
Seminary News

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Program on Older Adults

Two public lectures and a workshop on campus Thursday, April 18, will focus on ministry with older adults. Msgr. Charles Fahey, professor of Aging Studies at Fordham University, will lead all three events. The presentations continue a series of programs at the Seminary on older adults, funded by a grant from Manor HealthCare.

A morning public lecture, titled, "New Paradigm for Gerontology and Geriatrics," will be held at 11:10 a.m. in Santee Chapel. An afternoon workshop, "Managing Our Miracles - Issues in Aging," will be presented from 1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. in Hafer Center. Fee for the workshop will be waived for students who sign up with Mary Lin Siever in the President's Office. At 7:30 p.m. in Santee Chapel Msgr. Fahey will present a second public lecture, titled, "Public Policy at the Crossroads - How Should America Respond to

Its Frail?"

Msg. Fahey's presentations are the latest in a series of Seminary programs funded by Manor HealthCare. In recent years grants have funded courses of study, workshops, public lectures and conferences on ministry with older adults, as well as library resources on geriatric ministry. In 1995 the Seminary added placement opportunities in field education for students to receive a stipend to work in a nursing home or retirement village.

'Voices, Visions' Seminar Planned

"Voices and Visions in the Christian Community: Women and Men in Conversation" will be the theme of an all-day women's seminar April 20 at First United Methodist Church, Lancaster.

The third biennial seminar is sponsored by the Commission on the Status and Role of Women at First Church and Lancaster Seminary.

professors will be workshop leaders for the event, planned for 8:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. at the church, 29 East Walnut Street, Lancaster.

Participants will attend two of the five workshops offered:

- * "Crossing the Great Divide: Feminist and Womanist Theology in Conversation," led by Professor Jordan;

- * "In a Different Voice" Women's Moral and Spiritual Development," led by Professor Proffitt;

- * "Jesus through Women's Eyes," led by Professor Barrett;

- * "To Listen and to Speak: Women, the Bible and Authority," led by Professor Huwiler;

- * "You Just Don't Understand: Men and Women in Conversation," led by Professors Proffitt and Melchert.

Cost for the workshop for Seminary students who register by March 30 is \$10, lunch included. Send registrations to Wanda Whare, 265 Radio Road, Elizabethtown, PA 17022, or call 399-5220 (day)

or 367-7624 (evening) for more information.

Schaff Book Sale

For years students have been improving their personal libraries during the annual book sale. Come early on Tuesday, March 26 to choose your treasures. The sale continues through Wednesday, April 3, 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. daily.

Hundred of volumes will be displayed for sale in the Lower Level of the Library on such subjects as theology, history and philosophy, as well as some works of fiction.

All of the books will be categorized and placed on tables by subject. Hardbacks are priced at \$1.00, while paperbacks are 50 cents each. There will be a section of specially priced books and sets.

Be sure to return during the week of Monday, April 1, to Wednesday, April 3, to pick up some remaining books, which will be sold at \$1.00 for a grocery bag full (!), from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Guise to Perform Liturgical Drama in Chapel

Senior Bill Guise will perform a One Act Dramatic Monolog entitled Joseph's Story during worship services in Santee Chapel on Wednesday, March 27. The drama, an original piece which Bill wrote several years ago, attempts to explore and share the story of Joseph, an otherwise silent participant in the historical drama of Jesus Christ.

According to Bill, "Joseph largely disappears from scripture, and I have taken the artistic license to give him a voice regarding his experience of raising a child such as Jesus."

Bill will use a sparsely decorated set and perform the role in full costume and makeup. The piece is designed to end and dovetail immediately with the Sacrament of Communion, which is celebrated after Chapel services on Wednesdays.

Other participants in the drama will be Professor Berg,

who will introduce the piece, and Julie Guise and Kathy Pape, who will perform background and transitional music largely arranged by Julie. At the end of the piece, Joseph will retire from the set, and Professor Berg will reemerge to celebrate the Sacrament.

Students, faculty and staff are invited to attend Chapel on March 27 as Bill provides a different experience of a Lenten worship service.



**Lancaster Seminary
Financial Aid Appli-
cations for 1996-97
are due April 15.**

**Applications are
available in the
Campus Center or
from Shirley
Laukhuff.**

Hull Scholarship Offered

The Richard B. Hull Memorial Scholarship Fund was given to the trustees of

Lancaster Theological Seminary, in trust, with the direction that income from the fund can

be used for the following purpose:

* To provide a cash scholarship award for the musical enrichment of a child or spouse of a child of a full-time candidate for a master's degree at Lancaster Seminary.

* First preference will be for the child of a student, and second preference will be for the spouse of a student.

The award will be distributed annually to one or more than one recipient. The endowment provides a cash award of about \$450.00.

Applications for the third award, to be granted in 1996, are available in the campus center, and should be returned to the Admissions Office no later than 5:00 p.m., Friday, April 5. Recipient(s) of the award will be announced at the Community Lunch on Wednesday, May 1, 1996.



Gettysburg College Social Justice Week

Dr. Raj Arole, cofounder of a rural health care project in India and recipient of the Magsaysay Award (the Asian Nobel Prize), will visit Gettysburg College during Social Justice Week, March 18-24 and March 29. Theme for the series of events is "Health Care in the Developing World." Events that are open to the public include, "The Miracle at Jamkhed," a lecture by Arole at 7:00 p.m. on Wednesday, March 20, in the Christ Chapel Sanctuary; and a mystery dinner fundraiser to benefit REMEDY, a medical supply recovery program, at 6:30 p.m., Friday, March 29, in Christ Chapel Lounge.



Stafford Loan Borrowers:

Please remember to complete your "Renewal Application for Federal Student Aid" and return it to Shirley Laukhuff in the Student Services Office. It should not be mailed to "Federal Student Aid Programs."

Seminarian Wanted

A seminarian is wanted to teach Sunday School at Clearfield United Methodist Church, Rawlinsville, PA, ten miles south of Lancaster, on Sunday, May 12. Please contact Howard Hall at 786-2391 if you are interested. Transportation will be provided from the Seminary, if needed. The topic is open, and a stipend will be provided. The class size is approximately 15. Please reply before Friday, March 29.

Special Chapel Service

Students for Native American Understanding will lead a chapel service on Tuesday, March 19, at 11:10 a.m. The service will be Christian, but will include Native American elements taken from the UCC Council for American Indians Ministry's "Worship Resources" booklet, as well as the New Century Hymnal. There will be time after the service to ask questions about Native Americans and the UCC.

Worship leaders will be Chris Wails, Enno Limvere, Dan Moore, Brian Clougherty and Wenonah Chapman-Coursey.

News/Views Wanted

The next Seminary News will be in your mailboxes on Monday, April 1. Please have news items for it in Barbara Stephens' mailbox by Wednesday, March 27.

Christian Educators' Retreat Planned

"The Computer Era and Christian Education, an Exploration of Opportunities," a spring retreat for Christian Educators, will be held Monday, April 29, through Wednesday, May 1, at the Living Waters Conference Center, Penn West Conference. Sponsored by the Mid-Atlantic Regional Association of United Church Educators, the retreat is open to anyone interested in or concerned with Christian education.

Cost for the retreat for members of the Association of United Church Educators and the Association of Christian Church Educators of the Christian Church/Disciples of Christ is \$75.00. Others pay \$85.00, which includes lodging, meals and leadership.

Registration deadline is April 10. To register, please send your name, address, phone number and a check payable to Mid-Atlantic AUCE to The Rev. Patricia Ludwig, 3985 Day Road, Lockport, NY 14094.

SCC News

Student Lounge - In Mayer Commons behind Cokesbury Bookstore, there is now a lounge for taking a break and relaxing. There is comfortable furniture and a ping-pong and pool tables to reduce your stress. This is only the beginning!! A committee is looking for a variety of additional ways to create a better atmosphere, including a refrigerator and a radio-cassette player among others.

SCC executive officers have keys to Mayer Commons if you want to use the building or community room on a week night or during the weekend. Please see an officer to check out keys.

Elections are upon us-- not the presidential elections-- the SCC elections. Voting will take place during the week of March 25-29. The slate of nominees is:

Moderator - Jim Robison
Vice Moderator-Benjy Motz
Secretary-Rachel Boie
Treasurer-Barb Margerum
You may also write in candidates for these offices.