



Illuminations

From the desk of

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20/20 Vision

When I go every 6 months or so to have my eyes checked, they always have me look at a chart on the wall across the room. On it is a series of letters that get smaller as they change through the different charts, and it tells the doctor how well your eyes are working. The standard is 20/20, which means you have normal vision. Before I had cataract surgery, my old, tired eyes had deteriorated to around 20/50, but now they are back to even better than new (I started wearing glasses at the age of 4)!



As we come to the month of September here at Thy Word Network, our focus is on Sharathon, and it is a time to renew our commitment to broadcast God's Word on this network of 8 radio stations...and also a time to invite you to renew your partnership with us for another year. Everything we do has come from and grown out of a vision that Don and Shirley Chagle had more than 40 years ago, and it is a vision shared by literally thousands of people over these many years who have been used of God to grow this ministry to what it is today.

When Walt Disney World was first opened in Florida, they launched it with a grand procession down Main Street. Walt had already passed away, but Mrs. Disney was there on the grandstand along with a number of executives and their families. One of the wives leaned over to Mrs. Disney and said, "Isn't it a shame that Walt couldn't be here to see all this?" Mrs. Disney replied, "Oh, he saw it...that's why it's here." His vision became a reality, just as Don and Shirley's vision of listener-supported Christian Radio broadcasting God's Word through music and ministry 24/7/365 has blossomed into a reality.

But without that sharp focus on following God's direction each and every day, and without your continued partnership it would not have happened. That's why our theme this year is taken from Psalm 113:3 which reminds us to faithfully, continually praise Him. It is that consistent focus on Him and His Word that gives rise to a life filled with thanksgiving and praise, a life that faithfully follows the Spirit's leading day after day.

So, whether you are ready to continue your partnership with us or begin becoming part of our family of Faith, can I say "Thank You"? Your prayers and financial gifts keep us focused on the vision He gave us and enable us to broadcast God's Word. So please consider being part of Sharathon 2026: Endless Praise.

It won't be the same without you.

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***From the rising of
the sun, unto the
going down of the
same, the LORD'S
name is to be praised
— Psalm 113:3***



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From You

Monroe City, IN — May God bless you as you continue to serve Him in your ministry that helps others and furthers the Gospel. We keep our radio on 88.7 FM.

This Month's Daysponsors

09/08 – In memory of Dawn's father, LeRoy Harris' birthday, by David and Dawn Skillman

09/13 – In celebration of their 62nd wedding anniversary by Jon and Sue Clark

09/13 – In memory of his wife, Sandra's home-going, by Robert Redman

09/19 – In celebration of their wedding anniversary by Allen and Connie Wagler

09/21 - In celebration of their son, Keaton's birthday, by David and Kelley Greer



Southern Scramble – October 12

Our Kentucky Golf Outing will be held at the Henderson Country Club again this year. This private club is offering the course to us on Monday, October 12. Registration is now underway. Forms are on our website at thyword.org or call our office to register 800-264-5550. Lunch, golf, prizes - an afternoon of fun and encouragement. Sign up today!

From You

Newburgh, IN— Thank you for all you do to bring the gospel to so many. You are my lifeline!

Sharathon 2026: Making a connection

In the world of Information Technology, it is important to both send and receive information. Just one or the other doesn't make for effective communication, and it is the same



here at Thy Word Network. We are sending out important messages about the upcoming Sharathon on September 14-16, and it is very important that we hear back from you. Responding NOW during these days before it begins helps us to get a head start on our \$400,000 goal, and then joining in during Sharathon helps encourage others to participate. Our theme this year is Endless Praise, so please, connect with our

chorus of Faith by making your Faith Promise today. Go to thyword.org or use this QR code to make your connection today!



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This beautiful frameable poster with our Sharathon Theme Verse can be yours. Make your Faith Promise today at thyword.org.



Listener Letters

Vincennes, IN – We are so very thankful for the radio station! You've been used by God to bless so many and make a meaningful difference in hearts, minds and souls.

Evansville, IN – Happy 36th birthday! I am faithful in turning on my car radio to 101.5 FM. I can remember when you first came on the air.

Boonville, IN – Thank you for being such a huge blessing in my life!

Evansville, IN – Congratulations on 36 great years! I have been a listener for 26 years. Flipping through the stations, found you and stayed there!

Newburgh, IN – Thanks for all you do!

Vincennes, IN – Praising God for 36 years of Thy Word Ministry and excited for what's to come with the new building project!

Loogootee, IN – Congratulations on your 36 years of broadcasting. I don't remember when I first found this on my radio but it has been a long time. I listen to 88.7 FM.

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