



# KDOR-TV 17

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Station Newsletter

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## Joy In Our Town #KDORcommunity

This month *Joy In Our Town* covered topics of education, health, environment, family, and public safety. *Joy In Our Town* host Lisa Harris interviewed our guests in the KDOR-TV 17 studio:

### Dr. Margo Bush, Dean of Harrison Christian University

**EDUCATION:** Addressing the two topics of “Barriers to obtaining a higher education” and “Marketplace needs - for ethics, excellence, and education/ onsite training,” Dr. Margo Bush provided viewers with encouragement on top of information about obtaining higher education. Highlighting trends and statistics that reveal what it takes to be successful in business or ministry, she also presented the increasing opportunities where these two disciplines intersect. Through education, a whole world of opportunity is unlocked.



### Dean Heath, Community Liaison/Educator/Director of Development, Cleveland Home Health

**HEALTH:** Mr. Heath shared what is needed to “Understand Post-Acute Care Options” by discussing examples, revealing little-known situations which qualify for home-health care and pointing viewers to the resources available in our community. He also discussed the topic of “Taking Personal Responsibility for your Health and Well Being” listing many tips and describing how to begin to do this as individuals and families. Again, he provided great insight, including biblical guidelines as well as practical medical facts, statistics and encouraged viewers to tap into community resources to assist them.



### Steven Grantham, Executive Director, Up With Trees

**ENVIRONMENT:** The topic of “Urban Forestry” covers more than environmental needs or concerns, and includes promoting general good health and beautifying cities. Mr. Grantham returned to *Joy In Our Town* and described local efforts to ensure our community keeps growing strong with an ecological and aesthetic forestry.



### Dr. Jocelyn Lee Payne, Executive Director Dr. Dewayne Dickens, Board of Directors John Hope Franklin Center for Reconciliation

**FAMILY:** Representing John Hope Franklin Center for Reconciliation, the annual host of a symposium to foster greater community unity, along with ongoing reconciliation events, Drs. Payne and Dickens shared tips and specifics of how families can cultivate acceptance for racial diversity.

## Community Friends — Joy in Action #KDORcommunity

KDOR-TV 17's *Joy In Our Town* volunteer host Lisa Harris and staffer Barbara Bella had the opportunity to attend the Tulsa Womens Fellowship luncheon on May 11th. It was a fabulous time connecting with women of the community in all walks of life and careers. The ladies and special guest speaker, Mrs. Victoria Bartlett, First Lady of Tulsa, are here pictured in a joy-filled moment following the event. In her keynote address, Mrs. Bartlett told the history of her faith, marriage and path to city leadership. She and Mayor Dewey Bartlett have intentionally attended Sunday services at over 200 Tulsa churches. Their worship and prayer with believers city-wide has strengthened relationships and benefits the entire community.





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### Tulsa Praise The Lord #TulsaPTL

Pastor Billy Joe Watts, Senior Pastor of The ROCK Church in Tulsa, hosted a *Tulsa Praise The Lord* in May with guest Pastor Wendell Hope, Executive Director of the Tulsa Dream Center, Victory Christian Center. The Tulsa Dream Center has greatly impacted many lives, families, and enabled thousands of children to hear the gospel, to start to dream, and to believe they can reach for a future that breaks free from the limitations of poverty and lack.



Pastor Watts also welcomed his lovely co-pastor wife, Pastor Theresa Watts, who co-labors with him in ministry. She brings her God-given gifts to The ROCK Church in music, ministry and teaching. Pastor Theresa leads the ladies ministries, worship team, boldly teaches and mentors many women and young people. In her role of leadership, she sets a fine example as First Lady of the church.

Pastor Paul Daugherty, Senior Pastor of Victory in Tulsa, hosted a special *Tulsa Praise The Lord* in which he featured testimonies of several Victory members. He encouraged the TBN viewers with video testimonies of three individuals delivered from pain, depression and the results of various addictions and poor life decisions. Pastor Paul shared how immersing one's self in the word of God paves the path to healing. His focus was on restoration of heart, mind and soul as he shared in the studio and then also in the church sermon he preached from Psalm 23.



Pastor Marcus Howard, of MyChurch Walk of Faith located in Tulsa, hosted *Tulsa Praise The Lord* and welcomed special guests Pastors Tommy and Prophetess Brenda Todd. This program delved deep into the primary role of prayer within the Kingdom of God. Longtime local pastors, the Todds now minister more widely through founding the Tulsa based Gapstanders International. In 2016 they sense a deep need to prepare the church in the areas of prayer, intercession, spiritual warfare and to inspire the body of Christ toward greater freedom and power of Kingdom living.

#### FACEBOOK STATS:

Organic Page Likes: 1,394

Video Views: 1103

*I am so thankful for Trinity Broadcasting! I have watched TBN for so long and I have been so blessed words could not even describe. I have learned most everything I know about the Bible from y'all.*

~Tammy H.



### Outreach of the Month #KDORoutreach

KDOR-TV 17 partnered with EduREC Tulsa to help sponsor The Village Kids Club annual Mother & Daughter Tea in May. The event featured an encouraging program including a fashion show, delectable pastries, tea and breakfast items. The mothers and daughters were encouraged to "grow where you are planted" during the program. Proceeds of the event help The Village Kids Club fund year-round programs at EduRec, geared at building character and encouraging greater scholarship among children and youth. Their purpose is to help children develop healthier life/social skills and family values. "It Takes A Village to Raise a Child" is their motto.

