



**Catholic Radio  
AM 1450**

## April 2009 E-Letter

Dear Friends,

Spring has definitely sprung, and I pray that your Lenten efforts have created new life within your heart and brought you closer to our Lord, Jesus Christ. I have taken to journaling as a part of my prayer life after hearing we remember 50% of what we write vs. 10% of what we hear. That said, I wanted to share a verse I recently heard, as we round the corner and head into Holy Week.



"For I am convinced that neither death, nor life, nor angels, nor principalities, nor present things, nor future things, nor powers, nor height, nor depth, nor any other creature will be able to separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord."  
Romans 8:38-39

Even in the light (or shadow) of the recent news from Notre Dame, this is a great reminder of the reason for our hope. That said, we are called to continue to share the good news, fight the good fight, and pray for the conversion of heart of those in the darkness.

And don't forget - the "Thy Will Be Done" Spring Sharathon begins three weeks from today, April 22-24 - no April Fool's here! The list of sizzle gifts looks fantastic, so be ready to pledge early and often, and please continue to keep our efforts in your prayers.

God Bless,  
Mike

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## "Thy Will Be Done" 2009 Spring Sharathon on Apr 22-23-24

Redeemer Radio is gearing up for our Spring Sharathon. Be sure to check your bulletin to see when your parish priest will be on the air. We will have a complete line-up on our webpage soon of who the guests will be on April 22, 23 & 24th. Prayerfully consider donating to Redeemer Radio especially when your dear priest or friend is on the air!

### Programming Spotling - Kresta in the Afternoon



**Kresta in the Afternoon.** Al Kresta is a broadcaster, journalist and author who is, first of all, a missionary. He draws upon his unique faith background to create what is, arguably, the most fascinating - and most spiritually constructive - talk show on radio today.

We hope you enjoy the new lineup. (see the full new lineup at [Redeemer Radio's website](#)). Please let us know what you think!

### Help Wanted: Executive Director

Redeemer Radio is continuing on our search for a new executive director. The station serves a wonderful mission within our Diocese, and we are looking for an energetic leader, strong in the Catholic faith, with a zeal for growing this apostolate. Please contact the station if you feel called to lead our growth!

### LIVE Broadcast: Rosary on Holy Saturday April 11th at 9:30am

**Join us in asking continually for His loving plan to be fully realized on earth as it is in heaven.**

Please be at the station Holy Saturday April 11th at 9:00am or join us via the airwaves at 9:30 to pray the rosary.



Email your prayer requests to [info@redeemerradio.com](mailto:info@redeemerradio.com).

### Protecting Conscience Rights in Health Care: Our Voice is Needed!

"The US Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) is inviting public

comment on a proposal to rescind an important December 2008 federal regulation that protects the conscience rights of health care providers. Help protect the rights of our Catholic health care professionals and institutions. Please visit [www.usccb.org/conscienceprotection](http://www.usccb.org/conscienceprotection) to access links to make a comment and to find out more information. Comments must be posted by April 9, 2009."

## Listeners Share How Redeemer Radio Touches Them

A few listener comments received in the last month ...

- As a Lenten exercise, I decided to turn on Redeemer Radio more and TV a lot less. As enlightened as I believed I was before, I can tell you now that I have missed out on much more enlightenment. Thank you so much! May God continue to bless your efforts. ~Tracey
- St Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish Mission Comment: The LIVE broadcast is great for people that want to grow from the missions and aren't able to go to hear these wonderful homilies, for lent it was very inspiring. I looked forward to it each night. I loved hearing the commentaries. My friend, a parishioner from St. E's, was out of town on vacation, but was still able to listen online from Florida! ~Pat
- We really enjoy listening to you. Thanks for all you do! ~Mark



## Sponsor Spotlight - Welcome

A very special welcome to the Redeemer Radio family with new underwriting beginning in April: Ron Clemens of Secure Dental Technologies, Ed Smith at Illumination Solutions Inc., Jody Swaidner at Poorman's Heating and Air Conditioning, Dr. Gregory and Susanne Hoffman along with Dr. Andrew and Dr. Jennifer Landrigan and Jerry and Ed Dahm of Mike's Car Wash for extending their support. Contact Bob if you are interested in sponsoring a program at 436-9598 or [bobh@redeemerradio.com](mailto:bobh@redeemerradio.com).

## Meijer Community Rewards

Redeemer Radio, Catholic Radio AM 1450 is now signed up with Meijer Community Rewards. This will allow us to help raise funds while shopping at the grocery! You can join by signing up online, by mail, or in the store. Contact Mindy for more details at the station 260-436-9598.

## Quality Certificate of Finland's Radio Club

"Indeed it was really awesome to find your station on the dial - it's not that easy - so that was a great moment for us! We thought that WLYV is definitely worthy of the Quality Certificate

of our radio club because your signal can sometimes travel thousands of miles up to us here on the other side of the globe. God Bless you and best regards from Radio Eagles Team Finland



## Our Priests are On! Readings and Reflections: Weekdays at 11:55a

- Apr 5: Fr. Jim Shafer, Pastor, St. Elizabeth Ann Seton, Fort Wayne.
- Apr 12: Fr. Steve Colchin, Pastor, St. Louis Besancon/NewHaven.
- Apr 19: Fr. Dan Durkin, Pastor, St. Henry / Sacred Heart, Fort Wayne.
- Apr 26: Fr. Larry Kramer, Pastor, St. Paul of the Cross, Columbia City.

## Redeemer Radio's Original Local Programming - Saturdays 9 a.m.

Faithworks: April 4: Encore broadcast of Patrick Madrid's message, "Surprised by Truth"

Faithworks: April 11: Encore broadcast with host Dr. Matt Bunson interviewing Father Glenn Kohrman about his book, "Reflections of a Catholic Priest."



Knightlife: April 18: Host Greg Diss speaks with the Grand Knight of the St. Vincent de Paul Council, Ed Waldschmidt, with Dana Achor and our own Carl Spade chiming in!

Elderangle: April 25: Catholic Attorney Otto Bonahoom discusses Medicaid planning.

\*Note that Faithworks encores each Saturday at 6:30 p.m.

## Donate Online!

You can partner with Redeemer Radio in our mission to evangelize, educate and serve the Catholic community. It's easy. Donate online at [redeemerradio.com](http://redeemerradio.com). Thank you and bless you for your support!

Thank you all for your support. May God help us reach many more souls in 2009!

Sincerely,

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