



Remembering Mother Angelica

Mother Angelica made an indelible mark on the world and her legacy will live on in our hearts and through EWTN, Our Lady of the Angels Monastery And Shrine of the Most Blessed Sacrament, the Poor Clares of Perpetual Adoration and the Franciscan Missionaries of the Eternal Word.

On May 8, 1962, the founding sisters of Our Lady of the Angels Monastery left Sancta Clara Monastery in Canton, Ohio, for the new foundation in Alabama. Through the years, the order has expanded with new foundations in Arizona, Ohio, Texas, and in Troyes, France.

On August 15, 1981, Mother Angelica launched EWTN into the homes of 60,000 viewers for four hours a day. Today, Mother's family has grown to encompass over 230 million viewers in over 140 countries via satellite, radio, and the web.

In 1987, Mother Mary Angelica founded the Franciscan Missionaries of the Eternal Word to preach and teach the Catholic faith using modern means of communication. The friars focus their attention on celebrating the liturgy on EWTN television and radio, leading spiritual retreats for visitors to EWTN and the Shrine of the Blessed Sacrament (Mother Angelica's new monastery), and providing for the spiritual needs of the Poor Clare Nuns of Perpetual Adoration and EWTN employees.

Mother Angelica has touched so many lives around the world and this was evident in the weeks since her passing. We pray for Mother Angelica and the continued blessings of EWTN and ministries she has founded.

More information on Mother Angelica may be found at www.ewtn.com/motherangelica

Spring Pledge Drive May 17 - 20

Save the dates from May 17 thru 20 for Holy Family Radio's Spring Pledge Drive. We're working on making the final preparations for making this a fun and successful pledge drive. If you would like to participate as a guest, volunteer to answer phones or make an early donation, please contact us at 844-33-RADIO at your earliest convenience. **Pledge Drive Webpage for updates:** [click here](#).



April Events Spotlight

April 14th: Acton Lecture Series with Raymond Arroyo

at the Acton Institute in Grand Rapids. Tickets are available in advance by visiting acton.org

April 15th: Noto's 2016 Charity Winefest at Noto's Old World Italian Dining in Grand Rapids. The Franciscan Life Process Center, HELP Pregnancy Crisis Aid and American Culinary Federation Chefs will benefit from Noto's Charity Winefest. In addition to appetizers, Italian food and desserts, the event features over 300 wines, live music and the opportunity to purchase wines at a discount. Tickets may be purchased online at notosoldworld.com.

April 29th: Shalom Ministries will have a three day residential retreat in Columbiere Conference Center in Clarkston, Michigan. Experience the liberating power of God's love and see how this retreat can make you a new person in Christ, washed and cleansed with His precious Blood! A registration fee of \$225 per person, includes room and board for all three days. More information for this event may be found at: <https://www.shalomworld.org/festivals/events/98>



Check out the numerous events in April on our online calendar on HolyFamilyRadio.net.



The Regina Caeli to replace the Angelus.

From Easter Sunday thru Pentecost Sunday, we pray the Regina Caeli (Queen of Heaven) at the times normally reserved for the Angelus - at 6am, noon and 6pm



Thank you and welcome to our new underwriters.

Jeff Large of Come Alive Creative and David Ruthven of Specialty Tooling Systems are our newest underwriters. Thank you for your support.

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