

Join With Us to Spread Catholic Radio

The Catholic Radio Association invites you to join together in solidarity with others of like mission in spreading the Gospel and the Truth of our Holy Catholic Church through radio.

Working together in the Association, we can promote and spread Catholic programming among Catholic radio apostolates and reach even more souls with the Truth.

By joining forces, the Lord will multiply the influence of Catholic radio throughout the nation. United in solidarity through the Association we can strengthen each other for the salvation of souls and the greater glory of God.

We look forward to working with you in our joint goal of evangelization through Catholic radio.

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"The era of missions is not over. Christ still needs generous men and women who will become messengers of the Good News to the ends of the earth.

Have no fear of following Him. Share freely with others the faith that you have received! 'No believer in Christ, no institution of the Church can be separate from the supreme beauty; of proclaiming Christ to all the people'."

-- **Pope John Paul II**, Vatican
City, Sept. 19, 2003

*Do You
Produce
Catholic
Programming?*



**then
Let's Join
Hands!!!**

CATHOLIC RADIO IS GROWING

The Holy Spirit is stirring up Catholic radio as a tool for evangelization and catechesis. As Catholic radio grows and expands, Catholic programming is becoming ever more diverse and available.

Listeners to Catholic radio now hear the Truth proclaimed by Catholic apologists, theologians, and lay evangelists from around the country. As the faithful continue to answer the call for a New Evangelization, the number of Catholic radio stations continues to rise.

The number of radio apostolates increased from just seven stations in 1997, to over 70 stations in 2003. Catholic radio is climbing out of infancy, and is expanding to share the Faith with millions of souls throughout the United States and the world!

WE NEED YOUR INPUT

As a Catholic program provider, we welcome your valuable input to the discussion and thought centering around the growing movement of Catholic radio.

The Catholic Radio Association was formed as means for communion,

communication, and solidarity with others working to spread the Faith through radio. The CRA invites all who have an interest, or role, in Catholic radio to join together in answering the call for a New Evangelization.

The Association's goal is to be a catalyst and vessel in the spreading of Catholic radio throughout the nation.

A FORUM FOR DISCUSSION

Because of the scope of our membership, the CRA provides a forum for networking with, and marketing to, those involved in Catholic radio. The CRA is a means to interact directly with Catholic radio stations and find out what type of programming is needed, and what stations are looking for.

Services and events offered by the CRA include the Annual Global Catholic Radio Conference, co-hosted with EWTN, an interactive online forum, and a bi-monthly newsletter. The conference is an opportunity for learning, discussing, and connecting with others involved in Catholic radio. The CRA's bi-monthly newsletter alerts members of new developments in Catholic radio, as well as providing information on other

apostolates and ministries who could be of service.

Through these means, as well as others, the CRA is working to unite Catholic radio program providers, Church Hierarchy, and Catholic radio apostolates. These venues of communication within the CRA, as well as others, enable Catholic program providers, to give input and discuss new ideas with others involved in Catholic radio.

ANSWERING THE CALL

Let us answer the challenge of Our Holy Faith, moving forward in prayer and action, as the Holy Spirit stirs up a calling within us.

"I have often repeated the summons to the new evangelization."

I do so again now, especially in order to insist that we must rekindle in ourselves the impetus of the beginnings and allow ourselves to be filled with the ardor of the apostolic preaching which followed Pentecost."

*--Pope John Paul II,
Novo Millennio Ineunte, 40*