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Adam Sandler, OpenAI, VMA Winners & The NFL

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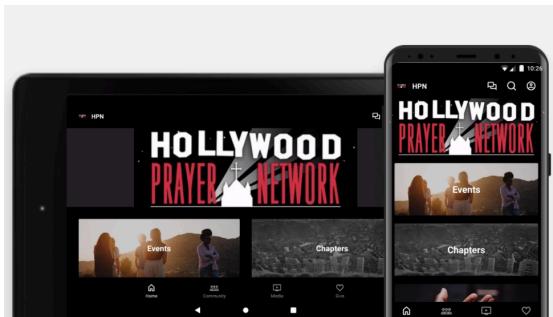
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A Movement of Prayer for the Entertainment Industry

Dear HPN,

Thank you so much for praying with us so faithfully – some of you for 23 years!!!! We LOVE YOU!!!! We look forward to your prayers this week and also would love to have you forward this email on to anyone you think will pray for the global professional entertainment industry. We need more people praying and you can help! We are so committed to the power of prayer that we want more people to join us. So, if you can help, let's do this!!



DOWNLOAD THE APP!

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You must get our new HPN App at any App Store! This is the only place to see our local, national, and global events, connect with community members, join prayer groups, local chapters our new blog, and more! This APP is the best way to share what God is doing in Hollywood, and to pray for the latest entertainment news. Contribute to our NEW HPN Blog and meet new creative friends on the APP! Have trouble finding it? [Email Kelry](#)

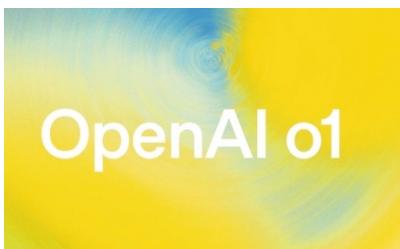
The HPN Global Movement Video is Here!

HPN is very proud to present our new 6 minute dynamic video about our ministry and what God is doing in Hollywood right now. Don't miss it and forward it on to anyone who still thinks that Hollywood is scary or evil! GOD IS MOVING and He wants YOU to be a part of it!



WATCH NOW

Updates



OpenAI o1 now Available

We want you to keep praying for AI. It's the newest technology impacting our whole world and it's being created here! This is the latest: "OpenAI released "o1," a new AI model that can reason through hard problems by breaking them down to their component parts and handling them step by step. Released in two iterations, o1-preview and o1-mini, the model is available to all ChatGPT Plus users, with a broader release to follow. The o1 release is the first of OpenAI's ["Strawberry"](#). We need to cover the world of AI in prayer so that the creators, the users, the leaders and the technology does not get out of control. God is in control, so let's ask Him to guide all of the people in AI with His heart, mind and sensibilities!

READ MORE HERE!

HPN Studio Prayer Walks

Let's keep praying that we can have someone leading a Prayer Walk on every studio lot in town – at least monthly! There are now committed leaders running a monthly prayer walk at Warner Bros. and at Paramount. We are looking for someone to help us lead a walk at Universal, Sony and Disney. If you work on any of these lots, or you know someone who does, then please email karen@hpnemail.org and we'll tell you more about it



Praises



HPN PLANT CITY, FL LAUNCH! "An Evening To Believe"

HPN is expanding across Florida! If you live anywhere near Plant City, FL, don't miss our HPN launch party there on Wednesday, Sept. 18th at the Premiere Cinemas. We're also partnering with the Christian Youth Film Festival and we would love your prayers for a fun, visionary night of celebration!

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Dallas/Fort Worth Chapter at Capernaum Studios

We are excited that the Dallas/Fort Worth Chapter of HPN is thriving! If you're in that area then don't miss their next event on Sept. 26th, hosted at Capernaum Studios, where Seasons 1-3 of *The Chosen* were filmed. Register now to Join the fun!



[MORE INFO HERE!](#)



HPN Is On a Race Car in Norway!

We have a fun praise to show you. Our wonderful Local Chapter Director in Oslo, Norway, Frank Eik, has created an on-line racing car with his son, who wants to become a professional race car driver, and they chose to add the Hollywood Prayer Network logo to their car: [HPNLIivery.jpg](#). Thank you Frank for promoting HPN, even in the car racing world!

Requests

Adam Sandler and *Happy Gilmore 2*

Let's pray for comedian Adam Sandler as he develops the sequel to his 1996 feature *Happy Gilmore*! *Happy Gilmore 2* will come out on Netflix almost 30 years after the original! They are trying to get all of the original cast members back, but they aren't all even alive! Adam has been married since 2003 and has one child. He is a good man and loves to make people laugh. Can we pray for his heart to be full of God's love and for him to experience the unconditional love of his Messiah!



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Pray for the VMA Winners

We want to lift up the winners of the MTV Video Music Awards on September 11th. The music industry is one of the most influential in the world, so we want to be praying for those who are creating the songs and soundtracks for this generation. Please pray both for their music and lyrics, and also for how they can use their platforms for God's glory and to lift up and inspire man. Every musician globally has an opportunity to use his or her fame for good, for justice, and for righteousness. May they be surrounded by Christ-lovers who have their best interests in mind and who want to see them walk with the Lord in wholeness and write songs of redemption.

[MORE ON VMA HERE](#)

14.96 Million Viewers Watched The NFL

The world of professional sports could not survive without the media. We wouldn't watch professional sports games without television and streaming, and the players wouldn't be famous without the media. So, let's pray for the impact that television has on "Thursday Night Football" after learning that the 2024 opening night became Prime Video's 3rd most watched game – with 14.96 million viewers! Our city impacts more people around the globe than viewers understand – and the impact we have on the NFL is unbelievable! So, let's PRAY for God to be more a part of all of our professional sports games, both on the field and behind the cameras, as we watch them on our TVs and phones!



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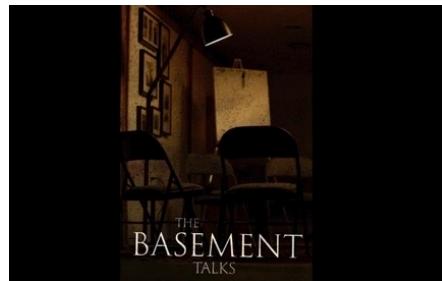
The Camden International Film Festival (CIFF)

Film festivals bring to light some of the film industry's most prestigious stars and filmmakers, who will contend in the 2025 awards season. We want to pray together for the Camden International Film Festival, known as CIFF. It's an annual Documentary Film Festival based in Camden, Maine, from September 12th – 30th. Historically the documentary world is a darker world when it comes to content and stories, so let's be praying for up-and-coming documentary creators to be inspired to tell stories of truth, goodness, and beauty. Please also pray for our NEW documentary filmmaker's community group – a monthly ZOOM with doc filmmakers around the world, to pray, connect, and build each other up! If you are a documentary filmmaker and want to be a part of our new Doc Fellowship group, just email kelry@hpnemail.org!

[MORE ABOUT CIFF HERE!](#)

New TV Series *The Basement Talks*

Let's pray for a provocative, tough new six-part series THE BASEMENT TALKS which follows the 1994 crimes, trial, and murder of John Salvi and the untold story of six women who are all leaders in the pro-life and pro-choice movements. They sought to ensure that this violence would never happen again. Via secret meetings in a



windowless basement, these women strive to understand the other side and forge unlikely friendships that capture both sides of the abortion debate like never before.. HPN is not endorsing this series, but we are asking that you pray that this televised true story can be one way to bring more unity in our nation, not division, over all of the issues that are tearing us apart. We believe only Jesus can bring true love and peace, but He can use television if He wants to!

[MORE INFO HERE!](#)

Thank you so much for praying for us this week. We are so grateful to all of you and hope that you can join us on our APP, on our Friday One-Hour Prayer zoom call or in person in Hollywood. If you want any more information about our growing ministry or want to connect with our global local chapters, just email any of us at info@hpnemail.org.

With love,
Karen, Kelry & Myesha

Quote

"If we do not know ourselves to be full of pride, ambition, lust, weakness, misery, and injustice, we are indeed blind. And if, knowing this, we do not desire deliverance, what can we say of a man?"

-- Blaise Pasca

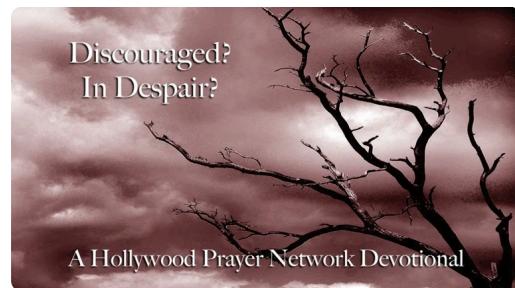
Scripture

"Living within you is the Christ who floods you with the expectation of glory! This mystery of Christ, embedded within us, becomes a heavenly treasure chest of hope filled with the riches of glory for his people, and God wants everyone to know it!"
Colossians 1:27 TPT

Weekly Devotional: Discouraged? In Despair?

Discouragement and Despair are two emotions with which the enemy attacks all of us. Would you spend time with us asking the Lord to deal with both our own discouragement and also that of those who create our culture in the entertainment industry?

--Karen Covell



[READ FULL DEVOTIONAL](#)

Feature Presentations

HPN presents the first episode in a three part Podcast with former CBS President



Michael Klausman. Don't miss this insightful and moving interview as Karen Covell talks with Michael Klausman about his career, his faith, his family and his reflections on working in the entertainment industry for over 40 years as a Christian leader.

Watch on Youtube!

Watch and Listen on the HPN APP!

SEPTEMBER KIDS AND TEENS PRAYER CALENDAR

How to use the K+T Prayer Calendar:
 Download it and print it off, or email to your kids, teachers, Youth Pastors and friends. Put it somewhere (like on the fridge or in your child's school planner) where you and your child can see it and PRAY THROUGH IT together each night. Then, watch your child's prayer life GROW!



This WONDERFUL MONTHLY RESOURCE is created by Sarah Sumpolec; a mother, teacher, author, and creative, who makes these every month! Email her a thank you or question at sarahs@hpnemail.org!



MORE INFO
HERE!

Service of Song Worship Leaders Fall Gathering September 20th @ 6PM

A great opportunity for worship leaders at LA ministries to connect with each other, build community and enjoy food and fellowship. For this gathering, worship leaders will be encouraged to share a favorite worship song. We will have mics, a piano and guitar set up, or you can bring your own instrument if you'd like.

Doors open at 6pm for fellowship and dinner!

Foundations- An Online Class for New Believers

Check out the new, HPN-powered New Believers class. Nine weeks of 1-hour ZOOM sessions to build the foundations of your Christian faith. Led by different Christian teachers around the country, this class will help you to understand who Jesus is, and who you are in Him.



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Let's Do Lunch

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 22nd from 1:00 PM – 3:30 PM PST

At this FUN monthly networking series, connect in a PRIVATE, INTIMATE, "NO PRESSURE" mingling and sharing atmosphere. Take advantage of this great opportunity to expand your network, pitch yourself, seek assistance, explore collaborative opportunities and share resources in a FUN BUSINESS setting!! Attendees have gotten representation, funding, employment, collaborators and meetings, among other diverse opportunities.

The Change Your Story Workshop

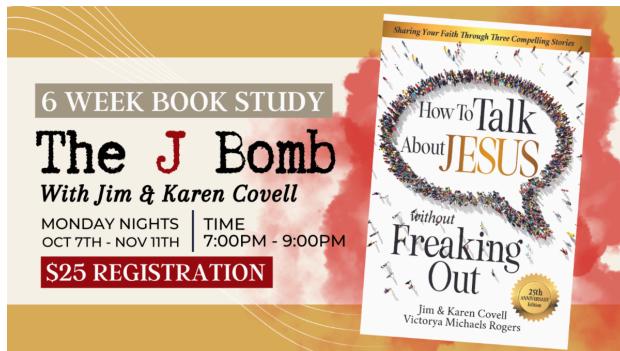
9 Week Workshop| Begins Sept. 28, 2024 |10am PST | LIVE Zoom

The Change Your Story Workshop offers a faith based, holistic approach to "BREAKING FREE from what's breaking you, and Discovering how Purpose is the Key to Breakthrough. Founded and led by Kirstin Leigh, The Change Your Story Workshop equips you with the tools it takes to live in the freedom God provides.

For more information and to to REGISTER:

www.thechangeyourstoryworkshop.com Use PROMO CODE: HPN for a 25% discount.

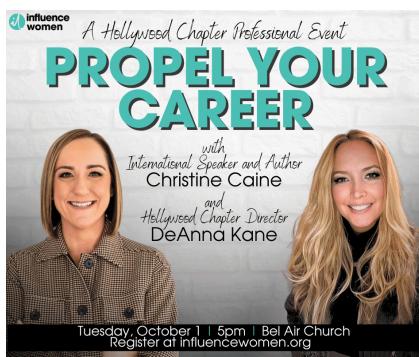




The J Bomb Class in October

Sign up NOW for the HPN class on how to be an effective witness in Hollywood, hosted by Karen and Jim Covell. [EMAIL KAREN](#) if you are interested in joining this very fun, in-person, 6-week, Monday night class on how to be confident talking about your faith in our industry!

Dates: Oct 7th-Nov 11th, 2024



Propel your Career: It's time to get unstuck!
Tuesday, October 1st @ 5PM

Grab some dinner with us on October 1st and gain wisdom and inspiration as Hollywood Influence Director DeAnna Kane interviews Christine Caine, best-selling author, world-renowned speaker, and co-founder of the global outreach A21 and Propel Women. She will help you stop looking back, stop being stuck, and start looking forward.

Don't miss this opportunity to propel your career!

REGISTER HERE!



Scripture Reading Night
Saturday, October 12th
@ 5pm

We are hosting an intimate, corporate reading aloud of two of the Bible's "greatest hits," Paul's letters to the church at Corinth: 1 Corinthians & 2 Corinthians, back-to-back! Join us for an enriching evening as we read through two of the most famous, beautiful, and challenging passages in Scripture. We provide supper, and you are welcome to bring snacks to share!

Please email Lisa if you would like to join in the reading at the Covells, no later than Thursday, October 10th.

EMAIL TO JOIN!

Shifting The Narrative



Saturday, October 19th @ 9:30AM

First Presbyterian Church of Hollywood

Hosted by: Myesha Reynolds

"Shifting The Narrative—A *Biblical Equity Symposium*" is a one-day event for anyone wanting to gain an understanding of Equity from a Biblical perspective, those committed to fair and right treatment of all people, and anyone desiring to confront the misconceptions about diversity, equity, and inclusion in order to change the current narrative! You will love her powerful approach to bringing all people together through the love of Jesus!

If you'd like to attend, you can register through the end of September at a special discounted rate of \$25. Simply use the code: Equity2024.

[REGISTER HERE!](#)

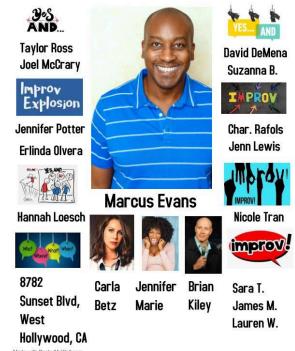
Clean Comedy Show with Marcus & Friends

Monday, October 21st at 7PM

8782 Sunset Blvd. West Hollywood, CA

You're invited to a clean standup comedy and improv show in West Hollywood. It's a clean show, so feel free to invite your family and friends. No need to buy tickets because it's a free show. Hope to see you there!

MARCUS EVANS & FRIENDS
MONDAY 10/21, 7PM
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Technical Team Needed for Global Day of Prayer, Sunday October 27th

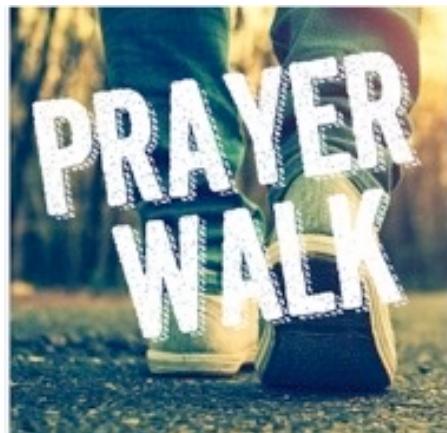
We are looking for 3 technically minded people from anywhere around the country, to help manage the Zoom side of The Global Day of Prayer. Each person will need to manage a 3 hour shift to help the flow of Hosts and Guests coming in and out of Zoom at their appointed time. If you are interested in being a part of this world-wide day of prayer by helping behind the scenes, please email Myesha.

Cast and Crew

Cast and Crew is a monthly fellowship ministry of Calvary Bible Church of Burbank for anyone in the entertainment industry to share, encourage and pray for one another. Cast and Crew meet every third Sunday. Email Pastor Jay Underwood for more information or go to calvarybiblechurch.org.



[EMAIL TO JOIN!](#)



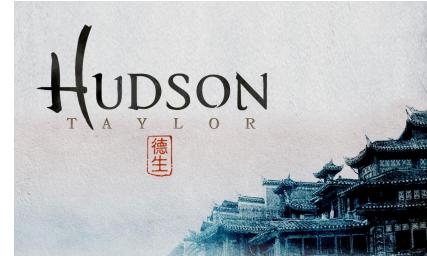
STUDIO PRAYER WALKS ARE BACK!!

If you are interested in participating in an HPN studio prayer walk, please register using the link below. We have small groups walk some studio lots and pray for the people, the projects and the specific issues on those lots. Join us as we get the unique privilege of blessing the land of the world's major film studios.

[SIGN UP HERE!](#)

Hudson Taylor Movie - Inspiring a New Generation

The Hudson Taylor movie aims to bring Jesus to a new generation. This project, led by Half Crown Media in collaboration with OMF International, is currently in development. It tells the true story of how God worked through an ordinary 21-year-old to achieve extraordinary things. Watch the 5-minute "Encouraging a New Generation" video to gain insights into the vision and development plan for this film. Join many others in praying for God to bless this project.



[WATCH HERE!](#)



Upcoming Films and Books by HPN MEMBERS

[Here](#) is a list of faith-based movies, books and projects that have recently come out or are coming out soon and we want to let you know about them! HPN does not endorse any films, but we do want to support our creative friends and let our members know about what's happening both in the secular and faith-based

entertainment worlds, including TV, music, video games, internet content, and even books and journalism. CHECK THESE OUT...

CHECK OUT THIS LIST!

HPN EVENTS CALENDAR

Be sure not to miss our other events in this new format. We want to make our Call Sheets shorter for you, so please check out our February events below!

September 2024

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8 Art & Industry @ 5:00 PM	9 1st Mondays Prayer Worship	10 Upside Down Comedy 7PM	11	12 HPN Monthly Meetup 11:00 AM Media Life Group @ 7PM	13	14 KWA Group for Screenwriters
15 Arts & Industry @ 5:00 PM	16	17 Upside Down Comedy 7PM	18	19 Media Life Group @ 7PM	20	21
22 Arts & Industry @ 5:00 PM	23 HKM Prayer Night	24 Upside Down Comedy 7pm Inbetweeners Gathering 7pm	25	26 Media Life Group @ 7PM	27	28
29	30					

SEE ALL HPN COMMUNITY GROUPS and EMAIL TO JOIN



SAVE THE DATE!
UNITE: A Global Prayer Day for Media
SUNDAY, OCTOBER 27th, 2024.

HPN is part of a new global effort of prayer for media, arts & entertainment professionals, projects, and influence. Don't miss this 24 hour prayer around the world at **UNITE: A Global Prayer Day for Media** on **SUNDAY, OCTOBER 27th, 2024**. More info to come!

Events

See All Local Events – [HPN EVENTS CALENDAR](#)

Support our Community by Attending or Praying for these Events!

HPN Weekly Friday Global Prayer Call

Fridays | 12 – 1 p.m. Pacific | ZOOM or Phone

Join us for a powerful hour of praise and prayer for our industry, where HPN members call in from around the globe and pray for the industry and each other. Links are updated weekly, so please email us to get the latest.

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