Dear friends,

Welcome to Harding University’s 94th annual Bible Lectureship! We are thrilled you have come to campus to experience a Harding tradition as old as the school itself and as new as this year’s freshman class. Each year, students, alumni, friends and church leaders gather from all across the nation and all around the world for these four special days of Bible study, encouragement, inspiration, worship and fellowship. We are so glad you have joined us for this year’s Lectureship!

Our theme, “Righteousness from God: The Revolutionary Message of Romans,” is no hyperbole. The apostle Paul’s epistle to the Romans has transformed the hearts and thoughts of such theologians from the past as Augustine of Hippo, Martin Luther, John Calvin and John Wesley. And Romans has had a powerful impact on Harding University itself. For 50 years, Dr. Jimmy Allen taught this transforming text to Harding students. In his classes, hearts were opened to “the revolutionary message” of righteousness and grace from God. Forty years since I sat in Dr. Allen’s Romans class, I still remember the way Romans touched my spirit and opened my mind to a new vision of God and salvation in Jesus Christ. I am confident the epistle to the Romans will have that same sort of transforming impact on participants in this year’s Lectureship.

Again, welcome to Harding University and to our 94th annual Bible Lectureship! Your presence here is a gift to every other participant. My prayer is, by the time you leave, God will refresh your spirit and set your soul aflame. “To him be the glory forever! Amen” (Romans 11:36).

Dr. Bruce McLarty
President

“I am not ashamed of the gospel because it is the power of God for the salvation of everyone who believes: first for the Jew, then for the Gentile.” Romans 1:16

Dear guests,

Harding University was founded by individuals who believed in the saving power of the gospel. Our current generation of leaders are just as committed to that conviction. Moreover, we are dedicated to another major theme of Romans: the inclusiveness of the gospel. God’s good news truly is for “everyone who believes.”

That’s why we have assembled a diverse lineup of dynamic speakers for this year’s program. My thanks to them for their willingness to share the fruits of their scholarship as we consider the riches of “Righteousness From God.”

In addition, the Lectureship Committee spent many months in careful preparation. I am indebted to Tom Alexander, Andrew Baker, Teresa Castleman, Alexander Jamerson, Dale Manor, Karl McLarty, Bill Richardson, Daniel Stockstill, Devin Swindle, Phil Thompson, Anessa Westbrook and Noel Whitlock for their vital contributions. I am especially grateful to Teresa Castleman, our events coordinator, for her creative suggestions and her invaluable work in organizing the many moving parts that make up this annual event.

Finally, our deepest appreciation goes to you, our Lectureship guests, for your support and encouragement, your active participation in this program, and — above all — for your work in the kingdom.

Dr. Dan Williams
Lectureship Director
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RISE AND SHINE!

“Worship the Lord with gladness; come before him with joyful songs.” PSALM 100

There is no better way to come into our Father’s presence than with the reverent rejoicing of worship. That is why we have built into the schedule multiple opportunities to join our hearts and voices with fellow Christians in singing praises to the Lord. Last year we added a feature called Morning Praise. It proved popular so we are making it an annual event. Each morning of Lectureship, from 8:30-8:55 a.m., Andrew Leeper will lead an uplifting worship assembly in the Administration Auditorium.

Following the Morning Praise session, we will enjoy our morning keynote address at 9 a.m. in the same auditorium. At 9:45 a.m., we will dismiss for our regularly scheduled class presentations in the Mcinteer Bible and World Missions Building.

The Morning Praise enables us to start the day off on a holy, happy note. Moving the keynote address to 9 a.m. allows our speakers to set the tone for the day and shortens our walk to lunch after the 11 a.m. classes.

Please make a note of these changes in our lectureship format and plan to join your brothers and sisters from around the nation each morning as together we “worship the Lord with gladness and come before Him with joyful songs”!

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LECTURESHP OFFERING

The annual Harding Lectureship is presented free as our grateful gift to a supportive brotherhood. We do, however, give you an opportunity to partner with us in the kingdom work that goes on here. This year’s offering will take place during the Monday 7 p.m. service. All of the money given will support scholarships to train gospel preachers.

Make your tax-deductible check to Harding University and note on the memo line that it is for the Lectureship Offering. Place your check or cash in the offering plate when it is passed on Monday night. If you wish to give by credit card, you will find a booth set up in the lobby of Benson Auditorium. If you cannot be here that night, but still wish to participate in this offering, mail your check to Harding University, c/o Dr. Bryan Burks, Box 12238, Searcy, AR 72149.

To learn more about The Kerusso Experience, our innovative program to encourage and equip young men to preach, go to harding.edu/kerusso.
SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 24

6:30 p.m. HARDING UNIVERSITY CONCERT CHOIR
Kelly Neill, director
Benson Auditorium

7 p.m. KEYNOTE LECTURE:
I Am Not Ashamed of the Gospel
(Romans 1:16)
Alan Robertson, Benson Auditorium

8:30 p.m. BELLE CANTO
Stacey Neely, director
Reynolds Recital Hall

Guide to symbols
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- Faith Journey/Spirituality
- Gospel and Culture
- Home and Marriage
- Ladies
- Leadership/Shepherding
- Missions
- Praise and Worship
- Preaching/Ministry
- Romans Theme Presentations
- Youth and Family Ministries

Alan Robertson
Alan Robertson is the oldest son of Phil Robertson, known as the Duck Commander. He grew up hunting and fishing and helped build the foundation of the family business in the ‘70s and ‘80s. Robertson returned to the family business after serving in full-time ministry for more than 25 years. He plays a vital role in his family’s commitment to spreading the gospel of Christ through their love of hunting and the great outdoors. Robertson and his wife, Lisa, have been married for more than 32 years and have two grown daughters and five grandchildren. They all live in West Monroe, Louisiana.
Jeff Jenkins

Jeff Jenkins serves Lewisville Church of Christ as preaching minister. He has been preaching for nearly 40 years. He is a graduate of Freed-Hardeman University, where he currently serves on the board of trustees. He also serves on the Lads-to-Leaders board of directors. Jenkins is blessed to be involved in many gospel meetings and lectureships. He is co-founder and co-director of The Jenkins Institute, which is committed to helping preachers. Jenkins and his wife, Laura, have two children and two grandchildren.

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MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 25

7:15 a.m.  BREAKFAST: See page 21 for a list of and more information about meals offered during this time.

8:30 a.m.  MORNING PRAISE

oleano Leeper
Administration Auditorium

9 a.m.  KEYNOTE LECTURE: The Power of God (Romans 1:16)
Jeff Jenkins, Administration Auditorium

9 and 10  a.m.  STUDENT CHAPELS
Wissam Al-Aethawi, Benson Auditorium

10 a.m.  MONDAY CLASSES
(All room assignments subject to change.)

Significant Others: Does God Hear Their Prayers?, part 1
Monte Cox, Heritage Auditorium

Significant Others is about building relationships with our non-Christian neighbors, first by learning what they believe, then by identifying points of contact with our faith as well as points of contrast. What can we learn from Paul about how to engage adherents of other religions in conversations that are respectful, informed and persuasive?

New Perspectives for Processing Romans: Movement or Monument, part 1
Rick Oster, McInteer 150
The Protestant movement began 500 years ago this October. Among other things, Luther showed us how powerful it can be when folks look afresh, look often and look with conviction at God’s word. Romans shows a theology that can keep a movement from becoming a monument.

Predators in the Pews: Protecting Our Children, part 1
Jimmy Hinton, McInteer 233
The son of a pedophile who reported his own father unlocks the pedophile’s code and shares invaluable tips for keeping our children safe from sexual predators. Find out how his father, a respected minister, molested dozens of children and kept this secret for more than 40 years.

A Winsome Witness: A Restoration Discussion, part 1
Dan Chambers, McInteer 125
A series that focuses on presenting restoration beliefs and practices in a positive, persuasive way.

Help! I Have to Choose the Bible School Curriculum, part 1
Jerry Bowling, McInteer 145
Creating a big picture vision when selecting and organizing Sunday school curriculum.
Thrive: It’s All About Me?, part 1
Carl Williamson, McInteer 225
In a culture that is increasingly focused on wealth, narcissism and celebrities, we hear Jesus’ words to use worldly wealth to gain friends. How do we use wealth to prosper and flourish for the sake of the kingdom of God? In this lesson, Carl Williamson shares experiences from church planting and disaster relief work to encourage Christians to thrive by seeking him.

Church Inside Out: The Church Inside, part 1
Tim Archer, McInteer 229
Christians face many challenges when trying to reach today’s changing society, yet the biggest hurdles we face are often inside our own congregations. We will look at attitudes in our churches that distance us from the communities around us and examine the role of Christians as ambassadors of the kingdom.

Paul’s Vision for Unity in Romans, part 1
Shawn Daggett, McInteer 230
Beyond the classical study of Romans as Paul’s summary of justification by faith, recent scholarship has focused on this letter providing the basis for unity among a fractured multicultural church in Rome. The class seeks to understand the content of this valuable letter in light of the historical background of ethic issues that led to its writing.

A Bolt From the Blue: Martin Luther Taking Europe by Storm, part 1
Allen Diles, McInteer 353
To celebrate the 500th anniversary of the beginning of the Protestant Reformation, we survey key events and theological principles in the life and teachings of Dr. Martin Luther.

What I’ve Learned About the Churches of Christ
Bobby Ross Jr., McInteer 234
After chasing stories all over the U.S., journalist Bobby Ross Jr. found Faith — a town in South Dakota with a population of 421. He reflects on the insights gained while traveling to 50 states and 12 countries for The Christian Chronicle.

Pure Heart Vision: How Getting Romans Helps Small Churches Grow, part 1
Randy Willingham, Liberty Room
We have been collecting insight from Romans and from small growing churches that can be given to others. We are gathering multiple resources from many churches to help one church, which in a way provides useful insight for all small churches seeking to grow.

Thrive: Generous Living!, part 2
Carl Williamson, McInteer 225
In an increasingly materialistic society that can be characterized as greedy, we hear the words of Jesus that it is more blessed to give than to receive. How is the kingdom of God transformed by generosity? In this lesson, Carl Williamson speaks about the importance of generosity on the expansion of the kingdom of God.

Church Inside Out: The Church Goes Out, part 2
Tim Archer, McInteer 229
We look at how to treat people who are at different points in their spiritual journey toward God. We learn how to recognize when people are ready to hear the good news and how to share it with them.

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Buried With Christ: Baptism in the Book of Romans
Eddie Cloer, McInteer 234

Pure Heart Vision: How Getting Romans Helps Small Churches Grow, part 2
Randy Willingham, Liberty Room

12 p.m. LUNCH: See page 21 for a list of and more information about meals offered during this time.

2 p.m. MONDAY CLASSES

Significant Others: What I Have Learned, part 3
Monte Cox, Heritage Auditorium
Against the backdrop of the religious alternatives, what makes the gospel unique?

New Perspectives for Processing Romans: Life in the Spirit of God, part 3
Rick Oster, McInteer 150
The Apostle Paul cannot imagine the life of a child of God without the crucial work and presence of the Holy Spirit. Furthermore, from Paul’s perspective, our Christian lives are unacceptable to God if they do not manifest a pervasive sanctification that can come only from God’s Spirit.

Reaching the ‘Homelanders’: Characteristics of the Newest Generation of Teens and Children, part 1
Dan Stockstill, McInteer 233
How do they differ from previous generations? So much focus has been on millennials and the second half of millennials (Generation iY) that we are neglecting the rising generation of students in our ministries. We won’t be as effective as we wish if we continue treating homelanders as millennials.

A Winsome Witness: A Restoration Discussion, part 3
Dan Chambers, McInteer 125

Predators in the Pews: Panel Discussion, part 1
Noel Whitlock, moderator, McInteer 145

Thrive: Uncommon Kindness!, part 3
Carl Williamson, McInteer 225
The pluralism of our American culture struggles to find truth in the midst of many divisions, but Jesus teaches the first will be last and the last will be first. How do we use wealth to show an uncommon kindness that proclaims the gospel of Jesus Christ? In this lesson, Carl Williamson shares the parable of the workers in the vineyard and how to start to regain our compassion and kindness in the world.

Church Inside Out: Outsiders No More, part 3
Tim Archer, McInteer 229
Becoming a member of the church is much like learning how to live in a new culture. This class deals with how to aid new Christians as they learn the culture of the kingdom and become active members of the church.

Making Our Churches Welcoming to All: Seeing Color Through a Scriptural Lens, part 1
Tim Westbrook, McInteer 230

The Intentional Associate: Blessing the Congregation, part 1
Bert Alexander, McInteer 234
Bert Alexander discusses the role of those ministers on staff who do not fill the preaching role on a weekly basis. These areas include education, involvement, teaching, counseling, planning and scheduling, and assisting in transition from one preaching minister to another.

Pure Heart Vision: How Getting Romans Helps Small Churches Grow, part 3
Randy Willingham, Liberty Room

3 p.m. MONDAY CLASSES

The Temple: The Third of Two Sacred Places in Islam
Wissam Al-Aethawi, Administration Auditorium
The Arab-Israeli contention over the ownership of the temple is a major source of the instability in the Middle East and hence the world. Why do Muslims venerate the temple?

significant Others Book Signing
Monte Cox, author, Heritage Auditorium

Reaching the ‘Homelanders’: Characteristics of the Newest Generation of Teens and Children, part 2
Dan Stockstill, McInteer 233
More effective ministry with those in our ministries: a proposal of changes that address the characteristics and needs of the Homeland generation. In this session, we move from theory to practice.
Predators in the Pews: Panel Discussion, part 2
Noel Whitlock, moderator, McInteer 145

Prayer Transformed the Church in Cuba: How It Can Transform Yours
Tony Fernandez, McInteer 229
When the Versalles Church of Christ in Matanzas, Cuba, started meeting daily to pray together, God began to do amazing things. Since then, they have started dozens of new churches and developed ministries to serve their community in exciting ways.

Making Our Churches Welcoming to All: Seeing Whiteness Through an Experiential Lens, part 2
Tim Westbrook, McInteer 230

Kingdom Business: Bill McDonough, Partners in Progress
Tommy Bush, McInteer 353

The Intentional Associate: Blessing the Congregation, part 2
Bert Alexander, McInteer 234
Bert Alexander discusses the role of an associate minister in the community. His duties include being a liaison with the local school district providing tutoring opportunities and teaching parenting classes for elementary schools. Other areas of involvement include the chamber of commerce, Rotary International and serving as chaplain for the fire/rescue department.

Pure Heart Vision: How Getting Romans Helps Small Churches Grow, part 4
Randy Willingham, Liberty Room

4:30 p.m.  CELEBRATION OF MINISTRY DINNER
Losing the Weight of Ministry
Dale Jenkins, Heritage Cafeteria

6:30 p.m.  HARDING ACADEMY CHORUS
Craig Jones, director
Benson Auditorium

7 p.m.    KEYNOTE LECTURE:
Righteousness From God (Romans 1:17)
Harold Shank, Benson Auditorium

8:30 p.m.  OLD-TIME GOSPEL SINGING
Mike Wood
Cone Chapel

RIGHTEOUSNESS FROM GOD
THE REVOLUTIONARY MESSAGE OF ROMANS

Dale Jenkins
Dale Jenkins preaches at the Spring Meadows Church of Christ in Spring Hill, Tennessee, and he has written and/or edited more than 50 books. Along with his brother, Jeff, they run The Jenkins Institute, which aids preachers. He and his wife, Melanie, have two sons and three grandchildren.

Harold Shank
Dr. Harold Shank is president of Ohio Valley University. Before he began his presidency at OVU, Shank was a tenured professor of Old Testament at Oklahoma Christian University and also served with The Christian Chronicle. Shank and his wife, Sally, were part of a team that planted the Northtown congregation in Milwaukee, Wisconsin, and for 20 years he served as the preacher for Highland Church of Christ in Memphis, Tennessee, where he was involved in helping to establish several urban ministries. He taught for 22 years at two Christian universities. He has also been active in short term missions work in Belize and Ukraine. He has written seven books and is currently writing a commentary on the book of Deuteronomy. Shank blogs regularly on Facebook and his website. Since 1996 he has served as the national spokesperson for Christian Child and Family Services Association, an organization that represents about 70 childcare agencies across the nation. Shank and Sally speak widely in churches of Christ. They also host the twice yearly Barnabas Couples for younger ministers and spouses. The couple has two adult sons.

Audio/video and streaming
You can listen online at harding.edu/lectureship. Audio/video files are available in downloadable MP3 format at harding.edu. Live events are streamed at streaming.harding.edu.

Parking
Lots are located along North Grand Boulevard, East Park Avenue, South Blakeney Street, Lott Tucker Drive, Market Avenue and around Ganus Athletic Center. Guests may park in any marked space. Guests who receive a parking ticket may turn it in to Lectureship Crossroads, and it will be dismissed.
LADIES DAY
NEW LOCATION: Cone Chapel
MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 25

8 a.m.  Child care begins at College Church
See below for more information.

10 a.m.  Coffee and Refreshments
Praise and Worship
Jill Davis, worship leader

11 a.m.  Keynote Lecture
A Transformed Life, part 1
Deborah Houston

Lunch on your own

2 p.m.  Praise and Worship and a Special Musical
Presentation
Jill Davis, worship leader

3 p.m.  Keynote Lecture
A Transformed Life, part 2
Deborah Houston

CHILD CARE
Free child care is provided at College Church of Christ on Race Avenue
beginning Sunday evening and ending Wednesday evening.

Sunday
6-8:30 p.m.

Monday
8 a.m.-8:30 p.m. (Lunch and supper provided.)

Tuesday and Wednesday
8 a.m.-noon, 2:30-8:30 p.m. (Supper provided.)

Deborah Houston
Deborah R. Houston is ministry leader for the Dellcrest Church of Christ
Women's Ministry. She is the author of Father Knows Best, which
shares her compelling story of being raised by her drug-dealing father
who taught her lessons of survival. These lessons are challenged as
she comes to the saving knowledge of her Savior. She also completed
her first devotional workbook for women titled: “Celebrate U: The Phenomenality of
U”, which encourages women to celebrate the woman that God has
created and designed. Her most recent book, S.T.Y.L.E. On The Inside
serves to focus on the beauty instilled in every woman. She speaks for
various ladies programs, lectureships and retreats across the country, and
along with her husband, Dr. Jerry G. Houston, conducts marriage work-
shops as well as youth seminars. The couple has two daughters.

Jill Davis
Worship Leader
Jill Davis met her husband, Brooks, as a student at Harding
University. They have been married 27 years and have three grown
children. She followed in her father’s footsteps and teaches in the math
department at Harding. She can often be found visiting with friends on
the porch of Kibo Midnight Oil coffee house.
The Kenneth V. Neller Preachers Workshop is a daylong, intensive workshop for preachers presented by Harding University’s Center for Preaching. Preachers will receive cutting-edge homiletical instruction and inspiring biblical teaching as well as resources for continued study and networking.

The Harding University Center for Preaching exists to promote the ministry of preaching by preparing students and providing resources for ministers and congregations.

For more information, contact Devin Swindle at dswindle@harding.edu or 501-279-4146.
TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 26

7:15 a.m.  BREAKFAST: See page 21 for a list of and more information about meals offered during this time.

8:30 a.m.  MORNING PRAISE
            Andrew Leeper
            Administration Auditorium

9 a.m.  KEYNOTE LECTURE:
            Peace With God (Romans 6:1-11)
            Phil Brookman, Administration Auditorium

9 and 10 a.m.  STUDENT CHAPELS
            Robert Solomon, Benson Auditorium

10 a.m.  TUESDAY CLASSES
            (All room assignments subject to change)

          Preachers Workshop: Preaching Romans 1-4
          Jessie Robertson, Cone Chapel

          Perplexing Passages: Romans 5:19
          Keith Stanglin, McInteer 150
          “Through the disobedience of the one man the many were made sinners.” Does Romans 5 teach the doctrine of original sin? If not, then what is Paul’s point, and how does it apply to us?

          God’s Women on Mission:
          You Are an Overcomer!, part 1
          Penny Kendall, McInteer 233
          Our life is a journey that has many paths and stops along the way, but you and I have been planted exactly where he intends for us to be. We are God’s women on mission. Join Penny Kendall as she explores the gift of Christ’s redemption, helps you uncover your true identity in him, and shares insight on how you can become all you were meant to be, for his glory!

          Shepherding for Shepherds, Prospective Shepherds and Sheep: Leadership and Grace, part 1
          Jerrie Barber, McInteer 125
          Shepherding is more rewarding and effective when one understands that leadership is a gift and not a grind.

          Multicultural Conflict in Missions: A Test of Character — an Accepting Heart, part 1
          Everett Huffard, McInteer 145
          If you go on short-term mission trips, oversee a missionary, host a Spanish-speaking congregation, interact with leaders of ethnic churches in your area, or have bicultural couples in your congregation, you will discover the need for skills in developing meaningful relationships to manage inevitable conflict. Start with developing skills to be understood as open, accepting and worthy of trust.

          Little Rag Doll: Child Abuse Identification and Intervention
          Crystal Whittington, McInteer 225
Living the Kingdom Life Now: No Rules; Just Right, part 1
David Syrgley, McInteer 229
This first session discusses the early church’s spiritual context and early Christian’s understanding of the sacred and profane. Understanding this environment can help Christians today focus on what is important.

Go, Baptize, Teach: How Our Church Is Reaching 50+ People Per Year, Developing Leaders and Planting Churches, and How Yours Can, Too, part 1
Wes Woodell, McInteer 230
In this session, Wes Woodell tells the story of how he came into contact with a congregation in the midwestern United States having success in ministry unlike any he’d ever witnessed. How were they doing it, what was different about them compared to others, and what can we learn?

Bible School, part 1
Tom Tignor, McInteer 353
Today’s Bible teachers face many challenges that were unknown a generation ago. Discover those differences and learn the immense power of a teacher who truly cares.

Embracing Your Season, part 1
Thomas Jackson, McInteer 234
Relations go through seasons, and when we do not effectively identify what season we are in effective communication is low, conflict is high, and resolution seems not to be part of the equation. These classes demonstrate the benefits of embracing our season.

Shepherding for Shepherds, Prospective Shepherds and Sheep: Developing Elders in Churches That Have Never Had Them Before, part 2
Jerrie Barber, McInteer 125
How does a church grow from no elders to a functioning eldership and a supporting followship?

Multicultural Conflict in Missions: A Common Point of Tension — the Individual or the Group, part 2
Everett Huffard, McInteer 145
One of the strongest cultural influences on Christians in America, that they may not even be aware of until they step into another world, is a rigid individualism that affects how they view evangelism, study the Word, lead churches and manage conflict.

Domestic Abuse Identification and Intervention
To be determined, McInteer 225

Living the Kingdom Life Now: Disciplines of Reintegration, part 2
David Syrgley, McInteer 229
Christian spirituality isn’t about mastering rules but about life. This session discusses how to reclaim our life from the profane world and re integrate it into the kingdom life that God desires for all Christians.

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Thomas Jackson, McInteer 234

Sticky Faith: Helping Teens to Stay Faithful for the Long Haul
T.J. Davidson, Liberty Room
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TUESDAY CLASSES

Preachers Workshop: Preaching Romans 5-8
Mike Ireland, Cone Chapel

Perplexing Passages: Romans 9:10f
Keith Stanglin, McInteer 150
“Jacob I loved, but Esau I hated.” Does Romans 9 teach the doctrine of unconditional predestination? If not, then what is Paul’s point, and how does it apply to us?

God’s Women on Mission: Becoming Your Meant-to-Be, part 2
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12 p.m.  **LUNCH**: See page 21 for a list of and more information about meals offered during this time.

1 p.m.  **Embracing the Mission Book Signing**
Dr. Bruce McLarty, author, *Heritage Lobby*

2 p.m.  **TUESDAY CLASSES**

- **The Truth in Black and White: Improving Race Relations in Churches of Christ**
  Robert Solomon and Harold Shank,
  *Heritage Auditorium*

- **Preachers Workshop: Preaching Romans 12-16**
  Scott Adair and Devin Swindle, *Cone Chapel*

- **Perplexing Passages: Romans 11:26**
  Keith Stanglin, *McInteer 150*
  “All Israel will be saved.” Does Romans 11 teach the final salvation of ethnic Jews? If not, then what is Paul’s point, and how does it apply to us?

- **You’re Under Arrest!**
  Kim Mote, *McInteer 233*
  The mind is a battlefield. The struggle is real. As our minds are transformed, so are marriages and relationships. Romans 12:2

- **Shepherding for Shepherds, Prospective Shepherds and Sheep, part 3**
  Jerrie Barber, *McInteer 125*
  When shepherds shepherd shepherds, they will more effectively shepherd the sheep.

- **Multicultural Conflict in Missions: The Deepest Spiritual Battle — Guilt or Shame, part 3**
  Evertt Huffard, *McInteer 145*
  Conflicts result in broken relationships. Attempts to avoid conflict or reconcile relationships by directly addressing the offender in a shame-based society misses the need for indirect methods of reconciliation. If you live in a society with little concern for honor, you will be blind to the power of saving face.

- **Sex, the Stork and Starbucks From a Christian Perspective**
  Crystal Whittington, *McInteer 225*

- **Reformation History, part 1**
  Paul Haynie, *McInteer 229*
  The men who prepared the ground for Martin Luther tackled this core issue: “Where does spiritual ‘authority’ lie?” How did Luther build on this foundation?

- **How to Connect With Seekers in Your Community**
  John Reese, *McInteer 230*
  “I have many people in this city” (Acts 18:10). Every community has seekers. WBS Connect sets you up for free to find and teach them. See success stories, especially impacting the United States. Connect can also target your mission region with web ads.

- **Bible School, part 3**
  Tom Tignor, *McInteer 353*
  Bible curriculum is intended to be a tool rather than a crutch. Learn the inside scoop on how curriculum is created and assembled for maximum effectiveness.

- **Falling Short of God’s Glory — Remaining Serious About Sin: Where It All Went Wrong, part 1**
  David Anguish, *McInteer 234*
  In Romans, Paul repeatedly referred to God’s glory, his desire for humanity to be glorified and, significantly, to the universal existence and controlling nature of sin in leaving us short of his glory. In part 1, we examine Paul’s development of this theme in the letter’s first major section, examining the extent and danger of the problem sin poses for us.

- **Ministry to Children on the Spectrum, part 1**
  Andrew Phillips, *Liberty Room*
  Research estimates that one in 68 children in America have autism spectrum disorder, which means that autism likely affects many families in our congregations. These two class sessions will explore how we can better understand autism, how we can teach individuals on the autism spectrum, and how we can minister to families affected by it.

3 p.m.  **TUESDAY CLASSES**

- **The Judaizers: From Jesus to Muhammad**
  Wissam Al-Aethawi, *Administration Auditorium*
  The Judaizers were neither Jews nor Christians. Not much survived from their beliefs outside Islam.

- **Preachers Workshop: Preaching Romans 12-16**
  Scott Adair and Devin Swindle, *Cone Chapel*

- **What Do I Do With My Human Nature?**
  Michelle Goff, *McInteer 233*
  There is a difference between human nature and sinful nature. Through a better understanding of “flesh,” we can follow Christ’s example of how we can live according to human nature — with all of the emotions and human conditions he also faced — while avoiding our sinful nature. We are invited to live a human and holy life — not perfect, but set apart for a purpose.
RIGHTEOUSNESS FROM GOD
THE REVOLUTIONARY MESSAGE OF ROMANS

Lamont Ross
Lamont Ross has been senior minister of the Marsalis Avenue Church of Christ in Dallas since January 2015. Prior to that, he served seven years as the congregation’s family and youth minister and was youth minister at Eastside Church of Christ in Austin, Texas, for six years. Ross has been preaching for more than 20 years. He is the author of Real Life Studies, a Bible study series that addresses contemporary issues from a biblical perspective. He is a seminar director for PREPARE/ENRICH, equipping therapists, clergy and marriage educators with valuable tools to empower engaged and married couples. He and his wife, Stacy, have three children.

Guide to symbols
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Bible — Textual and Historical Studies
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Disciple Making
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Gospel and Culture
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Praise and Worship
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Romans Theme Presentations
Youth and Family Ministries

College Planning for Parents and Grandparents
Admissions staff, McInteer 225
Representatives are available to provide essential information and answer all of your questions about how to provide a Christian education for your children or grandchildren.

Reformation History, part 2
Paul Haynie, McInteer 229
Martin Luther’s personality provided him the insight and strength to break with the Catholic powers and crack open the spiritual door to religious freedom, and his family life played an important part in his success.

Missions and the Fear of God
Doyle Kee, McInteer 230
A vastly neglected biblical subject is the concept of the “fear of the Lord.” A priority in the life of the church is “missions” in all its forms. What is the relationship between these two important subjects? During this hour of study, we search for the connection.

Kingdom Business: Ken Kilpatrick,
Compassion 21
Tommy Bush, McInteer 353
Spreading the gospel and serving the poor and outcast of society was the hallmark of our Lord’s ministry. This class discusses effective ways to reach the poor drawing from 23 years of experience serving in the inner city of Montgomery, Alabama.

Falling Short of God’s Glory — Remaining Serious About Sin: Sin Is a Big Deal, part 2
David Anguish, McInteer 234
In part two of our study, we emphasize what Romans shows us about the nature of sin, the help we must have to overcome it, and how this knowledge helps prepare us for more humble submission in faith.

Ministry to Children on the Spectrum, part 2
Andrew Phillips, Liberty Room

4 p.m. BELLES AND BEAUX
Chuck Hicks, director
C.L. Kay Plaza (in front of Benson Auditorium)

6:30 p.m. GOOD NEWS SINGERS
Chuck Hicks, director
Benson Auditorium

7 p.m. KEYNOTE LECTURE:
Everyone Who Believes (Romans 1:16)
Lamont Ross, Benson Auditorium

8:30 p.m. HARDING UNIVERSITY CHAMBER SINGERS
Kelly Neill, director, Reynolds Recital Hall
Alexander Jamerson

Alexander Jamerson lives in Searcy with his wife, Mercedes. He graduated from Harding with a Bible and preaching degree and earned a Master of Arts in Christian Ministry from Harding School of Theology in 2017. Jamerson has traveled and preached in various places on behalf of the university and through his ministry, Preaching the Distance. He has recently been named director of diversity for church relations.

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8:30 a.m.
MORNING PRAISE

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Andrew Leeper
Administration Auditorium

9 a.m.
KEYNOTE LECTURE:
More Than Conquerors (Romans 8:28-39)
Alexander Jamerson, Administration Auditorium

9 and 10 a.m.
STUDENT CHAPELS
B. Chris Simpson, Benson Auditorium

10 a.m.
WEDNESDAY CLASSES
(All room assignments subject to change)

The Righteous God, part 1
Jim McGuiggan, Heritage Auditorium
Reflections on Paul’s presentation in Romans of the God who maintained and maintains covenant faithfulness and who revealed himself in and as the Lord Jesus Christ.

Artifacts and the Old Testament Story, part 1
Dale Manor, Cone Chapel
The biblical story takes place in time and space—and with things! These presentations show artifacts and photographs of artifacts that play overt as well as subtle roles in the events and lives of people of the Bible. As we grasp these points of contact, the dynamic of the message of the Bible becomes more rich and vivid.

Creating a Culture of Leadership — Practical Suggestions for Church Leaders: Suggestions for Deacons, part 1
Aubrey Johnson, McInteer 150
Dependable deacons are the key to healthy churches. How can you help your deacons be successful?

Transformative Bible Study, part 1
Kathy Pollard, McInteer 233

Perplexing Passages — Romans 8: The Ministry of the Spirit
Paul Pollard, McInteer 125
One of the issues in Romans, and relevant for contemporary Christians, is the connection between the Holy Spirit and ethics in Romans 8. The question is: Why do we need the Holy Spirit and why is he so emphasized in this seminal chapter?

Abundant Living: Building a Rewarding Retirement
Tony Mickholtzick, McInteer 145
“Retired? So now what are you doing?”

How Does the Bible View Women?
Anessa Westbrook, McInteer 225
An overview of major biblical passages about women from Genesis through the New Testament letters.
Using Romans Evangelistically, part 1  
Ken Stegall, McInteer 229  
For more than 40 years, Ken Stegall and his wife have had groups into their home to study the message of the first eight chapters of Romans. This study is life changing to both Christians and non-Christians.

Nurturing the Minister’s Spiritual Life, part 1  
Lawrence Rodgers, McInteer 230  
How does the minister practice self care while caring for others? Furthermore, how does the minister remain balanced and avoid pitfalls such as neglecting one’s family or burning out? Lawrence Rodgers will explore these questions and more in two sessions on the nourishment of the soul for the servant-leader.

Internet-Based Ministry Resources: Top Selections for Church Leaders  
Carlus Gupton, McInteer 353  
A review of the most useful websites, blogs, podcasts, newsletters and video channels for church leadership

God and the Single Christian, part 1  
Steve McLeod, McInteer 234  
We explore a biblical view that honors singleness as a status equal to marriage and present a theological and historical context within which to understand what it means to be single as a Christian.

How Does Jesus View Women?  
Anessa Westbrook, McInteer 225  
This session covers passages from the Gospels to explore how Jesus viewed women. Questions will be taken during this session for the 2 p.m. panel discussion.

Using Romans Evangelistically, part 2  
Ken Stegall, McInteer 229  
Nurturing the Minister’s Spiritual Life, part 2  
Lawrence Rodgers, McInteer 230  
God and the Single Christian, part 2  
Steve McLeod, McInteer 234  
The first goal for singles ministry is to develop a place where singles can find community, a home within the family of God. Singles need to have the opportunity to interact with others in a safe, accepting environment.

12 p.m.  
LUNCH: See page 21 for a list of and more information about meals offered during this time.

2 p.m.  
WEDNESDAY CLASSES  
God’s People: The Mirror of the Righteous God, part 3  
Jim McGuiggan, Heritage Auditorium  
Reflections on some of the ways that the New Testament elect are “conformed to the image of God’s son”

Artifacts and the New Testament Story  
Dale Manor, Cone Chapel  
Creating a Culture of Leadership — Practical Suggestions for Church Leaders: Suggestions for Ministers, part 3  
Aubrey Johnson, McInteer 150  
Ministers evangelize the lost and edify the saved. They also help church leaders be their best.

Transformative Bible Study, part 3  
Kathy Pollard, McInteer 233  
Missions Insights From Romans  
Philip Slate, McInteer 125  
In addition to elements of common knowledge about evangelizing worldwide, Romans contains several important passages that give perspectives on, motivation for, and tasks of evangelizing in new territory.

Abundant Living: Healing Hands International  
Art Woods, McInteer 145  
Leaving a legacy of service
Utilizing the experience of the panel, this session will explore this challenge and answer questions from the morning session about teaching biblical womanhood.

**Perplexing Passages — The Strong and the Weak: Hearing Paul’s Plea, part 1**
Ashby Camp, McInteer 229
Paul’s appeal in Romans 14:1-15:13 for peace among the Jewish and Gentile Christians is often misunderstood and neglected. This class provides a brief explanation of the text.

**God’s Gift to the Church: Spiritual Gifts, part 1**
Matt Carter, McInteer 230
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**Romans Sermon Challenge: Accepting One Another — A Personal Journey Inspired by Romans**
Ben Williams, McInteer 353
A non-traditional interpretation of the major theme of Romans. This conclusion grew out of a study of Romans in light of early sources reflecting the racial animosity in Rome between Jew and Gentile and the teacher’s personal struggle with racism.

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**Foster Parent Panel**
Andrew Baker, Liberty Room

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Anessa Westbrook, moderator, McInteer 225

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Andrew Baker, Liberty Room
The Renewing of Your Mind (Romans 12)
Karl McLarty, McInteer 125
This session explores ways we can help our church members to think more effectively and live consistently in the will of God.

Abundant Living: World Bible School
John Reese, McInteer 145
Your most fruitful years: How WBS connects you with seekers who ask!

College Planning for Parents and Grandparents
Admissions staff, McInteer 225

Perplexing Passages — the Strong and the Weak: Applying Paul’s Message Today, part 2
Ashby Camp, McInteer 229
This class assumes the explanation of the text from the first class. It focuses on principles and aspects of Paul’s teaching and offers thoughts on what that teaching should mean for us today.

God’s Gift to the Church: What’s Your Function?, part 2
Matt Carter, McInteer 230
Romans 12:4 “The church is made up of many parts, and they do not all have the same function.” But the church functions best when all parts are filling their role. So how do we discern our fit and function in the church? This session offers a path forward in discernment, affirmation and empowerment of church members to carry out their God-given function.

Kingdom Business: Klay Bartee, Zambia Missions
Tommy Bush, McInteer 353

Displays and vendors
Displays, both commercial and noncommercial, may be found in the McInteer Rotunda and in the lobbies of Hammon Student Center and Benson Auditorium. Display areas open officially at 5 p.m. Sunday and close at 4 p.m. Wednesday. The list provided here is complete as of the program printing date.

Abundant Living:
African Christian Schools
Arise Shine India
Biblical Institute of Central America
Boyd’s Books
Children’s Home Inc.
ChinaNow
Dale Manor Archaeology (Dr. Dig/SBM Advertising)
French World Missions
Great Cities Missions
God From A-Z
Harding Place
Harding School of Theology
Healing Hands International
Health Talents International
Hope Harbor
IHCF (African Christian Hospitals)
In Search of the Lord’s Way
Iron Rose Sister Ministries
Katheryn Haddad
Keys to the Kingdom
Lads 2 Leaders
Linda J. Roberts
Loomis Insurance Agency
Master of Ministry Program, Harding University
Orr Family Ministries
Outreach America
Partners in Progress
Pearls by Danita
Penny Kendall
PrayerThoughts.com
Resource Publications
Searcy Children’s Home
Shaping Hearts Publications
Southern Christian Children’s Home
Sunset International Bible Institute (SIBI)
Sword Training
Texas International Bible Institute
Timothy Hill Children’s Ranch
Trash to Treasure
Truth for Today
Westview Boys’ Home
World Bible School
World English Institute
World Evangelism Publications
Worldwide Spanish Literature

Bruce McLarty
On June 1, 2013, Dr. Bruce McLarty became the fifth president of Harding University. Prior to that, he served the University for eight years as the vice president for spiritual life and for three years as the dean of the College of Bible and Ministry. He spent 25 years as a preacher, working with churches in Marks, Mississippi; Memphis and Cookeville, Tennessee; Searcy, Arkansas; and Meru, Kenya. In 1997, he released the book Journey of Faith: Walking With Jesus Through the Gospel of John, and in 2010, he published Embracing the Mission, a six-part curriculum to help new faculty members appreciate the heritage and embrace the mission of Harding University. His most recent publication is a commentary on Paul’s letter to Philemon in the Truth for Today Commentary Series. McLarty has also written for 21st Century Christian Magazine, Upreach Magazine, Image Magazine and The Gospel Advocate. In 1999, he received the Outstanding Alumnus Award from Harding’s College of Bible and Ministry. McLarty and his wife, Ann, have two grown daughters and three grandchildren.
SPECIAL LECTURE SERIES

STUDENT LECTURES
TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 26

4 p.m. Righteousness in the Human Body
Evan Pratt, McInteer 125

Instruments of Righteousness
Carrie Stewart, McInteer 150

5 p.m. Creating America’s Most Wanted
Jewels Edmerson, McInteer 125

The Celebration of God
Bethany Moore, McInteer 150

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 27

4 p.m. Walking in Step With the Spirit
Daylan Moore, McInteer 125

Life in Christ
Holly Jennings, McInteer 150

5 p.m. The Struggle of Self-Righteousness: A Story of Growing up in the Church
Logan Hollinsaid, McInteer 125

Christian Beyond Culture: Living a Life With Christ Beyond the Cultural Norms
Abbygale Garrison, McInteer 150

FOREIGN LANGUAGE LECTURES
MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 25

4 p.m. 律法•良心•罪
The Law, the Conscience and Sin
William Zhang, McInteer 150

6 p.m. No hay justo ni aún uno
There Is No One Righteous
Ricardo Barrera, McInteer 125

因信称义
Justification by Faith
William Zhang, McInteer 150

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 26

6 p.m. Muertos al pecado
We Have Died to Sin
Ricardo Barrera, McInteer 125

信心与行为
Faith and Works
William Zhang, McInteer 150

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 27

6 p.m. Tolerancia: la conversación entre el débil y El Fuerte
Tolerance: The Conversation Between the Weak and the Strong
Ricardo Barrera, McInteer 125

以神为本
God-Centered Outlook
William Zhang, McInteer 150

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

Plan to return next year for the 95th annual Harding Bible Lectureship!
It is scheduled for Sept. 24-27, 2018.
The theme will be
“WRITTEN IN STONE: The Enduring Value of the Ten Commandments.”
# LECTURESHIP MEALS AND SPECIAL EVENTS

## MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 25

7:15 a.m.  **Missions Prayer Breakfast**  
Hosted by Missions Resource Network, *International Room*  
No tickets required

12 p.m.  **Missions Luncheon**  
Hosted by the Harding University Center for World Missions, *Founders Room*  
Tickets are free but required and available at Lectureship Crossroads.

**Medical Evangelism in Central America Luncheon**  
Hosted by The Baxter Institute, Health Talents International and Mision Para Cristo, *Regions Room*  
For friends and those interested in medical evangelism in Central America  
Tickets are free but required and available at Lectureship Crossroads.

4:30 p.m.  **Celebration of Ministry Dinner Losing the Weight of Ministry**  
Dale Jenkins, speaker, *Heritage Cafeteria*  
Hosted by the Office for Church Relations  
For all current and retired ministers, elders and their spouses  
Tickets are free but required and available at Lectureship Crossroads.

## TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 26

7:15 a.m.  **College of Bible and Ministry Alumni Breakfast**  
Hosted by the Harding University Center for Preaching, *Founders Room*  
For alumni of the Harding University College of Bible and Ministry and participants of the Preachers Workshop and their spouses  
Tickets are free but required and available at Lectureship Crossroads.

7:30 a.m.  **Sunset International Bible Institute Breakfast**  
Hosted by Sunset International Bible Institute, *Regions Room*  
Tickets are free but required and available at the SIBI exhibit located in the student center.

12 p.m.  **Annual World Bible School, World English Instituted and ChinaNOW Luncheon**  
Hosted by WBS, WEI and ChinaNOW, *Founders Room*  
For friends of WBS, WEI and ChinaNOW  
Tickets are free but required and available at Lectureship Crossroads.

## WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 27

12 p.m.  **HST/Harding Graduate School Alumni Luncheon**  
Hosted by Harding School of Theology, *Founders Room*  
For alumni and friends of Harding School of Theology  
Tickets are free but required and available at Lectureship Crossroads.

**Abundant Living Luncheon**  
Hosted by Abundant Living Seniors Ministry, *Regions Room*  
Tickets are $7 and available at Lectureship Crossroads.

## VOLLEYBALL GAME

The Lady Bison volleyball team will play Ouachita Baptist University on **Tuesday** at 6 p.m. in the Rhodes-Reaves Field House. Admission is free.
INFORMATION GUIDE

Lectureship Crossroads
Lectureship Crossroads is located in the McInteer Rotunda (see campus map on Page 26). It will be staffed 2-9 p.m. Sunday and 8 a.m.-9 p.m. Monday-Wednesday to answer questions. You also may contact the Lectureship Office at 501-279-4449.

Registration
Please be sure to register at Lectureship Crossroads in the McInteer Rotunda. This serves four purposes. One, we will provide you with a convenient Lectureship name tag to wear during the week. Two, it allows us to locate you if needed. Three, registering gives you the opportunity to request to receive updates on future programs. And four, your registration will enter you into several drawings, including a free $50 gift card from the Harding Bookstore. Winners will be announced daily at the 9 a.m. keynote address. Registration begins at 2 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 25 and continues throughout the week.

Lecture Locations
Keynote lectures and most musical presentations will be in Benson Auditorium or Administration Auditorium. Most classes will be held in the McInteer Bible and World Missions Center, Cone Chapel, Heritage Auditorium or Liberty Room. Each location is designated in the schedule. Buildings can be found on the map on Page 26.

The Women's Day Program on Monday will be held in Cone Chapel. The Preachers Workshop on Tuesday also will be held in Cone Chapel.

Displays and Vendors
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Meals and Snacks
Charles M. White Dining Hall is located in the David B. Burks American Heritage Building at the northwest corner of campus (see campus map on Page 26). A variety of delicious foods are available to you during these hours:

**Sunday**
- Brunch: 10:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m.
- Dinner: 4:30-6:30 p.m.; late night: 6:30-8 p.m.

For Sunday lunch, you have the option to eat at “Sunday at the Heritage” in the Founders Room, which offers a full buffet. It is located on the second floor above Charles M. White Dining Hall. Hours are from 10:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m.

**Monday-Wednesday**
- Breakfast: 7-10 a.m.
- Lunch: 10:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m.; light lunch: 1:30-4:30 p.m.
- Dinner: 4:30-8 p.m.

Other meal selections are available on the first floor of the Student Center (see map on Page 26). Options include Chick-fil-A, Einstein Bros. Bagels, Panda Express, Taco Bell, and fruit and bakery goods. Operating hours are noon-10 p.m. Sunday and 7:30 a.m.-10 p.m. Monday-Wednesday. Snacks also are available in the Harding POD Market, open noon-10 p.m. Sunday and 7:45 a.m.-10 p.m. Monday-Wednesday.

Lectureship Staff

Dan Williams  
Lectureship Director

Teresa Castleman  
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Kevin Gormany  
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Anessa Westbrook  
Women’s Day Program Coordinator
Bookstore
The University Bookstore, located in the Student Center, will be open to Lectureship guests Monday and Tuesday from 8:15 a.m.-6 p.m. and on Wednesday from 8:15 a.m.-4:30 p.m. offering 20 percent off on Bibles, commentaries, general religious books and CDs. A limited selection of books published by many of our Lectureship speakers also will be available.

Public Safety (Security)
The University’s Office of Public Safety is on the first floor of the David B. Burks American Heritage Building by the Market Street entrance and may be reached at 501-279-5000.

Recordings
You can listen online to Lectureship recordings at the Lectureship website — harding.edu/lectureship — under the “Recordings” tab. This service is provided free. Recordings will be available online by mid-October 2017.

Celebration of Ministry Dinner
A special feature again this year is the Celebration of Ministry Dinner at 4:30 p.m. Monday before the evening lecture. Guests include elders, ministers of all kinds (children’s, education, outreach, prison, pulpit, seniors, worship, youth and family, etc.), and their spouses. Dale Jenkins is our speaker. He will be speaking on “Losing the Weight of Ministry.” This is one way of expressing how much we appreciate your ministry. There is no charge for this dinner, but tickets must be picked up early at Lectureship Crossroads.

Distinguished Christian Service Awards
Each year during Lectureship, Harding University is pleased to recognize individuals who have made significant contributions to the cause of Christ. This year’s recipients of the Distinguished Christian Service Awards are Dr. Dale Manor on Sunday and Warren Smith on Wednesday. On Tuesday, the Hogan-Cate Asian Missions Award will be presented to the Parker and Donna Henderson family.

Lost and Found
Check at Lectureship Crossroads for lost and found items.

Student Chapels
Regular 9-9:35 a.m. and 10-10:35 a.m. student chapels will meet Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday in Benson Auditorium with special guest speakers. You are welcome to attend. Students sit in assigned seats, so Lectureship guests will need to sit at the break, on the back six rows, or in the balcony.

A Picture of Health
Tuesday and Wednesday mornings during Lectureship, the Carr College of Nursing and HealthCorp Inc. are offering wellness screenings. Labs offered include cholesterol panels, complete blood counts, comprehensive metabolic panels, thyroid levels, diabetes screening (blood glucose and hemoglobin A1c levels), PSA levels (prostate screening), arthritis panels, etc. See the fliers available at Lectureship Crossroads for a complete list of offerings, prices, location and time, and preparation needed.

Archaeology Museum
The Linda Byrd Smith Museum of Biblical Archaeology is located on the east wing of the first floor of the McInteer Center for Bible and World Missions. The museum displays more than 100 artifacts gathered by Dr. Dale Manor. During Lectureship, the museum will be open Sunday from 3-9 p.m. and Monday through Wednesday from 8 a.m.-5 p.m.

Harding History House
The Harding History House exhibit honoring Dr. Joe and Bessie Mae Pryor will be open from noon-4 p.m. Monday through Wednesday.

Art Exhibit
The department of art and design will host an art show with the theme of the art work focusing on the Lectureship theme — “Righteousness From God: The Revolutionary Message of Romans.” The gallery, located inside the Stevens Art Building, will be open from 8 a.m.-5 p.m.
WHO’S WHO
CHURCH SERVICES

At Harding University, we appreciate your ministry! The Office of Church Relations and College of Bible and Ministry seek to serve the servants of God by providing resources that will help you and your church. Here are some of the resources we offer:

**SPEAKER’S BUREAU:** Looking for a speaker for some special event in your church? You will find a list of available presenters on our website.

**PREACHER STUFF:** Church leaders may subscribe to this free service, which provides daily email postings of useful ministry resources.

**ABUNDANT LIVING:** This ministry to equip and encourage older Christians offers a quarterly magazine, senior’s ministry training conferences, Grand-Camp for grandparents and their grandchildren, and a yearly retreat at Branson, Missouri. We can bring a mini-retreat to your church!

**THE KERUSSO EXPERIENCE:** This annual summer camp is for young men in grades 9-12 who are interested in preaching.

**CHURCH JOBS FORUM:** Need to fill a ministry position? Post it on our website!

Want to know more? Visit us at www.harding.edu/churchrelations or call Dan Williams or Teresa Castleman at 501-279-4449.
MARK YOUR CALENDAR FOR THESE UPCOMING EVENTS:

Abundant Living Retreat
Branson, Missouri
Oct. 1-13, 2017

Homecoming
Oct. 19-21, 2017

Homecoming Musical: “Annie Get Your Gun”
Oct. 20-21, 2017

WINGS Conference
Feb. 9-10, 2018

Spring Sing
March 29-31, 2018

Uplift I, II and III
June 9-14, 16-21 and 23-28, 2018

Arkansas Ministers & Wives Day
Spring TBA

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