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IT'S *STILL* ALL ABOUT SOULS!

It's been a busy spring at HCU. Even as the announcement of President Jones' retirement was released in April, signs of blooming and growth have been steady and positive.

With the dogwoods in full bloom, many campus projects have revealed the unchanging work of the Lord is ongoing. There are souls to save, students to educate, and the gospel to spread. Evangelism is still at the center of our hearts and minds. While a new entrance sign, the completion of TITUS Camp dorms/retreat centers, and reconstruction of the salvaged Alpha Center building are creating positive buzz on campus, the mission of HCU remains the same. It's all about souls.

And has been for the last fifty years. Our purpose is evangelism: real-world ministry.

At the close of April, the Board, faculty, staff and students gathered as a family for a time of fellowship.

WHAT IS *OUR MISSION?*

We exist for the advancement of churches of Christ by equipping servants through undergraduate and graduate programs and continuing education. HCU produces effective communicators, preachers, teachers and missionaries for real-world ministry with a focus on evangelism and a commitment to scripture.

HCU IS IN *GOOD HANDS*

The current Administrative Council, consisting of Vice-President of Academic Affairs Bill Bagents, Vice-President of University Advancement Philip Goad, and Vice-President of Administration Pat Moon, will assume the duties of the president in addition to their usual responsibilities. During this interim, the Board of Directors will begin the search for a new President.

FREE CHURCH RESOURCE *NOW AVAILABLE*

This year's Berean Bible Series is now available. To order, email Melanie Irions at mirions@hcu.edu.

The Berean Study Series is a free 13-lesson resource, consisting of 13 videos and a corresponding study guide (available as a pdf file or as a printed book) for each lesson. Like last year, this resource is available to you FREE of charge. We want to help you grow as a Christian.

We designed this series to help Christians, whether new to the faith or not, to live lives reflecting Jesus, "Clothed in Christ".

YOUR OPPORTUNITY *TO GO FARTHER*

ATTENTION YOUTH MINISTERS;

Do you want to further your education? With half-price tuition in both graduate and undergraduate programs for full-time youth ministers, this is your opportunity! Join us on campus or via distance learning. Contact Jim Collins for more information at jcollins@hcu.edu or 256.766.6610 ext. 304.

READ ALL ABOUT IT!

Would you like to better stay in the Heritage know, or share with someone that would? Contact Brittany McGuire at bmcguire@hcu.edu to be added to our weekly Heritage News e-newsletter, or receive additional copies of the Heritage Highlights. You may also follow us on Facebook or Twitter for daily updates.

UPCOMING EVENTS

JULY 19 - 16
TITUS CAMP

AUGUST 26
HERITAGE EVENT

AUGUST 31
JACK P. LEWIS LECTURES

SEPTEMBER 18 - 19
BETTER SEMINAR

SEPTEMBER 26
CMTI/DIÁKONOS LECTURES

STUDENTS: OUR MISSION *IN ACTION*

MEET SOPHOMORE *NAHUM ST HILAIRE*

from Port au Prince, Haiti. "Week after week, I have the chance to preach at neighboring congregations, such as Mountain Home Church of Christ in Bear Creek, Alabama. It's always a great opportunity for students like myself to be sent out to preach at different congregations to gain experience. I am grateful for that and I am looking forward to more opportunities as part of my real-world ministry experience at HCU."

MEET SENIOR *TRENT THOMPSON*

from Moulton, Alabama. "Because of your support, I've been given the opportunity to impact souls in jails, prisons and His Way (a Christ-centered recovery program for men). Thank you for joining HCU in our mission to reach souls for Christ by spreading the gospel and ministering to needs."

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