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THE PRESIDENT'S DINNER

FOR FACULTY AND STAFF


OLIVET NAZARENE UNIVERSITY

CHALFANT HALL

AUGUST 26, 2005

6:30 P.M.

HOSTED BY DR. AND MRS. JOHN C. BOWLING



*“Teach us to number
our days aright...”*

Psalm 90:12

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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 our students. Each of us will have many opportunities this year to live out this mission. Seize those occasions, for they are moments of great possibility and reward. Through our mission, we transform lives for eternity.

WELCOME

Good evening and welcome. Tonight we mark the beginning of a new academic year and we celebrate the work of the University, which is expressed daily through your labor. The annual President’s Dinner also gives us the opportunity to recognize individuals for their years of service to Olivet and to welcome the new members of our faculty and staff. I encourage you to take a moment this evening to read once more the mission statement of the University. It is our mission of providing an “Education With a Christian Purpose” that gives the common ground for our varied activities throughout the year. Also, please note the printed descriptions of the significant accomplishments and milestones on the part of various members of the Olivet family.

The beginning of each new semester represents both a significant challenge and a wonderful opportunity for all of us. There are eternal issues and destinies at work on our campus. Let us set our sights, with a singleness of purpose, on the work before us. May God’s grace enable each of us to give our very best, knowing that God “is able to do immeasurably more than all we ask or imagine, according to His power that is at work within us.”

We hope you enjoy the evening. We are honored to serve with you as we look forward to a great year!

Sincerely,

Jill and John Bowling

MENU

SALAD

*Late Summertime Fruit Salad in Pineapple Ring
Orange Blossom Honey Yogurt Dressing*

*Homestyle Dinner Rolls • Earthy Vegetable Bread
Butter*

ENTRÉE

*Double-cut Iowa Pork Chop
on a Bed of Old-Fashioned Cornbread Dressing
Cheesy Potato Deluxe
Zucchini and Summer Squash Duet*

DESSERT A choice of:

*Decadent Chocolate Cheesecake With Melba Sauce
Or*

*Harvest Pumpkin Cheesecake
With Toasted Pecan Caramel Sauce*

Coffee • Iced Tea

THE PRESIDENT'S DINNER

WELCOME	MRS. SUSAN WOLFF Director of Alumni Relations
INVOCATION.....	DR. DARCEL BRADY Professor, School of Education
ALMA MATER*	DR. JEFF BELL, Directing Professor, Department of Music DR. GERALD ANDERSON, Accompanist Professor, Department of Music
RECOGNITION OF SPECIAL GUESTS	MRS. WOLFF
INTRODUCTION OF NEW FACULTY AND STAFF.....	DR. DOUGLAS PERRY Vice President for Finance DR. GARY W. STREIT Vice President for Academic Affairs, Dean of the University

DINNER

MS. KATHERINE BENSON, Flute

YEARS OF SERVICE AWARDS AND RECOGNITIONS	DR. STREIT DR. PERRY
PRESIDENTIAL RECOGNITIONS	DR. JOHN BOWLING Staff Member of the Year Faculty Member of the Year
ORPHEUS CHOIR	DR. JEFF BELL, Director
ADDRESS: "MAKE IT COUNT".....	PRESIDENT BOWLING
"BECAUSE OF WHO YOU ARE"	MRS. CYNDI FRAME, Soloist ORPHEUS CHOIR
BENEDICTION	DR. GREGG CHENOWETH Dean, College of Arts and Sciences

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!

2005 FACULTY MEMBER OF THE YEAR

Shirlee A. McGuire

Professor of English,

Department of English and Modern Languages



There aren't many people who would describe Olivet Nazarene University as being "in my way." Then again, there aren't many people like Shirlee A. McGuire, a literary classic who is fond of saying, "The Lord put Olivet in my way, and Olivet has been my home ever since."

Today more than one quarter of a century has passed since Shirlee and Olivet first crossed paths. Now she's more than convinced that it was a divine intersection.

"When I received an invitation to interview for a faculty position in the Department of English, I was finishing my second semester of doctoral studies at West Virginia University. The telephone request that Saturday afternoon was the first time I had heard of Olivet Nazarene College, but my knowing nothing about the college was not an obstacle for God. He wanted me here."

While Olivet may have been new to her at the time and vice versa, such is not the case today. Shirlee has ingrained herself in the minds of her students as deeply as the likes of *Beowulf* and other early texts in English literature. After all, it is she who gave meaning to these great reads by doing what she does best ... allowing literature to come alive.

"If literature is dead, why study it? Literature that is alive speaks to us. My undergraduate training in oral interpretation of literature and graduate training in interpretation, readers' theatre, and literature have blended to allow even the earliest texts to come alive to the teacher as well as to the students. Yes, even *Beowulf* can speak to us today."

Born in Roanoke, Va., Shirlee has a bachelor of science degree from Bob Jones University (Greenville, S.C.) and master of arts degrees from both Syracuse University (Syracuse, N.Y.) and The College of William and Mary (Williamsburg, Mass.). She received her doctorate from West Virginia University (Morgantown, W.Va.).

Well-loved by her students, Shirlee has embraced life at Olivet. She has played cello with the University orchestra in Handel's *Messiah*; she sponsors Sigma Tau Delta, the English honor society; and she is the faculty representative for the China studies program.

Viewing herself as "one of God's gardeners," Olivet thrills her with its Christ-centered worldview. "Education without Christ is vanity," she paraphrases referring to Ecclesiastes.

"Whatever we do, we do it for the glory of God. God sees each of us as valuable. When we really believe this, we will do everything to honor and to glorify Him — whether it is writing a thesis paper for a freshman composition course or engaging in a buzz session in a literature class."

Shirlee's enthusiastic spirit embraces her Christian spontaneity, as she is often quoted for saying, "May none of us ever get away from a child's response to Jesus."

Shirlee, for your 26 years of leadership and service, for your commitment to "Education With a Christian Purpose," and for your ability to bring literature to life, we salute you as the 2005 Faculty Member of the Year.

2005 STAFF MEMBER OF THE YEAR

Brian Parker

Director of Admissions



For someone who had no intention of sticking around town after high school, no one is more surprised than Brian Parker that he's still here. In fact, he never left.

Likewise, for someone whose vision of his future did not include being an administrator at a university, no one is as surprised as Brian that he has held the position as director of admissions of Olivet Nazarene University for the past six years. "Who knew?!" is the best that this Bourbonnais "townie" can offer — albeit with a generous laugh and smile.

When Brian was a senior in high school, he was intent on "going to college somewhere other than my hometown." He had already been accepted to several schools when a 10-minute conversation with Don Reddick, associate professor of music at Olivet, changed his game plan and his perspective entirely.

"All of a sudden, I knew that Olivet was the only University that I wanted to attend," he recalls, "and it didn't matter that my parents lived less than one mile from campus. I realized a comfort level that was so strong, vivid, and absorbing that I couldn't imagine going to any other university." So, he came ... he stayed ... and he stayed.

Brian embraced university life during his undergraduate years, specifically in the arts and humanities. During his junior and senior years, he was president of Orpheus Choir, as well as student conductor. In addition, he participated in two ministry teams — the Olivetians and Promise — and was a worship leader at College Church of the Nazarene. Graduation lauded him with a Bachelor of Arts in Music.

His transition from one career position to

another can only be described as "seamless and natural because I was immersed in helping the University. Each growth flowed logically into the next challenge." That résumé of passage at Olivet encompasses admissions counselor, assistant to the director of church and alumni relations, the director of alumni relations, and his current title, director of admissions.

Today, Brian is intent on designing new avenues for admissions that are focused on growth. "I see a systemic approach to admissions that ensures a great experience for all applicants. I want perspective students to feel that their educational and personal lives at Olivet will be exceptional and outstanding."

This dynamism is rooted in what Brian describes as his "keen sense of purpose: I am here to inspire and to encourage. I care for people in an exceptional way, and I believe in the mission and in the future of Olivet."

Currently, Brian is pursuing his Ph.D. in the history of social thought at the University of Chicago, where he serves as a junior fellow with the University of Chicago Commission for Higher Education, sponsored by the Regenstein Foundation.

Down the road of life, Brian sees himself as connecting his passion for higher education with his interest in the arts. But, if the past is any indication of his journeys, he may land in a position totally different than any he could have ever imagined.

Brian, for your dedication to the incoming students to Olivet and for infusing them with the thrill of an "Education With a Christian Purpose," we applaud you as the 2005 Staff Member of the Year.

NEW FACULTY

FOR 2005–2006

Bonnie Beardsley

Professor/Chair,

Department of Nursing

B.S., 1993, Olivet Nazarene University

M.S.N., 1996, Lewis University

Ph.D., 2003, Walden University

Heather Gibbs

Instructor,

*Department of Family and
Consumer Sciences*

B.S., 1999, Olivet Nazarene University

M.S., 2003, University of Kansas Medical
Center

Willa Harper

Associate Professor,

Department of Physical Sciences

B.S., 1991, Olivet Nazarene University

Ph.D. 2002, Northern Illinois University

Bethany Mills

Assistant Professor,

Department of Behavioral Sciences

Director of Counseling Services

B.A., 1996, Mount Vernon Nazarene College

M.S., 2000, Indiana University

Psy.D., 2005, Spaulding University

Mary Paul

Associate Professor,

School of Theology and Christian Ministry

B.A., 1983, Eastern Nazarene College

M.Div., 1990, Boston University

D.Min, 2005, Asbury Theological Seminary

Charles Perabeau

Assistant Professor,

Department of Behavioral Sciences

B.A., 1994, Olivet Nazarene University

M.A., 1998, Loyola University, Chicago

M.Phil., 2001, Drew University

Ph.D. candidate, Drew University

Agnes Posthumus

Assistant Professor,

*Department of Biological Sciences,
(one-year appointment)*

B.S., 1982, University of Florida

M.Ed., 1988, University of Florida

Mark Quanstrom

Professor,

School of Theology and Christian Ministry

B.A., 1977, Olivet Nazarene University

M.Div., 1982, Nazarene Theological Seminary

Ph.D., 2000, St. Louis University

Nathaniel Reiss

Instructor, Department of

English and Modern Languages

B.A., 2004, Mount Vernon Nazarene
University

Rosalie Tuttle

Assistant Professor,

Department of Nursing

B.S.N., 1974, University of Texas

M.S.N., 1978, Texas Women's University

Doctoral student, Capella University

NEW STAFF

FOR 2005-2006

Jeremy Alderson

Development Services

Terry Bayston

Moving and Grounds

Carl Bracken

Plumbing and Heating

Michael Bretzlaff

Information Technology

Heather Day

Marketing Communications

Craig Ellis

Building Services

Johnathon Eltrevoog

Shine.fm

Barbara Giguere

Office of the President

Robert Granger

Physical Plant

Elizabeth Gray

Information Technology

Dennette Guffey

*School of Graduate and
Continuing Studies*

Lorna Guimond

*School of Graduate and
Continuing Studies*

Donna Hoevet

Accounting

Christine Howell

Alumni Relations

Patricia Krohmer

*School of Graduate
and Continuing Studies*

Shannon LaFrance

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David Lamontagne

Building Services

Jennifer Love

*Department of
Biological Sciences*

Tiffany McCann

Financial Aid

Jennifer McClellan

*Chaplain's Office,
Counseling and
Career Center*

Patrick McConnell

Plumbing and Heating

Pamali Meadows

*School of Graduate and
Continuing Studies*

Matthew Moore

*Marketing
Communications*

Emmanuel Musyoka

Information Technology

Faith Newman

Human Resources

Susan Reder

Department of Nursing

Raymond Reiplinger

*School of Graduate and
Continuing Studies*

Theodore Rennert

Admissions

Steven Reyes

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Jeannette Schreffler

*School of Graduate and
Continuing Studies*

John Senn

Paint Shop

Heather Shaner

*School of Graduate and
Continuing Studies*

Priscilla Skalac

*Department of
Physical Sciences*

Tiffany Snyder

Department of Music

Timothy Thompson

Information Technology

Matthew Trembly

Telecommunications

Ann Marie Turner

*School of Graduate and
Continuing Studies*

Joshua Williams

Electrical Shop

Mike Williams

Electrical Shop

Andrew Wright

Admissions

Beatriz Ydrovo

Building Services

FACULTY AND STAFF RECOGNITIONS FOR 2004-05

I. PUBLISHED MATERIALS

Douglas Armstrong

ARTICLE: "Pyrrole Syntheses Based on Titanium-Catalyzed Hydroamination of Dienes," *Organic Letters*, Vol. 6, No. 17 (2004): 2957-2960. Based on research done with Dr. Aaron Odom and associates of Michigan State University.

Rebecca Belcher

ARTICLE: "Social Spaces: Family Secrets and Today's Students," in *This Is Just to Say*, the newsletter of the Assembly on American Literature, NCTE affiliate organization.

Charles Carrigan

ARTICLE: "Age of Variscan Magmatism from the Balkan Sector of the Orogen, Central Bulgaria," *Lithos*, 82 (2005): 125-147 (co-written by S.B. Mukasa, I. Haydoutov, and K. Kolcheva).

Gregg Chenoweth

ARTICLES: "A Heartless Homeland," *Christianity Today*, October 2004: 41-43; "The Oos and Ohs of Family Business," *B2B Illinois: The Business-to-Business Forum for Kankakee County*, June 2004: 12.

Don Daake

ARTICLES: Published five columns, "Ask the Professor," in *The Daily Journal's* new business publication, *B2B Illinois: The Business-to-Business Forum for Kankakee County*.

Lisa Gassin

ARTICLE: "In Search of a Soul," *Newsletter of the Fulbright Program in Moscow*, 5 (2004): 87-90.

Dale Hathaway

ARTICLES: "Is Mathematics Needed for the Workplace?" *FOCUS, The Newsletter of the Mathematical Association of America*, March 2005, Vol. 25, No. 3: 8; "Graphic Violence," *Math Horizons*, April 2005, Vol. XII, No. 4: 14-16; Problem in *Math Horizons*, April 2005, Vol. XII, No. 4: 32. This problem was a joint submission by Dale and his nine-year-old son, David.

Jan Hockensmith

ARTICLE: "Innovative Exchange Creates Global Continuing Education," *The International Journal of Continuing Social Work Education*, 7 (3) (2004): 10-18 (co-written with K. Borland).

Carl Leth

BOOK CHAPTER: "Resurrection, Judgment and Destiny," *Articles of Faith: What Nazarenes Believe and Why*, by Gay Leonard, Beacon Hill Press, 2005: 53-58.

Stephen Lowe

ARTICLES: "Wartime Relief," *LINKS Magazine*, September/October 2004; "Troon's Troubled Debut," *LINKS Magazine*, July/August 2004.

ENTRIES: "Glenna Collett." *Notable American Women*, Vol. V, 1976-2000 (Cambridge, MA: Harvard University Press, 2004): 133-134.

Brad Thomas

ARTICLE: "Emerging Technology and Small Business: Show Me the Return," *B2B Illinois: The Business-to-Business Forum for Kankakee County*, November 2004, Vol. 1, No. 9.

Jasmine Vaughan

ARTICLE: "An Online Tutorial for Helping Nonscience Majors Read Primary Research Literature in Biology," *Advances in Physiology Education*, 28 (2004): 95–99 (co-written with Christopher M. Gillen and Bethany R. Lye).

Connie Walker, Darcel Brady, Karen Lea, and William Summers

PUBLICATION: Dispositions: Teacher Perceptions. *Association of Independent Liberal Arts Colleges for Teacher Education Journal*, 1 (2004): 1–11.

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

Gerald Anderson

Recorded solo piano music for a second season with Chicago Sunday Evening Club, with original arrangements commissioned for the program.

Member of "Festival of Keyboards," a four-piano group with Ovid Young, Stephen Nielson, and Jeff Bennett, Auburn, Ala., January 2005.

Faculty Showcase recital, part of Illinois State Music Teachers Convention held at Olivet, October 2004.

Played for Asbury United Methodist Madrigal Dinner, November 28–December 4, 2005, and Immanuel Presbyterian Church, Warrenville, Ill., March 2005.

Mary Anderson

Served as technology committee chair and executive board member for the Illinois Small College Placement Association.

Served as Illinois liaison for the Midwest Association of Student Employment Administrators.

Presented one session at the Midwest Association of Student Employment Administrators annual conference, Louisville, Ky., June 2005.

Douglas Armstrong

Research project, "Combinatorial Screening of Reactions on Self-Assembled Monolayers," with Dr. Milan Mrksich, professor of chemistry at University of Chicago, summer 2004.

David Atkinson

Traveled to Ecuador and Peru for 16 days, including Cuzco, Machu Picchu, Quito, the Amazon rainforest, and the Galapagos Islands.

Karen Ball

Served as a faculty member of the American College of Musicians.

Adjudicated National Piano Guild Auditions in the central and southern portions of Illinois.

Served as adjudicator for the Young Artist Competition, Illinois State Music Teachers Association.

Paper: "Working with the Transfer Student at the Advanced Piano Level," and performed in concert for the Illinois State Music Teachers Association annual conference.

Judged the Aims Piano Exams for ISMTA.

Premiered four original compositions in public concert and at College Church: *He Answered Me*; *The Three Psalms*; *Dance, Dance*; and *Horizons*.

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

Jonathan Bartling

Appointed to editorial board of a new professional journal, *Educational Focus: Theory Informing Practice*.

Rebecca Belcher

Treasurer, Assembly on American Literature, NCTE affiliate.

Jeffery Bell

Conductor and accompanist for combined university choirs of Olivet Nazarene, Indiana Wesleyan, Anderson, and Taylor Universities, at Praise Gathering for Believers, Indianapolis, Ind., November 2004.

Conductor for Handel's *Messiah* presented at Olivet.

Mark Bishop

Selected as Saturday morning meteorologist at ABC 7 News, Chicago.

Ray Bower

Received Certificate of Recognition for being a mentor for Olivet student Katie Jones who was the fifth recipient of the Harold Young Research Award. Awards were presented in Kansas City by Association of Nazarene Sociologists and Researchers, March 2005.

Robert Branson

Refereed and chaired the Old Testament Graduate Student Paper Award session for Midwest Region of the Society of Biblical Literature.

Stephen Brown

Wrote questions for the Reed Custer High School Invitational Mathematics contest, January 2005.

Served as a referee for articles for publication in MAA's *College Mathematics Journal*.

Charles Carrigan

Ph.D. thesis, "Gondwana-Derived Terranes and the Variscan Orogeny in Bulgaria: Zircon Geochronology and Thermobarometry."

Session co-chair, #231, Tectonics III, Geological Society of America annual meeting, Denver, Colo., November 2004.

Presented "An Eastern Extension of Gondwana-Derived Terranes and the Variscan Orogeny in Bulgaria" at GSA annual meeting, November 2004, Denver, Colo.

Gregg Chenoweth

Traveled to Australia with MIA team, May 2005.

Presentation: "Identity and Eschatology in 'AD 2025: The Future of the Church of the Nazarene,'" at the National Communication Association annual convention, Chicago, November 2004.

Orientation packet, "How Cold is the Water?: An Online Education Primer," for School of Graduate and Continuing Studies, fall 2004.

Richard Colling

2005 Independent Publisher Book Award finalist: religion category, *Random Designer: Created from Chaos to Connect with the Creator*, Browning Press, LLC, May 2005.

Martha Dalton

Performed several selections for the Illinois State Music Teachers Association annual meeting held at Olivet, fall 2004.

Joan Dean

Spent a month in Jamaica conducting Sunday school teacher workshops for West Jamaica District churches.

William Dean

Spent a month in Jamaica teaching a church history survey course for Caribbean Nazarene College, summer 2005.

Mary Ada Dillinger

Panel member: "Commission for International Library Assistance," Association of Christian Librarian's annual conference, Columbia, S.C., June 2005.

Paul Dillinger

Sabbatical to Africa Nazarene University, spring 2005.

Contracted with MEDS Inc. to write test bank questions and to review old mental health tests for accuracy.

Reviewed several book proposals for Prentice Hall publishers.

Larry Ferren

Elected secretary-treasurer of MACT-LAC for three-year term.

Spent two weeks touring the Peru, Ecuador, and Galapagos Islands.

Julienne Forrestal

Retreat leader, "The Bible Jesus Read," United Methodist Women's Spiritual Life Retreat, Oakbrook, Ill., October 2004

Traveled to Oxford, England, for C.S. Lewis Summer Institute, July 2005.

Dan Green

Wrote and judged 2005 River Valley Math Contest.

Served as judge and question writer for 2005 Reed Custer mathematics competition.

William Greiner

Technical editor on book, *DaVinci for Dummies*, by Jessica Teisch and published by Wiley.

Participated in an invitational art exhibition in South Dakota, fall 2004.

Dale Hathaway

Appointed table leader for 2005 AP Calculus reading, Fort Collins, Colo., June 2005.

Reviewed article, "Unexpected Encounters of the Best Kind," *College Mathematics Journal*, October 2004.

Craighton Hippenhammer

Lecture, "House of a Thousand Candles: The Culver Connection," Culver Antiquarian and Historical Society, Culver Public Library, June 2005.

Jan Hockensmith

Two presentations: "International Field Practica: Implication for Field Education" and "Creating and Enhancing Global Opportunities through Professional Partnerships," 22nd Annual Baccalaureate Social Work Education Conference, Detroit, Mich., November 2004.

Randal Johnson

Led a trip to Costa Rica with 13 Olivet biology majors, summer 2005.

Michael LaReau

Anger management presentation (with five social group work students) targeting grade school children: "Blow Up, Step Back, Believe in Yourself," National Association of Social Workers Conference, Springfield, Ill., September 2004.

Workshop: "What Social Work Voters Need to Know," Calumet District Meeting of NASW, Park Forest, Ill., October 2005.

Workshop: "The Social Work Job Market," Calumet District Meeting of NASW, Park Forest, Ill., May 2005.

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

Karen Lea

Treasurer, Illinois Association for Teacher Education in Private Colleges; Board of Examiners member, NCATE; Co-presented with Bill Summers and Stan Tuttle at AACTE conference, "Meeting the NCATE Diversity Standard in Initial and Advanced Programs," Washington, D.C., February 2005.

Carl Leth

Facilitator, Theological Dialogue meeting, Kansas City, Mo., February 2005.

Group facilitator, Theology Conference, Kansas City, Mo., December 2004.

Stephen Lowe

Media appearance: Contributor/guest on The Golf Channel's *Walter Hagen: America's True Showman*, September 17, 2004.

Kevin Lowery

Presentation: "Moral Purity and Moral Progress: The Tension between Assurance and Perfection in Kant and Wesley," Society of Christian Ethics, Miami, Fla., January 2005.

Barbara Martinez

Led the informal interpretation for General Assembly, June 2005.

Michael McDowell

Received Coaches Education Level 2 certification with an emphasis in endurance.

Shirlee McGuire

Traveled to Ireland, May–June 2005.

Kashama Mulamba

Chair of applied linguistics session, 46th M/MLA Annual Convention, St. Louis, Mo.

Michael Morgan

Hosted MATH COUNTS competition, sponsored by Illinois Society of Professional Engineers, February 2005.

Traveled to Pilar, Argentina, with eight Olivet students for Missions In Action Work and Witness trip, spring break 2005.

Ivor Newsham

Panel presentation member, HLC meeting, April 2005, "A Leadership Team Model for Completing the Self-Study."

Kent Olney

Reviewed and provided written endorsement for book by Bob Ayres, *Deaf Diaspora: The Third Wave of Deaf Ministry*, New York: iUniverse, 2004.

Beth Patrick-Trippel

Ed.D. dissertation: "Experiential Learning in Communication Courses: Development and Evaluation of Learning Activities with Development of a Resource Manual for Experiential Learning at Olivet Nazarene University." Noted as one of 2004's outstanding dissertations at Nova Southeastern University.

Doug Porter

Gave two presentations at Run and Gun Academy: "The Grinnell System—An Overview: The Method Behind the Madness," and "The ONU Offensive Attacking Philosophy."

Sue Rattin

"Through the Looking Glass," Perry Church of the Nazarene Women's group, Michigan, October 2004.

Fran Reed

Presenter at NCA's Higher Learning Commission annual meeting, April 2005.

Presenter at Ethnic Diversity workshop hosted by Dr. Brenda Salter McNeil, May 2005.

Past president and member of ITED State Board and conference coordinator for ITED State Conference.

Don Reddick

Served as music coordinator for General Assembly, Indianapolis, Ind. (2005).

Jeff Rice

Presented several online, Web-based seminars: "Mitigating Peer-2-Peer Applications" and "Event Correlation: Tactical and Practical."

Ritchie Richardson

Appointed to NFCA Board of Directors.

Served as chairman of NCCAA National Softball.

Brock Schroeder

Paper, "Planetarium Education: Review of Research," International Planetarium Society, Valencia, Spain, July 2004.

Rick Shelton

Charter member of the Chicago Southland Chamber Singers.

Sara Spruce

Presentation: "Literature Circles in the University Reading Instruction Classroom," Illinois Reading Council Conference, Springfield, Ill., March 2005.

Gary Streit

Team Chair for NCA's Higher Learning Commission accreditation visits to: Central Bible College, Springfield,

Mo. (November 2004); Adler School of Professional Psychology, Minneapolis, Minn. (December 2004); University of Dubuque, Dubuque, Iowa (March 2005); Hong Kong site (July 2005).

Chaired missional review team for the Church of the Nazarene International Board of Education to Korea Nazarene University, September 2004.

Appointed member, Board of Directors, Lamb's Club, New York.

Guest professor, Trevecca Nazarene University's doctor of education degree program, June 2005.

Consultant: Educational Testing Service's English Literature Advanced Placement Program; Canadian Nazarene University College, summer 2005.

Presenter at NCA's Higher Learning Commission annual meeting, April 2005.

Marla Streit

Traveled to England to attend the children's literature conference, *From Potter to Potter: Classic Authors, Living Castles and Ancient Cultures*, July 2005.

Brad Thomas

Worship speaker: "Network 101: How to Start a Network," Technology Summit for Kankakee, Iroquois and Will Counties, April 2005.

Promoted to the rank of lieutenant by the Village of Bourbonnais, Auxiliary Police Department.

Stan Tuttle

Co-presented with Karen Lea and Bill Summers at AACTE meeting, Washington, D.C., February 2005, "Meeting the NCATE Diversity Standard in Initial and Advanced Programs."

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

Jasmine Vaughan

Presented two sessions: "Training Assistants: Student Workers and Volunteers," and "Creating Library Web Pages: An Introduction to Planning and Usability Testing," Theological Librarians' Conference, IBTS, in Prague, Czech Republic, January 2005.

Judith Whitis

Served on Higher Learning Commission Leadership Team for ONU's HLC visit, October 2004.

One of four presenters at a session on "Self-Study" at annual meeting of the HLC, March 2005.

Edited Higher Learning Commission report for Circleville Bible College, September–October 2004.

Brenda Williams

National rater, NAIA; Region VII volleyball chair, NAIA; member, American Volleyball Coaches Association Board of Directors; secretary, NAIA; committee member, AVCA Hall of Fame; National tournament committee member, NAIA.

Keynote and chapel speaker, St. Louis (Mo.) chapter of Fellowship of Christian Athletes Girls Weekend of Champions, March 2005.

Invited to coach in the King Kamehameha Volleyball Classic in Honolulu, July 2005.

Participated in mission trip to Costa Rica with ONU volleyball team, August 2005.

Neal Woodruff

Led Testament Men's Choir MIA musical tour to Argentina, May 2005.

Speaker, "Valuing Music in Education," International Phi Delta Lambda breakfast, General Assembly (2005).

III. ADVANCED DEGREES EARNED

Catherine Anstrom

M.S., Rosalind Franklin University of Medicine and Science

Mark Bishop

M.A., Governors State University

Charles Carrigan

Ph.D., University of Michigan

IV. PERSONAL RECOGNITIONS AND SERVICE TO COMMUNITY

David Atkinson

President, Kankakee Valley Audubon Society.

Mary Anderson

Served as membership committee vice chair for Zonta Club of Kankakee.

Karen Ball

Served as clinician for the Kankakee Valley Piano Camp.

Jonathan Bartling

Judge, Junior High Solo/Ensemble Contest, Bradley Central, April 2005.

Rebecca Belcher

Member, Professional Development Committee, LaVasseur Elementary School, Bourbonnais.

Jeffery Bell

Music director for Kankakee Valley Symphony Chorus.

Bass soloist for Kankakee Valley Symphony Orchestra and Cho-

rus presentation of Beethoven's *Ninth Symphony*, February 2005.

Mark Bishop

Spoke to fifth graders at Alan Shepherd Elementary School, Bourbonnais, about weather and television broadcasting.

Stephen Brown

Worked on the Christmas in April home improvement project.

Gregg Chenoweth

Organized and implemented Adopt a Village program for tsunami relief to rebuild homes and supply helpers, involving 50+ community members and raising \$25,000.

Jerry Cohagan

Shot two commercials for Grasshopper Lawnmowers and did three radio spots during the past year.

Don Daake

Board Member, Kankakee River Valley Chamber of Commerce.

Appointed to Kankakee County Ethics Commission.

Martha Dalton

Soprano soloist for Kankakee Valley Symphony and Chorus presentation of Beethoven's *Ninth Symphony*, February 2005.

Mary Ada Dillinger

Appeared in four videotaped performances of "The Glory of Easter Pageant," Africa Nazarene University, March 2005.

Susan Draine

Received Air Force Commendation Medal, February 2005.
Completed Air War College, June 2004.

Dwight Ginn

Co-house captain (with Greg Long) for Christmas in April home improvement project.

Mark Goldfain

T-ball coach for Bradley-Bourbonnais Little League.

Treasurer and assistant coach for Dynamo Soccer Association, Bourbonnais.

William Greiner

Art consultant for Provena St. Mary's new cancer center in Bourbonnais and has been commissioned to do a painting.

Nate Gwin

Worked at the Chicago Avenue/ Station Street community garden in Kankakee

Worked at the master gardener information table for the Kankakee Farmers' Market.

Larry Huffman

Board member, Riverside Healthcare Foundation, Oakside Corporation, and Community Alliance; Chair, Centru Bank Northern Region Advisory Committee.

Gary Koch

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

Gregory Long

Co-captain (with Dwight Ginn) for Christmas in April home improvement project.

Shirlee McGuire

Two-page faculty profile in the 2005 *Aurora*.

IV. PERSONAL
RECOGNITIONS
AND SERVICE TO
COMMUNITY —
CONTINUED

Neal McMullian

Member, Kankakee Valley Symphony Orchestra.

Conductor/director, Kankakee Municipal Band.

Timothy Nelson

Judged the summer camp scholarship competition, Kankakee Valley Music Teachers Association, April 2005.

Keith O'Dell

Served as trustee, treasurer, and building committee chair of the Bourbonnais Public Library.

Dale Oswalt

Consultant for Pembroke School District.

Doug Porter

Named NCCAA Midwest Region Coach of the Year.

Sue Rattin

Board member, Options Center for Independent Living, Bourbonnais.

Chair, Strategic Planning Committee, Options.

External evaluator for program evaluation, Options, January–November 2005.

Max and Carol Reams

Retreat speakers for Eastern Kentucky District pastors and spouses retreat, Northwest Indiana District couples retreat, and Johnson Vermont Church couples retreat.

Fran Reed

Member, United Way Executive Board, and chair of the Allocations Committee, Kankakee County.

Ritchie Richardson

NCCAA regional coaching award; CCAC coaching award.

Joseph Schroeder

Performed with Kankakee Valley Symphony Orchestra, summer 2004 and 2004–05 concert season.

Performed with inaugural season of River Valley Wind Ensemble, 2004–05.

Gary Streit

Host for Olivet's Prime Time travel tour, Washington, D.C., May 2005.

Marjorie Vinson

Board member of Catholic Charities.

Neal Woodruff

Board member, Kankakee Valley Symphony Orchestra (KVSO) Association.

Member, Artistic Liaison Committee, KVSO.

Tenor soloist for KVSO presentation of Beethoven's *Ninth Symphony*, February 2005.

V. RECOGNITION FOR YEARS OF SERVICE

Administration

30 YEARS

Doug Perry

Faculty

35 YEARS

David Atkinson

Robert Wright

30 YEARS

Jim Knight

20 YEARS

Douglas Armstrong

Diane Richardson

15 YEARS

Mary Ada Dillinger

Paul Koch

Sue Rattin

10 YEARS

Donald Daake

Gregory Long

Kent Olney

David Wine

5 YEARS

Gary Koch

Gerald Slowik

Neal Woodruff

Staff

20 YEARS

Keith Reel

Freda Wolfe

15 YEARS

Ann Atkinson

Duane Haskins

J. Patrick Whalen

10 YEARS

Obie Coomer

Dan Ferris

Dianne Ferris

Matthew Foor

Marc Harris

Rebecca Kelsey

Brenda Kirby

DeAnn Motz

Robert Rush

Penny Scott

Susan Turner

Elica Wilson

5 YEARS

Jay Bohner

Mary Jo Haskins

Bob Kring

Jessica Middendorf

Tom Middendorf

Jean Milton

Phil Saurer

Dawn Waldron

Marlin Wallace

FACULTY/STAFF

MEMBER OF THE YEAR

1954-2004

2004

Dr. Carol Maxson
Mr. Matt Whitis

2003

Dr. Diane Richardson
Mr. Dan Ferris

2002

Dr. Sara Spruce
Rev. Walter "Woody" Webb

2001

Professor Amy Golyshko
Mrs. Mary Anderson

2000

Dr. Richard Colling
Mr. Brian Allen

1999

Dr. Judith Whitis
Mr. Wendy Parsons

1998

Mrs. Kathy Boyens
Mrs. Phyllis Harris

1997

Mr. Larry Watson
Mr. Gary Griffin

1996

Professor Mike LaReau
Mrs. Betty Elliott

1995

Dr. Henry L. Smith
Mr. David J. Pickering

1994

Dr. Randal D. Johnson
Mr. Darrell W. Bellomy

1993

Rev. William Foote
Mrs. Joyce Muhm

1992

Professor Charlotte Keck
Mr. Donald Keck

1991

Dr. Harlow Hopkins
Mrs. Mary Gates

1990

Mr. Allan Wiens
Mrs. Thelma Collins

1989

Dr. Gerald Anderson
Mrs. Connie Skinner

1988

Mr. Frank Garton
Mr. Dennis Seymour

1987

Mr. Don Toland
Mr. Jim Knight

1986

Dr. Gary Streit
Mr. Doug Perry

1985

Dr. William Ellwanger
Rev. John Mongerson

1984

Dr. Harry Westfall
Mr. Phil Richardson

1983

Dr. Carolyn Sechrist
Mr. Clifford Hayman
Mrs. June Hayman

1982

Dr. David Atkinson
Rev. Gordon Wickersham

1981

Mrs. Gunnell Jordan
Mr. Pat Duncan

1980

Dr. George Dunbar
Mr. Richard Matheny

1979

Dr. Joseph Nielson
Mr. James Tripp

1978

Dr. Harvey Collins
Mr. Linford Marquart

1977

Mr. C.W. Ward /
Dr. Richard Wirt
Dr. William Hodges /
Ms. Judy King

1976

Dr. Max Reams
Dr. Ted Lee

1975

Dr. Harry Fulton
Mr. Efton Elliott

1974

Dr. Joseph Nielson
Mr. James Tripp

1973

Dr. William Bell
Dr. L.A. Marquart

1972

Dr. Otho Jennings
Rev. Norman Moore

1971

Dr. Ralph Perry
Dr. Mervyn Goins

1970

Professor Naomi Larsen
Mr. Roy Brown

1969

Dr. Mary Shaffer
Ms. Esther Tripp

1968

Professor Elbert Pence
Mr. Charles Beatty

1967

Dr. Vernal Carmichael
Mr. William Bennett

1966

Dr. John Hanson
Mrs. Ruth Lane

1965

Dr. Fordyce Bennett
Dr. John Cotner

1964

Dr. David Jones
Mr. Charles Henderson

1963

Dr. Vernon Groves
Mrs. Gladys Corbett

1962

Dr. Billy Hobbs
Mrs. Dorothy Swearngen

1961

Professor Gardner Walmsley
Mr. Albert Bloom

1960

Professor Rockwell Brank
Mr. Harlan Milby

1959

Dr. Coral Demaray
Mrs. Emily Reeves

1958

Mr. Leonard Anderson
Dr. Willis Snowbarger

1957

Dr. Walter Larsen
Dr. R.L. Lunsford

1956

Dr. Clarence Grothaus
Mr. Ed Brodien

1955

Professor Leo Slagg
Dr. Paul Schwada

1954

Dr. D.J. Strickler
Mr. Alyn Fletcher

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 spiritu-

A BRIEF HISTORY OF OLIVET — CONTINUED

al life activities, small-group ministries, missions, and compassionate ministry experiences.

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” toward students, faculty, churches and alumni. The concept was established for a Centennial Chapel to seat about 3,000 for chapel and other events.

Information Technology expanded wireless access throughout the campus, plus wired access to every classroom and residence hall room. In academic changes, 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 St. 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 pattern 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 English and Modern Language Department 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.

The record number of graduates in 2005 reached 1,445, including the 20,000th graduate in Olivet’s history. The Admissions and Registrar’s offices expect another year of increased enrollment with about 800 new freshmen and transfer students. This year’s enrollment should top last year’s total of 4,373.

DEVELOPMENT OF BUILDINGS AND AREAS OF THE CAMPUS

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|-------------|---|-------------|---|
| 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 | Renovation of Birchard
Gymnasium: varsity weight
room and fitness center |
| 1970 | A. L. Parrott Hall
for Women | | Renovation of Snowbarger
Athletic Park: Larry Watson
baseball field, tennis courts,
and Ward Field |
| 1971 | Wisner Hall for
Nursing Education | | Acquisition of the Provena
Fortin Villa property |
| 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

- 2004** Renovation of Ludwig
lower level
- Establishment of the
Olivet Nazarene University
Broadcast/Learning Center,
home of Shine.fm, WONU, 89.7
- Establishment of the School
of Graduate and Adult Studies
Chicago Regional Center
in Rolling Meadows, Illinois
- 2005** Renovation of top three floors
of Burke Administration
Building

DATES
TO REMEMBER

2005

First Week

August 27–September 4

Annual Freshman Dinner

August 29

Academic Convocation

October 6

Fall Revival

September 18–21

Dr. Bud Reedy

Fall Break

October 10–11

Prime Time at ONU

September 27

Homecoming

October 28–30

Messiah

December 2–3

President's Christmas Gathering

December 15

2006

Holiness Lecture Series

March 1–2

Dr. Herbert McGonigle

Winter Revival

February 5–9

Winter Study Break

February 17

Spring Break

March 4–12

ONU Ladies Day

April 8

Mrs. Karen Dean Fry

Easter Break

April 14–17

Commencement Weekend

May 5–6



Dr. and Mrs. John E. Bowling

cordially invite you to the

Annual President's Dinner

for Faculty and Staff

Chalfant Hall

Olivet Nazarene University

Friday, August 26, 2005

six-thirty in the evening

R.P.D. requested by

August 15

928-5800 or

e-mail: dinner2005@olivet.edu