctor of Ministry from Samford University and Doctor of Philosophy from the Southern Seminary).



question of the month

August is National Sandwich Month!

What kind would be at the top of your favorites list?



Anne Rea
Program Coordinator
WRFD (Columbus, OH)

My favorite sandwich is a Philly Cheese Steak (after spending a few prime years in Philadelphia). Believe it or not, Dominos does a pretty good job making them here.



Rick Reynolds
General Manager
ReachFM
(Fort Lauderdale, FL)

Favorite: The Monte Cristo from Bennigan's
Homemade: Elvis' version of the fried peanut butter and banana sandwich (I think I just heard one of my arteries crack...)

My temptation is to name one of the most impressive sandwiches I've ever had, but when it comes down to it I just want a simple Sausage Egg McMuffin from McDonald's. It doesn't get much better than that for me.



Dan Pike
General Manager
KHCS (Palm Desert, CA)

Well here in Palm Springs it would be the Studio Sandwich made by Sherman's Deli. It's a pastrami sandwich on rye with cole slaw, Russian dressing and maybe some muenster cheese. I have to split it with someone or take half of it home.



Laura A. Scotti
Director of Corporate Sales/General Manager
Crawford Broadcasting
(Philadelphia, PA)

Although I should say a Philly cheesesteak since I am here, I love turkey clubs!



Corum Hughes
Assistant to the President
HAVEN Ministries



Dian L. Myers
General Manager
KCTI (Gonzales, TX)

We like Boar's Head Black Forest smoked turkey breast from the deli the best.



Jay Lynch
Family Communications
(Ft. Smith, AR)

My kids and I love a sandwich that I put together and affectionately call it the "Daddy Sandwich". It consists of sliced deli ham, fresh tomatoes, red onion, American cheese and top it all off with sweet pickle slices, mayo, and a little salt and pepper. My kids LOVE it!!!

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**Sandwiches are wonderful.
You don't need a spoon or a plate!**

—Paul Lynde

this month

AUG 8

How about Madison Square Garden for a "Worship Night in America"—**Max Lucado** joins Chris Tomlin and others for a very special evening. (Can't get to NYC? How about Denver on 8/13 or Sacramento on 8/15??)

AUG 9-14

One of our favorite places with one of our favorite people ... **Jim Garlow** speaks at Family Camp (Forest Home CA).

AUG 9-17

Wearing his other hat, but exemplifying the core message of "Ignite," **Barry Meguiar** will be in Pebble Beach for the Concours D'Elegance. If you happen to be in the area, be sure to greet Barry there!

AUG 10-14

Looking for a summer vacation like no other? Consider serving as an STM (short term missionary) with **Joni and Friends'** Family Retreats—this week at Bonclarken (Flat Rock NC), Twin Rocks (Rockaway Beach OR), and Barbara Harris (Manchester NH). Check the website for a full schedule of Family Retreats this year.

AUG 10

John Stonestreet is a participating instructor for "The Collegiate Academy" (Scottsdale AZ).

next month

SEPT 13

Grandparents Day

SEPT 16

Ron Deal will be participating in the D6 Conference (Louisville KY)—a conference for those involved in family ministries (named for Deut. 6:4-7).

SEPT 20

Speaking at the open rally of the 40 Days of Life Campaign (Dayton OH), **Brad Mattes** will anchor the Right to Life event being held outside a late-term abortion facility. Pray for Brad and others speaking for life.

SEPT 25-27

John Sorensen joins many who will be in Washington DC for the Family Research Council's tenth annual "Values Voter Summit."


SEPT 25-26

Revive Our Hearts hosts women in ministry at Revive '15 (Indianapolis) with a speaker team that includes **Nancy Leigh DeMoss** and many others.



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Congratulations, Wayne and Willi!

God's wonderful grace is evident yet again as He has remarkably woven together two life stories to become one.

On June 28, Wayne Pederson (President of Reach Beyond) married Willi Ellis at beautiful Glen Eyrie's Castle in Colorado Springs CO.

Friends who gathered to celebrate the union included FEBC President Ed & Mary Jean Cannon and Lauren Libby (President of TWR) and wife, June. That long friendship of three ministries serving in global broadcasting is a very special one.

Long active in NRB and Christian broadcasting, many have prayed for Wayne through the painful journey of his wife, Norma, who went to be with the Lord after battling cancer over a year ago and into the widowhood season.

Said Wayne on the marriage to Willi—*My heart is full of joy and love today. I'm grateful for God's provision in so many, many ways. Our love is one of His greatest gifts.*