

For the week of:

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*On This Day...*



**MONDAY 8/24**

Originally discovered during a period of intense planet hunting, *Pluto* was demoted to a *dwarf planet* in 2006 by the International Astronomical Union (IAU).

**TUESDAY 8/25**

Known as "The Great Moon Hoax," in 1835 the *New York Sun* newspaper released its first in a series of six articles announcing the supposed discovery of life on the moon.

**WEDNESDAY 8/26**

The great Italian artist Michelangelo first began work on his masterpiece the *Pietà* in 1498. This breathtaking sculpture depicts Mary holding Jesus' body after the Crucifixion.

**THURSDAY 8/27**

It's not their birthday or a holiday but on *Just Because Day*, try spreading random acts of kindness to a loved one or even a stranger today. Who knows the impact it could have!

**FRIDAY 8/28**

In 1922, the first-ever radio ad aired on WEAJ in NYC, changing the economical structure of broadcast. Since then we recognize today as *Radio Commercial Day*.

**DID YOU KNOW?**

**THIS YEAR MARKS THE 25TH ANNIVERSARY SINCE RELEASE OF *BABE*. WHAT YOU MIGHT NOT KNOW:**

- It took **48 different pigs** to play the role of *Babe*.
- **Farmer Hoggett** has just 16 lines in the movie—for which actor James Cromwell earned an Oscar nomination for Best Supporting Actor.
- In all, there were **970 animals** on the set of *Babe*—tho only 500 actually made it into the movie.
- *Babe* received a nomination for **Best Picture**—and lost to *Braveheart*.
- Pigs communicate constantly and more than **20 different vocalisations** have been identified; from wooing a mate to saying "I'm hungry!"

**IN OTHER WORDS...**

"Only a fraction of what God has done through our movement over time would have occurred if we hadn't paid attention to having 'maximum impact,' versus just 'staying busy.'"

— **Steve Douglass**  
(President of Cru)

"Merging people and cultures just takes a while. That's why I like to joke that for stepfamily couples, the honeymoon comes at the end of the journey."

— **Ron Deal**  
(Director of FamilyLife Blended)

**Weekly Verse**

"Dear brothers and sisters, when troubles of any kind come your way, consider it an opportunity for great joy. For you know that when your faith is tested, your endurance has a chance to grow. So let it grow, for when your endurance is fully developed, you will be perfect and complete, needing nothing. If you need wisdom, ask our generous God, and he will give it to you. He will not rebuke you for asking."

— **James 1: 2-5 (NLT)**

**Ministry Spotlight:**

She's now a co-host for *Revive Our Hearts* daily but beginning Saturday, October 3, **Dannah Gresh** will also anchor the new *weekend edition* of the program, launched in response to station request for outstanding weekend content. Each broadcast will feature the best of the week's daily edition with added commentary from Dannah and friends. Contact [Jennifer@ambaa.com](mailto:Jennifer@ambaa.com) to add to your schedule!

