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THE PRESIDENT'S DINNER

FOR FACULTY AND STAFF

OLIVET NAZARENE UNIVERSITY

CHALFANT HALL

AUGUST 25, 2006

6:30 P.M.

HOSTED BY DR. AND MRS. JOHN C. BOWLING



*A Legacy
of Service*

OLIVET NAZARENE UNIVERSITY
2006-2007



OLIVET COLLEGE
EDUCATION WITH A CHRISTIAN PURPOSE
FOUNDED 1862

OUR MISSION

Olivet Nazarene University, a denominational university in the Wesleyan tradition, exists to provide a university-level liberal arts "Education With a Christian Purpose."

Our mission is to provide high-quality academic instruction for the purpose of personal development, career and professional readiness, and the preparation of individuals for lives of service to God and humanity.

"We seek the strongest scholarship and the deepest piety, knowing that they are compatible [and] ... a Christian environment ... where not only knowledge but character is sought." (The quotation is taken from the Olivet *Catalog*, 1915.)

This mission provides the common ground for us as we blend our various gifts and interests together to impact each student. You will have many opportunities this year to live out this mission. Watch for those occasions, for they are moments of great possibility and reward. Through our mission, we transform lives for eternity.

WELCOME

Good evening! We gather tonight as members of the faculty and staff to mark the official beginning of a new academic year at Olivet Nazarene University. This year the University will launch its Centennial Celebration, which will be officially observed during 2007. What a heritage has been passed to each of us!

The theme of the President's Dinner this year is "A Legacy of Service." Among our special guests tonight are several retired members of our faculty and staff. Their presence, along with the theme itself, reminds us that the heart of Olivet resides not in buildings or academic programs, but within the women and men who daily live our mission of providing "An Education With a Christian Purpose."

In addition, we are delighted to welcome an outstanding group of new members of the faculty and staff who are already taking their places within the ONU community. Also, please take time to note some of the many accomplishments of our colleagues, which are noted in the program. We hope you have a wonderful evening.

Sincerely,

John and Jill Bowling

MENU

SALAD

Late Summer Cranberry-Apple Salad
Lime-Mustard Dressing

Dinner Rolls • Fruit Nut Bread

ENTRÉE

Vermillion County Prime Rib of Beef
Horseradish Sauce
Autumn Roasted Vegetables
Green Beans With Mushrooms and Sage

DESSERT A choice of:

Old-Fashioned Chocolate Pecan Chess Pie
Or
Baked Pear with Caramel Sauce

Coffee • Tea

THE PRESIDENT'S DINNER

WELCOME	DR. DIANE RICHARDSON Department of Family and Consumer Sciences
INVOCATION.....	DR. NORMA WOOD Professor Emerita, Department of Nursing
ALMA MATER*	DR. GEORGE DUNBAR, Directing Professor Emeritus, Department of Music MRS. HARRIET HOPKINS, Accompanist
RECOGNITION OF SPECIAL GUESTS, NEW FACULTY AND STAFF	DR. RICHARDSON

DINNER

NEW HORIZON BRASS QUINTET

Mr. John Boyle, 1st Trumpet; Dr. Stephen Brown, 2nd Trumpet; Mr. David Conrad, French Horn;
Mr. Howard Dybedock, Trombone; and Dr. Paul Dillinger, Tuba

YEARS OF SERVICE AWARDS AND RECOGNITIONS	DR. DOUGLAS PERRY Vice President for Finance DR. GARY W. STREIT Provost, Dean of the University
PRESIDENTIAL RECOGNITIONS	DR. JOHN C. BOWLING President of the University

Staff Member of the Year
Faculty Member of the Year
Funded by a gift from V. Aline and Richard H. McHie

Centennial Citation of Merit

CLARINET SOLO.....	DR. HARLOW HOPKINS Professor Emeritus, Department of Music MRS. HOPKINS, Accompanist
ADDRESS: "A LEGACY OF SERVICE".....	PRESIDENT BOWLING
BENEDICTION.....	DR. WILLIS SNOWBARGER Vice President for Academic Affairs Emeritus

Devices for the hearing-impaired are available at the sound booth at the back of Chalfant Hall.

*ALMA MATER, OLIVET

Byron M. Carmony '39

To Alma Mater, Olivet, We lift our voice in praise
For noble standards which we'll hold
'til ending of our days.

The time we spent within these halls will ne'er
forgotten be,
For here we learned to know of truth,
and truth will make us free.

My Olivet, Our Olivet! Tho' life may lead us
far apart,
I'll still revere you in my heart.

My Olivet, Our Olivet. I'll love the Christ
you gave first part,
And you, old Olivet!

2006 FACULTY MEMBER OF THE YEAR

Don Reddick

*Chair, Department of Music
Associate Professor of Music*



As a minister's son, Don Reddick used to pray, "Put me any place you want when I'm older, Lord. But when I get there, can I stay for a while?" Little did he know that as an adult he'd be in the Bourbonnais area for more than 30 years.

Don came to Olivet in 1973 as a pre-med major. "In high school I was very involved in science," he says. "But when I got here, it was obvious from the start that music is where I belonged." He was a member of Vikings male chorus and a ministry group, and participated in brass consort.

After graduation, he traveled with song evangelist Jim Bohi. "The problem is, there was this girl back here," Don recalls with a smile. "Six months is as long as I could go without her, so I moved back here. Dena is without a doubt the best thing that's ever happened to me."

Returning to Bourbonnais, Don directed school bands for 16 years. He left the public school system in 1995 and became the director of music at Kankakee First Church of the Nazarene. "Looking back, I can see that with every career choice God was preparing me for the next step."

His next step was Olivet as the chairman of what was then the Division of Fine Arts. "At first I thought, 'There's no way they'll take me,'" Don remembers. "But God wouldn't let me get away. ... Ten years later, I still can't believe I'm here."

As the chairman of the Department of

Music, Don oversees the activities of the department, including curriculum planning and event planning. But he believes the best part of his job is when he gets e-mails or letters from former students thanking him and Olivet.

"I honestly love everything about this place. The opportunity to influence musicians, especially church musicians — I'm still living out a dream." His Olivet dream continues as he looks to the future. "I believe we are on the cutting edge of what's going on in music," he says. "As we continue to develop, we will be a leader in what's going on in music, especially in Christian schools."

Don's love of music continues outside of Olivet. He serves as the director of instrumental music at Kankakee First Church. He has also been the instrumentalist and arranger for International Laymen's Conference and music coordinator, instrumentalist and arranger for the General Assembly of the Church of the Nazarene.

Don received a Master of Science in 1998 from the University of Illinois and completed his Doctor of Education, also from U of I, earlier this year. He and Dena have two children who attend Olivet: Britney, a junior interior design major and Blake, a freshman biology major.

Don, for your talent, vision, administrative leadership and your love for students, we salute you as the 2006 Faculty Member of the Year.

2006 STAFF MEMBER OF THE YEAR

Greg Bruner

Director of Financial Aid



Greg Bruner says he took the long route to Olivet. Now, 22 years later and director of financial aid, he couldn't be more pleased with the final destination.

He had already been out of high school two years when a neighbor asked him to join his church's quiz team. "I don't know what I was expecting, but the people on the Indianapolis District go bonkers for quizzing!" he remembers, laughing. When he made the district team and traveled to Olivet to compete at Celebrate Life, Greg stepped on campus and knew he'd attend the University in the fall.

Greg studied Christian education and church music, but decided he wanted a career that would let him plant roots in the community. His first job at Olivet was as a student worker, cleaning Gibson-Ide. He was head of Building Services while he worked on his MBA.

Today, Greg focuses on how the Office of Financial Aid can become more efficient without losing the personal touch. "We have to remember that everyone has a personal story. Each student is not just a number on a form."

He remembers that personal touch from his schooldays at Olivet, recalling a time when Pat Duncan, then director of financial aid, called him in to discuss how Greg would pay the \$300 he owed. "I was shaking," he says. Greg sat outside the financial aid office for a few minutes before Pat came out to say they had found a do-

nor to take care of the money. "I remember thinking, 'Wow, someone gave money to me to pay off my school bill.' Now I get to give that news to others hundreds of times a year.

"You hear stories every day of people being the first in their families to go to college. In their cases, we're not just helping a student go to school; we're helping to change an entire family history. Until recently, I had never thought of the enormity of it all."

As for the future, Greg and his wife Tina hope their children will continue the family tradition. "With all of our children — Marcus, who will be a freshman at Olivet in the fall, Joshua, Lily and soon with another daughter we're adopting from China — we've let them know Olivet is the place to be," he says.

"Olivet is everything. I've never even considered any other place for me and my family," he says. "Doug Perry, Jim Tripp, John Bowling and Jeff Schimmelpfennig encouraged me, helped me know I was in the right place. And somewhere along the way, I realized this is where God wanted me forever."

Greg, for your leadership, enthusiasm and dedication to making education possible for all students, we salute you as the 2006 Staff Member of the Year.

NEW FACULTY

FOR 2006-2007

Michele Anders

*Associate Professor, Schools of Education
and Graduate and Continuing Studies*

B.A., 1973, Western Illinois University

M.A., 1981, Michigan State University

Ed.D., 1995, National-Louis University

Kevin Brewer

Professor, Department of Physical Sciences

B.S., 1980, University of Nevada, Reno

Ph.D., 1994, University of Nevada, Reno

Kelly Brown

Associate Professor, School of Education

B.A., 1992, Olivet Nazarene University

M.A., 1996, Governors State University

Ed.D. 2006, Argosy University

David Claborn

*Assistant Professor, Department of History
and Political Science*

B.A., 1995, University of North Texas

Ph.D. candidate, University of Massachusetts

Susan Day

Assistant Professor, Department of Nursing

B.S.N., 2003, Aurora University

M.S.N., 2006, Walden University

James Edward Ellis

*Assistant Professor, School of Theology and
Christian Ministry*

B.A., 1986, Stetson University

M.Div., 1991, Asbury Theological Seminary

M.Th., 1999, Emory University

Ph.D., 2005, Baylor University

Andrew Gibbs

*Instructor, Department of English
and Modern Languages*

B.A., 2001, Olivet Nazarene University

M.A. candidate, Governors State University

Patricia Kershaw

Assistant Professor, Department of Nursing

B.S., 1994, Olivet Nazarene University

M.S.N., 2001, Lewis University

Patricia Nielsen

Assistant Professor, Department of Nursing

B.S.N., 1995, Indiana Wesleyan University

M.S.N., 2005, Valparaiso University

Houston Thompson

*Associate Professor/Director of Social Work
Program/Chair, Department of Social Work
and Criminal Justice*

B.A., 1980, MidAmerica Nazarene University

MCM, 1997, Olivet Nazarene University

MSW, 1999, Spalding University

Ed.D. candidate, Trevecca Nazarene
University

James Upchurch

Professor/Dean, School of Education

B.S., 1971, Olivet Nazarene University

M.A., 1975, Saint Xavier University

C.A.S., 1979, Northern Illinois University

Ed.D., 2000, Loyola University Chicago

Jo Ellen Werking Weedman

*Assistant Professor,
Department of Communication*

B.S., 1999, Milligan College

M.S., 2003, University of Illinois

Brian Woodworth

*Associate Professor, Department of Social Work
and Criminal Justice*

B.S., 1996, Olivet Nazarene University

J.D., 1999, Thomas M. Cooley Law School

NEW STAFF

FOR 2006-2007

Jaime Acosta

Office of Admissions

Libby Anthrayose

*School of Graduate and
Continuing Studies*

Brian Baker

Information Technology

Jean Bakke

*School of Theology and
Christian Ministry*

Karla Jo Byrne

Office of Financial Aid

Timothy Carter

Carpentry

Jordan Fish

Office of Admissions

William Freeman

*School of Graduate and
Continuing Studies*

William Geasa Jr.

Office of Athletics

Timothy Hess

Paint Shop

Dawn Hinrichs

Building Services

Ann Johnston

Benner Library

Scott Johnston

*Department of
Public Safety*

Christina Leavitt

ROTC

Nancy Loftin

Building Services

Abbie Mantor

Shine.fm

Chad Marchant

Moving and Grounds

Brian McClure

Building Services

Dee McDonald

Office of Admissions

Brenda Mohr

Office of Admissions

Kathleen Morgan

*Office of Marketing
Communications*

Tina Mosher

*School of Graduate and
Continuing Studies*

Darlene O'Donoghue

Building Services

Thomas Piekarczyk

Carpentry

Tammy Rockefeller

Office of Financial Aid

Joseph Rojek

*School of Graduate and
Continuing Studies*

Kali Smith

Office of Admissions

Scott Smith

Information Technology

Aaron Tagert

*Office of
Student Development*

Molly Taylor

*Office of
Student Development*

Steve Taylor

*Department of
Public Safety*

Michael Toma

Plumbing and Heating

Richard Tran

Information Technology

Jesseca Watson

Office of Admissions

Corey Zink

*School of Graduate and
Continuing Studies*

FACULTY AND STAFF RECOGNITIONS FOR 2005-06

I. PUBLISHED MATERIALS

Gerald Anderson

DVD: "Music From the 50th Television Season," published by the Chicago Sunday Evening Club, recorded performances at St. James Cathedral, Chicago.

Bonnie Beardsley

ARTICLE: "Nursing Student Retention Strategies," *Illinois Coalition for Nursing Resources*, Vol. 1. (4) 2006.

Jay Bohner

ARTICLE: "Olivet Nazarene University Five-Step Protection Scheme," *American Football Monthly Magazine*, April 2005.

Robert Branson

Five papers in *Illustrated Bible Life*, 2005. Titles: "Malachi 2:17-3:5; 3:16-4:6," "Zephaniah 3:9-20," "Micah 5:-5a; 7:14-20," "Isaiah 9:2-7; John 1:1-14," "Isaiah 60:1-9, 18-22."

Gregg Chenoweth

ARTICLE: "2 and 8," *College Faith III: Christian Leaders and Educators Share Faith Stories from their College Days*, 3rd Edition, Andrews University Press.

Richard Colling

ARTICLE: "A Random University — Higher Intelligence Harnesses Randomness," *Science and Theology News*, January 2006.

Don Daake

FOUR COLUMNS, "Ask the Professor," in the *Daily Journal's* new business publication, *B2B*.

Elizabeth Gassin

ARTICLES: "Medicine divine: Can forgiveness better your health?" *Christian Networks Journal*, pp. 23-24, summer 2005; Gassin, E.A., Enright, R.D., and Knutson, J.A., "Bringing peace to the city: Forgiveness education in Milwaukee," *Theory into Practice*, 44, 319-328, 2005; "Beloved to God: An Eastern Orthodox anthropology," *The Psychologies in Religion: Working with the Religious Client*, pp. 51-68.

Daniel Green

PAPER: "A Calculus Project That Really Makes Cents," *Problems, Resources, and Issues in Undergraduate Mathematics Education* (PRIMUS), March 2006.

Craighton Hippenhammer

ARTICLE: "Message of Biblical Equality Reaches Cyberspace," *Mutuality*, 121:3, winter 2005, 24.

Gary Koch

ARTICLE: "Workplace Violence," *B2B Illinois: The Business-to-Business Forum for Kankakee County*, March 2006.

Paul Koch

BOOK REVIEW: "Economy and Economic Analysis," by Robert Black, in *Faith and Economics*, no. 46 (fall 2005), pp. 59-61.

Carl Leth

ARTICLE: "The Same — Inside and Out," *Kingdom Christians*, Beacon Hill Press, 2006.

Gary Newsome

ARTICLE: "The Punting Game — Skills and Drills," *American Football Monthly*.

Mary Paul

SERMON published in *I Am Not Ashamed: Sermons by Wesleyan-Holiness Women*, Diane Leclerc, ed.

Mark Quanstrom

SERMON for a Beacon Hill Press publication titled "Dirty Hands, Pure Hearts," March 2006.

Linda Robinson

ARTICLE: "Combating Achievement Barriers for Adolescent Underachieving Learners," *Journal of Cognitive Affective Learning*.

David Van Heemst

BOOK: *Herman Dooyeweerd and Eric Voegelin: A Comparative Study*, Edwin Mellen Press, Lewiston, New York, 2005.

Neal Woodruff

CHORAL REVIEW: November 2005.

BOOK REVIEWS: "The Choral Director's Guide to Sanity and Success," March 2006; "Components of Vocal Blend," March 2006.

CHORAL REVIEWS: Three reviews published in the *Choral Journal*, May 2006.

II. PARTICIPATION IN PROFESSIONAL/SCHOLARLY ACTIVITIES, UNPUBLISHED PAPERS, RECITALS, TRAVEL

Gerald Anderson

Performed Noon Concert Series, Kankakee Public Library with Daniel Gasse, cello, June 2005.

Concert with Harlow Hopkins, clarinet, at Artsgarden Solo Recital at the Artsgarden, Church of the Nazarene General Assembly, June 2005.

Member, "Festival of Keyboards," a four-piano group with Ovid Young, Stephen Nielson, and Jeff Bennett, Springfield, Mo., December 2005.

Opus 3 piano trio, concert at the Cheney Mansion, Oak Park, Ill.

Douglas Armstrong

Research involving organic syntheses at a Colorado chemical company, summer 2005.

David Atkinson

Twenty-six day trip to China and Tibet, June–July, 2005.

Karen Ball

Performed in recital at Crete, Ill.

Performed original works at the annual composers concert in January 2006.

Premiered the following new works: "Waters" for piano solo, "I Wish" and "Nature is Wild" for solo soprano.

Served as an accompanist for Illinois Wisconsin ACSI Music Festival.

Served as judge for the National Piano Guild Auditions and ISMTA syllabus exams.

Jonathan Bartling

Article, written with Stan Tuttle, "A Plan for Addressing Academic Dishonesty at a Liberal Arts University," AACTE conference, San Diego, Calif., January 2006.

Led seminar for area teachers as part of grant ONU had in partnership with KCC on *Microsoft FrontPage*, October 2005.

II. PARTICIPATION IN PROFESSIONAL/SCHOLARLY ACTIVITIES, UNPUBLISHED PAPERS, RECITALS, TRAVEL — CONTINUED

Bonnie Beardsley

Program evaluator, Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education.

Presented: "Partnerships in Health Care Delivery," South Metropolitan Higher Education Consortium Forum.

Speaker, "Activity Based Nursing: Is there really a nursing shortage?," Sigma Theta Tau.

Reviewed *Journal of Applied Research in Nursing*.

Rebecca Belcher

Fulbright Scholar to Burkina Faso, teaching for the full academic year at University of Ouagadougou, and including sessions with English-speaking classes and an interview with students on government television.

Wrote a monthly commentary for the *Kankakee Daily Journal*.

Ray Bower

Received Certificate of Recognition for being a mentor for Olivet student Carolyn Truelove, who was the sixth recipient of the Harold Young Research Award. Awards were presented by the Association of Nazarene Sociologists and Researchers, spring 2006.

Robert Branson

Paper, Chicago Society for Biblical Research, "Acting and Feeling our Way: Hatred, Covenant, God, and Others."

Stephen Brown

Presented: "The Other Side of the Equation: De-simplification, a Prerequisite for Calculus," ACMS Conference, Huntington University, Huntington, Ind., June 2005.

Charles Carrigan

Speaker: "A Date With the Lithosphere: SHRIMP and a Zircon for Two," Environmental Science Graduate Seminar, Taylor University, February 2006.

Received Olivet Research grant involving a student independent research project in the St. Francois Mountains of Missouri. Work involved travel and field work, preparation of rocks in the laboratory for thin section work, and set-up of a laboratory.

Gregg Chenoweth

Speaker: Morenci Men's Retreat, Lake Cumberland, Ky., September 2005; Eastern Michigan District Camp Meeting Bible teacher, July 2005; Toowoomba and Twin Heads Church of the Nazarene, Australia, May 2005.

Syllabus reviewer for the inaugural Washington Journalism Center, a Council for Christian Colleges & Universities (CCCU) program.

Jasmine Cieszynski

Presented: "End User Instruction Committee Camtasia Project," a demonstration of tutorials our committee developed; and best practices for using Camtasia, CARLI Public Services Forum, Kankakee Community College, February 2006.

Co-presented workshop, "Student Research Assistants (RAs): Competent and creative — our connection to academic departments," Association of Christian Librarians (ACL) annual conference, June 2006.

Jerald Cohagan

Contributed to "The Praying Parent," published by Beacon Hill, and "You've Got Male," scripts for men in ministry, published by Lillenas Drama.

Don Daake

Co-presented paper with Gary Koch at 2005 CBFA conference in San Diego.

Presented: "Ethics and Credibility," Bradley/Bourbonnais Chamber Leadership Development Institute, September 2005, and Kankakee Chamber of Commerce Young Professional

meeting, May 2006.

Presented, along with Michael Holtzman, at the Second Annual Symposium on the African/American experience, Field Museum, Chicago.

William Dean

Invited to an invitation-only Oxford Roundtable conference at Oxford University focused on "The Two Cultures." The theme is the nature of and reason for the difficulty of natural and social science practitioners in communicating academically.

Presented a paper at Oxford Roundtable conference, "An Ambivalent Ludite's Scrutiny of the Two Cultures," summer 2006.

Susan Draine

A two-part, online training program for the military, "Triage" and "Echelons of Care," published at SWANK.com.

Larry Ferren

Three-week trip to China and Tibet, summer 2005.

Juliene Forrestal

Traveled to Oxford University, Oxford, England, for C.S. Lewis Summer Institute, July 2006.

Diane Fox

Co-presenter with Jasmine Cieszynski, "Student Research Assistants: Competent and Creative — Our Connection to Academic Departments," Association of Christian Librarians.

Heather Gibbs

Served on a focus group for Benjamin Cummings Publishing to evaluate an introductory nutrition textbook.

William Greiner

Participated in an art exhibition in Peoria, Ill., fall 2005; a group exhibi-

tion at Raintree Gallery, New Buffalo, Mich., December 2005; and presented a workshop for Kankakee Art League on splattering/pouring watercolor.

Dale Hathaway

Appointed Table Leader for 2006 AP Calculus Reading in Fort Collins, Colo., June 2006; Paper: "The Birthday Problem: The Making of a Classic," ISMAA meeting, April 2006.

Janice Hockensmith

Workshop: "Creating Global Partnerships in Social Work Field Education," Bachelor Program Directors meeting, Austin, Texas, October 2005.

Field Education Pre-Conference Workshop: "Partnerships for Social Justice and Change: Opportunities and Challenges for Field Instruction, Best Practice Methods for International Field Education," Council on Social Work Education annual meeting, Chicago, February 2006.

Mark Holcomb

Keynote speaker at District Leadership Conference, St. Louis, Mo., September 2005.

David Johnson

Invited to join Phi Beta Delta, the Honor Society for International Scholars, after studying last summer at Oxford University.

Thomas Knowles

Two conference presentations: Midwest Scholars Conference and American Association of Colleges for Teacher Education, spring 2006.

Gary Koch

Presented "An Innovative Approach to Teaching Business Policy and Strategy: Taking it to the Field," CBFA Conference, fall 2005.

II. PARTICIPATION IN PROFESSIONAL/SCHOLARLY ACTIVITIES, UNPUBLISHED PAPERS, RECITALS, TRAVEL — CONTINUED

Paul Koch

Paper, "The Silent Shapers of our Thoughts: The Role and Significance of Vision in the Understanding of Economic Controversies," Christian Business Faculty Association, San Diego, Calif., October 2005.

Carl Leth

Facilitator, Theological Dialogue meeting, Kansas City, Mo., March 2006.

Participant, Pastor's Institute study, *Let Your Call Speak — A New Model for Pastoral Development*, funded by Herman Miller Foundation, completed in May, 2006.

Member, Editorial Policy Board, Nazarene Publishing House, International Church of the Nazarene.

Kevin Lowery

Evangelist, Hyndman Camp Meeting, Hyndman, Pa., August 2005.

Barbara Martinez

Ph.D. dissertation: "Mexican Origin Family Perspectives of Parental Involvement at the Secondary Level." Presented the study at The Central States Foreign Language Association's annual conference.

Shirlee McGuire

Was honored by Dr. William Johnson, executive secretary of Sigma Tau Delta, for 15 years of work with Tau Theta.

Neal McMullian

Composed an original woodwind quintet in three movements, and was presented at the Olivet Composers Recital in January 2006.

Kevin Mellish

Ph.D. dissertation: "David and Solomon in an international context: foreign influence on the United Monarchy."

Kashama Mulamba

Keynote speaker and presented a paper, "The Democratic Republic of the Congo: 45 Years after the Independence," at the celebration of the 43rd Anniversary of the Independence of the Democratic Republic of the Congo, University of Iowa, June 2005.

Timothy Nelson

Organ Dedication Recital: Trinity Lutheran Church, Herscher, Ill., November 2005.

Church Piano Workshops: "88 Keys to Worship," *The Beautiful Sound, Inc.*, LaGrange Highlands, Ill., February, March, and April 2006.

Ivor Newsham

Chair, Higher Learning Commission focused visits to Northwestern College, Saint Paul, Minn., September 2005, and the University of Denver, Denver, Colo., April 2006.

Member, HLC visiting team for comprehensive visit to Tri-State University, Angola, Ind., February 2006.

Gary Newsome

Speaker, Illinois High School Football Coaches Association Clinic, "Special Teams the ONU Way."

Doug Porter

Featured speaker at third annual "Run and Gun" Basketball Clinic, Kansas City, Mo., April 2006.

Mark Quanstrom

Speaker, Mildred Bangs Wynkoop Retrospective, Point Loma Nazarene University, September 2005.

Don Reddick

Ed.D. dissertation: "An investigation of the music education curriculum of member institutions of the Council for Christian Colleges and Universities."

Served as conference chair for the music festival for Association of Christian Schools International, March 2006 at ONU.

Fran Reed

Reviewed three articles for *Teacher Education and Special Education*, reviewed one article for *Exceptional Children*.

Member of review panel for LBSI State Standards for Teacher Certification, Illinois State Board of Education.

Board member and conference chair, Illinois Teacher Education Division of the Council for Exceptional Children.

Glen Rewerts

Midwest Regional Vice President for IACBE.

Diane Richardson

Chair, Council of Administrators for Family and Consumer Sciences membership committee.

Research chair, Illinois Association of Family and Consumer Sciences College & Universities.

Linda Robinson

Presented "Underachievement in Adolescent Students," Illinois Education Research Symposium.

Brock Schroeder

Paper, "Filemaker for Planetarium Databases," The Great Lakes Planetarium Association Annual Meeting, Grand Rapids, Mich., October 2005.

Received an Olivet Summer Research grant and supervised Ryan Alexander's research.

Joseph Schroeder

Ph.D. dissertation: "Numerical Simulation of Cellular Natural Convection in a Wide Porous Box to Evaluate Thermodynamic Wavenumber Prediction Theories for an Infinite Horizontal Porous Layer."

Priscilla Skalac

Awarded Olivet Summer Research grant and supervised Aaron Covey's research.

Reviewed a chapter of a new integrated science textbook for Addison Wesley publishers, December–January 2006.

Chelise Slowik

Three art displays: "Patriotic Art Display," Old Courthouse Museum, Watseka, Ill.; "Self-Portrait: 1st Annual Exhibition," and "She: An Exhibition Celebrating Women," 33 Collective Gallery, Chicago.

Gary Streit

Chaired teams for the North Central Association's Higher Learning Commission to Marion College of Fond du Lac, November 2005, and Oklahoma Christian University, March 2006.

Chaired Missional Review team for the Church of the Nazarene's International Board of Education to the College of Nursing, Teachers College, and Theological College in Manzini, Swaziland, Theological College in Johannesburg, South Africa, and Facultad Teologica Nazareno, Campinas, Brazil.

Presenter: International Forum, Council for Christian Colleges & Universities, Dallas, Texas, March 2006.

Marla Streit

Member, consultation team for Brazil Nazarene University, July 2006, Campinas, Brazil — consultation with School of Pedagogy faculty at BNU, sponsored by International Board of Education, Church of the Nazarene.

II. PARTICIPATION IN PROFESSIONAL/SCHOLARLY ACTIVITIES, UNPUBLISHED PAPERS, RECITALS, TRAVEL — CONTINUED

Beth Patrick-Trippel

Presented doctoral dissertation at a conference sponsored by Nova Southeastern University, summer 2006. Dissertation won the “outstanding dissertation award” last year.

Text reviewer for Allyn & Bacon, “Joining Together: Group Theory and Group Skills,” by David and Frank Johnson.

Stan Tuttle

Co-Presented: “Cultivating a New Vision for School Leaders: An Innovative, Standards-based Master’s Degree Program in Educational Leadership,” AACTE Conference, San Diego, Calif., January 2006.

Presented: “A Plan for Addressing Academic Dishonesty at a Liberal Arts University,” AACTE Conference, San Diego, Calif., January 2006.

Co-Presented: “Cultivating a New Vision for School Leaders: An Innovative, Standards-based Master’s Degree Program in Educational Leadership,” Midwest Scholars Conference, Indianapolis, Ind., February 2006.

Participated in two Institutional Reviews as a Teacher Education team member for the Illinois State Board of Education, October 2005 and February 2006.

Larry Vail

Reader, Computer Science Advanced Placement test, Clemson University, Greenville, S.C., June 2006.

Brenda Williams

Presented the idea for AVCA NAIA Head Coaches Committee to the NAIA Volleyball Coaches Association business meeting, San Antonio, Texas.

Sue Williams

Served as a technical editor of a forthcoming workbook, *Grammar for Dummies*, published by Wiley, fall 2005.

Neal Woodruff

Excerpts from *La Boheme* as “Rodolfo,” performed at The University of Illinois, January 2006.

Conductor/tenor soloist for ONU’s 70th annual presentation of Handel’s *Messiah*.

Guest clinician/conductor for Association of Christian Schools International Illinois Region annual music festival, March 2006.

Adjudicator for Illinois Elementary School Association Organizational Contest (orchestra and choir).

Certification-Contemporary Commercial Music vocal Pedagogy, Shenandoah University, summer 2005.

III. ADVANCED DEGREES EARNED

Linda Davison

Ed.D., Nova South Eastern University

Barbara Martinez

Ph.D., The University of Akron

Kevin Mellish

Ph.D., Claremont Graduate University

Timothy Nelson

M.A., Olivet Nazarene University

Don Reddick

Ed.D., University of Illinois

Joseph Schroeder

Ph.D., Michigan State University

Priscilla Skalac

M.A.E., Olivet Nazarene University

Mark Williams

Ph.D., Capella University

IV. PERSONAL RECOGNITIONS AND SERVICE TO COMMUNITY

Craig Bishop, Joan Bishop, Tina Bruner, Gregg Chenoweth, Ron Dalton, Susan Reder-Day, Susan and Chuck Draine, Jeff Domagalski, Faith Newman, Priscilla Skalac

Completed training for Citizens Emergency Response Team (CERT) for Kankakee County – Homeland Security.

Gerald Anderson

Judge, Kankakee Valley Symphony Piano Competition, March 2006.

With wife Mary, established the Anderson Endowment for Music Master Classes at Olivet, July 2005.

Catherine Anstrom

Participated in Cropwalk (9th year running) with World Food Problems Class — a total of \$16,905 raised from 1998.

Douglas Armstrong

Member, The Gideons International.

David Atkinson

President, Kankakee Valley Audubon Society.

Catherine Bareiss

Heads the CS SDI national committee.

Hosted the ACCA programming competition.

Regional treasurer, CCSC:MW.

Bonnie Beardsley

Nurse Volunteer Homeless Shelter Sousa Center Clinic, Chicago.

Consultant, Riverside Hospital Magnet Status Advisory Board.

Board member: US Army Advisory Board, Nursing Educators of Illinois, Illinois Coalition for Nursing Resources.

Jeffery Bell

Musical director/conductor for Kankakee Valley Symphony Orchestra Chorus.

Craig Bishop

Appointed to the Village of Bourbonnais as a member of the Police Commission.

Leon Blanchette

Member/job placement director, Board of Directors for Nazarene Children's Pastors Association.

Jay Bohner

Featured speaker for the Frank Glazier Mega Clinics in Green Bay, Wisc. and Chicago, Ill.

Darcel Brady

Member, Board of Directors, and executive director of the Center for Re-Creation and Family Training (CRAFT, Inc.) in Hopkins Park.

Stephen Brown

Judge, Beecher High School Invitational Math contest, November 2005, Reed Custer High School Invitational Math contest, January 2006, and River Valley Math contest, Peotone High School, March 2006.

House captain with Dan Green on the Christmas in April student houses, April 2006.

Member, Kankakee Municipal Band, New Horizons Band, New Horizons Quintet.

David Caudle

Member, Board of Trustees, Bourbonnais Public Library.

Don Daake

Board member, BB Chamber of Commerce, two-year term.

Member, Kankakee County Ethics Commission.

Board member (through January 2006), Kankakee River Valley Chamber of Commerce.

IV. PERSONAL RECOGNITIONS AND SERVICE TO COMMUNITY — CONTINUED

Larry Ferren

Secretary-treasurer, Midwestern Association of Chemistry Teachers of Liberal Arts Colleges (MACTLAC).

Competed in the Illinois District Barber-shop Chorus Competition, Peoria, Ill., April 2006.

Barbershop show presented at BBCHS Auditorium featuring music in the barbershop style, April 2006.

Numerous performances of the barber-shop chorus for small groups and clubs in Kankakee and surrounding counties.

Matt Foor

Treasurer, Chicago Central District, Church of the Nazarene.

Pat Forquer

President, Kankakee Valley Symphony Orchestra Women's Board.

Member, Planning Committee, Kankakee County Historical Society Centennial Celebration Year.

Juliene Forrestal

Retreat leader, "An ordinary day with Jesus," United Methodist Women's Spiritual Life Retreat, October 2005, Geneva, Ill.

Diane Fox

Secretary, Kankakee Area Library Association.

Dwight Ginn

Project leader for Christmas in April, April 2006.

Daniel Green

Chief question writer for 2006 River Valley Math Contest.

Served as judge and question writer for 2006 Reed-Custer Mathematics competition.

House captain with Stephen Brown on the Christmas in April student houses, April 2006.

William Greiner

Art consultant for Provena St. Mary's health care system in Kankakee.

Nate Gwin

Volunteer at the Station Street community garden in Kankakee as well as working at the master gardener's booth at the Kankakee Farmers' Market.

Janice Hockensmith

Board of Directors, Kankakee County Training Center and Our Lady of Victory Nursing Home.

Alumni Board, University of Illinois, School of Social Work.

Recipient of the Amethyst Award given by Harbor House, for excellence in community service and educational support.

Ralph Hodge

Chicagoland Conference Coach of the Year.

IBCA, NAIA Basketball Coach of the Year.

Mark Holcomb

Elected Global NYI Vice President at Global NYI convention, Summer 2005.

Chair, USA Canada Council for NYI.

Member, General Board of the Church of the Nazarene.

Mark Howard

Soccer clinic at Indianapolis First Church of the Nazarene for 450 children.

Worked with Olympic Development Program in soccer, summer 2006.

Gary Koch

Member, Steering, Family Selection, and Family Support committee, Habitat for

Humanity, Kankakee County Chapter.

External representative to Quality Improvement Committee at Onarga Academy, Onarga, Ill.

Gregory Long

Member/camp secretary, Kankakee Gideon Camp.

Member, Christmas in April project in Manteno, April 2006.

Member, New Horizons Band.

Kevin Lowery

Vice president, Bentleyville Union Holiness Campmeeting Association, Bentleyville, Pa.

Chad Marchant

Member, Lost Souls Our Mission (LSOM) Ministries.

Neal McMullian

Director, Kankakee Municipal Band.

Selected to direct the regional honor band for the Association of Christian Schools International.

Bethany Mills

President, Board of Directors, National Domestic Violence Hotline for Men and Women.

Gary Newsome

Chair, Mid State Football Association committee.

Keith O'Dell

Trustee, Bourbonnais Public Library.

Emcee, 50-year high school class reunion, Cass City, Mich.

Dale Oswalt

Liaison for the Kankakee Community College and Momence School District tutoring grant.

Mary Paul

Member, Budget Apportionments Task Force for General Church of the Nazarene.

Kent Olney

Sign Language Interpreter, Billy Graham School of Evangelism, Chicago, Oct. 26–28, 2005.

Sue Rattin

Board Member and Volunteer of the Year Award, from Options Center for Independent Living.

Completion of program evaluation for Options Center for Independent Living.

“It’s Tea Time,” Women’s Retreat, Southside Church of the Nazarene, Akron, Ohio, October 2005.

Max and Carol Reams

Volunteer chaplains at Riverside Hospital’s Westwood Oaks and Butterfield Court.

Fran Reed

Board member/Allocation Committee Chair, United Way of Kankakee County.

Jeff Rice

Board trustee, Wildwood Church of the Nazarene.

Resource for a case study on Olivet’s registration system.

Diane Richardson

Judge for design projects of senior students at Reed Custer High School.

Ritchie Richardson

Softball president, National Christian College Athletic Association (NCCAA).

Board member, National Fastpitch Coaches Association (NFCA).

NCCAA Regional and National Softball Coach of the Year.

Inducted into the Chicagoland Collegiate Athletic Conference (CCAC) Hall of Fame.

Won 500th game as softball coach at Olivet.

Dianne Schaafsma

President, Momence CUSD #1 School Board, and committee member of

IV. PERSONAL RECOGNITIONS AND SERVICE TO COMMUNITY — CONTINUED

Finance, Technology, Scholarship and Policy committees.

Secretary and member of Finance committee, Hospice of Kankakee Valley.

Treasurer, Community Alliance.

Committee member, Major Gifts and Planned Giving, Provena St. Mary's Hospital Foundation.

Serve on House Corporation for the Kappa Delta sorority, Omicron chapter at Illinois Wesleyan University.

Joseph Schroeder

Member, Kankakee Valley Symphony Orchestra.

Zoe Seed

Awarded the Wells of Hope award for a project when she was the Wesleyan Women's District Director for Illinois.

Rick Shelton

Received the Nazarene Mission International sponsored Distinguished Service Award from Manteno Church of the Nazarene.

Sara Spruce

Member, Two Rivers Reading Council; Kankakee Community School District #111 Gifted Advisory Council.

Brad Thomas

Guest Speaker, Bradley-Bourbonnais Rotary Club, "Internet Safety," January 2006.

Featured Guest on *Daily Journal* PodCasts No. 58, Jan. 9, 2006, and No. 59, Jan. 11, 2006.

Presentation, "Online Best Practices," Kankakee Y's Mens Club, March 2006.

Member, Bradley-Bourbonnais Rotary International Club.

James Upchurch

Member, Board of Directors, United Cerebral Palsy of Greater Chicago.

Member, Advisory Board of Directors, Together We Cope.

Member, Board of Directors, Infinitec Southwest.

Dedication of new School District Administrative Center in Oak Forest, Ill., May 2006, in his name for 28 years of service to the school district and community.

Larry Vail

Planning this year with Casemmie Cole for the Technology Center in Hopkins Park. This summer he and four ONU students taught various courses in Hopkins Park.

Connie Walker

Board member, Zonta Club of Kankakee.

Brenda Williams

CCAC Volleyball Coach of the Year.

CCAC Hall of Fame Inductee.

Officer, NAIA Volleyball Coaches Association.

Board of Directors, American Volleyball Coaches Association.

Developed and chair of AVCA NAIA Head Coaches Committee.

David Wine

Educational consultant to Nazarene Youth International.

George Wolff

Joined the original Chicago cast of the Tony Award-winning musical, *The 25th Annual Putnam County Spelling Bee*.

Neal Woodruff

Board of Directors, Kankakee Valley Symphony Orchestra.

Guest conductor, Kankakee Valley Symphony Orchestra.

V. RECOGNITION FOR YEARS OF SERVICE

Administration

15 YEARS

John Bowling

Faculty

30 YEARS

Timothy Nelson

25 YEARS

Richard Colling
Linda Greenstreet
Larry Vail

20 YEARS

Randal Johnson

15 YEARS

Stephen Brown
William Dean
Juliene Forrestal
Craighton Hippenhammer

10 YEARS

Martha Dalton
Lisa Evoy-Unger
Chelise Kinzinger-Slowik
Brock Schroeder

5 YEARS

Karen Ball
Mark Bishop
Brian Hyma
Karen Knudson
Joseph Schroeder
Connie Walker
Margaret Winter

Staff

30 YEARS

Connie Skinner

25 YEARS

Gary Griffin
Dennis Seymour

20 YEARS

Marilyn Myers
John Nutter

15 YEARS

Shirley Easter

10 YEARS

Virginia Alcorn
William Borchardt
Vickie DeWees
Patricia Geasa
Anthony Grimm
Chuck Johnson
Donald Johnson
Judith Mills
Denzil Neumann

5 YEARS

John "Ben" Anderson
Adam Asher
Lisa Crabtree
Jeffrey Domagalski
Elaine Eilders
Duane Erwin
Kimberly Johnston
Justin Knight
Nancy Lunsford
Michael McDowell
Sara Michel
Mary Norton
Aaron Rice
Jeffrey Rice
Rebecca Schnurr

FACULTY/STAFF

MEMBER OF THE YEAR

1954-2005

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| <p>2005
Dr. Shirlee A. McGuire
Mr. Brian Parker</p> <p>2004
Dr. Carol Maxson
Mr. Matt Whitis</p> <p>2003
Dr. Diane Richardson
Mr. Dan Ferris</p> <p>2002
Dr. Sara Spruce
Rev. Walter "Woody" Webb</p> <p>2001
Professor Amy Golyshko
Mrs. Mary Anderson</p> <p>2000
Dr. Richard Colling
Mr. Brian Allen</p> <p>1999
Dr. Judith Whitis
Mr. Wendy Parsons</p> <p>1998
Mrs. Kathy Boyens
Mrs. Phyllis Harris</p> <p>1997
Mr. Larry Watson
Mr. Gary Griffin</p> <p>1996
Professor Mike LaReau
Mrs. Betty Elliott</p> <p>1995
Dr. Henry L. Smith
Mr. David J. Pickering</p> <p>1994
Dr. Randal D. Johnson
Mr. Darrell W. Bellomy</p> <p>1993
Rev. William Foote
Mrs. Joyce Muhm</p> | <p>1992
Professor Charlotte Keck
Mr. Donald Keck</p> <p>1991
Dr. Harlow Hopkins
Mrs. Mary Gates</p> <p>1990
Mr. Allan Wiens
Mrs. Thelma Collins</p> <p>1989
Dr. Gerald Anderson
Mrs. Connie Skinner</p> <p>1988
Mr. Frank Garton
Mr. Dennis Seymour</p> <p>1987
Mr. Don Toland
Mr. Jim Knight</p> <p>1986
Dr. Gary Streit
Mr. Doug Perry</p> <p>1985
Dr. William Ellwanger
Rev. John Mongerson</p> <p>1984
Dr. Harry Westfall
Mr. Phil Richardson</p> <p>1983
Dr. Carolyn Sechrist
Mr. Clifford Hayman
Mrs. June Hayman</p> <p>1982
Dr. David Atkinson
Rev. Gordon Wickersham</p> <p>1981
Mrs. Gunnell Jorden
Mr. Pat Duncan</p> <p>1980
Dr. George Dunbar
Mr. Richard Matheny</p> | <p>1979
Dr. Joseph Nielson
Mr. James Tripp</p> <p>1978
Dr. Harvey Collins
Mr. Linford Marquart</p> <p>1977
Mr. C.W. Ward
Dr. Richard Wirt
Dr. William Hodges
Ms. Judy King</p> <p>1976
Dr. Max Reams
Dr. Ted Lee</p> <p>1975
Dr. Harry Fulton
Mr. Efton Elliott</p> <p>1974
Dr. Joseph Nielson
Mr. James Tripp</p> <p>1973
Dr. William Bell
Dr. L.A. Marquart</p> <p>1972
Dr. Otho Jennings
Rev. Norman Moore</p> <p>1971
Dr. Ralph Perry
Dr. Mervyn Goins</p> <p>1970
Professor Naomi Larsen
Mr. Roy Brown</p> <p>1969
Dr. Mary Shaffer
Ms. Esther Tripp</p> <p>1968
Professor Elbert Pence
Mr. Charles Beatty</p> <p>1967
Dr. Vernal Carmichael
Mr. William Bennett</p> | <p>1966
Dr. John Hanson
Mrs. Ruth Lane</p> <p>1965
Dr. Fordyce Bennett
Dr. John Cotner</p> <p>1964
Dr. David Jones
Mr. Charles Henderson</p> <p>1963
Dr. Vernon Groves
Mrs. Gladys Corbett</p> <p>1962
Dr. Billy Hobbs
Mrs. Dorothy Swearingen</p> <p>1961
Professor Gardner Walmsley
Mr. Albert Bloom</p> <p>1960
Professor Rockwell Brank
Mr. Harlan Milby</p> <p>1959
Dr. Coral Demaray
Mrs. Emily Reeves</p> <p>1958
Mr. Leonard Anderson
Dr. Willis Snowbarger</p> <p>1957
Dr. Walter Larsen
Dr. R.L. Lunsford</p> <p>1956
Dr. Clarence Grothaus
Mr. Ed Brodien</p> <p>1955
Professor Leo Slagg
Dr. Paul Schwada</p> <p>1954
Dr. D.J. Strickler
Mr. Alyn Fletcher</p> |
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A BRIEF HISTORY OF OLIVET

Olivet Nazarene University's origins can be traced to the first decade of the last century and to the resolve of several families in east central Illinois who were committed to providing a Christian education for their children. In 1907, classes began in a home in the community of Georgetown, Illinois, and a year later, the founders acquired several acres of land in the nearby village called Olivet. There, they raised a modest building and added the secondary level of instruction. A College of Liberal Arts followed in 1909, along with the first name for this fledgling, but ambitious, institution: "Illinois Holiness University."

By 1912, the founders and trustees were aware of the school's need for a wider constituency and offered to give their educational work to the Church of the Nazarene. This young denomination accepted the school with a pledge to support and promote its ministry of Christian higher education. That early church commitment is still being perpetuated by the more than 800 Nazarene congregations throughout Illinois, Indiana, Michigan, and Wisconsin.

The school grew slowly during the next decade. There were several acting and short-term presidents; the campus of 18 acres contained only a few small buildings; the first yearbook, the *Aurora*, was published in 1914; and a new school name followed in 1915: "Olivet University." In 1923, the name was changed to "Olivet College."

As was the case with many small church colleges in the 1920s, Olivet's financial base eroded significantly, forcing the trustees to declare bankruptcy in 1926. Then-college treasurer Dr. T.W. Willingham bought the school back at a public auction, outlined a new plan for solvency, and was elected that night to serve as president.

A devastating fire destroyed the main campus building in November 1938, prompting the newly elected president, A.L. Parrott, and the trustees to consider locating a new campus as an alternative to rebuilding at their rural site. They found and purchased the present campus in Bourbonnais in 1939 and moved the college in the summer of

1940. "Nazarene" was added to the college's name that same year.

At the time of Olivet's move to Bourbonnais, the campus consisted of 42 acres, which had been the site of St. Viator's College from 1868 until it closed in 1938. Four of the buildings purchased then are still in use today.

Receiving formal recognition and accreditation by the University of Illinois in 1939 was a major academic milestone for Olivet. The college catalogs of the 1940s reflected a School of Liberal Arts, a School of Music, a School of Religion, and a high school Academy. In 1953, under the skillful leadership of Dr. Harold W. Reed, president, and Dr. Willis Snowbarger, newly appointed dean, all areas of study were grouped into curricular divisions, still the model for Olivet's academic organization.

Dr. Harold W. Reed, president from 1949–1975, led Olivet through a period of remarkable growth, including the construction of 20 major buildings to keep pace with swelling student enrollments.

Dr. Leslie Parrott continued this focus on campus expansion, development and beautification during his sixteen-year tenure with a specific interest in the elevation of Olivet to university status.

In 1986, the school's name was changed to "Olivet Nazarene University" to reflect the diversity of academic programs and graduate studies.

In 1991, Dr. John C. Bowling became president and has led the University in continued growth and effective ministry.

During the decade of the 1990s, Olivet expanded and strengthened both its undergraduate and graduate programs. The University established a formal development program including planned giving and major gifts, an annual fund program known as Friends of Olivet, renewed grant writing, a comprehensive program of donor relations, and the "In Word and Deed" capital campaign. In 1994, a full-time chaplaincy program was established to give direction to chapel, student spiritual life activities, small-group ministries, missions, and compassionate ministry experiences.

A BRIEF HISTORY OF OLIVET — CONTINUED

Chalfant Hall was renovated; the Harlow E. Hopkins Alumni Center was established; Milby Clock Tower was reconstructed; Ludwig Dining Room, the Red Room, and the bookstore were renovated; the coffee shop, Common Grounds, was established; the Olivet computer, media, and communications network was created; the campus entrance was completed; and the Admissions Center was constructed.

In recent years, the Weber Center has been constructed, two parcels of land south of the Admissions Center have been purchased, Larsen Fine Arts Center has been renovated, and significant improvements to the athletic fields have been completed.

In the summer of 2003, the University continued to upgrade and expand its facilities. Olivet purchased from Provena Healthcare the former Fortin Villa property of 25 acres of land along Main Street, just south and west of the main campus.

On the main campus, in Birchard Gymnasium, the University turned the fitness center into a new varsity weight room, and the pool area into a new fitness center for students, faculty and staff. In Snowbarger Athletic Park, additional seating and a new press box were installed at Larry Watson Baseball Field; tennis courts were resurfaced and new nets and posts were installed; Ward Field was renovated to include a larger running track, a new entry building, fencing, refurbished bleachers, a new larger press box and an enhanced facade. Electric service was improved throughout Snowbarger Athletic Park.

In 2004, President Bowling introduced the theme “Promises to Keep” to students, faculty, churches and alumni. These “promises” included plans for a Centennial Chapel to seat about 3,000 for chapel and other events.

Information Technology expanded wireless access throughout the campus, including wired access to every classroom and residence hall room. In the academic realm, the radio station WONU-FM and broadcasting classes moved from the north wing of Benner Library to a former restaurant building next to the Admissions Center on Main Street. The Department of Communication and some art classes moved into the library space, including

new television, graphic arts and photo studios. Campus athletic fields were improved with new sod, and lighting was added to Ward Field.

The School of Graduate and Continuing Studies established a Chicago Regional Center in Rolling Meadows, Illinois.

In 2005, North Central Association granted ONU continued accreditation for the maximum of ten years without conditions. A major reorganization of academic divisions, departments and schools was approved to begin in the fall semester.

The new plan includes the College of Arts and Sciences, School of Education, School of Professional Studies, School of Theology and Christian Ministry, and School of Graduate and Continuing Studies.

The top three floors of Burke Administration Building were remodeled for use by the Department of English and Modern Languages on the fourth floor, School of Theology and Christian Ministry on the third floor, and Institutional Advancement on the second floor. Offices for the academic vice president and the registrar are being expanded on the main floor. The Mathematics Department joined the Career and Counseling Center on the ground floor.

The Bourbonnais offices for the School of Graduate and Continuing Studies moved to 21 Heritage Drive, north of the main campus. The former Fortin Villa property was readied for ROTC classes and intramural sports fields.

During the 2005–2006 school year, *U.S. News and World Report* selected Olivet Nazarene University as a Top-Tier University-Master’s in its report, “America’s Best Colleges.” The University also experienced its ninth consecutive year of record-breaking enrollment with more than 4,400 students at the 10-day count.

In preparation for the fall 2006 semester, campus improvements continued to take place with major renovations in Williams Hall, Chapman Hall, Common Grounds coffee shop, first floor Burke, and the Decker Quadrangle. A new student hangout, Jazzman’s, was added to Benner Library.

DEVELOPMENT OF BUILDINGS AND AREAS OF THE CAMPUS

1906	Burke Administration Building	1983	Decker Quadrangle
1906	Chapman Hall for Men	1984	Mary Scott House for Missionaries
1926	Birchard Field House	1985	Warming House and Ice Rink
1926	Miller Business Center built as dining hall, remodeled in 1968	1986	WONU radio tower and new transmitter
1951	Williams Hall for Women	1987	Gibson-Ide Athletic Service Center
1954	College Church of the Nazarene	1987	Gazebo south of McClain Hall
1956	Memorial Library	1988	Marquart House
1959	Nesbitt Hall for Women	1988	Purinton House
1962	Hills Hall for Men	1988	Tripp Maintenance Center
1963	Chalfant Auditorium	1990	Leslie Parrott Convocation/ Athletic Center
1963	Burke Administration Building restored after tornado	1990	McHie Arena
1966	Ludwig Center	1994	Harlow E. Hopkins Alumni Center
1966	Reed Hall of Science	1996	Renovation of Milby Clock Tower
1966	Strickler Planetarium	1999	Campus Entrance and Admissions Center
1967	WKOC radio station began broadcasting	2001	Weber Center
1967	McClain Hall for Women, Howe Hall and Gibson Hall	2002	Larsen renovation Expansion of Gibson-Ide
1969	Brodien Power Plant	2003	Acquisition of the Provena Fortin Villa property
1970	A. L. Parrott Hall for Women	2004	Establishment of the Olivet Nazarene University Broadcast/Learning Center, home of Shine.fm, WONU, 89.7
1971	Wisner Hall for Nursing Education		Establishment of the School of Graduate and Adult Studies Chicago Regional Center in Rolling Meadows, Illinois
1975	Benner Library and Learning Resource Center		
1977	Entrance Plaza and flags		
1980	Kelley Prayer Chapel		
1982	Snowbarger Athletic Park and Ward Field		
1982	Larsen Fine Arts Center		
1982	Hardy C. Powers President's House		

DEVELOPMENT OF BUILDINGS AND AREAS OF THE CAMPUS — CONTINUED

- 2005** Renovation of top three floors
of Burke Administration
Building
- 2006** Renovation of Williams Hall,
Chapman Hall, Common
Grounds coffee shop, first floor
Burke, and Decker Quadrangle

DATES TO REMEMBER

2006

First Week

August 26–September 3

Annual Freshman Dinner

August 28

Fall Revival

September 17–20
Dr. Bud Reedy

Prime Time at ONU

September 26

Red Carpet Days

September 29–30

**Maggie Sloan Crawford
Award Convocation**

Dr. Nina Gunter
October 5

Fall Break

October 9–10

Academic Convocation

October 11

Homecoming

November 10–12

Messiah

December 1–2

Sounds of the Season

December 7–8

President's Christmas Gathering

December 14

Final Day of Classes

December 19

2007

Reed Institute

Dr. Mike Slaughter
January 17

Winter Revival

January 28–31

Winter Study Break

February 16

Spring Break

March 2 (after classes)–11

Easter Break

April 6–9

ONU Ladies Day

April 14
Mrs. Jeannie McCullough
Mrs. Kay Kelley

Commencement Weekend

May 4–5

