

Seminary News

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UPCOMING APRIL EVENTS

The Lancaster Chamber of Commerce, an organization of the business community, will hold a mixer at Lancaster Seminary on Wednesday, April 20, from 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. in the Refectory. The Seminary last hosted the chamber in 1987.

A progressive dinner to culminate the year-long celebration of Campus 100 will be held on Thursday, April 21. The dinner, which will include civic and business leaders of Lancaster County, will be held during the semiannual meeting of the Seminary's Board of Trustees. Tours of the campus will be features of both events, which are designed to acquaint the greater Lancaster community with the Seminary.

COOK LECTURE THIS WEEK

"A Sacred Trust: The Public Role of Religious Buildings" is the title of the 1994 Cook Lecture, to be presented in Santee Chapel, Thursday, April 7, 7:30 p.m. Robert Jaeger of Partners for Sacred Places, Philadelphia, will discuss the historical and architectural roots of the Lark Building. Professor Rochelle Stackhouse, adjunct instructor in Worship and Preaching at Lancaster, will comment on the liturgical implications of the design of Santee Chapel, including its relation to Mercersburg liturgical theology. The two will offer responses to each other and to questions from those attending. The lecture is open to the Seminary community and the public without cost.



SCC OFFICERS ANNOUNCED

Congratulations to the Seminarian Community Council (SCC) officers for 1994-95, chosen in the recent election.

Moderator - Patti Helmer
Vice Moderator - Pat Münnick
Secretary - Roberta Mellen
Treasurer - Ken Wacko

YOUTH EVENT COMING UP

"For the Sake of a Call...Kaleidoscopes," a special event for high school youth, will be presented by the Admissions Department on Saturday, April 9. The program explores such issues as...what is a vocation; how can Christian faith be part of the high school, college and job experience. A panel with representatives from the church, high school and college communities is one of the several activities planned for the day. The event, the initial Kaleidoscope program, is scheduled for 8:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. For further information, see Kecia McMillian, Office of Admissions.

CALL FOR DANCERS

Become a part of Seminary history! Students are invited to participate in a liturgical dance as part of the Campus 100 Worship Celebration on Thursday, April 21, from 7:00 to 8:00 p.m. in Santee Chapel. You need not be a professional dancer to participate. The simple dance movements will be choreographed by Chaplain Allen Kroehler, Susan Minasian and Shelly Moe.

Rehearsal will be held in Santee Chapel following worship on Monday, April 18, at 11:30 a.m. If you are interested, please sign up on the newsprint, Lower Level Lark by April 11. If you want to dance and cannot make the April 18 rehearsal, please contact Karna Burkeen, Development Office.

RECYCLING AT LTS

by Jennifer Geary

The Seminary is in the process of setting up a comprehensive recycling program. This program might be in place by the end of this semester but definitely will be described and implemented before we begin the fall semester. Until that time, here is what you can do to manage your recyclables properly.

- All office or notebook paper, no matter the color, can be deposited in the Lower Level of Lark Building. Please do not include envelopes, coated (shiny) paper, or post-it notes.

- Newsprint and phone books can also be deposited in a designated box in Lower Level Lark, or you can deliver them directly to Alternative Recycling. To reach this facility, take Prince Street south and turn right one street before Dixon Recycling. Alternative Recycling is on your right. They take newsprint and phone books **only**. Please do not mix in anything else.

- Polystyrene trays, cups, plates, egg cartons, etc., can be taken to Oregon Dairy Store on Oregon Pike (272 North).

- All glass and metal can be put in the covered container by the dumpsters near the loading dock on Pine Street. Please put in **only** glass and metal...no paper bags, no plastic bags. It is helpful if you rinse out your cans and jars. Throw the jar lids in the regular trash. Crush your cans; the more that fit on the truck, the less fuel used to transport recyclables.

- Please crush and put all soda cans in designated campus receptacles; do not throw them in the trash.

- Plastic milk jugs can be taken to the Turkey Hill Convenience Store on Harrisburg Avenue at Race Avenue. If you cut them in half lengthwise and rinse them, they do not take up much storage space, and they transport easily.

- If you are not sorting your trash, now is a good time to start getting into the practice.

Hopefully there will be a recycling station on campus where all of the above mentioned items can be deposited, making it even easier for you. We must all work together to reduce the trash production here at Lancaster Seminary and to be better stewards of God's creation.

WEDNESDAY SERVICE

Rev. Rick Rimert, pastor of Colemanville United Methodist Church, will preach during the Service of Word and Sacrament, Wednesday, April 4, in Santee Chapel. A pastor/preceptor at the Seminary, Rev. Rimert is the husband of Diane Rimert, of the Archives staff.

Worship God in Everything You Do

The earth is the Lord's and all that is in it,

The world, and those who live in it;

For he has founded it on the seas,

And established it on the rivers,

Who shall ascend the hill of the Lord?

And who shall stand in his holy place?

Those who have clean hands and pure hearts,

Who do not lift up their souls to what is false,

And do not swear deceitfully. Psalm 24:1-4

Note: Worship on Tuesday, April 12, will focus on stewardship of God's creation. Cristoph Kock will preach.

WORSHIP SERVICE FOR GRADUATES AND FAMILIES PLANNED FOR 5/14 A.M.

A committee of "seniors" is working with Chaplain Kroehler to design a special service of worship for Santee Chapel early on Commencement morning, Saturday, May 14. The service will follow a time of appreciation for the support of family and friends. If you are graduating and wish to participate in planning or leading the worship service, please contact Liz Bell, Bonita Collins Hobbs, Larry Knutson, Beth Boyer Kollas, Roz Mason, Shelly Moe, Marion Roddy-Hart or Dave Schnaars, who have volunteered to date.


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RICHARD B. HULL MEMORIAL

Scholarship Fund

Established 1993

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 be used for the following purpose:

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

. first preference will be for the child of a student

. second preference will be for the spouse of a student

The award will be distributed annually to a recipient chosen by a three person selection committee. The award may go to one, or more than one recipient. The endowment provides for a cash award in the neighborhood of \$700.

Applications for the first award, to be granted in 1994, are available in the Student Services area of the Mayer Commons Building. They are to be returned to the Office of Student Services not later than 5 pm Thursday, April 28.

The recipient of the award will be announced at the Community Luncheon on Wednesday, May 4.

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Bulletin Board

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

The First Methodist Church, Duke and Walnut Streets in Lancaster, needs volunteers to assist with Sunday School and the serving of lunch to a number of children on Sunday, May 15, from 9:00 a.m. until 12:30 p.m.

The program is prepared, and four adults will supervise the morning activities and lunch. All of the other adults will attend a culmination meeting offsite that day. Meanwhile, back at the church, assistance is needed with the children. Can you help? Please sign up with Donna Kaplan, Faculty Secretary.

GOSPEL AND CULTURE

An international conference on Gospel and Culture will be held at Christian Theological Seminary, April 7-10, in Indianapolis, Indiana. The conference, sponsored by World Ministries in the U.S., has invited leaders from around the world to discuss such questions as From your cultural perspective, what is 'good' about the 'good news' in the gospel? From your setting, what is the role of church in your society? What are your images of God received through the resources, customs and traditions of your culture? All meals and full registration are \$59.00. For further information, call World Ministries in the U.S., 216-736-3210.

DR. LIBBEY'S HEALTH IMPROVES

Dr. Scott S. Libbey, who was this year's Gregory Lecturer, reports to Chaplain Kroehler that he is much improved in speech and coordination since his February mini-strokes. He writes that "the care and support of a caring community have contributed mightily to the amazing progress he has made to date."

EAST COAST SEMINARIANS' CONFERENCE

The second East Coast Seminarians' Conference will be held September 29 to October 2 at Geneva Point Center in Centre Harbor, New Hampshire. This year Bangor and Lancaster Seminaries, Andover Newton Theological School and the UCC's Office for Church Life and Leadership are

co-sponsoring the event. The first conference, in October 1992, was a great success, drawing more than 80 participants from Virginia to Maine. This year, once again seminary students from the eastern region will join conference and national staff (including UCC President Paul Sherry), other seminarians and seminary faculty in three days of fellowship, worship, workshops and information sharing. For more information, contact Elizabeth C. Nordbeck, Dean of the Faculty and Vice President for Academic Affairs, or her Administrative Assistant, Rey Evans, at 210 Herrick Road, Newton Centre, MA 02159, 617-964-1100.

SUPPLY PREACHER NEEDED

The Rev. Glenn Sadler, St. Paul United Church of Christ, Somerset, Pennsylvania, wishes to make arrangements for pulpit supply for the following times:

Mid-July to mid-August, 1994

Mid-October to mid-November, 1994

Mid-July to mid-August, 1995

Interested persons should plan to be in Somerset from Friday afternoons until Monday. Somerset is in the beautiful mountains of western Pennsylvania, conveniently located just off the turnpike. Call Rev. Sadler at 814-445-4534.

NOT WITHOUT HOPE

"Not Without Hope," a special television program created by the national council of Churches, will air on NBC affiliate stations sometime between April 1 and June 1. Produced by The Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod, it is about the people who survive natural disasters and personal tragedies...only to reach out, rebuild and recover out of great faith and enduring hope...the story that is left behind when the media move on. Please look for this program, ideal for the whole family and truly in the spirit of resurrection and renewal.

HISPANIC EMPHASIS WEEK THANK YOU

Jennifer Knighton thanks everyone who participated in and contributed to the success of Hispanic Emphasis Week. If you'd like to have an audiotape of music by Tito Cevallos, please see her.

COKESBURY SALE SECTION

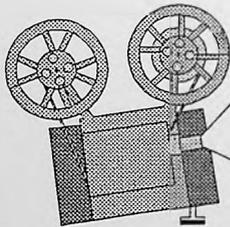
80% OFF REGULAR PRICES

In order to prepare for inventory in May, Cokesbury Campus Bookstore has reduced books and miscellaneous items in a special sale section to 80 percent off regular prices. Lots of new books have been added to this section, so check it out! Sale ends Friday, April 8.



COKESBURY INVENTORY NOTICE

Cokesbury Bookstore will be closed for inventory on Wednesday, April 27, as well as Friday, April 29, and Saturday, April 30.



NOW SHOWING...

"Dead Poets' Society"

Monday, April 11
7:00 p.m.

Mayer Commons

Everyone Welcome!!

ROBES, STOLES, PARAMENTS

Handcrafted robes, stoles and paraments, made by Brenda Grauer, will be displayed and sold in Lower Level Lark on Wednesday, April 20. A prize-winner in the Seminary's October art show, Brenda is from Chagrin Falls, Ohio.

STUDENT HANDBOOK TASK FORCE

NOW FORMING

At the direction of the Educational Life Committee, Mary Lou Eckels is convening a task force to study the student handbook. Anyone interested in serving on this task force is invited to meet in room L202 at 9:00 a.m. on Friday, April 8. See Mary Lou if you have questions or for additional information.

FORUM ON HONORS

Your Voice Needs To Be Heard

How do you feel about commencement honors? Is our system fair? Is there a better way than high grade point average to recognize outstanding students? Is the whole system meaningless, and should it be done away with?

On Tuesday, April 26, at 11:30 a.m. in the Refectory, Professor Beth Huwiler, Chair of the Educational Life Committee, will conduct a forum for students and faculty on this subject. Your views and insights are important. Please be sure to attend to voice your opinion and/or suggestions.

FINANCIAL AID REMINDER

All students who wish to be considered for financial aid for the 1994-95 academic year must submit their financial aid applications on or before April 15, 1994.

Application forms are available on the shelves across from the Student Services Office in the Mayer Commons Building. Turn them in to Shirley Laukhuff!

Check carefully: Have you completed and attached all the forms? Have you signed and dated all the documents?

ALERT! ALERT! ALERT!
Deadline for financial aid application is 4/15/94.