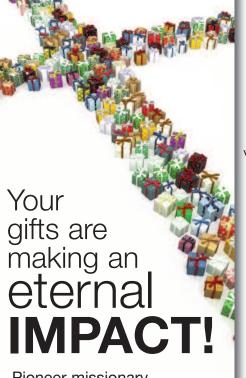


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Pioneer missionary C.T. Studd said, "Only one life, 'twill soon be past; only what's done for Christ will last." When you give to Faith Radio, you are making a gift with an eternal impact. Your generous gifts enable us to minister to people by broadcasting unique and diverse programming that proclaims the Gospel and shares the love of Christ throughout our listening area.

Thank You for your lasting gifts!

eatures... Here are some featured albums and songs played on Faith Radio throughout our local musicoriented programs:

Bethel Music WE WILL NOT BE SHAKEN No Longer Slaves





Steven Curtis Chapman WORSHIP AND BELIEVE Amen

Hannah Kerr I STAND HERE I Stand Here





Hillsong Worship OPEN HEAVEN/ RIVER WILD One Thing

Michael O'Brien PSALMS HYMNS AND SPIRITUAL SONGS All Things Bright and Beautiful





Sidewalk Prophets SOMETHING DIFFERENT Prodigal

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from our listeners...

Your letters, e-mail messages and phone calls are encouraged and invited. Your opinions, comments, concerns, prayer requests and suggestions provide us with helpful input from our most important listener - YOU!

"I've experienced healing in my life since listening to Faith Radio." - Dothan, AL

"Wow! Through the years how you've blessed my wife and me and helped us grow spiritually." - Troy, AL

"Thank you for what you do as instruments of the Lord. The station is a light to the world and a comfort! - Prattville, AL

"Your station has been a real blessing to me and my family." - Millbrook, AL

"For many years, Faith Radio has blessed me and continues to do so each day." - Montgomery, AL

"I have Bible teachers every day for all these years. Thank you and those that support your ministry."

- Andalusia. AL

#### PROGRAMMER SPOTLIGHTS Heard on Faith Radio

"We are totally unable to experience joy as long as we're enslaved to sin." - Chuck Swindoll, Insight for Living, heard weekdavs at 9:00am

"One often sees a call only in retrospect. This too is God's design. God often reinforces our faith after we trust Him, not before." - Ravi Zacharias, Just Thinking, heard weekdays at 12:25pm

"God will never desert you. Press on, hold on, and don't lose heart." - Kay Arthur, Precepts for Life, heard weekdays at 12:40pm

"It doesn't matter how weak we are, in God's hands, our weakness gives space for His strength." - Charles Stanley. In Touch, heard weekdays at 8:00am

"You are indwelled by the Spirit of the living God. Decide now what you will say when you hear the voice of the evil one."- Max Lucado, Upwords, heard weekdays at 2:26pm





#### Remember... ministry is taking place on Channel 104.



Faith Radio welcomes Kelly Treadwell as the new host of FaithSongs, heard weekdays from 10am to noon. Kelly also writes for and edits our monthly newsletter and Ministry Magazine. A native of Montgomery, Kelly is a 1996 graduate of Auburn University and holds an MBA from Samford University. She and her husband, Tommy, have been married for twenty years and are the proud parents of three sons. The family are active members of First Baptist Church in Montgomery, where Kelly and Tommy teach junior high Sunday School, are involved in marriage and family ministry, and serve in a variety of other ways.



Faith Radio is

here it was in my inbox. A listener wanted Faith Radio to partner with his school on a special project. My heart fluttered. I had to say we would have to pass on this opportunity. I had to tell him we are not like most Christian radio stations. We are unique.

Our funding is unique. Most Christian stations have a sales staff. They sell "underwriting" (commercials) to businesses. There is nothing wrong with this method. However, in the genesis of Faith Radio, men and women believed that God would supply our needs through the prayerful financial support of our listeners. This philosophy has worked well since 1984. Many churches support us, but we are not a separate ministry of any one church. Many small businesses give to this ministry, but we do not have a specific company that pays all of our expenses. That would be a

big partner. Our daily expenses exceed \$2,200.

by Russell Dean,

General Manager

Our programming is unique. We do not charge our preachers and teachers to be on Faith Radio. Some contribute because we allow them to be on the air; some do not give at all. However, we continue to offer the best radio teaching available.

FAITH RADIO IS NOT LIKE OTHER RADIO STATIONS.

Our ministry is unique. Most of our music program hosts are Faith Radio people. These men and women have a call on their lives to serve here. Faith Radio seeks the opportunity to serve churches and other ministries by partnering with them to help their events be successful. We do not charge for that partnership.

Faith Radio is not like other radio stations. Then, again, our board of directors never intended us to be. We are unique.

# 1RADIO faces...

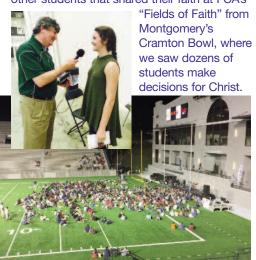
#### Wheels for the World



We are thankful for the many listeners who responded to our wheelchair drive! These mobility devices will be refurbished by Joni and Friend's "Wheels for the World" and sent with a missions team to share Christ around the world! Beth Ames, Ashley Ames, Betsy Prince, and Billy Irvin receive wheelchairs, walkers, and canes during our collection drive at the Faith Radio studios.

#### Many Come to Christ Through **FCA Events**

Billy Irvin interviewed Mary Conley Teel and other students that shared their faith at FCA's



#### We Honor Our Veterans **Blood Drive**



We partnered with our friends at Baptist Hospice in the annual "We Honor Veterans Blood Drive." Chaplain James Green, Bob Crittenden, Mona McDermott, and Billy Irvin are ready to greet donors.



#### **Veteran's Day Parade**

Faith Radio always enjoys the opportunity to "Honor Our Veterans." Billy Irvin gives a great THANK YOU during the parade in downtown Montgomery to those who have served in our military.



#### **Christmas Crosses for Our Listeners**

Hundreds of people are blessed each year with our Christmas Crosses. We are thankful for Clay (shown below left) and Carrie Phillips who lead this effort and donate the crosses to our ministry and for the volunteers of all ages who helped in the construction effort.







Pictured above is Board Chairman Mark Williams, who led a group of students to help in this massive ministry undertaking.

#### **Prayer Walk in the Capital City**



The River Region Prayer Walk saw hundreds of people come to downtown Montgomery to pray for churches. schools, teachers, government leaders, and community issues.

#### **Hundreds Come** to Christ at **Judgment House**

Thousands of people attended this year's Judgment House.

Dozens of churches partnered together to see hundreds of people make lifechanging decisions for Jesus Christ.



#### **New Christian School**

We are amazed to see and share what God is doing in downtown Montgomery at Valiant Cross Academy, an all boys' school based on Christian principles with an intentional culture of structure and discipline. The school biblically addresses the challenges that plague our city and our nation.



#### **Point of** Grace It was a sell-out crowd at First Baptist Prattville's women's event featuring "Point of Grace."



Ramona Henson took a moment to share a photo with a few attendees from Friendship Baptist Church in Clanton.

# 100 CE than a Radio Station.

The generous support of our donors allows Faith Radio to offer a wide variety of quality, biblical programming that ministers to people in different ways. We never know the situation or spiritual condition of someone who may tune in, but we are constantly amazed at the stories we receive of how God has used a particular broadcast to touch someone's life. Because of the diverse content on Faith Radio, we are...

#### ...a **marriage** ministry.

On October 28 and 29, Ron Deal of Smart Stepfamilies appeared on Focus on the Family, which is heard weekday mornings at 8:30, to discuss different aspects of how to improve relationships in a blended family.

From August 10 to 13 on Living on the Edge, which is aired weeknights at 7:00, Chip Ingram taught on common problems plaguing today's marriages and offered Biblical solutions for strengthening marriages.

A listener from Andalusia shared, "Thank you for promoting programs to strengthen marriages and families. I



At the National Religious Broadcasters convention, Chip Ingram sat down for a conversation with Bob Crittenden.

heard on Faith Radio, 'a nation is only as strong as its families.' That seems so true today."

#### ...a **financial** ministry.

Six days a week on Faith Radio, we broadcast MoneyWise with Howard Dayton and Steve Moore, formerly with Crown Financial Ministries, now with Compass - Finances God's Way. The program features viewpoints on investing, budgeting, and other aspects of sound financial management from a Christian worldview perspective. MoneyWise is heard Monday through Friday at 6:00pm and Saturday mornings at 10:30.

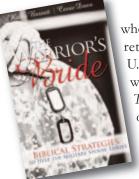
Earlier this year, Howard was a guest on the HomeWord broadcast with Jim Burns, heard weekdays at 2:30pm. Other financial experts who have appeared on that program include Mary Hunt and Ron Blue.

A listener from Dothan affirmed. "You have educated me so much in my Biblical instructions of stewardship and money."

#### ...a **military** ministry.

FamilyLife Today, heard weekdays at noon, offered a program on October 23 about the needs of military families, with couples from the Cru Military Ministry.

by Bob Crittenden, host of The Meeting House and Billy Irvin, Director of Ministry Relations



Carrie Daws, whose husband is retired from the U.S. Air Force, was a guest on The Meeting House on May 5. She discussed challenges that military families

face and offered insight into her own family's experiences, including the importance of faith.

A Fort Rucker listener shared, "You bring so much comfort to our military families, particularly those who have a family member serving in another part of the world; you bring God's peace and comfort from His Word."

#### ...a **grief** ministry.

On The Meeting House on October 27, Bible teacher and author Angelia Waite described the loss of her 3year-old son and offered perspective on God's faithfulness and how to

relate to people who have

faced loss. The Meeting House is heard Monday through Friday afternoons from 4:00 until 6:00.

A listener from Montgomery wrote, "Through the deaths of my parents killed in an accident hit by a drunk

driver and the illness and death of my husband, I received so much support and encouragement from listening to Faith Radio."

#### ...a ministry of reconciliation.

On the October 7 edition of The Alternative with Tony Evans, heard Monday-Friday at 9:30am, Dr. Evans discussed the concept of unity and how oneness in Christ can be embraced.



Lois and Tony Evans stopped by the Faith Radio booth at the National Religious Broadcasters Convention to talk to Bob Crittenden and Billy Irvin.

A listener from Union Springs shared, "A lot of healing has taken place in my life since listening to Faith Radio."

Faith Radio is more than a radio station, it is a ministry, and we are daily broadcasting the hope and love of Christ to a hurting world. Thank you for partnering with us to make it all possible.

# From Jail Cells to Haiti, Faith Radio is Growing

by Billy Irvin, Director of Ministry Relations

#### Our Mobile Broadcast

You can now listen to Faith Radio wherever you are with our smart phone application. This free app is downloaded from the iTunes store or Google Play. With the touch of a button, you can listen to Faith Radio anywhere your phone is connected. A listener shared, "It's so convenient. I carry my phone when I walk the dog, and now I can listen to Faith Radio." Another listener shared, "When I got out of my car to pull up the trash can from way down the driveway, I switched over to my iPhone and didn't miss the great interview you had about dealing with aging parents and Alzheimer's." Still another said, "I travel outside your listening area; but now no matter what state I travel, I carry you all with me!"





Above, Prison Chaplain Ray Baker shared, "The biggest thing I see is the people in jails and prisons listening to Faith Radio are an influence on the other inmates and able to deal with personal problems a whole lot better by having themselves rooted into God's Word."

## Prison Radios Providing Biblical Education

"We have one of the greatest opportunities anywhere in our nation to share the message of salvation to a lost and dying world in jails and prisons in our area," said Wayne Dozier, a Faith Radio listener who began a mission of putting "Radios of Faith" into jails and prisons. Wayne said, "With Alabama being number 1 at 193% in over-crowding, the time is now to share!" One inmate shared, "When we see you coming with the radios, it's just like Christmas! Faith Radio tells us what God's Word says, what it means, and how to apply it to our lives since so many of us in here struggle with very poor reading ability."

Listeners in Covington, Elmore, Houston, Lee, and Montgomery counties have responded and collected special donations to purchase radios. We also have been blessed to get "Radios of Faith" in the jails and prisons in North Florida, which is part of the Faith Radio listening area. God is opening more doors in this new year. Dozier told us, "The court systems are asking us to come up with ideas to help in the local community with how to get these great tools in the

hands of those who need to hear." Pray for these special opportunities to share God's Word with inmates.

New Investments in Our Haiti Technology



Faith Radio has been blessed to partner with 4VEH Radio in Cap Haitien for a number of years in Haiti. Recently, we reinvested in our delivery technology/satellite feed. While very few members of the population in Haiti speak or understand English, we have a remarkable impact on those who do.

Faith Radio's broadcast in Haiti provides tremendous encouragement to the growing number of missionaries serving there. Steve and Melissa Gross from Indiana are serving as teachers at the OMS International School. Melissa shared, "I am listening mostly for praise music but sometimes I catch a sermon or other show that I find encouraging.

It's a little window to the States for me. I hope you all can keep broadcasting it for us."

Leony (left) is a young Haitian lady who listens to Faith Radio in Cap Haitien. She shared, "Faith Radio helps

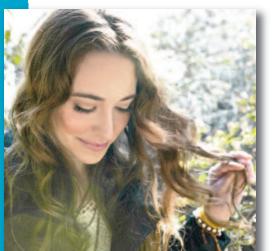
me with English pronunciation... when I started listening to it, my English kept improving. I like hearing about social issues such as marriage, abortion, families, and relationships. I like the music and the preaching. My favorite preacher is Charles Swindoll."

The English teachers in the area encourage their students to tune-in. Kate Michel, marketing and communications director at 4VEH Radio said, "Young

people tune in to Faith Radio on 94.7 FM/Horizon/4VEH station. Not only do they get to improve their English as they listen, but they hear eternal truth and hope in the message of the Gospel. We love partnering with Faith Radio to help meet this need in Cap Haitien!"

## artist spotlight

by Jeremy Smith, host of *Morning Praise* 



This month we shine the spotlight on Lauren Daigle, an up and coming artist who was recently awarded New Artist of the Year at the 2015 GMA Dove Awards. Lauren's website describes the passion behind her music:

Faith and music have been intertwined in the Louisiana native's life since birth. Growing up in a region steeped in blues, country, zydeco and Cajun music has inspired her to frame her worship music in a unique light. But Daigle admits she almost pushed music to the backburner, unsure if it was her true calling, until a devastating illness brought her young life into sharper focus. "It honestly was one of the best things that had happened to me," Daigle says of contracting a debilitating virus when she was 15 that kept her out of school for nearly two years. "I was a sophomore living life and having



a blast. Then there was a big halt. Because my illness was an immune deficiency, anything that was airborne I'd catch it. If any friends were sick I couldn't be around them, so going to school became off limits."

In the quiet solitude forced upon her by this condition, God spoke. "The Lord began to just pour in passion for music, singing and writing songs," says Daigle... I went to this college prep school and felt I needed to get serious, so I thought I'd go into the medical field and do mission work. Then when the Lord brought me into that solitude I was like, 'How did I get distracted from what my true passion is? I NEED to be singing.' He really brought me through all of that season to pour in a passion for ministry and a passion for music."

Read more of Lauren's story at www.laurendaigle.com. Lauren's first album "How Can it Be" is available now and features the song "First," which can be heard on Faith Radio.

The Meeting House says "Thank You"

by Bob Crittenden, host of The Meeting House



he Meeting House was launched in 2004, and it has been my desire to communicate a Christian worldview perspective on a wide variety of topics, in addition to creating an atmosphere of worship. I am so thankful for those who listen, as well as those who have provided content for the program. So, I want to give God praise for:

• The opportunity to provide a Christian worldview perspective in a variety of subject areas, including current issues, lifestyle topics, and areas in which we can be challenged to apply Biblical truth. I desire to keep my "finger on the pulse" of current events, especially those that have a spiritual component and directly impact the Christian community. I also get the opportunity to identify how God is at work through His people and report those instances to you. In addition, I want to find stories and concepts to



In the press room at the 2015 GMA Dove Awards in Nashville, Kirk Franklin, who performed at the awards ceremony, visited the Faith Radio broadcast center.



Bob attended three red carpet events this year, including the one for "Beyond the Mask" in Detroit. He recorded a video interview with Kara Killmer and Andrew Cheney the day after the premiere.

share spiritual principles that can inspire you in your Christian walk.

- The opportunity to meet interesting authors, musicians, speakers, and commentators in person, by telephone, or both. I have had discussions with the majority of our Faith Radio programmers throughout the years.
- The chance to develop relationships with regular guests on the program. I have regularly communicated with a number of our contributors: Jimmy DeYoung, Stuart Shepard, Marc Newman, Joe Savage, and guests from WORLD Magazine.
- The opportunity to go "on location" at events, including National Religious Broadcasters, the International Christian Retail Show, and the GMA Dove Awards.
- The representatives of *The Meeting House* guests, who recognize the value of appearing on the show and work diligently behind the scenes to coordinate those appearances.



## Gifts in Memory and in Honor of...

A memorial gift is a meaningful way to honor someone at the time of death by recognizing that person's Christian faith and testimony. Similarly, an honorarium is a tangible way of honoring a living person's testimony. We are thankful for individuals listed below who chose to honor friends and loved ones through a gift that extends the message of Christ through Faith Radio's ministry. Gifts made as of November 30, 2015

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Monday - Friday 8:00am - 5:00pm growth. Lamentations 3:22-23 reminds us of God's new provision for each day ahead, "His compassions never fail. They are new every morning; great is Your faithfulness." As you navigate this new year, remember God gives you grace one day at a time. We don't know what we will face in the year ahead, but we go and grow knowing God's grace will be sufficient.

Faith Radio is here to remind you of God's promises. Jesus tells us in Matthew 6:33-34, "Seek first His Kingdom and His righteousness... do not worry about tomorrow." In this new year, let's grow in our faith by trusting the Lord for every step of 2016. Faith Radio is here all day, every day to help you. We invite you to become a faithful ministry partner with us now and throughout the year. Your gifts to this ministry will encourage others to grow in their faith and will make both an earthly and eternal impact!



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