# Nashville Talking Library

## November/December 2026 Program Guide



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# About Nashville Talking Library

## What is NTL?

NTL is a free audio information service with 24/7 on-air, streaming, and podcast programming that includes live and prerecorded readings of newspapers, magazines, bestselling books, and special programs

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# Book Hour Schedule

## 11 AM (10 PM Repeat) Book Hour

### November 9

**Title:** Listen for the Lie

**Episodes:** 11

**Written by:** Amy Tintera

**Read by:** Bo Mistak

**Summary:** A gripping thriller that explores what if you thought you murdered your best friend? And what if everyone else thought so too? And what if the truth doesn't matter?

### November 24

**Title:** The Wide Wide Sea

**Episodes:** 17

**Written by:** Hampton Sides

**Read by:** Norm Nelson

**Summary:** An epic account of the most momentous voyage of the Age of Exploration, which culminated in Captain James Cook's death in Hawaii, and left a complex and controversial legacy still debated to this day.

## December 17

**Title:** Clete

**Episodes:** 11

**Written by:** James Lee Burke

**Read by:** Geneine Snell

**Summary:** James Lee Burke returns to his bestselling Dave Robicheaux series, bringing Dave's partner and friend Clete Purcel to the forefront for the first time as Clete and Dave attempt to stop the ruthless smugglers of a dangerous new drug.

# 2 PM (11 PM Repeat) Book Hour

## November 3

**Title:** The Let Them Theory

**Episodes:** 10

**Written by:** Mel Robbins

**Read by:** Betsy Burgin

**Summary:** A life changing tool that illustrates the key to happiness, success, and love, the "Let Them Theory" is a proven method that teaches you how to protect your time and energy, and focus on what matters to you.

## November 17

**Title:** How to Cook a Coyote

**Episodes:** 4

**Written by:** Betty Fussell

**Read by:** Ramsey Doran

**Summary:** From telling what it's like to go blind to confronting the ongoing erosion of time and the mystery of what's to come, How to Cook a Coyote recounts a decade of change as the celebrated food writer and critic Betty Fussell moves from Manhattan to the Montecito retirement community at ninety-eight.

## November 23

**Title:** Oath and Honor

**Episodes:** 12

**Written by:** Liz Cheney

**Read by:** Stephanie Wood-Louder

**Summary:** A gripping first-hand account from inside the halls of Congress as Donald Trump and his enablers betrayed the American people and the Constitution--leading to the violent attack on our Capitol on January 6th, 2021--by House Republican leader Liz Cheney who dared to stand up to it.

## December 9

**Title:** Karen

**Episodes:** 19

**Written by:** Kelsey Grammer

**Read by:** Chris Hassel

**Summary:** Kelsey Grammer delves into the deeply personal and tragic story of his sister, Karen, who was brutally murdered at the age of 18.

# 8 PM (12 AM repeat) Book Hour

## November 5

**Title:** The Underground Library

**Episodes:** 4

**Written by:** Jennifer Ryan

**Read by:** Carol Dalglish

**Summary:** When the Blitz imperils the heart of a London neighborhood, three young women must use their fighting spirit to save the community's beloved library in this novel based on true events from the author of The Chilbury Ladies' Choir.

## November 11

**Title:** Strangers in Time

**Episodes:** 15

**Written by:** David Baldacci

**Read by:** Bo Mistak

**Summary:** David Baldacci’s newest novel, set in London in 1944, about a bereaved bookshop owner and two teenagers scarred by the Second World War, and the healing and hope they find in one another.

## December 2

**Title:** Great Big Beautiful Life

**Episodes:** 14

**Written by:** Emily Henry

**Read by:** Geneine Snell

**Summary:** Two writers compete for the chance to tell the larger-than-life story of a woman with more than a couple of plot twists up her sleeve in this dazzling and sweeping novel from Emily Henry.

## December 22

**Title:** Ocean: Earth's Last Wilderness

**Episodes:** 10

**Written by:** David Attenborough, Colin Butfield

**Read by:** Chase Jeffords

**Summary:** Award-winning broadcaster and natural historian David Attenborough and longtime collaborator Colin Butfield present a powerful call to action focused on our planet's oceans, exploring how critical this habitat is for the survival of humanity and the future of Earth.

# Daily Program Schedule

## Monday AM (Central Time)

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|---|---|
| 12:00 AM | Smithsonian (Audio Reading Service) |
| 1:00 AM | City Arts & Lectures (KQED) |
| 2:00 AM | People (Radio Eye) |
| 3:00 AM | Nashville Scene (Rose Mary Reed) |
| 4:00 AM | Time (Audio Reading Service) |
| 5:00 AM | Keystrokes (Voicecorps) |
| 6:00 AM | New Yorker (Audio Reading Service) |
| 7:00 AM | Consumer Reports (Audio Reading Service) |
| 8:00 AM | Get Up & Go / Checklist (Ramsey Doran) |
| 8:30 AM | Woman's World (Radio Eye) |
| 9:00 AM | Tennessean (Katie Brooks, Rose Mary Reed) |
| 10:00 AM | Tennessean (Katie Brooks, Rose Mary Reed) |
| 11:00 AM | Book Hour (descriptions on pages 4-9) |

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## Monday PM (Central Time)

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| 12:00 PM | New York Times (TIC Network) |
| 1:00 PM | Wall Street Journal (TIC Network) |
| 2:00 PM | Book Hour (descriptions on pages 4-9) |
| 3:00 PM | Historical View (Audio Reading Service) |
| 4:00 PM | Disability Connection (Audio Reading Service) |
| 4:30 PM | Pet Potpourri (Audio Reading Service) |
| 5:00 PM | Get Up & Go / Checklist (Ramsey Doran) |
| 5:30 PM | Woman's World (Radio Eye) |
| 6:00 PM | Tennessean (Katie Brooks, Rose Mary Reed) |
| 7:00 PM | Tennessean (Katie Brooks, Rose Mary Reed) |
| 8:00 PM | Book Hour (descriptions on pages 4-9) |
| 9:00 PM | Prevention (Vivian Martin) |
| 9:30 PM | Nashville Banner (Bruce Holzman) |
| 10:00 PM | Book Hour (descriptions on pages 4-9) |
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## Tuesday AM (Central Time)

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| 12:00 AM | Book Hour (descriptions on pages 4-9) |
| 1:00 AM | New Yorker (Audio Reading Service) |
| 2:00 AM | Consumer Reports (Audio Reading Service) |
| 3:00 AM | Get Up & Go / Checklist (Ramsey Doran) |
| 3:30 AM | Woman's World (Radio Eye) |
| 4:00 AM | Prevention (Vivian Martin) |
| 4:30 AM | Nashville Banner (Bruce Holzman) |
| 5:00 AM | Disability Connection (Audio Reading Service) |
| 5:30 AM | Pet Potpourri (Audio Reading Service) |
| 6:00 AM | Spotlight on Sports (Audio Reading Service) |
| 7:00 AM | Nashville Scene (Rose Mary Reed) |
| 8:00 AM | Get Up & Go / Checklist (Ramsey Doran) |
| 8:30 AM | With Good Reason (Viriginia Humanities) |
| 9:00 AM | Tennessean (Alyssa Bedsole, Maggie Gigandet) |
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| 3:00 PM | Nashville Scene (Rose Mary Reed) |
| 4:00 PM | An Hour of Short Stories (John Pritchett) |
| 5:00 PM | Get Up & Go / Checklist (Ramsey Doran) |
| 5:30 PM | With Good Reason (Viriginia Humanities) |
| 6:00 PM | Tennessean (Alyssa Bedsole, Maggie Gigandet) |
| 7:00 PM | Tennessean (Alyssa Bedsole, Maggie Gigandet) |
| 8:00 PM | Book Hour (descriptions on pages 4-9) |
| 9:00 PM | Around the World (Nancie Read) |
| 9:30 PM | Discover (Sight Into Sound) |
| 10:00 PM | Book Hour (descriptions on pages 4-9) |
| 11:00 PM | Book Hour (descriptions on pages 4-9) |

# Daily Program Schedule

## Wednesday AM (Central Time)

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|---|---|
| 12:00 AM | Book Hour (descriptions on pages 4-9) |
| 1:00 AM | Spotlight on Sports (Audio Reading Service) |
| 2:00 AM | Nashville Scene (Rose Mary Reed) |
| 3:00 AM | Get Up & Go / Checklist (Ramsey Doran) |
| 3:30 AM | With Good Reason (Virginia Humanities) |
| 4:00 AM | Around the World (Nancie Read) |
| 4:30 AM | Discover (Sight Into Sound) |
| 5:00 AM | An Hour of Short Stories (John Pritchett) |
| 6:00 AM | Nashville Banner (Bruce Holzman) |
| 6:30 AM | Nashville ss (Rose Mary Reed) |
| 7:00 AM | AARP Report (Audio Reading Service) |
| 7:30 AM | Health Information Today (Audio Reading Service) |
| 8:00 AM | Get Up & Go / Checklist (Ramsey Doran) |
| 8:30 AM | Eyes on Success (EOS Productions) |
| 9:00 AM | Tennessean |
| 10:00 AM | Tennessean |
| 11:00 AM | Book Hour (descriptions on pages 4-9) |

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| 1:00 PM | Wall Street Journal (TIC Network) |
| 2:00 PM | Book Hour (descriptions on pages 4-9) |
| 3:00 PM | New Scientist (Barbara Sullivan) |
| 3:30 PM | Wired (Maureen Schlacter) |
| 4:00 PM | Poetry in the Air (Chris Hassel) |
| 4:30 PM | Book Reviews (Audio Reading Service) |
| 5:00 PM | Get Up & Go / Checklist (Ramsey Doran) |
| 5:30 PM | Eyes on Success (EOS Productions) |
| 6:00 PM | Tennessean |
| 7:00 PM | Tennessean |
| 8:00 PM | Book Hour (descriptions on pages 4-9) |
| 9:00 PM | Town and Country (Cecilia Bow) |
| 9:30 PM | Nashville Ledger (Rose Mary Reed) |
| 10:00 PM | Book Hour (descriptions on pages 4-9) |
| 11:00 PM | Book Hour (descriptions on pages 4-9) |

# Daily Program Schedule

## Thursday AM (Central Time)

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|---|---|
| 12:00 AM | Book Hour (descriptions on pages 4-9) |
| 1:00 AM | New Scientist (Barbara Sullivan) |
| 1:30 AM | Wired (Maureen Schlacter) |
| 2:00 AM | AARP Report (Audio Reading Service) |
| 2:30 AM | Health Information Today (Audio Reading Service) |
| 3:00 AM | Get Up & Go / Checklist (Ramsey Doran) |
| 3:30 AM | Eyes on Success (EOS Productions) |
| 4:00 AM | Town and Country (Cecilia Bow) |
| 4:30 AM | Nashville Ledger (Rose Mary Reed) |
| 5:00 AM | Poetry in the Air (Chris Hassel) |
| 5:30 AM | Book Reviews (Audio Reading Service) |
| 6:00 AM | Smithsonian (Audio Reading Service) |
| 7:00 AM | City Arts & Lectures (KQED) |
| 8:00 AM | Get Up & Go / Checklist (Ramsey Doran) |
| 8:30 AM | Community News (Katie Brooks) |
| 9:00 AM | Tennessean (Barbara Sullivan, Betsy Bergin) |
| 10:00 AM | Tennessean (Barbara Sullivan, Betsy Bergin) |
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| 2:00 PM | Book Hour (descriptions on pages 4-9) |
| 3:00 PM | Keystrokes (Voicecorps) |
| 4:00 PM | Newsweek (David Williams) |
| 5:00 PM | Get Up & Go / Checklist (Ramsey Doran) |
| 5:30 PM | Community News (Katie Brooks) |
| 6:00 PM | Tennessean (Barbara Sullivan, Betsy Bergin) |
| 7:00 PM | Tennessean (Barbara Sullivan, Betsy Bergin) |
| 8:00 PM | Book Hour (descriptions on pages 4-9) |
| 9:00 PM | Reader's Digest (Denise Pridemore) |
| 9:30 PM | Eyes on Success (EOS Productions) |
| 10:00 PM | Book Hour (descriptions on pages 4-9) |
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## Friday AM (Central Time)

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|---|---|
| 12:00 AM | Book Hour (descriptions on pages 4-9) |
| 1:00 AM | Smithsonian (Audio Reading Service) |
| 2:00 AM | City Arts & Lectures (KQED) |
| 3:00 AM | Get Up & Go / Checklist (Ramsey Doran) |
| 3:30 AM | Community News (Katie Brooks) |
| 4:00 AM | Reader's Digest (Denise Pridemore) |
| 4:30 AM | Eyes on Success (EOS Productions) |
| 5:00 AM | Newsweek (David Williams) |
| 6:00 AM | People (Radio Eye) |
| 7:00 AM | Fortune (TIC Network) |
| 7:30 AM | Diabetes and You (Audio Reading Service) |
| 8:00 AM | Get Up & Go / Checklist (Ramsey Doran) |
| 8:30 AM | LGBTQ Outlook (Audio Reading Service) |
| 9:00 AM | Tennessean |
| 10:00 AM | Tennessean |
| 11:00 AM | Book Hour (descriptions on pages 4-9) |

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| 3:00 PM | Vanity Fair (Alyssa Bedsole) |
| 3:30 PM | National Geographic (Virginia McCuen) |
| 4:00 PM | Time (Audio Reading Service) |
| 5:00 PM | Get Up & Go / Checklist (Ramsey Doran) |
| 5:30 PM | LGBTQ Outlook (Audio Reading Service) |
| 6:00 PM | Tennessean |
| 7:00 PM | Tennessean |
| 8:00 PM | Book Hour (descriptions on pages 4-9) |
| 9:00 PM | Entertainment Weekly (Audio Reading Service) |
| 9:30 PM | Rolling Stone (Daniel Hansen) |
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| 1:00 AM | People (Radio Eye) |
| 2:00 AM | Fortune (TIC Network) |
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| 3:30 AM | LGTBQ Outlook (Audio Reading Service) |
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| 4:30 AM | Rolling Stone (Daniel Hansen) |
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| 6:00 AM | New Yorker (Audio Reading Service) |
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| 11:00 PM | Prevention (Vivian Martin) |
| 11:30 PM | Town and Country (Cecilia Bow) |

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