

#### From the President

As we approach the second half of 2022, we are very aware of the economic challenges that all of us are facing. Yes, we know that belts need to be tightened, unneeded things not purchased, and duplicated efforts halted. We are doing everything possible to stretch your gift dollars to their maximum effectiveness. You are so important to the on-going work of **NewLife Radio**.

I just wanted to say a big **THANK YOU** for your faithfulness during these challenging times. It is our prayer that God will multiply your blessings many times over. We could not do this without you!

In His Service,

Doug Doran, President

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# 90.7 FM • 91.7 FM NewLifeRadio Heart Warming • Life Changing

## Welcome Back *Love Worth Finding with Dr. Adrian Rogers*

**PASTOR, TEACHER, AND AUTHOR ADRIAN ROGERS** introduced people all over the world to the love of Jesus Christ and impacted untold numbers of lives by presenting profound biblical truth with such simplicity that "a 5-year-old can understand it, and yet, it still speaks to the heart of the 50-year-old." It's been more than 15 years since "Love Worth Finding with Dr. Adrian Rogers" has been heard on **NewLife Radio** and we are excited that "Love Worth Finding with Dr. Adrian Rogers" is back!

Dr. Rogers once said, "It is my heart's deepest desire that until Christ returns for His church, this ministry would continue to proclaim the truth of God's Word and His life-giving, life-altering love on broadcasts throughout the world." That sentiment is the same at **NewLife Radio**. We desire all to know and experience the "Love Worth Finding" in Jesus Christ.

Join us each weekday at 12:05 pm for "Love Worth Finding with Dr. Adrian Rogers" as his evangelistic zeal and uncompromising commitment to the Word of God consistently presents the Good News of Jesus Christ with strong conviction, compassion, and integrity!





**MAY** 

**GERANIUM FESTIVAL.** It was much cooler at this year's Geranium Festival than last year for sure! It was good to kick off the **NewLife Radio** event season with the 44th annual Geranium Festival on the square in McDonough! The entire **NewLife Radio** team was there eager to meet listeners and to make new friends! Arts and crafts, good friends and tomato sandwiches! Nothing beats the Geranium Festival! If we didn't get the chance to see you, keep looking for the **NewLife Radio** team at an event near you!

#### JUNE

#### **CELEBRATING DR. JOHN MCNEAL**

One of **NewLife Radio's** favorite speakers is Dr. Tony Evans. Did you know that he was a part of the Atlanta area? He was a student at Carver Bible College and one of his professors, and a dear friend of **NewLife Radio**, is Dr. John McNeal. Dr. McNeal started Atlanta Bible Baptist Church in 1964 and served more than 20 years at Carver Bible College as a professor and Dean of Students. In June, Mike Shelley had the opportunity to celebrate Dr. McNeal, alongside Dr. Tony Evans. What a great night to hear from those who benefitted from the life and wisdom of Dr. McNeal.

**VINTAGE DAYS.** On June 4, the entire **NewLife Radio** Team descended upon the Peach State Aerodrome in Williamson, GA. We had a super meeting with long time friends, new friends, and some people who will be friends! The fried pickles as well as many other "fair foods" were consumed by all of us. Thank you to all who stopped by our **NewLife Radio** tent to say "Hello!"







#### **JULY**

#### SHINGLEROOF CAMPMEETING

Established in 1832, the Shingleroof Campmeeting is one of the longest running camps in the state of Georgia. **NewLife Radio** is honored to be the official campmeeting radio station, and this year's camp was truly "one for the books." A variety of ministers and musicians came to Shingleroof Campmeeting this year. The highlight was Pastor Benny Tate, senior pastor of Rock Springs Church in Milner, Georgia and Bible teacher on "Apples of Gold" heard Tuesday nights at 8:30 and Saturday evenings at 6:05.

Other ministers for the week included: Pastor Brady Howard (Glen Haven Baptist Church, McDonough, GA), Dr. Jody Shaw (Community Bible Church, Stockbridge, GA), and Allan McCollough (Grace Hill Church, Herndon, VA). Of course, the fellowship, food and the music made for a great campmeeting. See you next year.

#### HARTS OF TEAL 5K & 1 MILE RUN

Harts of Teal is an organization that strives to bring more awareness to ovarian cancer, a leading cause of cancer related deaths in women. It was started by Kim Airhart and Andrea Sisler, both ovarian cancer survivors, with the hope of educating more women about the signs of ovarian cancer and to seek medical treatment. The Harts of Teal 5K and 1 Mile Run was held on July 9 at One Church in Fayetteville with the goal of raising

\$150,000. So far, the event has raised more than \$100,000 and had over 400 people participate in the event. To learn more, go to www. heartsofteal.org.



### **New!** POCKET GUIDES AND PASS-ALONG CARDS

Sharing **NewLife Radio** with friends and family is now a little easier.

New pocket program guides and pass-along cards are now available to hand out or

to have at your church. Call at 770.229.2020 and we will send

you some!



#### **AUGUST**

**TRANS WORLD RADIO.** Your partnership does more than keep the *Heart Warming* and *Life Changing* message of Jesus Christ on the air at 90.7 and 91.7FM. It also helps share that same message around the world, specifically through Trans World Radio (TWR). While spending two days broadcasting from TWR's headquarters in Cary, NC, Doug Doran and Mike Shelley learned more about TWR's work around the world, especially on the continent of Africa.

Did you know that radio is the preferred way of getting entertainment and information in Africa? Radio is affordable, convenient, and easy to use. It requires no data or electricity unlike the internet (many parts of Africa do not have internet coverage). Radio also preserves linguistic cultures, especially when many are forgetting their language. But, with the help of radio, some programs are being anchored on local languages making it easier to understand. Radio is also the perfect tool to use for those who cannot read or write.

For this reason, **NewLife Radio** is partnering with TWR's Radios for Africa. On August 9-10 you will have the opportunity to partner with us to raise money for radios. These radios will be distributed throughout the continent of Africa and will bring the good news of Jesus Christ! Join us for two days of fulfilling the Great Commission!

#### **SEPTEMBER**

**KIWANIS SPALDING COUNTY FAIR.** Once again, the **NewLife Radio** team will be at the 2022 Kiwanis/Spalding County Fair, but this time with new program guides, new Pass-a-Long cards, and balloons for the kids. This event will be held September 23 – October 1 and is open to the community. Thousands of families, kids of all ages, and plenty of good food will be present in addition to the best rides in Georgia. The fair offers lots of crafts, a jeep day, lawn mower races, and a demolition derby! Yes, there really is "something for everyone!" Come out and let us meet you.

IS YOUR CHURCH HAVING A FALL EVENT? NewLife Radio wants to help

you! If your church has a concert, revival, fall festival, or any other type of special event, email details to contactus@newliferadio.com. Be sure to include a website, phone number, or other contact information. There is no charge for general announcements on the daily Peach State Post program. If you would like fully produced announcements let us know and we'll be happy to talk to you.



#### **NOVEMBER**

GEORGIA GOSPEL MUSIC FESTIVAL. The Georgia Gospel Music Festival is a 2-day, 3-session event featuring the best in gospel music and Christian comedy! The event will be held at Glen Haven Baptist Church in McDonough, GA on Friday and Saturday, November 11 and 12. Join us for an unforgettable weekend of music, laughter and fellowship! Artists include The Boothe Brothers, The Hoppers, Karen Peck and New River, The Martins, Babbie Mason, Joseph Habedink, Legacy Five, and the comedy of Scott Davis! Full event packages and individual session tickets are available. Visit NewLifeRadio.com.







## Go On Children of God! We Are Surrounded by a Great Cloud of Witnesses!

Hebrews 12:1 reminds us to "consider the great cloud of witnesses surrounding us" so that we can run with endurance the race that is set before us. In this special Newsletter Series we introduce you to some of those visionary pioneers who saw how God can use **NewLife Radio** to encourage the rest of us to "press on!"



When I first met **Susan Doran**, I knew immediately she was someone special. Not necessarily because she was married to Doug, although that was true. It was easy to understand how she had been a long-time international Delta Airlines flight attendant. She had personality, could converse easily, was funny, and could be decisive when necessary. And, she had a smile and a laugh that was contagious!

We met very soon after **NewLife Radio's** first radio station began broadcasting on April 16, 1995. Doug and Susan visited our spartan studios in Griffin and allowed me to share the dream of WMVV and how it could touch and bless many lives, sharing *Heartwarming and Life Changing* programming to Georgia, and beyond.

They became involved almost immediately and Susan became one of the first "cheerleaders" for this new Christian radio ministry. Wherever she went, just in casual conversation, she would share about her favorite radio station...and her Lord! Throughout the following 27 years Susan enthusiastically supported Doug in his growing involvement in the ministry of **NewLife Radio**, from volunteer announcer to advisory committee member, to board member, staff member, Director of Development, Assistant Manager, General Manager, Vice-President and finally, President.

I believe she may have attended more than 50 Sharathons, or other radio station events, to share her time and her love for people. She was a busy mother to Gregory and very involved at her church. She was right there beside Doug as they taught the college-age youth for many years. She was "Momma Susan" to many of those students!

We thank the Lord for the memory of Susan Doran. She is with the Lord now and made that last interstellar flight successfully earlier this year. I imagine Jesus laughing with her about one of her stories and can picture her telling Him about her favorite radio station. It is our prayer that another radio listener will step into the gap and become a cheerleader for **NewLife Radio**!

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Joe Emert, Founder & Chairman

**NewLife Radio** 



Doug and Susan with Dr. Michael Youssef when he spoke a few years back, in McDonough. Susan was a babysitter for the Youssef children many years ago.



My connection with **NewLife Radio** goes back to your very beginning in the 90's. As a very young adult, I was struggling to find a good radio station. I liked popular music but I also grew up in church and GOD would not let me go. Your range of popular Christian music, from new contemporary to solid church hymns, helped anchor me as GOD was working in my life. I had been away from church for my latter teen years and early 20's.

I remember being excited when I "discovered "NLFM. I shared you with everyone! My connection goes much deeper though.

As an insurance agent at Farm Bureau I had the privilege of helping Jim Stewart (and family) experience a smooth transition while moving here.

For your 6-year anniversary, my wife (who owns a catering company), baked a NLFM anniversary cake and brought it to the station.

It was during that decade of time, that GOD not only brought me back to church but called me into the ministry! In the mid 2000's I shared a little of this story on the air as Joe and others were live on the square in McDonough at a festival.

I also had the honor of sitting with most of your staff at a table at Rocks Springs Church when Pastor John Hagee came to speak. It was a private pastor's meal but it really felt like I was sitting with my family. We were so excited about the new tower and station of 91.7—added range

expansion. (My family and I moved to Fayetteville from Griffin about 2012!)

We are in Newnan now but two of our radio presets are still on the "Heart Warming, Life Changing" 90.7 / 91.7 FM **NewLife Radio**. You see, you never really know what kind of impact a new ministry will have. It's almost as if GOD created **NewLife Radio** as a helping hand to follow me for over 27 years now.

Thank you to everyone at NewLife Radio!

Most sincerely,

Rev. Rodney W. Evans

(Letter has been edited to fit space available.)