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In the same way, you who are younger must accept the authority of the elders. And all of you must clothe yourselves with humility in your dealings with one another, for God opposes the proud, but gives grace to the humble.

August 20, 2009

—I PETER 5:5 (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.

Remembering one another

Rachel Cornacchio, assistant professor of music, and her husband Jason announce the birth of their son, Elijah Gray Cornacchio, born June 3. He weighed 7 lbs. and was 21 in.

Campus people

Messiah College welcomes the following new employee: **Gina Jablonski**, administrative assistant, international programs and EpiCenter. Welcome to the community!

Please welcome the following adjunct faculty to the nursing department for the fall semester: **Patricia A. Bennett**; **Amanda G. Cresswell**; and **Laura L. Martin**. Welcome to the community!

Employees invited to kick off Centennial at Community Day and Century Picnic

Messiah College will launch the celebration of its Centennial with Community Day, the annual ceremonial opening of the academic year for the College's faculty, staff, and administrators from 10 to 11:30 a.m. in Hostetter Chapel Sanctuary. President Phipps will share the "State of the College Address" and introduce the College's key objectives and priorities for the coming year. This important Messiah tradition is a meaningful time of worship, reflection upon the previous year, and a celebration of God's faithfulness to the Messiah community.

Following the Community Day gathering, all Messiah College employees are invited to enjoy a complimentary picnic lunch to launch the year long celebration of Messiah's 100th anniversary from 11:45 a.m. to 1 p.m. on the Eisenhower Campus Center Lawn (rain location: Lottie Nelson Dining Room). Bring your lawn chairs and blankets and enjoy live music and entertainment; test your Messiah College trivia "IQ" (and earn some prizes from the Campus Store!); and get your picture taken with your department/group for the Centennial website. Wear your business casual Messiah logo wear or Messiah blue and white to celebrate the kick-off for our Centennial year!

Note: Both Community Day and the Century Picnic are employee-only events.



HUMAN RESOURCES

► *Positions available*

College Press Receptionist, Part-time
Part-time Administrative Assistant, Department of
Modern Languages
Harrisburg Institute Grant Coordinator, Part-time

► *Birthdays*

College Press Receptionist, Part-time — The College Press currently has an opening for the position of College Press receptionist. This is a part-time, 10-month, 25 hours-per-week, band 7B position. This position is responsible for customer service and general office work, including billing, estimating, filing, and data input. Must have a high school diploma or equivalent. One year of clerical/customer service experience, including data entry, is required; ability to multitask is essential, as are proficiency with Excel and Word; human relations skills and attention to detail is also required; experience in a printing and/or copying environment is a plus. To apply, please submit a résumé and cover letter to Messiah College, Human Resources, Box 3015, Grantham, Pa 17027 or e-mail

humanres@messiah.edu. (Application materials are preferred via e-mail.) Job-related questions should be directed to Dwayne Magee, director of printing and mailing services, at ext. 5602. A job description is available in human resources or on the College website at www.messiah.edu/offices/hr/job_opportunities/admin.html. Applications will be reviewed upon receipt and will be accepted until the position is filled.

Part-Time Administrative Assistant, Department of Modern Languages — The School of the Humanities currently has an opening for the position of administrative assistant to the department of modern languages. This is a part-time, 10 hours-per-week, 10-month, band 7C position. This position provides administrative and project support to the department of modern languages. Responsibilities include data entry, project and event coordination, maintaining the department website, and general support responsibilities. Education and experience required includes a high school diploma or equivalent, as well as a minimum of one to two years of administrative support/secretarial experience, with at least one year of experience with higher education preferred. Other requirements include: professional-level communication skills; ability to communicate successfully across departments and with various constituencies, including external contacts; strong organizational skills, including time management skills and the ability to prioritize multiple responsibilities; strong computer proficiency including the ability to work independently in Banner, Excel, and various databases, as well as understand basic web design; ability to work independently; ability to effectively supervise additional support staff or work study students may also be required; knowledge of Spanish is desirable but not required. To apply, please submit a letter of interest and résumé to Messiah College, Human Resources, Box 3015, Grantham, PA 17027 or e-mail humanres@messiah.edu. (Application materials are preferred via e-mail.) A job description is available in human resources. Job-related questions should be directed to Pete Powers, interim dean of the School of the Humanities, at ext. 7376. Application materials will be reviewed upon receipt and will be accepted until the position is filled.

Harrisburg Institute Grant Coordinator, Part-Time — The Harrisburg Institute currently has an opening for the position of grant coordinator. This is a part-time, 20 hours-per-week, administrative position, which is grant-funded for two years. This position is responsible for administering the Harrisburg Institute sub-grant program and related projects. Duties include data collection, tracking, and reporting as it relates to granting agreements and the Federal government. The Harrisburg Institute is an interdisciplinary research, service, and training institute, which develops strategies of community engagement that address core issues and fosters mutual learning among students, educators, agencies, and communities, with priority given to urban neighborhoods in Harrisburg and the capital region. Education and experience requirements include a bachelor's degree, master's degree preferred; urban

studies, social work, sociology, or business administration focus preferred. Two years of experience working with grant-funded compliance initiatives. Other requirements include: strong interpersonal skills; detail-oriented; proficient knowledge of personal computers and grants-related web-based resources; ability to read and produce both narrative and financial reports for both community organizations and the Federal government; demonstrated commitment to the City of Harrisburg, the youth of the region, and/or urban community revitalization. To apply, please submit a letter of interest, résumé, and salary requirements to Messiah College, Human Resources, Box 3015, Grantham, PA 17027 or e-mail humanres@messiah.edu. (Application materials are preferred via e-mail.) A job description is available in human resources or on the College website at www.messiah.edu/offices/hr/job_opportunities/admin.html. Job-related questions should be directed to Craig Dalen, Harrisburg Institute program manager, at ext. 4785. Application materials will be reviewed upon receipt and will be accepted until the position is filled.

Happy birthday!

08/23: Di Cashman, Raeann Hamon, Mary Henninger-Voss

08/24: Dale Fogelsanger

08/25: Karen Helm, Peter Mollenkof

08/26: Rasheeda Fussell, Pamela Linstedt

08/28: Nance Grubb

08/30: Beth Hunter

08/31: Therese Heckman, James Myers

Announcements

For sale:

Sewing machine — Brother LS1520, 21-stitch function, free-arm, sewing machine with automatic four-step buttonholer. Great machine, easy to use, practically new. Features 21 stitch choices, buttonholer; easily converts from a flat bed for sewing quilts or flat items to a free arm for sewing shirt cuffs or pant legs. Storage compartment with manual. Asking \$55 obo. Contact brown@messiah.edu or at 448-1089.

Reflection

There are no thanks for a kindness, which has been delayed.

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