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## Family Radio on the Move

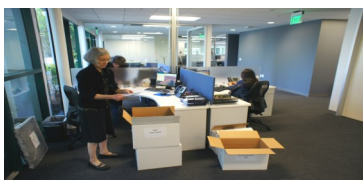
The move-in to Family Radio's new headquarters happened on May 2, 2016. Unpacking boxes and setting up all the work stations went rather smoothly as the staff settled in to their new environment. The Lord has been extremely gracious in providing an efficient space with offices and studios to continue our efforts to declare the gospel of salvation to a world in need.



Tom Evans at his desk in the new offices.

Our new space is different from our old location. Instead of private offices, we now have an open environment with the addition of conference rooms, a chapel for staff gatherings and prayer, and quiet rooms for reading the Bible or just being alone with God. Our intent is to create an atmosphere of openness and collaboration between teams of employees by removing walls between departments while utilizing the space that has been provided in an efficient manner.

Join us in thanking the Lord for His provision of these new office facilities as we seek better ways to serve Him - to God be the glory!



## Words of Comfort, Words of Hope!

*I love them that love Me; and those that seek Me early shall find Me.*  
Proverbs 8:17

*For the Son of man is come to seek and to save that which was lost.*  
Luke 19:10

*So then faith cometh by hearing, and hearing by the Word of God.*  
Romans 10:17

*...Behold, now is the accepted time; behold, now is the day of salvation.* II Corinthians 6:2

## Family Radio Welcomes a New Host to Our Morning Program "Rise and Rejoice," David Manzi

*...I will rejoice in the LORD, I will joy in the God of my salvation."* Habakkuk 3:18



With current host Larry Milliken undertaking new projects while also continuing as host of the nightly "Quiet Hours" program, Family Radio asked David Manzi if

he would consider taking over hosting duties of the morning program.

David is not new to Family Radio. Years ago, visiting his local Family Radio station, KECR, in the San Diego, CA, area, he was hoping to help out in some way, but the manager felt he was still a bit too young to bring on. In the Lord's timing, God opened the door for David to join the ministry, eventually serving as a staff announcer; later, a manager; then, a regional manager involved in both programming and the technical department.

On taking over his new role on "Rise and Rejoice," he said: "I'm humbled, honored, and blessed to do so," adding, "Don't expect any major changes. The emphasis will continue to be on God's Word, scriptural thoughts and devotions, and faithful hymns of praise and worship. After all," David concluded, "my mom's going to be listening!"

We hope you'll join David's mom and tune in for "Rise and Rejoice" weekday mornings on Family Radio!

*It is of the LORD'S mercies that we are not consumed, because his compassions fail not. They are new every morning: great is thy faithfulness.*  
Lamentations 3:22-23

*Everything we do at Family Radio is to enable people to discover, read, trust, and profess the Word of God, the Bible.*

*Howbeit when He, the Spirit of truth, is come, He will guide you into all truth: for He shall not speak of Himself; but whatsoever He shall hear, that shall He speak... John 16:13*

## Can I Trust in the LORD With All My Heart? Part 2

By Tom Evans

*We continue with the second part of this message knowing that those who are "justified, are justified only by the faith of Jesus Christ:"*

God describes this faith throughout Hebrews 11.

God gives this faith as part of the gift of salvation and is delivered to Christ's people by the Holy Spirit at the moment they become "born again."

The moment the Holy Spirit comes to dwell within a person, "faith" is one of the proofs of the Spirit's presence.

True faith is actually the faith belonging to Christ Jesus alone. Jesus Christ is the sole possessor and provider of the kind of faith needed to please God.

When Jesus Christ submitted Himself to His Father and allowed Himself to be put to death as payment for the sins of His people, He trusted, or had faith, that His Father would resurrect Him to life again.

Jesus had to trust that His Father would not leave or destroy His soul in hell.

**Therefore my heart is glad, and my glory rejoiceth: my flesh also shall rest in hope. For thou wilt not leave my soul in hell; neither wilt thou suffer thine Holy One to see corruption.**

**I went down to the bottoms of the mountains; the earth with her bars was about me for ever: yet hast thou brought up my life from corruption. O LORD my God. Psalm 16:9-10; Jonah 2:6**

In **Hebrews 12:2**, God declares that Jesus is the author and finisher - or, "completer" of faith:

**"Looking unto Jesus the author and finisher of *our* faith; who for the joy that was set before him endured the cross, despising the shame, and is set down at the right hand of the throne of God."**  
**Hebrews 12:2**

### Faith is the fruit of the Spirit!

The faith that pleases God comes from Jesus Christ, Who authored and completed this faith needed to please God.

The faith that caused Jesus to empty Himself to be the payment for sin is the same faith we desperately need to be saved and to please God the Father.

This faith comes from without and is part of the gift of salvation.

**For by grace are ye saved through faith; and that not of yourselves: it is the gift of God. Not of works, lest any man should boast. Ephesians 2:8-9**

In our next issue, we will conclude our study by looking at faith as the vehicle through which God delivers the gift of grace.

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## What People Are Saying...

(Open Letter)

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

I learned about Family Radio years ago. My mom was an avid listener but I just listened on Sundays on my way to church. Six years ago I underwent major surgery and was on disability for several months. So, worried about my recovery, I couldn't sleep at night. Then I remembered that Family Radio was on 24-hours-a-day. I became a committed listener and was able to send monthly offerings. This was my beginning of knowing and having a relationship with God.

I followed Mr. Camping's teachings and shared them with family and friends. Just as important was the hymns; it gave me solace, comfort, a nostalgic feeling and the peace that I needed.

Unfortunately, Mr. Camping's message about the 2nd coming of Jesus was not only erroneous but caused a lot of damage to many people as reported by the media. When Mr. Camping's response to mitigate the error of his message failed, I thought that he was a false prophet and I stopped listening.

Several months after, I began to receive letters from Family Radio encouraging me to continue my contributions. My response was to ignore them.

Two years ago, my Dad became gravely ill and this was so traumatic for my family. I remembered what Family Radio did for me during my illness and I sought out the new radio station which was mentioned in the ignored correspondence. Unfortunately, the reception was very poor. My Dad subsequently passed a year later.

My mom, distraught, also became gravely ill, passed within months of my dad's passing. It was the darkest moment of my life. I didn't know how to deal with such sorrow. Weeks later, I said I have to find out which radio station you were on in the east. Praise God - I found it! I was filled with such joy. I now listen every day. I'm so pleased to see how technologically advanced you have become. I'm able to listen on my smartphone anywhere.

I am restoring my commitment to you to give monthly. I have forgiven Mr. Camping because I learned so much from him that enabled me to initiate a right relationship with God.

Sincerely, Yours in Christ!