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A promotional poster for the Celtic Woman Homecoming concert. It features four women in traditional Celtic attire performing on stage. The woman on the far left is singing into a microphone. The woman next to her is also singing. The woman in the center is playing a harp. The woman on the far right is playing a violin. The background is a deep blue with a subtle pattern. The title 'Celtic Woman Homecoming' is written in a large, ornate, gold-colored font. Below the title, it says 'LIVE FROM IRELAND' in a smaller, white, sans-serif font. At the bottom, the concert dates are listed in a gold-colored font: 'Sunday, November 26 at 7pm' and 'Saturday, December 2 at 3pm'.

Celtic Woman
Homecoming
LIVE FROM IRELAND

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Call The Midwife Holiday Special (2017)

Join the midwives as they battle snow, ice, power cuts and frozen pipes to provide patient care during the coldest winter in 300 years. Valerie helps a young couple who experience a traumatic birth and Sister Julianne tries to reunite a family.

Monday, December 25 at 8pm

Also airs Thursday, December 28 at 3am; Friday, December 29 at 1am



The Beatles: Eight Days A Week - The Touring Years

Saturday, November 25 at 7pm; Sunday, December 3 at 3pm

Explore the history of the Fab Four from their early days in Liverpool to their last concert in San Francisco in 1966. The film, by Oscar-winner Ron Howard, reveals how the foursome united to become the global phenomenon that was “The Beatles.”



Great Performances “The Moody Blues: Days of Future Passed Live”

Saturday, December 2 at 8:30pm

Experience the memorable 50th anniversary performance of the band's seminal album, including "Knights in White Satin," recorded live with full orchestra from Toronto's Sony Centre. Jeremy Irons narrates.



60s Pop, Rock & Soul (My Music)

Wednesday, December 6 at 8pm

Hosted by Peter Noone of Herman’s Hermits (pictured) and the late Davy Jones of The Monkees, this concert features hits and favorites of the AM radio era including Paul Revere & The Raiders, Gary Lewis & The Playboys, and Jefferson Starship. Every song is a classic from the decade of peace, love and profound social change - sung by performers who represent a period of time that resonates through the generations.



Alan Jackson Precious Memories

Saturday, December 9 at 7pm

Recorded to honor his mother's request that he release an album of gospel classics, Alan Jackson's Precious Memories CD quickly made its way to the top of the charts. This concert that followed was taped at the historic Ryman Auditorium and features signature renditions of traditional hymns and gospel favorites. Selections include: "When We All Get to Heaven," "The Old Rugged Cross" and "How Great Thou Art."

Nitty Gritty Dirt Band: 50 Years and Circlin' Back

Wednesday, November 29 at 8:30pm; Saturday, December 2 at 7pm; Tuesday, December 5 at 7pm

Celebrate the groundbreaking band's musical milestones and hits along with special guests Vince Gill, John Prine, Jackson Browne, Alison Krauss, Rodney Crowell, Jerry Jeff Walker, Jimmy Ibbotson, Sam Bush, Jerry Douglas and Byron House.

Pictured, left to right - Bob Carpenter, Jimmie Fadden, Jeff Hanna, and John McEuen: the original core group of Nitty Gritty Dirt Band.

Happy Holidays!

Last year at this time when I was writing my Highlights article to you for December, it was 60 degrees and deer hunters were hunting in short sleeve shirts. What a difference a year can make! Many of the area lakes are already frozen over and the indoor season is now upon us!

As we enter the holidays, I'd like to wish you all a very happy holiday season and a merry Christmas filled with family and friends. Coming up in December we have some great holiday programming for you and your family to enjoy with many choir concerts and Christmas music specials around the Christmas holiday. Christmas day in particular is packed with holiday music from choirs from around the region. It's a holiday tradition for us to bring you this special music programming. Look over the Christmas day schedule in this edition of Highlights to make note of which holiday concerts may be of particular interest to you.

Our December pledge drive begins Thanksgiving weekend and we need your help more this year than ever before. This year has been very challenging for us and we have fallen short of our pledge drive goals throughout the year. You may not realize how important your \$36 or \$66 contribution is for us. Every dollar we raise locally help us raise additional federal and state matching dollars, so your contributions go much farther than you realize and make the programs that you enjoy possible. Without your contribution, we leave this important government funding on the table. In addition, Lakeland Public Television's expense for the national programs you enjoy is close to \$400,000 this year. This pays for all the national programs you enjoy like *Nova*, *Nature*, *Antiques Roadshow*, *Masterpiece*, *the NewsHour*, and all the great educational children's programs we air. Please consider making a generous investment in programs that educate, entertain, enrich, and enlighten you and your family. Also know that your contribution can help you reduce your tax burden. We've set aside a full page in this month's Highlights to educate you on different ways you can help support the programs you enjoy and save money on your taxes. Thank you for your consideration.

Also since my last article, we debuted *The Vietnam War* series by Ken Burns. This powerful series did a great job of telling the story of this difficult time in our past. While parts of this series were difficult to watch due to the nature of the content, I felt that it really did a good job of telling not only the story that the general public was aware of at the time, but also helping us all better understand the war from behind the public scene and also from the view of the local Vietnamese civilians who were victims of this tragic war. I remember a north Vietnamese soldier who was interviewed say that even the winning side doesn't win in a war. He had lost many of his siblings and family members and his entire world was destroyed. I hope all of the world's leaders remember that there are no winners at the end of a war. If we don't remember and understand the past, we're destined to repeat our past mistakes. I also think that this powerful program will help to heal some of the remaining emotional scars that still exist from this tragic war.

In my last Highlights article I mentioned that we were working to bring in a few concerts for 2018. I had hoped by now that we would have an announcement for you. Unfortunately we are still in negotiations, so I don't have details to share at this time. I will say that we are negotiating with three different acts with hopes to bring the first one in early this summer. I think that by the time you're reading this, we will likely have at least one act signed, so stay tuned! I'm hoping that we can make this announcement during our December fund drive.

Merry Christmas, happy holidays, and as always, thanks so much for your support!

Bill Sanford - CEO
Lakeland Public Television



Common Ground “Identifying Coniferous Trees of Northern Minnesota”

Thursday, November 30 at 7pm

Due to popular viewer response, this episode of Common Ground is a follow up to Common Ground 707 where retired teacher, biologist and ecologist Robert Knudson taught us how to identify the common deciduous trees of northern Minnesota. In this episode Knudson returns to teach us how to identify the common conifers, the evergreens of northern Minnesota.

Common Ground “Identifying Deciduous Trees of Northern Minnesota”

Thursday, November 30 at 7:30pm

Biology and Ecology teacher Rob Knudson comes out of retirement to take us for a walk in the woods, showing us how to identify the common deciduous trees of Northern Minnesota by their leaves. He demonstrates side-by-side comparisons of the different species? traits and he talks of the importance of understanding one?s environment when one is enjoying our beautiful Minnesota outdoors.

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FREE Estate Planning Seminar in Bemidji!

We all know how easy it is to put off getting your estate in order. It seems there are always more important things to do. If you have been meaning to begin the process of getting your estate planning completed you may be interested in joining us for a seminar on estate planning.

The seminar is FREE and will be held at our Bemidji Lakeland Public Television offices on Tuesday, December 5th from 1:30 to 3:30pm. The afternoon will include the seminar as well as a chance to meet staff, hear about upcoming programming and take a tour of our new building. Seating is limited so we ask that interested attendees RSVP by December 1st by calling Kathleen at 218-333-3018 or via email at kmckinstra@lptv.org.



Backroads “Jim Olson”

Thursday, December 21 at 7:30pm; Saturday, December 23 at 8:30pm

Jim Olsen (left) is an instrumental guitarist who plays both traditional guitar and harp-guitar. Originally from Hibbing, Jim was based in Nashville, TN where he toured with several groups and as a solo artist. In 2007, he returned to his home state to help with his dad's health concerns. He relocated in the Brainerd Lakes Area and currently plays at local restaurants & resorts, along with wedding ceremonies around the state. Jim's music provides a perfect ambiance for background easy listening.

Backroads “Anthony Lamb”

Thursday, December 28 at 7:30pm; Saturday, December 30 at 8:30pm

Anthony Lamb (right) is a singer-songwriter from Fargo. A blend of simplistic guitar rhythms and empowering vocal melodies. Anthony has developed his musical style over a decade of playing in different musical groups from college choirs to metal bands. A former Bemidji State Choir member, Anthony is known for his powerful voice and moving lyrics. Lamb due to release his 2nd EP Album entitled "Just Fine" this August. For more info go to www.facebook.com/Anthonylambmusic

Lakeland Currents

Fridays at 8pm

Join hosts Ray Gildow and Bethany Wesley for stimulating conversation with local leaders, citizens and experts about the issues that affect central and northern Minnesota.

Repeated on Saturdays at 3:30pm

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'Tis the Season for Holiday Specials...

Christmas in Christ Chapel at Gustavus

Tuesday, December 19 at 8pm; Monday, December 25 at 11am

A tradition since 1973, this Christmas program is a time for the Gustavus Adolphus College community in St. Peter, Minnesota to celebrate the holidays with one another. More than 300 students, faculty, and staff bring the program to life each year through the use of music, dance, spoken word, and the visual arts.

Crane Candlelight Concert: Laude!

Saturday, December 23 at 9pm; Monday, December 25 at Noon

Laude! means Praise, and The Crane Chorus and Crane Symphony Orchestra come together to perform selections of praise, hope, and joy to celebrate the holiday season. Featuring over 300 carolers and musicians from the renowned Crane School of Music at the State University of New York at Potsdam, the concert includes traditional Christmas and seasonal hymns along with popular favorites.

Holidays at Murray State

Saturday, December 23 at 10pm; Monday, December 25 at 1pm

The Murray State University Concert Choir, Wind Ensemble, Jazz Orchestra and featured soloists highlight this annual seasonal special, "The Holidays at Murray State," a one hour sojourn in sight and sound through Murray State University and the Purchase area of western Kentucky.

St. Thomas Christmas: So Bright The Star

Monday, December 25 at 9am & 9:30pm; Tuesday, December 26 at 5am

Recorded before a live audience at Orchestra Hall in downtown Minneapolis, this special celebrates the Advent and Christmas season by drawing from a songbook of familiar traditional carols and innovative contemporary selections. The festive one-hour concert showcases the University of St. Thomas' internationally renowned vocal and instrumental ensembles in performance with inspired musical programming.

Christmas with Wartburg

Monday, December 25 at 2pm

As enchanting as fresh snowfall, the 68th annual Christmas with Wartburg concert celebrates the holiday season with a musical performance on the campus of Wartburg College in Waverly, Iowa. This program features the Wartburg Choir, Castle Singers, and Wind Ensemble as well as other Wartburg College choirs such as Ritterchor, St. Elizabeth Chorale, Kantorei and the Handbell Choir.

Wheaton College Christmas Festival: Love Divine

Monday, December 25 at 3pm

This special draws viewers into the story of a long-awaited child a king of glory born into the humblest of circumstances. This program of sacred Christmas music presented by the Wheaton College Conservatory of Music in Wheaton, Illinois celebrates "Love Divine" the love of God, made manifest through the birth of Jesus Christ.

Purdue 83rd Anniversary Christmas Show

Monday, December 25 at 4pm

This one-hour condensed version of the 83rd anniversary Purdue Christmas Show features musical highlights from the full two-hour show. The first act of this fast-paced high-energy production features holiday favorites from Purdue Musical Organizations ensembles including University Choir, Purdue Bells, Heart & Soul, the Purduettes and the Purdue Varsity Glee Club. The second half features sacred music performed by the combined choirs of Purdue Musical Organizations.



Last Tango in Halifax Holiday Special

Part 1 airs Sunday, December 17 at 7pm

Part 1 airs Sunday, December 24 at 7pm

Packed with surprises, the heartwarming drama continues the compelling story of childhood sweethearts, reunited after nearly 60 years apart, as they and their families negotiate the highs and lows of life and relationships.

Part 1 repeats on Tuesday, December 19 at 2am

Part 2 repeats on Tuesday, December 26 at 2am

Christmas on the Danube

Thursday, December 14 at 7:30pm; Saturday, December 16 at 8:30pm;

Sunday, December 24 at 10pm; Monday, December 25 at 5pm

This holiday special will fill your senses with warmth, touch your heart, and provide your mind with geography and history, as well. Traveling the majestic Danube river as it passes through stunning European landscape, history and culture, the program visits cities along the Danube that are particularly spectacular at Christmas.

Also airs Tuesday, December 26 at 6:30am

Live from Lincoln Center New York Philharmonic New Year's Eve: Bernstein on Broadway

Sunday, December 31at 8pm

Ring in the new year with a celebration of Leonard Bernstein's best-loved works for Broadway, including West Side Story, featuring the New York Philharmonic.

Austin City Limits Hall of Fame New Year's Eve Special

Sunday, December 31at 9:30pm

Enjoy the 2017 Austin City Limits special as Roy Orbison, Rosanne Cash and the Neville Brothers are inducted into the Hall of Fame. Performers include Neko Case, Brandi Carlile, Trombone Shorty, Raul Malo, Ry Cooder and more. Chris Isaak hosts.



Christmas at Concordia: Gather Us In, O Child of Peace

Monday, December 18 at 9pm; Monday, December 25 at 10am

Concordia College re-imagines the Christmas message with music embracing peace and reconciliation. The concert marks the 125th anniversary of Concordia College, which was founded by Norwegian immigrants and is located in Moorhead, Minnesota. Under the artistic leadership of world renowned composer and conductor Rene Claussen, four hundred student musicians perform in front of an original mural measuring nearly 200 feet wide. The hour-long program explores through song the themes of virtue in the community, including tolerance, compassion, and unity. Music includes traditional favorites like "Silent Night" and "I Saw Three Ships" to an original composition by Rene Claussen.



American Masters: This is Bob Hope

Monday, November 27 at 8pm; Saturday, December 2 at 1pm

Explore the entertainer's life with unprecedented access to his personal archives including writings voiced by Billy Crystal, clips from his body of work, and interviews with Woody Allen, Margaret Cho, Conan O'Brien, Tom Selleck and Brooke Shields.
Also airs on Saturday, December 30 at 1am

Ric Edelman's The Truth About Your Future

Saturday, December 2 at 11am

In the program, Edelman makes the information accessible to average viewers, and provides a road map for them to achieve their goals. Viewers will be inspired by the rapidly evolving technological changes they face, and will also be inspired to make actionable decisions based on the information they receive.

Memory Rescue with Daniel Amen, M.D.

Saturday, November 25 at 1pm; Sunday, December 3 at 1pm;
Monday, December 4 at 7pm; Saturday, December 9 at 10am

In this program, Dr. Daniel Amen will show you how to supercharge your memory and remember what matters most to you. Dr. Amen talks about how you can improve your memory and even rescue it if you think it's headed for trouble. This simple idea to strengthen your memory is based on treating the 11 major risk factors that destroy your brain. Most of these risk factors are either preventable or treatable. Knowing your risk factors and how to overcome them is critical to rescuing your memory.

Ed Slott's Retirement Road Map 2017

Saturday, December 9 at Noon

Greedy Wall Street Banks and Uncle Sam are out to grab your hard earned retirement savings. Ed Slott, America's IRA Expert, shows you how to steer clear of the bumps, potholes and roadblocks in your retirement.



Great Performances “Hitman: David Foster and Friends”

Sunday, November 26 at 9pm

Legendary songwriter, producer, and maestro to the stars, David Foster has generated some of the world's best known popular music, and collaborated with a "Who's Who" of superstars in a career that spans more than three decades. In celebration of his remarkable achievements including fourteen Grammy Awards and a host of other accolades some of the biggest names in contemporary music gather for a one-night-only concert that brings down the house. From the stage of Las Vegas' Mandalay Bay, Andrea Bocelli, Josh Groban, Michael Buble, Boz Skaggs, Kenny G, Blake Shelton, Cheryl Lynn, Katharine McPhee, and Andre Agassi join in the celebration, along with a special performance by Celine Dion and some long- distance best wishes from Kevin Costner and Barbra Streisand.

Easy Yoga: The Secret to Strength and Balance with Peggy Cappy

Saturday, November 25 at 11pm; Sunday, November 26 at 12:30pm;
Saturday, December 2 at 10am

Discover how yoga can aid anyone, of any age, who wants to increase strength and mobility. Peggy Cappy shows how yoga poses can increase range of motion, improve awareness of the body, help prevent bone loss and keep metabolism running efficiently.

Human Nature: Jukebox In Concert from the Venetian

Wednesday, November 29 at 7pm; Saturday, December 2 at 10:30pm
Monday, December 4 at 8:30pm

Travel in a time machine of 50s and 60s hits with this vibrant and dynamic musical foursome. Joined by special guest Darlene Love, a seven-piece band and world-class dancers, the group celebrates a mix of pop, doo-wop, bandstand and soul standards.



Anne of Green Gables (2016)

Sunday, November 26 at 3pm

Savor a new adaptation of the classic novel about the orphaned Anne, placed in the care of uptight Marilla and her brother Matthew, played by Martin Sheen. Neither Anne nor Marilla could predict the profound effect they'd have on each other's lives.
Also airs on Monday, November 27 at 3:30am

Anne of Green Gables: The Good Stars

Sunday, November 26 at 5pm

Join Anne Shirley as she turns 13 and faces complex situations with friends, adults and Gilbert. Her free-spirited nature is challenged by her perceived need to be sensible, a journey fraught with confusion and unfortunate-albeit amusing-mishaps.
Also airs on Monday, November 27 at 2am



Victor Borge: 100 Years of Music & Laughter!

*Sunday, November 26 at 1:30pm; Sunday, December 3 at 9pm;
Saturday, December 9 at 3:30pm*

This collection of Victor Borge's funniest and most memorable skits contains such classic comedy bits as the timeless "Phonetic Punctuation," "Inflationary Language," "The Opera Singer" with Marylyn Mulvey and more. Rare archival footage from the Borge family vault enhances this memorable retrospective. Rita Rudner narrates..

A Cat's Attic - Yusuf/Cat Stevens

Sunday, December 3 at 10:30pm; Saturday, December 9 at 8:30pm

Celebrate 50 years of the illustrious career of Cat Stevens as he talks about fame, the songwriting process, and performs some of his greatest hits, from "Morning Has Broken" to "Peace Train" to "Wild World."

David Gilmour: Live In Pompeii

Saturday, November 25 at 9:30pm

Join the Pink Floyd singer-guitarist for a spectacular concert featuring lasers, pyrotechnics and stellar performances from an all-star band. Shot in the legendary Roman amphitheatre, the program highlights an artist at the top of his game.

Big Band Years

*Saturday, November 25 at 3pm; Thursday, November 30 at 8pm;
Sunday, December 3 at 7pm*

My Music presents its first "Big Band" music retrospective featuring the biggest songs that got us through World War II and kick-started the baby boom with brassy legends that will take your members on a "Sentimental Journey". This nostalgic program compiles the original hit makers and legends that define the GI and generations' memories. Peter Marshall hosts this event, which for the first time mixes vintage live, rare, and unreleased footage from the Big Band days.



Lawrence Welk's TV Treasures

Saturday, November 25 at 5pm; Sunday, November 26 at 10:30am

This documentary about the television series, "The Lawrence Welk Show," features rarely seen footage from more than 50 years of the longest-running series on national television and outstanding never-before-seen archival performances by members of the Welk Musical Family, starting with the earliest days of the show. Fourteen members of the Musical Family vividly describe how the weekly show was produced and tell some "behind the scenes" stories. Costume designer Rose Weiss and Larry Welk, the son of Lawrence Welk, discuss the early days of the show and how it evolved from a "band" showcase into a full-fledged weekly series.

Lawrence Welk: Precious Memories


Saturday, December 9 at 5pm

This nostalgic special will lift your spirits, heal your heart and take you into the safe haven of your past with promises for a brighter tomorrow. Taped before a LIVE audience at the Welk Resort Theatre in Branson, Missouri, it features 15 stars from the Welk Musical Family, including Norma Zimmer, The Lennon Sisters, Jo Ann Castle, Ralna English, Guy Hovis, Mary Lou Metzger, Jack Imel, Tom Netherton, Ken Delo, Dick Dale, Gail Farrell, Bob Ralston, and Joe Feeney. Special guests include Chris Feeney and Tim Padilla. The special feature more than 20 songs of inspiration including "Precious Memories," "Swing Low Sweet Chariot," "How Great Thou Art," "Joshua Fit the Battle of Jericho," "He's Got the Whole World in His Hands," "Find Us Faithful," "My Tribute," "Ave Maria," and "May the Good Lord Bless and Keep You."

Young Hyacinth

*Sunday, November 26 at 11pm; Tuesday, November 28 at 7pm;
Saturday, December 2 at 6pm*

Chart the early life of the remarkable Hyacinth in this prequel to Britcom KEEPING UP APPEARANCES. Hyacinth's desperate attempts to transform her sisters and darling Daddy into an altogether better class of family are not at all appreciated.



Christmas with Daniel O'Donnell

*Monday, November 27 at 7pm; Saturday, December 2 at 5pm;
Wednesday, December 6 at 7pm*

Join O'Donnell and special guests for a winter wonderland of yuletide carols, classic hymns and seasonal sing-a-long favorites. Performed before an enthusiastic audience at Dublin's Convention Centre, O'Donnell brings the spirit of the holiday season to life with theatrical sets, a talented cast of performers, and even a sleigh drawn by two ponies! Joining Daniel onstage to perform heartwarming Christmas songs is his long-time singing partner of 36 years, the talented Mary Duff, along with The Billie Barry Kids, the renowned Kilkenny Presentation Choir, the Rathdowney adult choir and the Daniel O'Donnell band.

Five Smart Year End Ways To Support Lakeland Public Television!



From *Almanac* to *Antiques Roadshow*, from *Lakeland News* to *Lidia's Kitchen*, from *Common Ground* to *Curious George*, your support this past year has made great programming possible. It is because of your generosity that we are able to continue in our mission to **EDUCATE, ENTERTAIN, ENRICH** and **ENLIGHTEN**. All of us at Lakeland Public Television are grateful for your support. Thank you!

As the year concludes, we hope you might consider a year end gift to support the high quality programming that is the hallmark of Lakeland Public Television / PBS. There are many ways to support public television, not just at year end, but throughout the year as well. Here are five options that you might find of interest.

1. Transfer appreciated stock from your investment/brokerage account to Lakeland Public Television.

This is a great way to avoid payment of capital gain taxes on the stock, especially if the stock has increased in value. By making a gift of stock to LPTV you will get a tax deduction equal to the value of the stock transferred, avoid capital gain tax, and support the great programming at LPTV! A real win, win for all! Call LPTV for more details.

2. Name Lakeland Public Television as beneficiary of a CD.

Many people are not aware that they can name a beneficiary on their certificates of deposit (CD) held at a bank. This designation called a payable on death designation does just that, at the owner's death, the funds in the CD are distributed to the designated beneficiary, such as Lakeland Public Television. One of the benefits of using this approach is that the funds in the CD are available for you during your life should you need them. The distribution only occurs at death thus allowing you to keep control of the CD during your life. Establishing a payable on death designation is easy to do and can often be accomplished in a single trip to the bank. To complete the required paperwork you will likely need information about Lakeland Public Television including our address, telephone number, and tax identification number. If you would like additional information email Kathleen at kmckinstra@lptv.org or call her at 218-333-3018.

3. Use your Required Minimum Distribution (RMD) from your IRA to make a direct gift to Lakeland Public Television.

If you are age 70 ½ and have an IRA you can direct all or a portion of your RMD to LPTV. This is sometimes called the IRA Charitable Rollover. In doing this, you will avoid having to pay income tax on the IRA distribution because it goes directly from your IRA to an IRS designated charity or nonprofit, such as LPTV. Using this technique can provide big tax savings for the donor since the amount directed to the nonprofit is not included in the donor's taxable income in the year of distribution. Call LPTV for more details on this tax savvy strategy to support the high quality television you see daily on LPTV.

4. Name Lakeland Public Television the beneficiary or partial beneficiary of a life insurance policy.

This is very easy to accomplish using a beneficiary designation. Once you get the benefit designation form, review it and make sure you understand how to complete it. The forms ask you to provide the name of the person or organization you want to receive life insurance proceeds and the percent of proceeds you would like to leave. Other information is often requested as well. If you would like additional information email Kathleen at kmckinstra@lptv.org or call her at 218-333-3018.

5. Consider leaving a gift to Lakeland Public Television in your estate plan.

Many people welcome this idea as they can support LPTV without opening their wallet. An estate gift is a wonderful way to make your wishes known about the people and organizations that were important to you during your life. Additionally, there can be significant estate tax advantages to using a planned gift to a favorite nonprofit. Even if your estate is not subject to any state or federal estate tax at death, a planned gift provides a legacy that will serve to honor the organizations that provided meaning to you during your life. Many people are worried about outliving their resources. Since a planned gift does not take effect until your death your resources (assets) remain available to you to use during your lifetime. Planned giving is a great way to leave a lasting legacy and many people are surprised to learn just how easy it is to incorporate an estate gift into their plans. If you would like additional information email Kathleen at kmckinstra@lptv.org or call her at 218-333-3018.

If you would like to learn more about how you can support Lakeland Public Television consider having a conversation with LPTV's Development Specialist Kathleen McKinstra.

There is no cost or obligation to meet with Kathleen. She is a wonderful resource as she spent more than twenty years practicing law as an estate planning attorney. She is well versed in estate and charitable giving techniques and would welcome the opportunity to talk to you about your ideas for supporting Lakeland Public Television. You can arrange to visit with Kathleen at our office in Bemidji or alternatively at our office in Brainerd. Or if you would prefer, she can visit you in your home. Kathleen can be reached at kmckinstra@lptv.org or 218-333-3018.

Support What You Value... Support Lakeland Public Television!

YES! I am interested in supporting the high quality television programming at Lakeland Public Television with a year end gift. I would like to find out more about the following:

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DECEMBER EVENING SCHEDULE FOR L-PRIME, L-PLUS & CREATE

		7:00 PM	7:30 PM	8:00 PM	8:30 PM	9:00 PM	9:30 PM	10:00 PM
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	L-PLUS	Common Ground	Common Ground	The Big Band Years				Charlie Rose (11PM)
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SAT 2	L-PRIME	The Nitty Gritty Dirt Band: 50 Years and Circlin' Back			Great Performances "Moody Blues: Days of Future Passed Live"			
	L-PLUS	Great Performances "Hitman: David Foster and Friends"				Young Hyacinth		Charlie Rose (11PM)
	CREATE	Sara's Weeknight Meals	Cooking/Nick Stellino	Ciao Italia	America's Test Kitchen	Joann Weir Gets Fresh	Sara's Weeknight Meals	George Hirsch Lifestyle
SUN 3	L-PRIME	The Big Band Years			Victor Borge: 100 Years of Music & Laughter!			
	L-PLUS	Victor Borge: 100 Years of Music & Laughter!			The Nitty Gritty Dirt Band: 50 Years and Circlin' Back			Austin City Limits (11PM)
	CREATE	Martha Bakes	America's Test Kitchen	Colemeco's Real Food	Pati's Mexican Table	Ask This Old House	Rick Steves' Europe	Born to Explore/Weise
MON 4	L-PRIME	Memory Rescue with Daniel Amen, M.D.			Human Nature: Jukebox in Concert from the Venetian			Lakeland News
	L-PLUS	The Big Band Years				Memory Rescue with Daniel Amen, M.D.		
	CREATE	Lidia's Kitchen	Cook's Country	Chef's Life	Pati's Mexican Table	This Old House	Real Rail Adventures: Switzerland	
TUE 5	L-PRIME	The Nitty Gritty Dirt Band: 50 Years and Circlin' Back			Reflections on the Vietnam War			Lakeland News
	L-PLUS	Memory Rescue with Daniel Amen, M.D.			Human Nature: Jukebox in Concert from the Venetian			Charlie Rose (11PM)
	CREATE	Martha Bakes	America's Test Kitchen	Colemeco's Real Food	Pati's Mexican Table	The Woodwright's Shop	Travelscope	Weekends with Yankee
WED 6	L-PRIME	Christmas with Daniel O'Donnell		60s Pop, Rock & Soul (My Music)				Lakeland News
	L-PLUS	The Nitty Gritty Dirt Band: 50 Years and Circlin' Back			Reflections on the Vietnam War			Charlie Rose (11PM)
	CREATE	Lidia's Kitchen	Cook's Country	Chef's Life	Pati's Mexican Table	Ask This Old House	Rick Steves' Europe	Born to Explore/Weise
THU 7	L-PRIME	To Be Announced...						Lakeland News
	L-PLUS	Christmas with Daniel O'Donnell		60s Pop, Rock & Soul (My Music)				Charlie Rose (11PM)
	CREATE	Martha Bakes	America's Test Kitchen	Colemeco's Real Food	Pati's Mexican Table	The Woodwright's Shop	Travelscope	Weekends with Yankee
FRI 8	L-PRIME	Almanac		Lakeland Currents	Washington Week	Charlie Rose - The Week	C. Mack - Wealthtrack	Lakeland News
	L-PLUS	Beyond A Year In Space			A Cat's Attic: Yusaf/Cat Stevens			Charlie Rose (11PM)
	CREATE	Lidia's Kitchen	Cook's Country	Chef's Life	Pati's Mexican Table	This Old House	Globe Trekker "Road Trip: Rust Belt Hwy USA"	
SAT 9	L-PRIME	Alan Jackson: Precious Memories			A Cat's Attic: Yusaf/Cat Stevens			The 80s (12AM)
	L-PLUS	60s Pop, Rock & Soul (My Music)				The Big Band Years (11PM)		
	CREATE	Katie Brown Workshop	Travelscope	Paint This/Jerry Yarnell	Sara's Weeknight Meals	Christmas on Danube	Katie Brown Workshop	Smart Travels/ R. Maxa
SUN 10	L-PRIME	To Be Announced...						
	L-PLUS	Ed Slott's Retirement Road Map 2017				The 80s (My Music) (11PM)		
	CREATE	Martha Bakes	America's Test Kitchen	Colemeco's Real Food	Pati's Mexican Table	Ask This Old House	Rick Steves' Europe	Born to Explore/Weise
MON 11	L-PRIME	Antiques Roadshow "Anaheim, Hour 3"		Antiques Roadshow "Richmond, Hour 1"		The 46ers		Lakeland News
	L-PLUS	Great Performances "Driving Miss Daisy"			The Making of a Lady			Austin City Limits (11PM)
	CREATE	Lidia's Kitchen	Cook's Country	Chef's Life	Pati's Mexican Table	This Old House	Globe Trekker "Road Trip: Rust Belt Hwy 2 USA"	
TUE 12	L-PRIME	Finding Your Roots "Southern Roots"		Finding Your Roots "The Vanguard"		Frontline		Lakeland News
	L-PLUS	Antiques Roadshow "Anaheim, Hour 3"		Antiques Roadshow "Richmond, Hour 1"		The 46ers		Nightly Business Report
	CREATE	Martha Bakes	America's Test Kitchen	Colemeco's Real Food	Pati's Mexican Table	The Woodwright's Shop	Travelscope	Weekends with Yankee
WED 13	L-PRIME	Nature "Soul of the Elephant"		Nova "Secret Tunnel Warfare"		Supernature - Wild Flyers "Defying Gravity"		Lakeland News
	L-PLUS	Finding Your Roots "Southern Roots"		Finding Your Roots "The Vanguard"		Frontline		Charlie Rose (11PM)
	CREATE	Lidia's Kitchen	Cook's Country	Chef's Life	Pati's Mexican Table	Ask This Old House	Rick Steves' Europe	Born to Explore/Weise
THU 14	L-PRIME	Common Ground	Christmas on the Danube	Doc Martin "Do Not Disturb"		The This Old House Hour		Lakeland News
	L-PLUS	Nature "Soul of the Elephant"		Nova "Secret Tunnel Warfare"		Supernature - Wild Flyers "Defying Gravity"		Charlie Rose (11PM)
	CREATE	Martha Bakes	America's Test Kitchen	Colemeco's Real Food	Pati's Mexican Table	The Woodwright's Shop	Travelscope	Weekends with Yankee
FRI 15	L-PRIME	Almanac		Lakeland Currents	Washington Week	Charlie Rose - The Week	C. Mack - Wealthtrack	Lakeland News
	L-PLUS	Common Ground	Christmas on the Danube	Doc Martin "Do Not Disturb"		The This Old House Hour		Charlie Rose (11PM)
	CREATE	Lidia's Kitchen	Cook's Country	Chef's Life	Pati's Mexican Table	This Old House	Globe Trekker "Tough Trains: Transcontinental..."	
SAT 16	L-PRIME	Doc Martin "The Wrong Goodbye"		The Red Green Show	Christmas on the Danube	Real Rail Adventures: Swiss Winter Magic		Rick Steves (12AM)
	L-PLUS	Almanac		Mormon Tabernacle Choir		Lidia Celebrates America		Charlie Rose (11PM)
	CREATE	The Free Range Cook	Baking with Julia	Cook's Country	Cooking/Nick Stellino	America's Test Kitchen	Scandinavian Cooking	Ciao Italia
SUN 17	L-PRIME	Last Tango in Halifax Holiday Special		Victoria on Masterpiece "Doll 123"				Travel Quest w/ Bill Ball
	L-PLUS	Doc Martin "The Wrong Goodbye"		The Red Green Show	Christmas on the Danube	Real Rail Adventures: Swiss Winter Magic		Austin City Limits (11PM)
	CREATE	Martha Bakes	America's Test Kitchen	Colemeco's Real Food	Pati's Mexican Table	Ask This Old House	Rick Steves' Europe	Destination Craft
MON 18	L-PRIME	Antiques Roadshow "Richmond, Hour 2"		Antiques Roadshow "Richmond, Hour 3"		Christmas at Concordia: Gather Us In, O Child...		
	L-PLUS	Last Tango in Halifax Holiday Special		Victoria on Masterpiece "Doll 123"				Austin City Limits (11PM)
	CREATE	Lidia's Kitchen	Cook's Country	Chef's Life	Pati's Mexican Table	This Old House	Globe Trekker "Art Trails of the French Riviera"	
TUE 19	L-PRIME	Finding Your Roots "Funny Business"		Christmas in Christ Chapel at Gustavus		Frontline		Lakeland News
	L-PLUS	Antiques Roadshow "Richmond, Hour 2"		Antiques Roadshow "Richmond, Hour 3"		Christmas at Concordia: Gather Us In, O Child...		Nightly Business Report
	CREATE	Martha Bakes	America's Test Kitchen	Colemeco's Real Food	Pati's Mexican Table	The Woodwright's Shop	Travelscope	Weekends with Yankee
WED 20	L-PRIME	Nature "The Story of Cats: Asia to Africa"		Nova "Bird Brain"		Supernature - Wild Flyers "Masters of the Sky"		Lakeland News
	L-PLUS	Finding Your Roots "Funny Business"		Christmas in Christ Chapel at Gustavus		Frontline		Charlie Rose (11PM)
	CREATE	Lidia's Kitchen	Cook's Country	Chef's Life	Pati's Mexican Table	Ask This Old House	Rick Steves' Europe	Destination Craft
THU 21	L-PRIME	Common Ground	Backroads	Doc Martin "The Wrong Goodbye"		The This Old House Hour		Lakeland News
	L-PLUS	Nature "The Story of Cats: Asia to Africa"		Nova "Bird Brain"		Supernature - Wild Flyers "Masters of the Sky"		Charlie Rose (11PM)
	CREATE	Martha Bakes	America's Test Kitchen	Colemeco's Real Food	Pati's Mexican Table	The Woodwright's Shop	Travelscope	Weekends with Yankee
FRI 22	L-PRIME	Almanac		Lakeland Currents	Washington Week	Charlie Rose - The Week	C. Mack - Wealthtrack	Lakeland News
	L-PLUS	Common Ground	Backroads	Doc Martin "The Wrong Goodbye"		The This Old House Hour		Charlie Rose (11PM)
	CREATE	Lidia's Kitchen	Cook's Country	Chef's Life	Pati's Mexican Table	This Old House	Globe Trekker "Food Hour: Provence, France"	
SAT 23	L-PRIME	Doc Martin "Preserve The Romance"		The Red Green Show	Backroads	Crane Candlelight Concert		Holiday at Murray State
	L-PLUS	Almanac		Christmas at Belmont		Eric Idle's The Entire Universe		Charlie Rose (11PM)
	CREATE	Best of Joy of Painting	Ciao Italia	Katie Brown Workshop	P. Smith's Garden Home	Travelscope	Scandinavian Cooking	Chef's Life Holiday...
SUN 24	L-PRIME	Last Tango in Halifax Holiday Special		Victoria on Masterpiece "Brocket Hall"		Victoria on Masterpiece "The Clockwork Prince"		Christmas on the Danube
	L-PLUS	Doc Martin "Preserve The Romance"		The Red Green Show	Backroads	Crane Candlelight Concert		Austin City Limits (11PM)
	CREATE	Martha Bakes	America's Test Kitchen	Colemeco's Real Food	Pati's Mexican Table	Ask This Old House	Rick Steves' Europe	Destination Craft
MON 25	L-PRIME	Antiques Roadshow "Naughty or Nice"		Call The Midwife Holiday Special			St. Thomas Christmas: So Bright The Star	
	L-PLUS	Last Tango in Halifax Holiday Special		Victoria on Masterpiece "Brocket Hall"		Victoria on Masterpiece "The Clockwork Prince"		Austin City Limits (11PM)
	CREATE	Lidia's Kitchen	Cook's Country	Chef's Life	Pati's Mexican Table	Travelscope	Globe Trekker "Tough Boats: The Nile, Egypt"	
TUE 26	L-PRIME	Sultan and the Saint		America's First City - A Secrets of the Dead Special				Fostering/Love
	L-PLUS	Antiques Roadshow "Naughty or Nice"		Call The Midwife Holiday Special			St. Thomas Christmas: So Bright The Star	
	CREATE	Martha Bakes	America's Test Kitchen	Colemeco's Real Food	Pati's Mexican Table	The Woodwright's Shop	Travelscope	Weekends with Yankee
WED 27	L-PRIME	Nature "The Story of Cats: Into The Americas"		Nova "Day The Dinosaurs Died"		Supernature - Wild Flyers "Crowded Skies"		Lakeland News
	L-PLUS	Sultan and the Saint		America's First City - A Secrets of the Dead Special				Charlie Rose (11PM)
	CREATE	Lidia's Kitchen	Cook's Country	Chef's Life	Pati's Mexican Table	Ask This Old House	Rick Steves' Europe	Destination Craft
THU 28	L-PRIME	Common Ground	Backroads	Doc Martin "Preserve The Romance"		The This Old House Hour		Lakeland News
	L-PLUS	Nature "The Story of Cats: Into The Americas"		Nova "Day The Dinosaurs Died"		Supernature - Wild Flyers "Crowded Skies"		Charlie Rose (11PM)
	CREATE	Martha Bakes	America's Test Kitchen	Colemeco's Real Food	Pati's Mexican Table	The Woodwright's Shop	Travelscope	Weekends with Yankee
FRI 29	L-PRIME	Almanac		Lakeland Currents	Washington Week	Charlie Rose - The Week	C. Mack - Wealthtrack	Lakeland News
	L-PLUS	Common Ground	Backroads	Doc Martin "Preserve The Romance"		The This Old House Hour		Nightly Business Report
	CREATE	Lidia's Kitchen	Cook's Country	Chef's Life	Pati's Mexican Table	This Old House	Globe Trekker "Road Trip: Patagonia"	
SAT 30	L-PRIME	Doc Martin "Dry Your Tears"		The Red Green Show	Backroads	Mark Twain's Journey to Jerusalem: Dreamland		Deeply Rooted...
	L-PLUS	Almanac		American Masters "Bob Hope"				Charlie Rose (11PM)
	CREATE	J. Pepin: Heart & Soul	Lebanese Kitchen	Katie Brown Workshop	Mexico - One Plate...	Raichlen/Project Smoke	George Hirsch Lifestyle	Secrets of a Chef
SUN 31	L-PRIME	Victoria on Masterpiece "An Ordinary Woman"		Live/Lincoln Center "NY Philharmonic New Year's Eve: Bernstein/Broadway"			ACL Hall of Fame New Year's Eve	
	L-PLUS	Doc Martin "Dry Your Tears"		The Red Green Show	Backroads	Mark Twain's Journey to Jerusalem: Dreamland		Austin City Limits (11PM)
	CREATE	Martha Bakes	America's Test Kitchen	Colemeco's Real Food	Ellie's Really Good Food	Ask This Old House	Rick Steves' Europe	Destination Craft