



“I am the light of the world. He who follows Me shall not walk in darkness, but have the light of life.” John 8:12

WCIF Monthly Family Update - December 2020

“Joy” was the word that Penny and I were discussing. It’s one of her favorite words. So my mind journeyed on thinking about words and their impact on our thoughts. Joy certainly portrays to me a desired feeling, something that I want in my life - more than happiness, it’s a contentment and pleasure.

What word or words are central in my thoughts? Of course “Hope” immediately came to mind. Sharing Jesus is sharing Hope. It’s definitely what I want to do. I certainly want peace in the center of my life. *Seek peace and pursue it.* Psalm 34:14. *Thou wilt keep him in perfect peace, whose mind is stayed on thee.* Isaiah 26:3 God desires and wants His people to have grace and peace to you from God our Father. Paul wrote that greeting many times in his letters. I think of the favorite carol of many that ends “Sleep in heavenly peace.”

I also think of the word “Light”. *Arise, shine; For your Light has come! And the glory of the LORD is risen upon you.* Isaiah 60:1. I love seeing all the Christmas lights and remember the Light of the World as we celebrate His birth. And then there’s the word Glory . . . Glorify . . . You can add your own words and contemplate how they relate to The Light of the World—Jesus.

Now may the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace in believing, that you may abound in hope by the power of the Holy Spirit. Romans 15:13

“Joy to the world—the Lord is come”—and that’s the Hope that we want to share everyday at Hope 106.3. Pray with us that Hope will abound everyday of 2021!
Martha Root, General Manager

SHARE A CHRISTMAS CARD! Hope 106.3 wants you to join with us to share Hope this Christmas. We’re teaming up with Wavecrest Health and Rehabilitation to make sure all of their residents receive cards this Christmas. How can you help? Get us a Christmas card, or two, or even more...as many as you would like. Write a nice note inside, maybe include a favorite scripture or even a picture of your family. Some residents find it difficult to open envelopes so if you can leave them unsealed (just tuck the flap) it will make it easier for the residents. Bring or mail the cards to us. For details, call us at 321-725-9243. We need these cards by December 20 so they can be ready for distribution to the residents.

“Because of Bethlehem”

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stories from his childhood, his family, his life—stories to draw the listener to the Christ of Christmas ... And the question: “Would you let Jesus love you?”

Tuesday, Dec. 22 at 10 p.m.

Max Lucado loves Christmas! Because somewhere, someone will ask the Christmas questions, and the answers Max shares are sure to give us all hope! And in this special, Max, the master story-teller, tells

Listener spotlight

I recently spoke with listener, Michael Frye about why he and his family listen to Hope 106.3.



Penny: How long have you been listening to Hope 106.3?

Michael: About 3 to 4 years

Penny: What do you like most about Hope 106.3?

Michael: It’s like family listening to WCIF, and I’m encouraged and spiritually lifted.

Penny: Would you recommend a friend to this station?

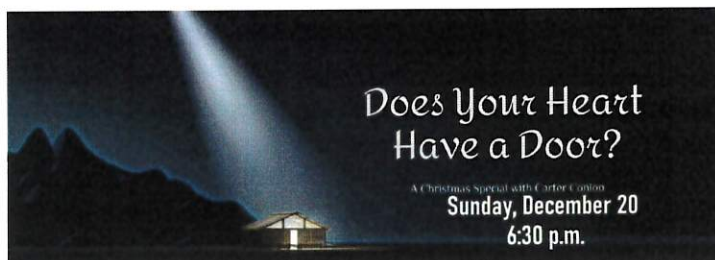
Michael: YES! I often talk about what I hear on WCIF.

Penny: What are some of your favorite things about the station?

Michael: Is He Worthy? Joni Eareckson Tada, and Ravi Zacharias. Also, those at WCIF that have become friends and I love it when my kids say, “Hey! It’s Penny! or It’s Cliff.” I’m so thankful for Hope 106.3. There have been so many times I’ve been depressed and discouraged and heard a message or teaching that I listened to in my car even though I had arrived at my destination. I know their heart is for lives to be changed.

Congratulations to Penny Galloway

who has completed her third year on staff at Hope 106.3!



Carter Conlon, Times Square Church, is joined by his daughter Kate Hughes in the studio, where they share some personal reflections and closely examine Luke Chapter 2, the miraculous story of Jesus’s birth. Joseph and Mary were met with cold hearts and a closed-door at the inn that night. Does your heart reflect the attitude of the innkeeper or is it reflective of Christ’s heart for His people? This Christmas season, Carter encourages greeting others with kindness and remembering that God could have easily shut the door to heaven in our faces, but being rich in mercy He sent His one and only Son to save us instead.

Hope 106.3 Day Sponsors

December 3 – Wayne and Carolyn Brannon praising the Lord for His faithfulness and blessings for the past 27 years as they celebrate their wedding anniversary and thanking God for their family

December 5 – Mike and Michelle in honor of their third wedding anniversary

December 6 – Just a Preacher Ministries in gratitude for 19 years of broadcasting on WCIF

December 15 – In honor of Lee and Joanna Martinez on their 58th wedding anniversary from their family. “You are the parents that all kids hope to have and the pillars of support every family wishes it had. Thank you for the Godly examples. Happy Anniversary to our parents!”

December 16 – Joe and Theresa Tolle and children in memory of Joe Tolle, Jr. beloved father and grandfather on what would have been his 84th birthday

December 17 - In honor of Austin Garner on his birthday

December 18 – Steve and Judy Gardner in memory of her mother Mitzi Cline on Mitzi’s birthday

December 19 – Richard and Susan Laszlo in honor of their 61st wedding anniversary

December 20 – Scott and Patricia Zinn in celebration of their 34th wedding anniversary

December 21 – Steven and Melinda Rudisill in celebration of their 7th wedding anniversary

December 22 – Cliff Lethbridge in loving memory of his dad Bradford E. Lethbridge, Sr. on his birthday

December 23 – David and Diane Gierling and family in loving memory of daughter and sister Dannah Lois Gierling

December 26 – Sandy Robinson in memory of her husband Jack on his birthday

December 28 – Mr. and Mrs. David Shearer in honor of their wedding anniversary

December 29 – Jeff and Melanie Dietz in honor of their 35th wedding anniversary

December 31 – Jim and Selina Vinson in honor of their 37th wedding anniversary. Thanking God for His blessings on these 37 years of marriage

Thanks to our Day Sponsors who have underwritten the cost of a broadcast day on WCIF. If you, your church or business would like information about being a Day Sponsor call Hope 106.3 321-725-9243.

JOY! JOY! JOY!

Hope 106.3 is sharing joy this season.

Be listening and plan to call in—have the number ready (321.725.9243) - and win a Hope Cup o'Joy! It's a Hope 106.3 mug filled with fun. Your opportunity happens each weekday this Christmas season on Hope 106.3.

Gifts

Gifts have been given to the ministry of WCIF

In memory of
Burke and Selma O’Kelly
From Frank and Gail O’Kelly

In memory of
Ron Archambo
From his wife Alice

In memory of
Clayton Barker
From Brent and Marty Campbell

- ◆ **2020 Contributions**—your total contribution record for tax purposes will be mailed in January 2021. To be included as a 2020 contribution your envelope must be postmarked by December 31, 2020. On-line contributions must be submitted by midnight EST on December 31, 2020. Our secure site www.wcif.com is able to accept both credit cards or electronic checks. If you prefer you may always call us to donate electronically - 321-725-9243 (321-725-WCIF).
- ◆ **Address changes**—please be sure and let us know if you move so that your WCIF Newsletter can make the transition with you. Call us or send an email to Sheri@wcif.com.
- ◆ **Christmas music**—72 hours of Christmas Music—December 23, 24, and 25 - A perfect time to invite someone to listen to Hope 106.3 — all of our music will be Christmas music starting Dec. 12.
- ◆ It’s not too early to start planning. Mark your calendars for **Sharathon 2021! February 16, 17 and 18!** It's three days of music, fun, and special guests. Sharathon 2021 coming soon on Hope 106.3. This is a few weeks earlier than usual due to other events in our community.

Pray with Us

- ◆ **GOD’S TRUTH WILL DIRECT OUR LIVES, EMMANUEL “GOD WITH US” WILL BE OUR GUIDE THROUGH 2021**
- ◆ **THOSE WHO ARE LONELY AT CHRISTMAS WILL SENSE GOD’S COMFORT AND PEACE THROUGH HOPE 106.3**
- ◆ **ALL OF US WILL BE HEALTHY**
- ◆ **NEW LISTENERS WILL JOIN THE HOPE 106.3 FAMILY**

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