

Volume XXX, No. 25 If you continue in my word, you truly are my disciples; **July 3, 2008**
and you will know the truth, and the truth will make
you free.

—JOHN 8: 31B-32 (NRSV)

Intercom deadline

The deadline for each issue of the Intercom is 4 P.M. Tuesday. To help us ensure the speed and accuracy of production, please use the Intercom e-mail address, intercom@messiah.edu, or the user-friendly submission form on the Intercom website at www.messiah.edu/intercom/submit.html to send in information. If you have questions, please call the office of marketing and public relations at ext. 7342.

Campus people

Messiah College welcomes the following new employee: **Ashley M. Cole**, registration assistant, Philadelphia Campus. Welcome to the community!

Marti Derr, associate professor of nursing, clinical track, presented a paper, “Christian Foundations for Addressing Countertransference in Baccalaureate Nursing Students Relating to Faith and Mentally Ill Patients” at the Innovations in Faith-Based Nursing Education Conference. The conference was sponsored by Eta Chi chapter of Sigma Theta Tau International, Nurses Christian Fellowship, and Indiana Wesleyan University where the conference was held June 16 to 19.

The Family Science Association’s Teaching Family Science Conference was held in Savannah, Ga. June 26 to 28 and was devoted to the theme of Teaching Through Applied and Service Learning. **Raeann Hamon**, distinguished professor of family science and gerontology, presented a paper titled “Intergenerational Service-Learning and Elder Service Partners: Lessons in Aging.” **Mary Ann Hollinger**, assistant professor of family science and dean of external programs, presented “Service-Learning and the Scholarship of Engagement in Family Science.” Incoming new assistant professor in human development and family science, **Michelle Knights** was a co-presenter on two presentations: “I’m a Family Science Student and I Don’t Know What I’m Going to Be After I Graduate” and “Strengthening Cultural Competence Through Service Learning: Exploring Curricular Initiatives and Field Experiences.”

At this summer’s Creation Music Festival at the Agapè Farm in Mt. Union, Pa., the Messiah College admissions staff sponsored and ran a massive recycling effort in their attempt to help “Care for Creation.” Prospective students were encouraged to collect a large bag-full of bottles and cans and return to the Messiah booth for a free t-shirt. Aside from gathering over **1,500** inquiry cards from prospective students, and giving out over **1,000** t-shirts over the four days of Creation, the admissions staff helped collect, sort, and recycle **approximately 61,090 bottles and cans**. Find an admissions staff member and ask them for their stories from the week!

President Phipps announces Open Door Days for this academic year

President Kim Phipps will host “open door” days to meet with students and employees on issues that are important to them. Stop by her office on the second floor of Old Main from 8:30 a.m. to 12 p.m., and 1 to 3:30 p.m. on the following days during the 2008-2009 academic year:

Monday, Oct. 6, 2008

Monday, Dec. 1, 2008

Tuesday, Feb. 17, 2009

Monday, April 20, 2009

Conference schedule for July 5 through 11

Women's Lacrosse will be on campus from Sunday, July 6 to Thursday, July 10. Registration will be held from 3 to 4 p.m. in Witmer Lounge.

Men's Lacrosse Camp will be held on campus from Sunday, July 6 to Thursday, July 10. Registration will be from 3 to 5 p.m. in North Complex Fishbowl.

Christ in Youth will be on campus from Monday, July 7 to Saturday, July 12. Registration will be held from 12 to 5 p.m. in the Eisenhower Campus Center.

Don't get left out...send in your fall public events

The office of marketing and public relations is again producing the Highlights brochure to promote the public events occurring on campus during the fall semester. In an effort to bring more people to campus, we will mail the brochure to more than 5,000 homes in the community in early September. To ensure your public event is included, i.e. a concert, recital, play, lecture, conference, performance or any other event at which you would welcome the general public, please send the event, date, time, place, contact name, admission charge (if any), and phone number to Kim Christen kchriste@messiah.edu no later than Friday, July 18.

If your events are unable to be finalized by that date, please forward them to marketing and public relations as soon as they are confirmed. Although we will be unable to include them in the brochure, we will still be able to advertise them on our public events line on campus as well as through news releases. These brochures have been very well received in the past and demand for them has been high, both on and off campus. If you would like to order a quantity for your own department's use, please call Kim Christen at ext. 7326. There will be a charge of \$12 per 100 brochures (12 cents per copy) to cover the additional printing costs.

Area business offers employee discount

Trindle Bowl is now excited to offer you a new discount! For just \$5, enjoy a game of bowling, shoe rental, and a medium fountain drink. The offer is valid for everyone in the party. Enjoy bowling!

Postal services tip

Did you know that if you have 200 letters of the same number of pages, you may qualify for discounted postage rates? The Bulk Mail Room at College Press can address and barcode your letters for mailing at a postage savings for you. Please contact Bill Althoff, manager of postal services, at ext. 3904 with any questions.



HUMAN RESOURCES

► Birthdays

Happy birthday!



07/09: Beth Mark, Jill Osielski

07/10: Kim Peters, Jesse Schwamb, June Ziegler

07/11: Julie Lundblad, Ron Miller, Dennis Schoffstall

07/13: Kate Nicely, Anthony Prather, Amy VanDerWerf

07/15: George Blackburn, Kay Ella Blecher, Cindy Burger, Ya-Ting Chang, Doug Kirkland

07/16: Susan Schmidt

07/18: Melanie Miller

07/19: Kirk Reese

Announcements

Wanted:

Large quantities of packing peanuts — Needed for large bean bag chair. Please call Wendy at 802-5697 to arrange pick up.

For sale:

Bedroom suite — Dark finish, good condition. Set includes large dresser, chest of drawers, night stand, and headboard. \$300 obo. Call 766-4937.

iPod Shuffle — Brand new, factory sealed box, contains purple iPod Shuffle, earphones, USB dock, and quick-start guide. Contact jnatale@messiah.edu for more details.

Variety of day lilies — \$3 each. Contact rhamon@messiah.edu or call 259-7700.

1994 Honda Accord LX — Four-door, five-speed manual. One owner. 204,000 miles - mostly highway. Nearly new all season performance tires on alloy wheels, additional set of wheels with winter tires, all-weather custom car cover, Alpine passive arming car alarm with remote. Beautiful car, very-clean in and out - non-smoker, well-maintained., fantastic gas mileage! MUST SEE! Asking \$2,250. For more information or to schedule an appointment, contact Robin Lauermann at rlauerma@messiah.edu or 671-8831 or at ext. 2410.

Outside organization announcements:

York Little Theatre, of York, Pa., has opened it's 2008 Pennsylvania Playwright Competition — Details can be found in attachment at the end of this "Intercom."

Reflection

Freedom is nothing but a chance to be better.

ALBERT CAMUS

French novelist

YORK LITTLE THEATRE'S



2008 PA Original Playwright
Competition

Now seeking plays which meet the following requirements:

Full-length
Unproduced
Non-musical
Written by a Pennsylvania resident
Minimal set
A cast of approximately 10 or less

The winning play will premiere
as part of York Little Theatre's 2009-2010 Season.
The playwright will also receive an Honorarium in the amount of \$100.

Deadline for Submissions is Friday, October 17, 2008.

For more information please visit our website at www.ylt.org
or call the theatre at 717-854-3894.

Send submissions to Eric Bradley Long, Director of Artistic Development, York Little Theatre, 27 S. Belmont St., York, PA, 17403; or via e-mail to eric@ylt.org. Please include a cover letter which includes a character breakdown and brief synopsis.

York Little Theatre, located at 27 S. Belmont St., York, Pennsylvania, is currently celebrating its 75th Season of providing community theatre dedicated to engaging Central Pennsylvania's diverse community through a broad range of professionally directed, entertaining, and stimulating performances.

York Little Theatre is a member of the Cultural Alliance of York County.

