The Seminary News

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SEMINARY HOSTS AAUW HOLLY BAZAAR



The American Association of University Women, Lancaster Branch, is sponsoring the 1993 Holly Bazaar at Lancaster Seminary on Saturday, December 4, and Sunday, December 5, from 12:00 noon to 6:00 p.m. No tickets are required to attend the bazaar, which features crafts, foods and books. Visitors setting up booths

for the bazaar will begin to set up on Friday afternoon and will occupy the Refectory, Mayer Commons and Hafer Center.

Five local organizations received funds from the AAUW's 1992 Holly Trail project. Holly Trail is a tour of holiday decorated homes, for which the Holly Bazaar is a companion event. This Campus 100 celebration event will bring local people onto our campus and provide an opportunity for the Seminary community to do some Christmas shopping as well.

SPECIAL AIDS AWARENESS WEEK COMMUNITY HOUR

Carolyn Carter, of the Lancaster AIDS Project, will present a program on "Universal Precautions" during Community Hour on Thursday, December 2, at 11:10 a.m. in Hafer Center. This presentation has been scheduled during AIDS Awareness Week at Lancaster Seminary.

SLIDE PRESENTATION ON SOUTH AFRICA

Seminarian Ann Few will lead a presentation with slides about her cross-cultural experience in South Africa on Thursday, December 9, at 11:45 in Hafer Center, the second floor of the Library. Her Community Hour event is titled, "Suabono Afrika" (I See You, Africa). Community Lunch will be served in Hafer on that day.

INVENTORY AT COKESBURY

Cokesbury Seminary Bookstore will be closed Saturday, December 4, for inventory. All special orders and books held for more than two weeks will be put back in stock at this time. Janice Myers, Bookstore Manager, reminds the community that Cokesbury's policy is to hold books for two weeks only.

EXTENSION POLICY

As the semester draws to a close, you may realize that you will need some extra time to complete your work in one of your courses. What follows is a review of the extension policy at Lancaster. Please review this policy on pages 15-16 of the MDiv Handbook and on pages 10-11 of the MAR Handbook.

- * You may take only ONE extension during a semester. This means that you need to plan your coursework so that it is all completed by the deadline set in the course syllabi, except for the ONE course in which you take an extension.
- * Extensions are not automatic. You may request an extension by filling out a "Request for Extension of Class Work" form (available in Shirley Laukhuff's Office). The decision is then made in consultation with others: the form must be signed by the professor teaching the course and by your advisor.
- * Extension forms must be turned in to Anne Mavrides in the Dean's Office PRIOR TO the end of the academic term. (Note well: If the Dean's Office does not have a signed extension form filed when grades are turned in, and a professor has not turned in a grade for you, we enter an "F" on your transcript for that course.)
- * All work from a Fall term extension must be completed by February 1.
- * Under extenuating circumstances, you may request more than one extension. If you think you will need to do this, you must make an appointment with the Associate Dean to discuss it before you file the additional extension. NO additional extensions will be accepted without the signature of the Associate Dean.

Hopefully you won't need to make use of the extension policy, but, if you do, it will be to your benefit to follow the procedures outlined in the handbook (we don't like entering "F's"!). Thanks for your cooperation.

Associate Dean Anabel Proffitt

LIBRARY NEWS

Advent/Christmas music will be played in the Library beginning this week. The music will be loud enough to be heard in the front part (Circulation, card catalog, lounge areas), but not too loud to prevent study. Hopefully the music will remind us of the purpose of this holy season. "And the Word became flesh and dwelt among us"

The Library's annual Christmas party will be held in Schaff on Tuesday, December 14, 2:00 to 4:00 p.m. Everyone is welcome. If you care to donate your favorite Christmas goody, please sign up by seeing Shirley Wallace.

Library hours for the Christmas holidays will be as follows:

December 20-22, 8:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. December 23, 8:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. Reopen January 3, 8:30 a.m.

NOTICE FROM THE LIBRARY

All individuals who are leaving campus for Cross-Cultural trips in January 1994 are requested to return library books no later than December 23, 1993. Books which are not returned by this deadline will accumulate fines.

Professor Berg

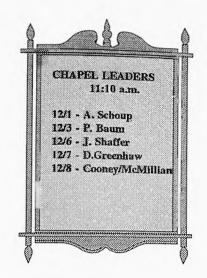
HYMNALS FOR THE CHAPEL ,

Thanks to all of you who have returned borrowed hymnals to the chapel. And thanks to the Church of the Apostles, Lancaster, for contributing 20 additional UCC Hymnals. Our inventory of UCC Hymnals has increased from 28 to 46! Apostles may find that they have others that they can also give us.

Chaplain Kroehler

HEALING SERVICES

Special services of healing are being planned by the chapel support committee. The first of these is scheduled for Tuesday, December 7, 1993, at 7:00 p.m. Please see members of the planning team if you have suggestions or questions: Wenonah Chapman-Coursey, Stephanie Thompson and Chaplain Kroehler.



SEMINARY ORNAMENTS MAKE WONDERFUL GIFTS

The Lancaster Seminary Alumni/ae Association is selling ceramic ornaments created to commemorate the 100th anniversary of the Seminary at its current site. The \$15.00 ornament features the Lark Building and Santee Chapel. It is an appropriate gift for a student, graduate, faculty or staff person at Lancaster. The ornament comes in a gift box and can be purchased at the Development Office (Schaff 206).

HOLIDAY HAPPENING

Just a reminder. . .December 7 from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m. at the Refectory is the HOLIDAY HAPPENING. It's a time to gather for fun and fellowship while creating gingerbread houses and ornaments. (Check the display in the hallway of Lark near the mailboxes to see some of the decorations you'll be making.) There'll be refreshments, a carol sing and the reading of a Christmas story. It may be "crunch time" at Lancaster Seminary, but this is a perfect study break.

P.S. Please be sure to save lids from 12 ounce frozen fruit juices for the "tin" punch ornament. Place them in the box by the mailboxes.

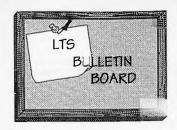
SENIORS - If you haven't had any communication from the Dean's Office regarding commencement and are expecting to graduate contact Judi Hummer, Dean's Office.

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LTS EVENTS

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
			9:00am Administrative Cabinet	2 Community Hour	Faculty Planning Seminar	Holly Trail (Campus 100)
5 Holly Trail (Campus 100)	9:00am Educational Life Committee	New Conversations Group	9:00am Administrative Cabinet 12:00pm Luncheon:UCC Health & Human Serv. Execs. 3:15pm Faculty Meeting- Glatfelter	9 11:10am Community Hour	9:00am Worship & Community Life Committee Faculty Planning Seminar	11
12	13 9:00am Institutional Planning	14	Glatfelter 1.5 9:00am Administrative Cabinet	16 11:10am Community Hour	17 Fall Term Classes End Faculty Planning Seminar Faculty/Staff Christmas Party	18
19	20 9:00am D.Min Committee Timesheets	21	9:00am Administrative Cabinet	23 Close at 4pm Payday	24	25 Christmas
26	27	28	29	30	Christmas Recess-	Seminary Closed
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Please note the following changes of address:

Professor Rochelle Stackhouse 2 Wheeler Way, #8B Princeton, NJ 08540 (609-987-9645) Janice Myers (Cokesbury Bookstore) 230 W. Orange St., Apt. 1 Lancaster, PA 17603

HOLIDAY MEAL FOR HOMELESS

A holiday meal for homeless persons in the City of Lancaster will take place Sunday, December 5. Volunteers are needed for Sunday <u>morning</u> to help prepare food for the dinner. For more information, please contact Lillian Forrey through St. Luke's U.C.C. at 392-7021.

CHRISTMAS TREE SALE

Do you want to ensure the freshness of this year's Christmas tree? You can cut your own for only \$10.00 at Bob Crane's farm (215-384-1818). Hundreds of pines, firs and spruces are available for your choice. Please come on Saturdays only, during daylight hours. Saws will be provided. Directions: take King Street east out of Lancaster. Turn left onto Route 340 East (at Weis Market). Stay on Route 340 East through Bird-in-Hand, Intercourse, White Horse and Compass. Don't miss the turn when Route 340 turns left at the blinking yellow light in Compass. Proceed four miles after the turn and look for mailbox #282 on the right. Make this a family outing!

