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To be set on *fire*;
to burn with
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The Campaign for
ASBURY UNIVERSITY

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This is the calling of Asbury University – to produce students of academic excellence and spiritual vitality who impact the world, fueled with passion for the cause of Christ.



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REUNION 2016

More than 1,300 guests — spanning class years from 1946 to 2015 — returned to campus, enjoying fellowship, catching up with classmates and celebrating the public launch of "Ignited: the Campaign for Asbury University."
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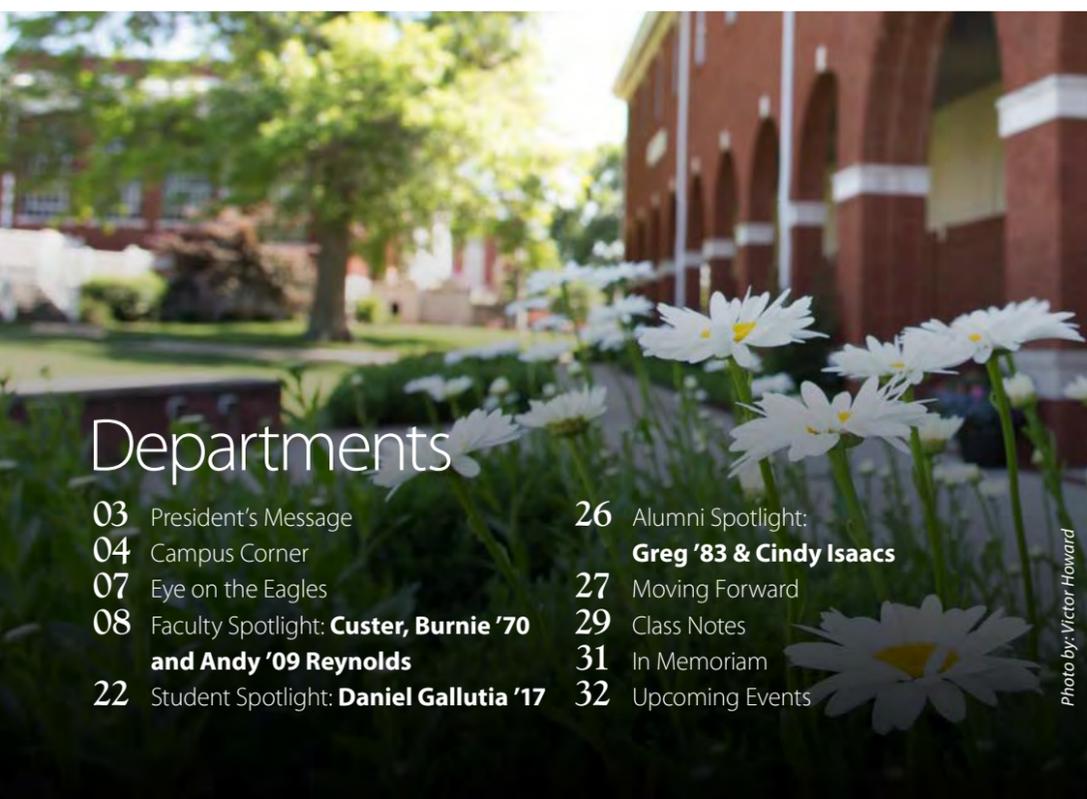
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Asbury University Communication Arts students will not just be working with the Olympic Broadcast Service in Brazil in August, but also as reporters for various media here in the U.S.



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On the Move?

If you've changed addresses recently, please be sure to let us know by sending your new address, phone number and e-mail to alumni@asbury.edu.



President's Message:

Loving and Serving 'A More Excellent Way'

As I reflect on this "Ambassador," a phrase from Scripture lingers in my mind — "a more excellent way." These words immediately precede 1 Cor. 13, the "love" passage so many of us hold dear. The phrase teaches us that love is both our ultimate goal and our daily calling.

Looking over these pages, I am filled with joy to see Asburians living out "a more excellent way." You will read of many examples in this edition.

The public launch of Ignited: The Campaign for Asbury University (pg. 10) is a reflection of Asbury's pursuit of "a more excellent way," sustaining our mission for the future. We believe an Asbury education opens doors of opportunity to make a difference for the Kingdom. As we contemplate world conditions, it's clear the world needs more Asburians — excellent in their fields, grounded in their faith and eager to continue His work, speaking truth into our culture.

Reunion 2016 (pg. 16) kindled a deep sense of hope and joy as the Asbury family gathered together and shared its involvement in God's work. More than 1,300 alumni and friends joined together for a weekend of fellowship, worship and celebration. Throughout the weekend, story after story confirmed what we already know to be true: Asbury alumni pursue "a more excellent way," living out the love of God in every sphere of life.

An awards ceremony during Reunion honored this year's recipients of the A-Award, Volunteer of the Year Award and

Young Alum Award (p. 18). Serving in fields as diverse as medicine, music, business and missions, our award recipients are but a few examples of Asbury leaders who follow the Lord's calling on their lives through love and service.

"I've come to start a fire on this earth... I've come to change everything, turn everything rightside up – how I long for it to be finished!" – Luke 12:49-50 (MSG)

We boldly step forward with courage, vision and expectant hearts, embracing the call of God upon Asbury University to ignite the world for the sake of the Kingdom. In Luke 12:49-50 (MSG), Jesus said, "I've come to start a fire on this earth ... I've come to change

everything, turn everything rightside up — how I long for it to be finished!" Jesus' passion is our passion; His love is our love. We believe with God's help, we will further the important work of Asbury, serving the present age.

Thank you for helping fuel the vision of what Asbury University can and must be in the days ahead. I pray that Asbury's influence and impact will continue to grow, and that, loving and serving, our lives will reflect "a more excellent way." ■

Dr. Sandra C. Gray
President



CAMPUS *Corner*

News, Notes & Other Items of Interest

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All Honored with Booth Award

Asbury University received The Salvation Army's Evangeline Booth Award — for its excellence in Christian education — during a national conference in Phoenix, Ariz. on April 23. Asbury is the only university in the world to have received the prestigious honor.



The Voices of Angels

In late May, Asbury University Chorale members — both students and alumni — enjoyed an amazing opportunity to tour internationally, serving as choir in residence at Bristol Cathedral in England. Through its residency, the Chorale provided music for the cathedral services of Eucharist and Evensong and performed two additional afternoon concerts at Bristol Cathedral and Wells Cathedral.

"God wants us to do our best to reflect His love wherever we go, and music is one of the most powerful tools that He's given us to do that. Music transcends cultural barriers and unifies us in a way that nothing else can."

— Sarah Grace Bloyd '17

2016 Grads, Time to Shine

Equipped for excellence and shaped by Asbury's transformative Christian community, hundreds of traditional undergraduate, graduate and degree-completion students graduated in early May and are ready to make an impact.

"I want to be a light in the darkness. Wherever I am and whatever I do, I want to shine bright for Jesus."

— Jorge Castorena '16, Journalism and Communication double major

ImpactU 2016: By the Numbers

An on-campus, college-type experience, ImpactU Academic Summer Camps allow high school students to interact with college faculty members, share ideas across disciplines and explore new academic areas, all within the context of Asbury's Christian community.

- 1** First year of Youth Becoming Leaders, a two-week camp in theology and leadership funded by a generous grant from the Lilly Endowment.
- 2** World-renowned musicians teaching one-on-one master classes at Brass Music camp.
- 5** Days out of five Adventure Leadership students spent in the wilderness instead of a classroom.
- 10** One-week residential camps that included: Creative Writing, Equine, Film I, Worship Arts/Audio Production, Adventure Leadership, Environmental Science & Biotechnology, Film II, Brass Music, Visual Arts and Theater & Acting.

- 30** The average number of inches of the "gar" fish caught and examined in science & biotech camp.



- 61** Percentage of campers who – before camp - said they had interest in attending Asbury.
- 87** Percentage of campers who – after camp - said they have interest in attending Asbury.

- 221** Record number of students who attended the camps at Asbury in June.

- 9,668** Miles one camper traveled from Singapore to participate in Equine camp.

Build It and They Will Run

Asbury University's Equine Center is preparing for more impact than ever with an exciting lineup of improvements taking place this summer. Increasing efficiency and safety, ongoing farm projects include a boarding barn, two new hay barns, a new waterline, automatic waterers in every pasture and a synthetic surface in the indoor riding arena.



Top 18% IN THE WORLD

All Students + All Profs = Awesome

Reaping the rewards of four long days of math, caffeine and camaraderie, Asbury University Math students earned top scores in the 2016 Consortium for Mathematics and its Applications (COMAP) Math Modeling Contest.

One Asbury-led team (Joo Won Jun '16, Seth Heiness '18 and high school student Meg Hull) scored in the Meritorious category (top 18 percent), and another (Robert Williams '17, Daniel Gallutia '17 and high school student Drew Ward) scored in the Honorable Mention category (top 45 percent).

Competing against more than 5,000 teams world-wide — including many teams from Ivy League universities — Asbury's student teams proved the excellence of their training.

“Sit on it,” Elmo

Asbury Communication Arts students had two unique, “only at Asbury” opportunities this summer... and we’re not even talking about working at the Summer Olympics in Rio (see page 24).

In June, more than 30 students had the opportunity to work alongside Hollywood actor and director Anson Williams (who played Potsie Weber on the show “Happy Days”), actors Doug Jones and Nancy Stafford, and others on a television pilot called “Nazareth.” Directed by Williams and produced by Asbury faculty and students (with Aaron Brenneman ‘15 and Laurie Jaffe ‘81 as executive producers), “Nazareth” was shot on Asbury’s campus and in the surrounding area. With filming complete, “Nazareth” is now in post-production before being shopped to networks for financial backing with hopes it will be picked up.

Also this summer, AU students enjoyed a first-hand media industry experience in New York City. Led by Dr. Doug Walker, the associate dean of the School of Communication Arts, the group experienced several live shows in production, including “60 Minutes,” “Late Night with Stephen Colbert,” “Good Morning America” and “Sesame Street Workshop.”



“We sat in the studio and asked anchors, stage managers and producers about their particular roles — it was so surreal,” Chelsea Bartlett ‘16 said. “Best of all, we were able to do camera testing with the ‘Good Morning America’ crew while sitting at the main anchor desk. It was such an incredible experience!”



Summer Lovin’

Most Asburians know Hughes Auditorium opened in 1929, but few probably know the first wedding held there was in the summer of 1930. It was commencement week and several couples received approval to get married in Hughes, so the first ceremony started early (a 7 a.m. wedding!). We’re not sure if it was done alphabetically, but at 7 a.m. on June 30, John T. Banks and Faye Edwards (both class of 1932) tied the knot. The photo of the couple seen here was donated to Asbury by their daughter, Mary Frances Banks ‘56 Newman.



EYE ON THE EAGLES

STARS ON & OFF THE FIELD

- Prayers go out to the women’s soccer team and their summer service in Colombia, just one of the many mission trips taken each year by Asbury student-athletes and coaches.
- More than 43 AU student-athletes received all-conference honors in 2015-16, including three NAIA Honorable-Mention All Americans.
- AU student-athletes are truly that. The department GPA (that’s more than 300 students) was 3.17 in the spring. Basketball player Catie Fletcher earned CoSIDA Academic All-American honors.
- Asbury University’s Mark Perdue was named the KIAC Athletic Director of the Year for 2015-16. Perdue has been an athletic director on the collegiate level for the past 12 years, the past five have been at Asbury.



NOW PITCHING... DR. GRAY

The bleachers for the baseball game at Asbury University’s Kirkland Complex were packed with fans one night in late April as AU celebrated “Campus Night.” With free hot dogs for all guests, live radio coverage from WLRT 1250AM in Lexington and seven senior players being honored for their careers as student-athletes, Campus Night was a great success.

HOOPS... THERE IT IS

- Asbury women’s basketball put together a historic season by winning it’s second-straight Kentucky Intercollegiate Athletic Conference Championship and winning a game at the NAIA National Championships for the first time. The team finished the season ranked No. 18 nationally, the highest in school history. In late June, Asbury announced Leann Dahlstein, previously at Southeastern University in Lakeland, Fla., as the new women’s basketball coach.
- Asbury announced in mid-May that the men’s basketball team will play an exhibition game against the University of Kentucky on Nov. 6 at Rupp Arena in Lexington, Ky. Ticket information is expected to be released soon.
- Asbury graduate Scott Chalk ‘85 coached the 2016 Dunbar High School boys basketball team to its first Kentucky state title. Then, just two weeks later, another Asbury graduate, Steve Smith ‘77, led his Oak Hill Academy (Va.) boys basketball team to victory in the Dick’s Sporting Goods High School National Championships.



AU celebrates its title, holding up four fingers to honor teammate Molly Harlin, who wore jersey #4 and passed away last August.

A RIVER RUNS THROUGH IT

The KIAC — the conference nearly all Asbury teams compete in — changed its name to the River States Conference on July 1 (which was the 100th anniversary of conference.) ■



Follow Asbury Athletics (with several live-streamed games) at asburyeagles.com

For more on what’s happening at Asbury, visit asbury.edu/news-events

Roots in Wilmore

For Burnie Reynolds '70 and Andy Reynolds '09, Asbury is part of the family

It's not hard to tell that Dr. Burnie Reynolds '70 (History) and Professor Andy Reynolds '09 (Social Work) are father and son. They share the same smile, the same self-effacing humor and assuredly the same deep love for teaching at Asbury University.

What may not be quickly apparent, though, is the breadth of their family history at Asbury. Burnie's father, Custer Reynolds, was an administrator and professor at Asbury from 1959 to 1980. Combined, the Reynolds' service at Asbury spans 57 consecutive years. In that time, campus has grown and changed, but one thing has stayed the same — Asbury University is part of the family.

The Reynolds' journey to Asbury began in a town named Florida, in Northwest Ohio, where Custer served as a school principal. He was converted during an evangelistic meeting led by Asbury alumnus Ford Philpot '50, and the entire trajectory of his life changed.

"Ford told him, 'You've got to go to Asbury Seminary,'" said Burnie. "So he came to Wilmore, and while he was here, he met President Z.T. Johnson, who offered him a job in the Department of Education at Asbury University."

Custer joined the Department of Education in 1959, and until 1980 he served Asbury in various roles as a professor, academic dean and head

of the Department of Education. For all his service, though, Custer's most enduring contributions to Asbury might well be his son. Burnie has taught in Asbury's History Department for 42 years — a career twice as long as his father's — and has been a life-changing mentor, scholar and friend.

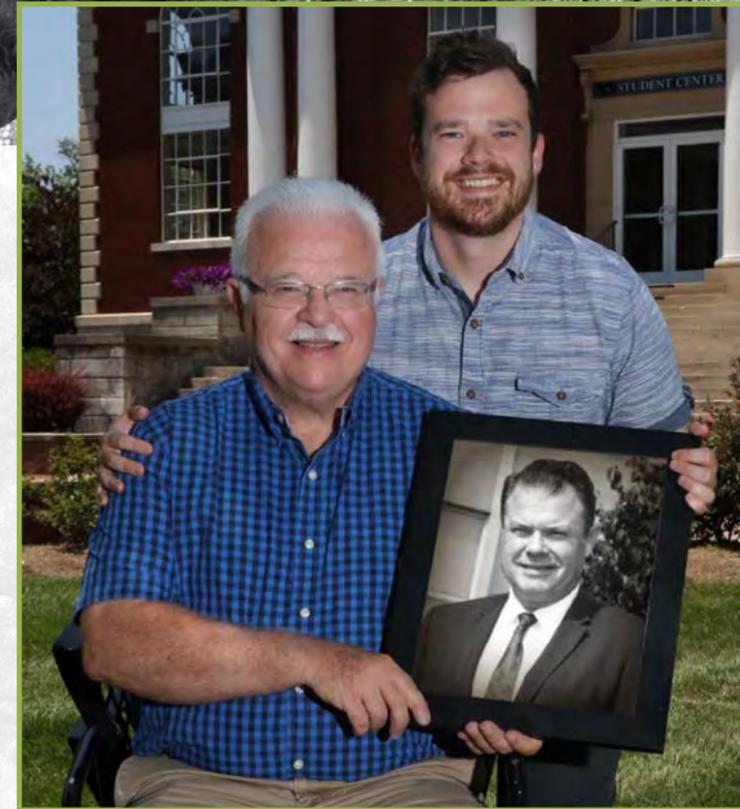
Burnie was 10 years old when the family moved to campus, and it didn't take him long to "start hanging around campus," meeting new friends and surreptitiously shooting hoops in the Doddridge-Holland gym. Eventually, he enrolled at Asbury for his undergraduate degree.

"Boy, am I glad I did," Burnie said. "Asbury is where I met my wife, and

we've been married 46 years. It's also where I decided the Middle Ages sounded interesting. Asbury formed my idea of professional identity and developed my aspirations. A lot of people said then what they still say now — 'There are no jobs in history!' But if the Lord wants you to do something, He'll make the way."

Next in Line

Following in the footsteps of his father and grandfather, Andy completed his MSW at Asbury and joined the Social Work faculty in 2013.



"Asbury was crucial in forming my identity," he continued. "I mean that in the larger sense — who I am, what I can bring to the world, what I can do for Christ? My classes, Chapel, friends and mentors

all posed questions I needed to ask myself during that time."

Burnie says the Reynolds-Asbury relationship is not rooted primarily in family tradition. It's a personal calling.

"Why is Asbury such an enduring part of our family?" he said. "The Lord called me here. It's just home." ■

Photo by: Danelle Alexis Photography



Ignited by Faith

by Joel Sams '15

Ambitious \$62-million campaign embraces God's vision for Asbury

On the last night of Reunion 2016, nine students lined the stage in Hughes Auditorium, each holding a sign marked with a number. After a countdown from Asbury President Sandra C. Gray and Campaign Steering Committee Co-Chair Greg Isaacs '83, they raised their signs to reveal the sum of commitments made so far to "Ignited: the Campaign for University."

Amazement turned into applause as alumni, faculty, students, parents and friends saw the number for the first time (pg. 12). At the beginning of its public phase, Ignited has received \$39,451,551 in committed gifts (current and estate) — 63.6 percent of the campaign's \$62-million goal. The announcement underscores a basic premise of Ignited: God has abundantly provided for Asbury in the past, He is abundantly providing now and He will continue to provide abundantly in the future.

"God has prepared Asbury University for 'such a time as this,'" said Gray. "Through Ignited, we are embracing the bold vision He has for us — equipping our students to impact the world in every field of calling. Ignited powerfully supports Asbury's mission, and we are stepping out with full faith in God's provision."

The most comprehensive capital campaign in Asbury's history, Ignited will significantly increase funding for student scholarships, new and enhanced facilities, faculty development, academic programs, the student experience and much more. To be completed during a four-year public phase, Ignited has already been through a quiet phase under the direction of Isaacs and Walt '63 and Rowena '63 Shaw.

"You can see God's timing in the common purpose and vision of people coming behind Dr. Gray to

support Ignited," said Isaacs. "An Asbury education speaks volumes into the current culture, and Ignited furthers our mission of graduating students equipped to make an impact through academic excellence and spiritual vitality."

The priorities of Ignited fall under three categories: Facilities, Scholarships and Experience. Within each of these categories, there are more specific opportunities to give. Featured initiatives of Ignited include Student Scholarships, the Collaborative Learning Center and the Student Center Revitalization project.

With a \$27-million goal, the Student Scholarships initiative includes both current

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Initiatives Honor Outstanding Dedication

As part of Ignited, three special campaign initiatives will honor individuals who have served Asbury with outstanding faithfulness and dedication.

A \$2.5-million initiative will honor former Asbury faculty members Alan '60 (Psychology) and Yvonne Cochran '58 Moulton (English). One portion of the funds will secure the naming of an entryway of the Student Center in their honor, creating an area at the juncture of the Student Center and Reasoner Green that will be known as Moulton Commons. Another portion of the funds will create the Al and Yvonne Moulton Endowed Scholarship Fund for psychology majors.

Another effort, led by The Salvation Army, will raise \$3 million to name the revitalized Student Center (a \$5-million goal) in honor of General Paul Rader '56 (Ret.) and Commissioner Kay Fuller '57 Rader. In addition to the Raders' service as the worldwide leaders of The Salvation Army, Paul served as President of Asbury University (2000-07) and Kay was a member of the Asbury Board of Trustees.

Finally, a group of Asbury alumni, led by Jeff Stryker '87, are spearheading an effort to raise \$2.5 million to secure the naming of the atrium in Asbury's planned Collaborative Learning Center (CLC) in honor of former Asbury Professor Don Winslow '65. Supporting the naming effort, an Asbury alumnus and his wife have offered \$500,000 as a challenge grant that will add 25 percent to every dollar pledged to the effort.



To learn more about Ignited, watch the launch event or support the campaign visit asbury.edu/ignited



Students display the current sum of campaign commitments during

the public launch of Ignited: The Campaign for Asbury University.

Continued from page 10.

use scholarships (awarded directly to students in support of their tuition) and endowed scholarships (invested funds that continue to provide scholarship aid to students for generations to come).

Ignited will also support the first phase of Asbury's new Collaborative Learning Center (CLC) with a \$17-million goal, funding foundational labs and classrooms, a collaborative atrium and an auditorium. Asbury's final vision of the CLC is an 82,000-square-foot building including labs, classrooms, a collaboration center, conference rooms, faculty offices, an auditorium and an atrium. The CLC is anticipated to accommodate 130 students majoring in the natural and allied sciences, 70 students majoring in the quantitative sciences and 400 students majoring in business.

With a \$5-million goal, the Student Center Revitalization initiative will fully renovate and expand the Student Center. The project will almost double the square footage

of the Student Center by opening up the first floor and providing several different entrances to the building based on the natural traffic patterns of campus life.

Lt. Col Ron Busroe '74, a Salvation Army officer and member of the campaign steering committee, is leading one of the campaign's special initiatives (see page 11) to name the Student Center in honor of General Paul Rader '56 (Ret.) and Commissioner Kay Fuller '57 Rader.

"The Student Center is the ideal opportunity to honor General and Commissioner Rader because of their ongoing relationship with students," Busroe said. "Additionally, it's an ideal way to serve students. University life can be a very stressful time, and it's important that students have a place to meet, enjoy each other and share ideas.

The revitalized Student Center will be a space that stimulates students socially, spiritually and intellectually, and that's a very important part of the Asbury experience."

Another key campaign initiative is faculty support. Funds raised through Ignited will help recruit



and Allied Health. With a background in kinesiology, Sutlive will help shape the interdisciplinary nature of Natural Sciences and Allied Health. Additionally, Dr. Chris Bounds '88 — a pastor, theologian, professor and noted speaker — will become chair of Christian Studies and Philosophy. Bounds will also serve as a Wesley Scholar, exploring and raising awareness of Asbury's Wesleyan Heritage.

"To invest in the faculty is one of the most important ways to invest in students," said Provost Jon Kulaga. "As they become more excellent in what they do, that spills out into the classroom. As a result of some initial gifts, we've already seen a tremendous impact on the number of faculty who are submitting papers and speaking at conferences, and we're already seeing an uptick in the number of faculty development requests

coming through my office. What we've received already has had a tremendous impact."

For Charlie Shepard '99, vice president for Institutional Advancement at Asbury, Ignited plays a key role in supporting Asbury's mission for the future, and he's excited to see the growth of its public impact.

"We are thrilled to share the full scope of Ignited: the Campaign for Asbury University," Shepard said. "Encompassing facilities, scholarships, faculty support and the student experience, Ignited has the power to spark new growth at Asbury and to embolden the pursuit of our continuing mission. We can't wait to see what God has in store over the next four years, and we invite you to partner with us." ■



The Behnkes shared some quality time with Angie at Reunion 2016.

Case in Point

A scholarship made Asbury possible for Angie Molnar '19

By funding scholarships, Ignited makes a powerful difference in the lives of students. Angie Molnar '19, a double major in Business and Marketing, is one example of a student whose life has already been touched by gifts made through Ignited.

Due to financial hurdles, Angie thought she would not be able to come back to Asbury after her freshman year. One afternoon, though, President Sandra C. Gray called her into her office to share some good news. Two alumni — Steve

Behnke '94 and Ashleigh Lindsay-Behnke '98 — wanted to provide a scholarship large enough to keep her at Asbury for the remainder of her education.

"Every night, I was praying God would provide," Molnar said. "I told myself, 'God is bigger than this amount of money.' Dr. Gray phrased it perfectly to me — it was 'a tangible moment when we saw God's faithfulness.'"

"I am so grateful to be at Asbury," she continued. "It has changed my life forever. I want to use this opportunity as a solid ground to plant my feet and lift off — to go out into the world and be able to do this for other people."

For Steve and Ashleigh, generosity is simple obedience. They see themselves as stewards of resources that belong to God, and they are motivated by a desire to help Molnar graduate from Asbury free of debt.

"It's not because we're somehow special," Steve said. "We're not amazing at all. It's just how the Lord has put this together for all of us."

"It's humbling to connect with Angie and to help her continue at Asbury," Ashleigh agreed. "We feel so strongly that Asbury University is truly a special place, and it's a joy to be part of that."

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LOOKING BACK AT REUNION 2016



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"I just love the atmosphere of being back at Asbury," said Elsa Jensen '63 Davis. "The moment you walk on campus, you can sense God's spirit."

Sitting outside Johnson Cafeteria, surrounded by friends from the Class of 1963, Davis summed up the experience of Reunion 2016 at Asbury.

More than 1,300 guests — spanning class years from 1946 to 2015 — returned to campus for the weekend, enjoying fellowship, catching up with campus and celebrating the public launch of "Ignited: the Campaign for Asbury University."

Throughout the weekend, alumni enjoyed Chapel services in Hughes Auditorium with Rurel Ausley '76, Jeannie Banter '06 and Irv Brendlinger '66. For many alumni, including Ausley, worship is a focal point of Reunion. In Friday's Chapel, Ausley emphasized the importance that worship at Asbury had in his life.

"I made life-changing decisions right here in this auditorium, and maybe some of you did, too," Ausley said. "Those decisions set a trajectory for my life, and I like to return and say, 'Thank you, Jesus.'"

On Friday evening, alumni packed Hughes again for the popular Old-Fashioned Hymn Sing and Awards Ceremony. Hundreds of guests enjoyed music led by Dr. Mark Schell '87, accompanied by Hannah Schell '14 Miller, Joshua Bracken '14 and Roger Blackburn '67. During the service, President Sandra C. Gray recognized the A-Award, Young Alum Award and Volunteer of the Year Award recipients.

Throughout Saturday afternoon, guests attended Chapel, class luncheons, a watermelon party on Reasoner Green, campus tours and much more.

"The best part of Reunion is the friendships we get to continue," said Stephanie Gehring '94 Rodriguez, president of the Alumni Board. "It's not only reconnecting with people I was close to here at Asbury, but it's also rekindling friendships with some I didn't know quite as well during college. Those individuals who keep coming back have become dear friends."

For many, the high point of Reunion came on Saturday evening with the public launch of "Ignited: the Campaign for Asbury University" (see page 10). With a goal of \$62 million, the campaign funds scholarships, facilities, faculty support, the student experience and much more. With music, testimonies and a candle-lighting ceremony — followed by a reception and fireworks by the water tower — the launch of Ignited was an event to remember.

"This is a very humble and sacred moment for us, in that we recognize that God is the source and that He is entrusting us to do His bidding in the days ahead," Gray said. "We want to end this service with a heart of thanksgiving, but also, with a resolve that we will spread the light of Jesus — 'in Jerusalem, in Samaria, and to the uttermost parts of the earth.'" ■



Visit asbury.edu/reunion to watch the Reunion recap video, Chapels, services and the Ignited launch event.

Vanguards
CLASS OF 1966



BACK ROW: William Keith, Doug Weeks (Class Sponsor), John Phillips, Gary Saylor, Denton Cormany; Jim Fillingim, Merrill Kanouse, Wesley Sundin, Carl Drennen, Rand McEndre, Jerry Miller; **ROW FIVE:** Carl Fliermans, Chuck Slemenda, Al Peach, Leroy Walz, Tom Brown, Mike Shirley, Russell Williams, David Winkle, Chuck Jacobs, Paul Beecham, Irv Brendlinger; **ROW FOUR:** Luckie McClintock, Terry McCollum, Jim Nelson, Jiles Parham, Beverly Algren Pitcher, Jama Bell Martin, Kay Creech Fillingim, Karen Lane Shelberg, Loretta Agnor Caldwell, Ann Kenninson Van Valin, Fran Rice Osborne, Loretta Harmer Blowers; **ROW THREE:** Bob Maxwell, Bill John, Joan Crouse John, Richard Hargett, Ruth Miller Doyle, Robin Bauer Cormany, Arlene Stucky Hughes, Bob Spaeth, Pat Bartleson Carner, Bill Tolbert, Alan Nagel; **ROW TWO:** Allen Deyo, Sue Gandy Deyo, Ginny Porter Au, Connie Spencer Wigton, Cynthia Robinson Hulett, Susi Showers Roberts, Tim Hume, Sharon Yates Gladstone, Joyce Adcock Anders, Walter Stone, Elmer Willhite, John H. Coffee; **FRONT ROW:** Harland Lutz (Class Advisor), Becky McDowell Powell, Norma Russell Trott, Claudia Fisher Miller, Dee Van Arsdall Paine, Judy Henderson Young, Esther Schubert Chambers, Vangie Erny Billing, Priscilla Allinson, Janis Flesher Riffell, Sarah Case Holifield

Aztecs
CLASS OF 1971



BACK ROW: Bob Biddulph, Mike Owen; **ROW TWO:** Sharon Clark Bryson, George Hodgkins, Ted Moon, Jack Graham, Joy Juvinall, Kathie Aufrance Jerrell, Vernon Vore, Larry Green, Don Adams, Stephen Patton, Jeannine Brabon; **FRONT ROW:** Grace Lowry Woods, Elaine Cairns Hartung, Naomi Glasgow Babcock, Judi Kinlaw, Bobbie Toussaint Vore, Alice Arnold Meyer, Brenda Key Adams, Marilyn Bolerjack Blackburn

You're Invited!
A SMALL COLLEGE'S
REUNION 2016

Pioneers
CLASS OF 1976



BACK ROW: Thomas Gore, Malcolm Pugh, Robert Gillette, Mark Hannay, Francis Diederich, John-Mark Brabon, John Hutchinson, Ruel Ausley, Dennis Johnson, Bob Moon, Tom McKain; **ROW TWO:** Karen Brammer, Beth Kesler Gillette, Mary Jean McKenzie Banter, Melanie Wood Cavanaugh, Koby Miller, Melinda Jones, Jeannie Corbitt Jones, Erol Altug, Jamie Leudeke, Bonnie Banker (Class Advisor); **FRONT ROW:** Susan Boggs Arnold, LaVada Vaillancourt McCosh, Carolyn Kusche Hale, Robin Rader, Louise Delano-Sharpe, Nancy Stanley, Debra Campbell, Margaret Law Howell, Joanne Davis, Jeanette Davis Davis, Charlotte Stephens Groves, Carol Jones

You're Invited!
A SMALL COLLEGE'S
REUNION 2016

Centurions
CLASS OF 1981



BACK ROW: Steve Coil, Mark Royster, Richard Smith, Mary Bowdle McKee, Brian McKee, Jonathan Massey, Rob Aukerman, Chris Phillips, Rick Jenkins; **ROW THREE:** Vanessa Hamblin Fletcher, Cindy Holmes Moore, Sherri Eads Ganka, David Majors, Greg Austin, Mark Ridenour, Carolyn Ridley, Steve Barnett; **ROW TWO:** Laura Billingsley MacLachlan, Clare Newton Bez, Zoe Brown Custer, C.J. Hunter, Sherry Brock Moore, Linda Lowman Ridenour, Miriam Pope Phillips, Betty Donaldson Aukerman; **FRONT ROW:** Cheryl Cox Goodwin, Jenny Luce Shattuck, Veronica Sadler-Williams, Nancy Donehoo Hunter, Trudy Papini Hickey, Michele Devereaux

Contenders
CLASS OF 1986



BACK ROW: Brian Eddy, Bradley Caldwell, Andy Neyman, Jeff Edwards, Todd Swathwood; **ROW TWO:** Stephen Crouse, Jon Crouse, Rich Ford, John Scott, Scott Beck, David Hoag, Norm Barker, Ted Batson, Cory Olson, Leigh Ellen Hughes Olson, Ruthanna Kellner Corbitt; **FRONT ROW:** Laura Hudson Patterson, Barbara Lowe Stryker, Donna Winslow Crouse, Lisa Corbett Bacon, Beth Waters Shaw, Twyla McPherson Heinlein, Debbie Payton Jewell, Lisa Aills Beard, Cindy Moegerle Graf, Cindy Carlstadt Gunsalus, Hilda Louthain Fyock

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A SMALL COLLEGE'S
REUNION 2016

Dawn Treaders
CLASS OF 1991



BACK ROW: Andy Willingham, Mark Mungillo, Tim Powell, Todd McPherson, Glenn Hamilton, Kevin Becht, Joe Henderson, William Coffman Jr., Perry Dougherty, Dard Hunter, Joe Kosin, Farai Makombe; **ROW TWO:** Jim Gregory, Doreen Spielvogel Vaughn, Charis Lawrence Baumgartner, Sharon Stice Bicknell, Jenny Gould Bilkey, Kirsten Lindgren, Shawna Wollett Steele, Susie McQueen Henize, Claudia Furlong Kuhnast, Denise Briesacher Muenz, Lori Mayes Gauze, Rita Fryklind Mullin, Jeremy Oden; **FRONT ROW:** Harold and Shari Rainwater (Class Advisors), Shawn Fluck Swartzentruber, Conchie McCanley Henderson, Dawn McFarland Coffman, Tina Doverspike Colton, Angie McAlpine Keas, Joy Fowler Wyse, Joy Davidson Smith, Sylvia Boykin Neff, Kristin Hayes Bryan

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SCHOOL LEADERSHIP
REUNION 2016

Proclaimers
CLASS OF 1996



BACK ROW: David Rodriguez, Jason Dickerson, Scott Marsee, Andy Baker; Michael West, Greg Jacobs, Daniel Beaty, **ROW THREE:** Art and Kathleen Nonneman (Class Advisors), Sarah Mitchell Stallsmith, Jennifer Weed Swee, Sara Jamison Beaty, Jan Graves, Anne Jones, Missy Collins Decker; **ROW TWO:** Lerenda Purvis Walton, Vonda Carlisle Bryce, Vanessa Carlisle West, Amy Farvorte Jacobs, Tracie Goetz Searles, Laurie Wofford Kjernald, Julie Sproul Wallace, Kristin Hunt, Jody Watson Reed, Lisa Wilson Mishler, Melissa Hargenrader Singleton, Laurie Laffer Danley; **FRONT ROW:** Cliff Mitchem, Glenn Stallsmith, David Beaty, Sunny Bach, William Spencer, Jerald Walz

Redeemed
CLASS OF 2001



BACK ROW: Jeremiah Kuhn, Robyn Polson Wahl and Shawn Casselberry (Class Sponsors), Matthew Stumpf, Nathan Williamson, Tim Gibson, Charley Neal, Jeremy Hatfield, Matt Kinnell; **ROW FOUR:** Rachel Snow Dvorak, Sarah Ligon, Jennifer Noah, Ric Speakman, Stacy Paterson Marshall, Lily North, Jenni Dean Kisby, Jared Porter; **ROW THREE:** Christel Brabon, Sam Bott, Rich Nichols, Paul Niswander, Jeffrey Riel, Sarah Price Atwood, Daniel Kiteck; **ROW TWO:** Wayne and Alice Rogers (Class Advisors), Jennifer Fiedler Larimore, Natalie Gregoire Baribeault, Rachel Smith Derksen, Martha Blackburn Williams, Betsy Stoffregen Jackson, Karen Day Riel, Jennifer Watson; **FRONT ROW:** Kerry McKinney Graul, Dana Peyton Russell, Rebecca Grant Nichols, Tiffany Barrett Ritter, Melissa Howard Speakman, Becky Schultz Friesen, Candace Nisbett McCallister, Amy Neild Kinnell

Steadfast
CLASS OF 2006



BACK ROW: Trevor Kretz, Zach Morgan, Heather McColl, Curt Rowland, Monica Wray Rowland, Jarrod Cropper, Brandon Combs, Mark Leach, Caleb Swaringen, Derek Blyer, Quincy Burt, Joe Wiley, Becca Blaine Haggard; **ROW FOUR:** Tim Morrill, Russell Cobb, Jay Clifton, Jonny Roggio, Enoch Jacobus, David Smythe, Dale Davis, Benny Gettinger, Jon Fennell, Sarah Fowler Peterson, Kaleb Phillips; **ROW THREE:** Ben Erny, Kristina Rader Erny, Mary Lundquist Thomas, Erin Speck Clifton, Brandon Biggm, Adam Whitman, Sarah McKain Flannery, Judy Buskey, Becky Wilsey Feuerbach, Sarah Smith Cheung, Kate Rutt Phillips, Michael Dobie; **ROW TWO:** Megan Reed Sprinkle, Lisa Aurand Rice, Laurajo Gillespie Ross, Sarah Henrizi Banter, Jeannie Banter, Emily Iddings, Megan Irvine Aeschliman, Bahar Altug Hill, Melissa Atkins Runyon, Abby Crawford Dobie, Melissa Crosby Thorson; **FRONT ROW:** Katie Hunter, Nancy Keller, Ashley Filges Bell, Amanda Blevins Zopp, Maren Banus, Vanessa Lyding Roggio, Britni Edwards Brattlof, Elizabeth Rogers Bentley, Hannah Rohe Mastbergen, Christy Lee Swaringen, Alicia Kraus Gates, Kim Reeves Campbell, Erin Brewer Tigges, Lindsey Stevens Wyllys

Fearless
CLASS OF 2011



BACK ROW: Greg Bowling, Evan Fleming, Taylor Keller, Erin Barker, Melissa Moon, Emily Johnston Losekamp, Emily Bridges Seagraves, David Schanck, Sarah Brunner Yoder, Laura Laffoon Wheeler, Micah Wheeler, Charlie Hunter, Edwin Gex Williams IV, Alasdair Wooffitt; **ROW THREE:** Angel Jones McPherson, Chris Hewett, Liz Prillaman Hewett, Christie Gleason, Andrea Ritchie Howard, Ashley Cole, Sarah Rudy Schanck, Andrew Groves, Mitch Yoder, Emily Stein, Kimmy White, Laura Bryant Wooffitt, Joe Thacker; **ROW TWO:** Kate Brannen, Marie-Claire DeJarnett, Kindra Cook Keller, Miriam Ellis Fleming, Joy Stebner Kreider, Anna Giaritelli, Tiffany Bacon Groves, Keturah Chisholm Johnson, Kerstin Graf Wake, Sara Plummer Reeves; **FRONT ROW:** James Torell, Jenelle McClean, BJ Pugh, Nathan Crum, Kevin Wolf, Austin Powell, Jessica Ruehr Powell, Jon Ramsay, Christopher Birnbaum

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SCHOOL LEADERSHIP
REUNION 2016

REUNION 2016 *Banner-Year Classes*

Warriors
CLASS OF 1946



Marjorie Lockard Snyder, Phyllis Davidson Corbitt

Trojans
CLASS OF 1951



David Long, Wayne Patton, Kathleen High, Don Howard

Eagles
CLASS OF 1956



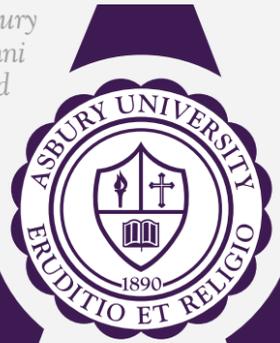
BACK ROW: Harry Baas, Norman Guess, Max Hickman, Walter Lockhart, Emma Jean Anderson Van Ness; Charlotte Crouse Brown; **ROW THREE:** Beatriz Arze Houmard, Lila Nakamura Ashitomi, Beth Lane Gardner, Delia Daughtry Peterson, Carolyn Stoneback Davidheiser, Naomi Bletscher Williamson, June Chaney Pustelnyk, Rhunelle Woolfolk Hotinger, Margaret Jones, Iris McGill Wilson, Myrna Wheeler Guillen; **ROW TWO:** Lillian Murphy Vickers, Shirlee Jacobs Ater, Charlotte Cottrell Brown, Shirley Maier Hickman, Frances Banks Newman, Nancy Nelson Copeland, Martha Dorn Cox; **FRONT ROW:** Buddy Coleman, Lorell Aills, Jim Bushee, Paul Haering, Kenneth Ashitomi, Stan Backman, Donald Sparks, Paul Rader

Pioneers
CLASS OF 1961



BACK ROW: Larry Wingate, Leroy Schultz, Ivan Zabilka, Robert Wiley, Joe Pitts, Bill Swathwood, Ron Hiner, Charles Bradley, Charles Penn, Ken Fraser, Paul West; **FRONT ROW:** Lou Ann Jones Abbott, Carol Seelman Zabilka, Ginny Pratt Pitts, Becky Kibbey Swathwood, Delia (Dee) Pena Skeels, Martie Ewan Gaines, Nancy Clemans Fraser

Since 1946, the Asbury University Alumni Association has recognized alumni who have achieved distinction professionally and demonstrated loyalty to the University by presenting the —



AWARDS



Left to Right: Mark Ridenour '81, Dr. Sandra C. Gray, Margaret Watson '66 Lewis and Dr. Robert Wiley, Jr. '61. Awards were presented Friday evening during Reunion.



Dr. Robert Wiley, Jr. '61

Retired, Thoracic & Vascular Surgeon

Dr. Wiley (Bob) is a retired thoracic and peripheral vascular surgeon, having practiced this specialty in Mansfield, Ohio from 1975 to 2003.

He grew up in Wilmore and graduated from Asbury in 1961. He completed his medical training at Vanderbilt University in Nashville, Tenn. in 1966. After completing an internship in surgery at the University of Cincinnati, Bob married Mary Ann. He spent two years in the U.S. Army Medical Corps, one of which was in Vietnam. He received a Purple Heart and several Bronze Stars for his service. He then returned to the University of Cincinnati where he completed six additional years of training in general and cardiovascular surgery. He and Mary Ann are members of the First Alliance Church. Bob was elected to Asbury's Board of Trustees in 1981 and has served faithfully for 33 years, after rotating off two different times. He and his wife are committed to serve the University and share a deep love for Asbury students. He serves as the Reunion Class Gift Chair this year and is volunteering for the Ignited Campaign. The Wileys have four children, Pam (associate alum), Bill '93, David '95 and Rebecca '97, and 15 grandchildren. Bob has more than 15 family members who have attended Asbury. When there is free time, he enjoys hunting wildflowers and game, fishing, gardening and woodcutting.



Margaret Watson '66 Lewis

Village Project Africa

One week after graduating from Asbury, Margaret married high school sweetheart, David Lewis. They were married nearly 40 years

before he died from a malignant brain tumor in 2006. During their 40 years together, their adventures were far and wide as they travelled to more than 60 countries. Margaret and David both worked at Anderson University (Ind.) and often led mission teams of family, friends and Anderson students. After David's death, Margaret knew her life would change drastically. She prayed for God's direction and help. Volunteering in a bible college library in Kenya since 1996, she believed the best decision was to return to Kenya, both for healing and service. Within a few months, Margaret joined one of the seminary graduates and his family to start a village ministry for orphans and widows. This one small step of faith has led to a dynamic and growing ministry now called Village Project Africa. "Little is much when God is in it," and I knew God was in this small beginning." This non-profit organization founded in 2006 provides education, nutrition and medical care to children at the Heritage Academy in Makutano, Kenya. As president and founder of Village Project Africa, Margaret divides her time, living both in Kenya and Fishers, Ind. She has two children, Christopher and Stephanie, and five grandchildren.



Mark Ridenour '81

Assistant Principal Trumpet, Chicago Symphony

In 1994, Mark was appointed as assistant principal trumpet of the Chicago Symphony Orchestra. From 2003 until 2005, he served as the orchestra's

acting principal trumpet. He began his professional career when he was appointed third trumpet in the Lexington Philharmonic while a senior at Asbury. He continued in this position through graduate school and also became a member of the Dayton Philharmonic. Next came an appointment to the trumpet section of the Memphis Symphony Orchestra, where he also served as acting principal trumpet his first season. Ridenour then accepted the position of principal trumpet with the Florida Orchestra, where he spent six seasons before going to Chicago. He also plays with the Canadian Staff Band of The Salvation Army. He began playing the trumpet at age 10 and played trumpet, baritone and tuba in the band through high school. His first private lesson came when he enrolled at Asbury. He earned a Master of Music degree at the University of Cincinnati College-Conservatory of Music and completed two years of doctoral studies. Currently, he is on the faculty of Roosevelt University in Chicago. He teaches and gives master classes in Canada, Europe and Asia. Mark spends time away from the CSO with family, playing golf, developing his company (Martromba LLC) and working at his farm in Kentucky.

YOUNG ALUM AWARD



Dr. Jeremy Corbett '01

Physician, Entrepreneur

After graduating from Asbury, Jeremy completed his medical education at the University of South

Florida's Morsani College of Medicine, followed by residency training at the University of Kentucky, where he served as Chief Resident of Emergency Medicine in 2008. He is board certified in Emergency Medicine and practices clinically as a partner with Central Emergency Physicians in Lexington, Ky. In addition to his clinical practice, Jeremy is active in the healthcare space, having spent several years with a biotechnology startup before transitioning to a leadership role within Envolve Health, a subsidiary of Centene Corporation. Jeremy says he married "WAY up" and has been married to Cassie Davis '02 Corbett for 13 years. They have three children: Davis, Hill and Caroline.

2015-16 Institutional Advancement

VOLUNTEERS OF THE YEAR



Larry '75 and Debbie Brunning '77 Andrews have tirelessly supported Asbury since their graduation. Four of their five children have graduated from Asbury, with their youngest set to graduate

in 2017. Living in Florida until this month, they have opened their home to countless students and alumni through the years. They have cooked and cleaned for, recruited, played, served, cried, laughed and prayed with, and offered comfort to those who have stayed with them. The Andrews have always supported their children in their many athletic endeavors and they believe teams are a wonderful place to learn how to love and live well. Last summer, Larry joined Asbury's men's soccer team on its mission trip to Puerto Rico. This experience was shared with two of his sons – his youngest, who is a player on the team and another son, who is the coach. Larry has faithfully served on the Alumni Board for the past three years and he and Debbie both plan to invest in AU Athletics upon their return to Wilmore. Their move will enable them to continue to pour into their family and Asbury.



After helping coordinate her 50th reunion and then assisting last year's 50th class, **Carolyn Chandler '64 Smith** decided it would be a great idea to invite several classes together for a reunion luncheon this year. You can

never see enough of your Asbury friends! So, she did just that and the Mariners ('63), Vikings ('64) and Conquerors ('65) met together for their own celebration lunch at Asbury. Through many volunteer phone calls and e-mails, and with the help of several others, she helped bring more than 90 classmates and spouses back to campus for the event. "We are grateful for her thoughtfulness, excitement and coordination," said Asbury's Alumni Director Lisa Falin '90 Harper. ■

Reunion 2016 Class Gift: Rader Student Center Revitalization

SECOND-YEAR GOAL MET

\$250,000

PROJECT HIGHLIGHTS

The 2016 Reunion Project is the second year of a four-year reunion project to raise \$1 million towards renovating all three floors of this historic building. In two years, more than \$500,000 has been raised making it the largest two-year funding of a reunion gift ever!

- The **large windows** allow for plenty of natural lighting.
- The **large open rooms** are ideal for students to enjoy small clusters of seating groups while also providing quality space for larger special events.
- It is the students' living room where they go to relax in a fun, comfortable setting. It's where they **enjoy the company of other students.**
- A **welcoming location for campus visitors** and home to student government offices.
- Opening the lower level will almost **double the square footage.**
- **"One-stop shopping"** in the middle of campus for students to visit the campus post office, student store or get coffee in the Hiccup Café.
- Multiple entrances to the building allow for the natural traffic patterns of campus life to maximize this space as the **"Campus Hub."**

Visit asbury.edu/reuniongift to help support this project.



"The Student Center is a great place for conversation and forging relationships to last a lifetime. Thank you for helping make community happen."

– Matt Jackson '17, Student Body President

1 What did it feel like to be in Hughes Auditorium again at Reunion 2016?

"It was wonderful to worship in Hughes again. The rest of the weekend won't compare to singing our class hymn, 'Are Ye Able.' The woman sitting next to me was crying, and I held her hand — it was quite an experience. Our class hymn has a challenge that goes along with the music, and to hear everybody singing that in Hughes – we won't top that." – Margaret Jones '56

2 What's something you learned at Asbury that has always stayed with you?

"When I came to school here, they sent me to Professor Ruth Craig for help with writing. The things that she said to me really built up my esteem and sense of self-worth, because I knew I was deficit in those areas. She just really encouraged me. Fast forward 20 some years I authored two books – study materials for the state and national counseling licensure exams – that are still in print. There was a lot of impact at Asbury, but Mrs. Craig really changed my life." – Richard Smith '81

3 What was the most unusual tradition you took part in while at Asbury?

"Johnson Hall had this longstanding tradition when we were here that whenever a guy on the hall got engaged, at some point, the rest of the hall would kidnap him and go throw him in a pond. I got thrown in a pond in the spring semester of 2011." – Austin Powell '11

4 How has your class identity continued to impact you through the years?

"Whenever our church sings our class hymn (*O for a Thousand Tongues*) or references our verse (Ps. 18:2), those memories really come back. I like our verse because it says God is your strength and your salvation for eternal life. He is there to be with you in all times, no matter what." – Joyce Marriott '64 Jensen

5 What advice would you give to a student of the incoming freshman class?

"Try to be aware of enjoying your time each year. Take advantage of the time to examine your spiritual life, and don't just shove it aside, because it's a great opportunity to set a foundation for yourself. When you're here, things like Chapel are part of your routine, but very shortly after graduation you'll realize what a special opportunity it was to be able to go to Chapel." – Jeff Edwards '86 ■

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QUESTIONS WITH AU ALUMNI

We'd love to hear from YOU! Tweet, post or gram your favorite Asbury memory and be sure to tag us.

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Get SMART

A highly selective engineering scholarship is just the beginning for Daniel Gallutia '17

Before Daniel Gallutia '17 came to Asbury University, engineering was just another career option — a pragmatic choice that capitalized on his skills in math and science. After three years in Asbury's Math Department, though, he's earned a new perspective and an amazing opportunity to make a difference.

"Throughout my time at Asbury, the importance of service has influenced my mindset towards a career," Gallutia said. "I now see engineering as more than just a job — it's a calling and an opportunity to serve. Before Asbury, my motivation wasn't very clear. Learning how to serve in a community and be an example of Christ has been very important."

An Engineering Mathematics major, Gallutia was recently named a Department of Defense Science, Mathematics and Research for Transformation (DoD SMART) Scholar. Part of the National Defense Education Program, the scholarship is highly competitive, with only 11 percent of applicants awarded last year. While the internship is a launching point for Gallutia's future career, he also sees it as a service opportunity with immediate ramifications.

"Through the internship, I'm going to be working on submarine technology, which will have a direct impact on the safety of our troops," Gallutia said. "We want to make sure that we're making systems and structures as safe as possible to save as many lives as possible."

Gallutia's passion for service has been strengthened by rigorous academic preparation and close relationships with Asbury Math professors, especially Dr. David Coulliette '81, who advised him through his application and decision.

"When I applied for the scholarship, talking to Dr. Coulliette reminded me how important my personal relationships with these professors have been," Gallutia said. "The community in the Math and Science Department has deepened my love for my subject and shaped me to be the mathematician — and person — that I am." ■



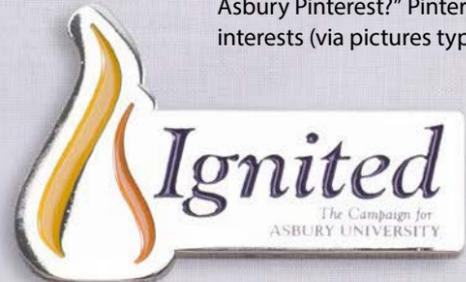
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FROM GETTING PINNED TO Pinterest

Attention Younger Alums (this is for you): Back in the day — we're talking before girls wore a young man's letter jacket and even before a young lady might wear her boyfriend's class ring on a chain around her neck — couples would "get pinned" as a pre-engagement way of saying "we're going steady." At big, public colleges that usually meant a fraternity lad would offer his Greek pin to his girl, but at hundreds of other schools (including Asbury) pins representing the school, a particular society, club or class were more popular.

Attention Older Alums (this is for you): Though you might see a class create and share a pin, it's typically a department or the University that produces them these days. Say the words "Asbury pin" to somebody under 30, and you're quite likely to hear "do you mean Asbury Pinterest?" Pinterest is a social media network where you can share similar interests (via pictures typically) with others. Just "pin" things to your board and browse what others "pin" to theirs...basically.



Enjoy the collection of pins on this page (dating from as far back as the 1920s to last month's Ignited Campaign pin) with most shared by Asbury's Dean of Communication Arts, Jim Owens, and the Asbury Archives. Some of the most interesting pins are actually created by

Owens for Comm Arts students who work at each Olympics (see story, next page). And be sure to check out Asbury's Pinterest Page at Pinterest.com/AsburyUniv!

OLYMPIC OPPORTUNITIES

Asbury Journalism students to enjoy world-class reporting experience in Brazil

News packages for NBC affiliate? Check. International reporting experience? Check. Unforgettable experience covering the Olympics? Check.

This August, a team of Asbury Journalism students will enjoy an amazing opportunity to report on the Olympic Games in Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, creating news packages for LEX18, a local NBC affiliate, and writing news articles for various media.

Asbury's involvement with the Olympics is nothing new, as media students have worked in paid positions for the Olympic Broadcasting Service since 1984. A few dozen Asbury broadcast students will be working in Rio.

For Journalism students, though, producing news packages for media back home is a more recent opportunity. The experience hones students' skills, teaches valuable lessons and, frequently, opens doors after they graduate.

Professor Sarah Leckie '03 Hogencamp — who led a student team to the Winter Olympics in Sochi, Russia in 2014, and will lead this year's team to Rio — says the Olympics provide an outstanding opportunity for students to hone their journalism skills and experience professional reporting.

"Covering the Olympics allows students to work on news stories that have worldwide

significance," Hogencamp said. "It's usually more work than they're used to, and way more research. It requires them to step outside their comfort zone to create stories for the world stage as opposed to something that will be viewed only by classmates, family or friends."

Olympic experience has also been valuable for students during their post-college job search. Hogencamp points out Alex Heath '15, whose experience helped land a job with a digital publication of "Business Insider."

"Business Insider' called me when they were interviewing, and I was able to tell them about his work in Sochi," Hogencamp said. "It can be a massive stepping stone to an incredible job."

Students prepare for the Olympics for months in advance, researching stories that have local connections, developing contacts and planning out their news packages. Recent graduate Kerry Steinhofer '16 has been hard at work tracking down leads and can't wait to get to work in Rio.

"I'm hoping to grow a lot," Steinhofer said. "It's going to be stressful because of the volume of news packages and articles we'll be producing, and I'm looking forward to learning how to work in that environment. I'm excited to see where this leads for my career. We're not just learning about journalism. At the Olympics, we're learning how to be journalists. And that's an amazing opportunity." ■



Asbury broadcast students have been working with the OBS since 1984 and recently a new group of Asbury Journalism students has joined in the experience.





Greg '83 and Cindy Isaacs give back to say "thank you"

When Greg '83 and Cindy Isaacs decided to support Asbury University through the Ignited Campaign, they didn't have to look very far for ways Asbury has changed their lives. In fact, they didn't have to look outside their own home.

Greg is co-chair of the Ignited Campaign Steering Committee — along with Walt '63 and Rowena Phillips '63 Shaw — so he and Cindy have given careful thought to the areas of Ignited they want to support, and each has a family connection.

Personal relationships with faculty and staff members were a keystone of Greg's experience at Asbury. Consequently, "Recruiting & Equipping Faculty" is one campaign area he and Cindy have made the choice to support.

"Asbury formed a lot of who I am today," Isaacs said. "It helped me transition into a professional mindset

and learn how to interact with many different kinds of people. What I saw modeled at Asbury every day impacted the rest of my life."

For Greg, a first-generation college student, Asbury faculty not only provided him a first-rate education, but also gave him examples of the kind of person he wanted to become.

"This thread goes all the way back to when I was a student at Asbury," Isaacs said. "I think of Al and Yvonne Moulton, our class advisors, Professor Don Winslow, President Dennis Kinlaw and President C.R. Hager. Those kinds of relationships are what the Asbury experience is all about, and we want to help foster those opportunities moving forward."

Another campaign area Greg and Cindy have chosen to support is "Academic & Community Life Programs" — specifically, the Center for Adventure Leadership. The reason?

Their son, Chris Isaacs '15 experienced transformation as an Adventure Leadership major at Asbury.

"He went on Archways, a backpacking trip with Adventure Leadership for freshmen, before their first semester even starts," Cindy said. "When we saw him at orientation, he was like a different person. I said, 'This University really suits you, doesn't it?' And he said, 'You know, I think God was right in sending me here. This is where I need to be.'"

Cindy says Asbury's impact on Chris is one more reason to be grateful — and to support its continuing work.

"I feel forever indebted to Asbury University for solidifying Chris's faith," Cindy said. "We found that Asbury built up what we had been instilling in him all his life. For your child to grasp faith as his own — you can't put a price on that. So I don't hesitate to give to say 'thank you.'" ■

Photo by: Bryan Garrett '16 Photography

Working and Walking in Faith

It's already been documented in this issue of the "Ambassador" that June 25, 2016 was historic for Asbury University, as Ignited: The Campaign for Asbury University was publicly launched with nearly \$39.5 in commitments raised during the two-year "quiet" phase. Throughout the weekend, many wondered what drove such significant early success. The answer is simple. In the past three years, the Lord has made it bountifully clear that He has anointed two very special groups of willing people for this endeavor. They have worked tirelessly, been stretched beyond themselves, and walked faithfully into new waters. As the Lord has written their names into the story of Asbury University, below, I write their names in the 2016 Summer Ambassador:

Advancement Team Members

Anne Bennett	Brad Johnson	Stu Smith '77
Erin Camacho	Colin McGlothlin '09	Kim Spillman
Jeanette Davis '76 Davis	Paul Niswander '01	Liz Stephan '09
Gabe Gibitz	Aurora Pullar '14	Lenore Sweigard
Lisa Falin '90 Harper	Carolyn Ridley '81	Margaret Torres
Victor Howard	Joel Sams '15	Rebecca Wallace '12 Vaughn
Larry Jarrard '93	Chris Schill	Michelle Boisvert '99 Wickey
Teri Harvey '93 Jarrard	Dawn Smallwood	

Campaign Steering Committee Members

Steve Behnke '94	J.B. Crouse '55	Jenna Heiner '09 Molnar
Larry Brown '80	Larry W. Green '71	Rowena Phillips '63 Shaw
Ron Busroe '74	Greg Isaacs '83	Walter Shaw '63
C.E. Crouse '68	Sarah Louise Luce '72	Jessie Lois Amstutz '67 Webster

With the deepest respect and appreciation for each of you — thank you, thank you, thank you!

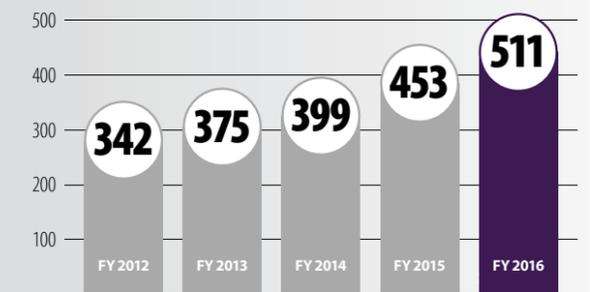


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Charlie Shepard '99
Vice President for
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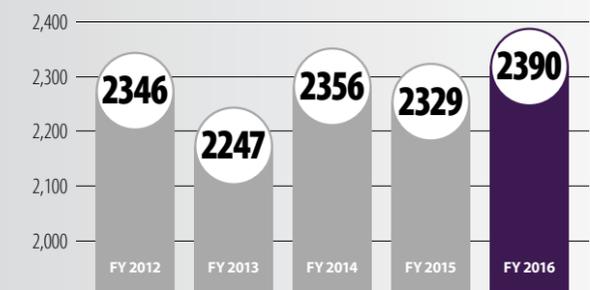
Thank you!

Every financial partner in the mission of Asbury University makes a difference, and many of you are impacting our students more than ever. Asbury ended its fiscal year in June with **more than 500 members of the President's Leadership Giving Society**, believed to be an all-time high. Growing by nearly 50 percent the past five years, the PLGS includes those who make annual gifts of \$1,000 or more.

President's Leadership Giving Society



Alumni Donor Count



ASBURY ONLINE

"Part of Asbury's mission is to train students to engage cultures for the cause of Christ around the world. There are people who can't come to Asbury due to physical location or other responsibilities, such as a full-time job or raising a family. By offering online degrees, we can try to make an Asbury education available to everyone."

— Mark Troyer, Vice President for Enrollment

If you're familiar with Asbury at all, you already appreciate its emphasis on faculty, academic rigor and vibrant spiritual life. What you may not know, however, is that the Asbury experience is available outside the classroom. Incorporating the characteristics that make its traditional undergraduate program great, Asbury offers a range of online programs, making the Asbury experience more accessible than ever before. With many more programs in development, here are a few of the ways Asbury is making a difference through online education.

DUAL ENROLLMENT

Asbury Academy is a dual-enrollment program for high school juniors and seniors, allowing students to take general education requirements at the University level while completing high school. In addition to on-campus courses, Asbury Academy offers intensive online courses at an 80 percent tuition discount. Asbury Academy offers a broad range of online programs, including Accounting, Biology, Literature and Culture, Economics and more.

DEGREE COMPLETION

Asbury's Adult Professional Studies (APS) program offers a range of bachelor's-degree programs specially tailored for the schedules of busy adults. With even more programs in development, APS currently offers Elementary Education, Organizational Management, Leadership and Ministry and Instructional Design. In this accelerated format, students complete an entire online program in collaborative learning environments using the latest learning technologies.

GRADUATE PROGRAMS

Combining first-class academics with the flexibility of online education, Asbury's online graduate programs are a great fit for our talented alumni and other students who want to further their education or career. Asbury currently offers three online graduate programs: Master of Arts in Education, as well as Education Specialist; Master of Arts in Communication: Digital Storytelling; and Master of Business Administration. ■

Learn more at: asbury.edu/academy or asbury.edu/GPS

CLASS NOTES



1950s

Bob Fraumann '58 is available for guest conducting, choir workshops or filling a need as organist and pianist. He is promoting the biography, "God's Blessed Angel," which is based on the life of **Janice Brown '58 Fraumann**.

promoting mission medicine since 1990. Sam is a "retired" general surgeon residing with Liz in Salem, Va.

the Richard H. Driehaus Foundation Award for Outstanding Non-Profit Neighborhood Real Estate Project in 2016. The Chicago Kroc Center offers 150 different programs and services.

1960s

William '67 and **Charlene Glover '67 Yount** celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary on June 24. William is retired from the ministry and as professor of history and philosophy. Charlene is retired after 30 years teaching in the public school system. They have four children, 10 grandchildren and they live in Lauderdale, Miss.

Wayne Welch '70 authored "The Bible Speaks on Mental Health and Personal Growth Issues" and "Ricky Raccoon's Dangerous Adventure."

Family Court Judge **Tim Philpot '73** has written a novel titled, "Judge Z: Irretrievably Broken." The book is a fictional account about the death of marriage in American culture. JudgeZBook.com.

On May 2, 2016, **Dr. David Hoag '86** was named president of Warner University in Lake Wales, Fla. He and his wife, **Joanna Butts '88 Hoag**, began this new adventure in leadership and service this summer.

1990s

Author **Denise Short '95 Weimer** hosted a book signing for the release of her latest novel "White," which is the first book of The Restoration Trilogy.

Janice Lagalski '95 Wilson was the keynote speaker for the Women in Leadership Conference at Indiana University. She highlighted lessons learned from founding the international non-governmental organization, Kukhany'okusha Cares, based in Swaziland.

① Friendship International (Lexington, Ky.) celebrates a very diverse community of women. **Carol Sue Ray '67**, a past president of the organization, **Judy Mommsen '65 Metcalf** and other alumni and community members work to foster cross-cultural relationships for women arriving in the U.S. from other countries.

Dr. Sherry Wilson '77 Powers has been named dean of the College of Education at Eastern Kentucky University in Richmond. Powers has 17 years of experience in higher education, including the past four years as dean of the School of Education at Asbury University.

Jim Owens '79 has written the 16th edition of his book, "Television Production." It was sold at the National Association of Broadcasters convention held in Las Vegas, Nev.

③ **Charlie '99** and **Joy Sayer '99 Shepard** announced the birth of their third son, Gavin Charles, born Feb. 22, 2016. He is especially loved by his big brothers, Keegan (5) and Liam (3).

1970s

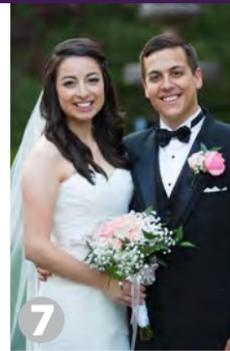
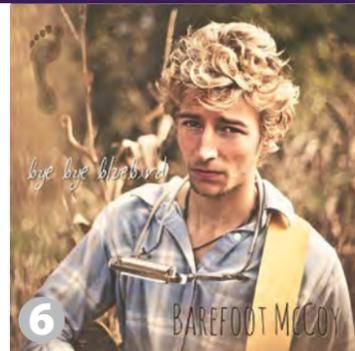
② **Dr. Samuel J. Williams, II '70** received the 2015 In the Footsteps of the Great Physician Award from World Medical Mission. Sharing that honor with him was Sam's wife, **Liz Young '71 Williams**. They've been actively serving through WMM and

1980s

Under the leadership of **David '84** and **Darlene Binion '86 Harvey**, The Salvation Army's Kroc Community Center in Chicago won

CLASS NOTES

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2000s

4 **Charlie '01** and **Hilary Fraser '01 Fiskeaux** welcomed Rowan Archer on March 21, 2016. He joins big brothers Caspian (9) and Perrin (6).

Jeremy Corbett '01, Ben Rough '97 and **Sean McComber '01** met for their annual gathering to watch March Madness in Keyston, Colo. A serendipitous, mountain-top AU meeting, the group was joined by former classmate and great friend, **Jeremy Ryckman '99**, and his family.

Benjamin Arnold '04 was named chairman of the Asbury Theological Seminary Counseling Alumni Board on April 1, 2016. He is a child and family therapist with Flourish Counseling and Consulting in Winchester, Ky. and an adjunct psychology professor at Asbury University.

Christy and **Corey Winton '04** welcomed Caden Paine on April 23, 2016.

Lauren and **David Bush '04** are very proud parents of Sarah Jane, who arrived March 9, 2016 in Lexington, Ky.

Ricky and **Marta Moser '05 Irvine** welcomed Evelyn Moss on March 11, 2016. She joins siblings Jonathan and Iris.

Joe '06 and **Jamie Keller '07 Tipton** welcomed Canon on August 18, 2015. Joe is lead minister at First Christian Church (Monticello, Ky.) where Jamie is a special education teacher.

Lisa Hall '07 was the organist for the Asbury University Chorale choral residency to Bristol Cathedral in Bristol, England from May 26-29, 2016. She also joined the Chorale in their concerts at Bristol Cathedral and at Wells Cathedral on May 24-25.

Cash '07 and **Lauren Caprio '07 Tunstall** are excited to announce the birth of their daughter, Sage, on Jan. 21, 2016.

Stephen '09 and **Kimberlee Tate '12 Brooks** welcomed twin boys Zane and Zeke born May 13. They were welcomed home by big brother Titus.

2010s

Philip Wood '10 is a licensed realtor for Millennium Real Estate Group in Lexington, Ky.

Haley Sheffield '12 and Matthew Walker were married in June of 2015. The bride and the groom were joined in celebration by six other Asbury University alumni.

5 From left to right: **Alison Piercey '13, Bonnie Guinn '13, Haley Sheffield '12 Walker** (the bride), **Whitney Mathisen '12, Kimberlee Tate '12 Brooks** (with future Asburian Titus) and **Kirstie King '13**.

Alden '14 and **Kelsey Huck '14 Heckel** became parents of Eloise Anne on April 9, 2016.

6 **Jacob "Barefoot" McCoy '14** has released his first studio album, "Bye Bye Bluebird."

Christian '14 and **Caitlin Coffee '15 Gothay** were married in Tabernacle, NJ on May 20. The couple resides in Nicholasville, Ky.

Daniel Royster '15 was commissioned to hang his paintings in the St. Andrew's Sanctuary. One of his painting depicts the events of Jesus' life on the day of His crucifixion. Daniel's painting, "The Crucifixion," was chosen as favorite by the committee who commissioned him for the Versailles, Ky., church.

7 **Gabe Willison '16** and **Paula Diaz '16** were married May 8 in Paris, Ky. After their celebration, the couple moved to Boone, N.C. where they both work with Samaritan's Purse. ■

alumni

Sara Owen '38 Hayes
Music Education
2/29/2016, Knoxville, Tenn.

Celia Dunning '39 Denues
Author/Education
3/20/2016, Los Gatos, Calif.

Dr. Donald Graves '42
Medicine/Politics
3/4/2016, Enid, Okla.

Geraldine Bowen '42 Havens
Education
5/14/2016, Des Moines, Wash.

Emma "Louise" Hoffman '44 Dealy
Homemaker
1/2/2016, Jasper, Ga.

Harriet Riggs '44 McGinnis
Human Resources
5/29/2016, Austell, Ga.

Ruth '45 Beall
Missions/Education
3/25/2016, Wilmore, Ky.

Georgia "Elizabeth" McGarity '45 Lindsey
Education/Wedding Director
6/20/2016, Fayetteville, Ga.

Cora Harding '46 Spann
Homemaker/Administration
3/13/2016, Ashland, Ky.

Anna Finley '48 Godden
Library Science
6/24/2016, Bellingham, Wash.

Rev. Gene Smith '48
Ministry
11/5/2015, Anderson, Ind.

Betty Berenthien '48 Wilson
Librarian
6/2/2016, Iowa City, Iowa

Gladys Bollinger '49 Lawrence
Missions
5/21/2015, Sedgewickville, Mo.

Deloris Fossum '49 Naylor
Homemaker
11/20/2015, Saint Paul, Minn.

Rev. Ralph Barrett '50
Ministry
5/20/2016, Ocean City, N.J.

Rev. John Hulme '50
Military/Ministry
6/18/2016, Jackson, Tenn.

Richard McNally '50
Education Administrator
3/28/2016, Hagerstown, Md.

Rev. Bob Baldrige '51
Ministry
6/2/2016, Lexington, Ky.

Bettye Carter '51 Frye
Education Administration
5/1/2016, Mount Vernon, Ohio

Rev. Robert Garrett '51
Ministry
3/23/2016, Williamsburg, Va.

Gwendolyn Nutter '51 Gooding
Nursing
4/4/2016, Delaware, Ohio

Marjorie Birdsall '52 Fett
Education
1/15/2016, Grand Rapids, Mich.

June Marlow '52 Kemper
Education
6/2/2016, Phoenix, Ariz.

Ramona Davis '52 Thaxton
Education/Librarian
5/7/2016, Colon, Mich.

Darline Gentle '53 Brady
Homemaker
3/15/2016, Newport, N.C.

Dr. Ben Johnson '53
Ministry/Writer/Education
6/2/2016, Decatur, Ga.

Rev. James Savage '53
Ministry/Education
6/13/2016, Nicholasville, Ky.

Rev. Edward Underwood Jr. '53
Ministry
4/16/2016, Orange Beach, Ala.

Mary "Esther" Wilson '53 White
Nursing
3/21/2016, Calhoun, Ill.

Mary "Betty" Dykes '53 Woltz
Education
4/16/2016, Lancaster, Ohio

Rev. Fay Botten '54
Ministry/Education
5/30/2016, Sebring, Ohio

Dr. Richard Gottier '55
Ministry/Education Administrator
5/20/2016, Lake Wales, Fla.

Betty Walden '55 Heinichen
Administration
3/1/2016, Crystal Lake, Ill.

Dr. John Mitchell '55
Medicine
4/24/2016, Carmel, Ind.

Rev. Donald Schalk Sr. '55
Ministry
5/2/2016, Culpeper, Va.

Joan Hiles '55 Smith
Administration
3/12/2016, South Bend, Ind.

Barbara Malin '56 Parker
Administration
5/28/2016, Sarasota, Fla.

Dr. James Stratton '56
Ministry
5/30/2016, Wilmore, Ky.

Rev. Richard "Hal" Finney '57
Social Work/Ministry
10/22/2015, Boonville, N.C.

Glenn Colliver '58
Archivist
2/9/2016, Lansdale, Pa.

Marjorie "Frances" Parker '58 Dutil
Education
1/22/2016, Florence, Ky.

Mary "Lu" Fox '58 Gayfield
Administration
3/26/2016, Mishawaka, Ind.

Billy Layton '58
Probation Officer/Education
5/10/2016, Leesburg, Ga.

Rev. Clark Langford '59
Ministry
3/17/2016, Victoria, Va.

Robert Maggs '59
Ministry/Polyurethane Technology
5/12/2016, Louisville, Ky.

Dr. William Anderson '60
Education/Military
3/31/2016, Poquoson, Va.

Roberta Hall '61 Shell
Business
6/2/2016, Waynesville, N.C.

Frank Fryman '62
Anthropologist
1/19/2016, Alexandria, Va.

Patricia King '62 Turner
Education
4/13/2016, Hudson, Fla.

Edward "Ted" Burkman '63
Business
4/8/2016, Kissimmee, Fla.

Aletha McVeigh '63
Education/Social Work/Ministry
6/14/2016, Indianapolis, Ind.

Sharon Rains '64 Adams
Education
4/18/2016, Wilmore, Ky.

Rev. Stan Beck '64
Ministry
4/6/2016, Nicholasville, Ky.

Mary Sweet '65 Hammond
Nursing
5/3/2016, Parkersburg, W.Va.

Rev. Walter Hughley '65
Ministry/Education
5/5/2016, Kosciusko, Miss.

Ernest "Walt" Lamie Jr. '65
Military/Ministry
4/23/2016, Jacksonville, Fla.

Cecil "Ed" Bradley Jr. '66
Education
5/8/2016
Green Cove Springs, Fla.

Dwight Dodrill '69
Musician/Administration
3/1/2016, Jackson, Ohio

Emory (E.R.) Moreland Jr. '69
Business/Agriculture
3/3/2016, Mays Lick, Ky.

Stephen Wilcox '69
Programmer
12/19/2015, Maysville, Ky.

Charles Brown II '70
Sports
3/21/2016, Hampton, Va.

Paul Bowers '71
Ministry
12/9/2015, Huntsville, Ala.

Roberta Dann '71
Administration/
Business Owner
7/29/2015, Siler City, N.C.

Virgil Klump '71
Landscape/Business Owner
5/1/2015, Adrian, Mich.

Madonna "Pauline" Pensinger '72 Borders
Education
3/9/2016, Berne, Ind.

Donald Shriver '77
Education/Artist
6/18/2016, Apalachin, N.Y.

Mary "Ann" Pykus '89 Pierce
Education
11/4/2015, Okeechobee, Fla.

Jodi Smith '90 Franklin
Education
3/30/2016, Muncie, Ind.

Kyle Grundtisch '91
Education
12/24/2015, Huffman, Texas

Heather Nall '92 Hagler
Education/Ministry
6/12/2016, Cumming, Ga.

Elizabeth "Betty Lou" Ball '92 Roy
Business
5/24/2016, Rice Lake, Wis.

Cody Emery '15
Retail
5/2/2016, Danville, Ky.

Elizabeth Blunt '15
Education
5/25/2016, Hampton, Iowa

Sheri Kestner (APS) Hensley
Education
2/28/2016, Paris, Ky.

To report a listing for In Memoriam, please contact Kim Spillman in the Office of Advancement at: kimberly.spillman@asbury.edu or (859) 858-3511, x2173.

friends

Lawrence Beebe
2/18/2016, Las Vegas, Nev.

Guy Blake
12/2015, Heflin, Ala.

Sally Blake
8/2015, Heflin, Ala.

Rev. Dr. Cecil Bradley
2/28/2016, Tallahassee, Fla.

Dr. Jerry Bryson
5/14/2016, Harlan, Ky.

Dr. Lani Johnson Burkman
3/4/2016, Grand Island, N.Y.

Kathryn Mattingly Clark
7/16/2015, Louisville, Ky.

William Clark
6/7/2016, Louisville, Ky.

Ward Correll
4/21/2016, Somerset, Ky.

Dr. Jay Dargan
4/21/2016, Wilmore, Ky.

Jack Duncan
2/20/2016, Johnstown, Ohio

Roy Durbin
2/24/2016, Lexington, Ky.

Robert Hagaman
9/5/2015, Egg Harbor City, N.J.

John "Jack" Henry III
4/10/2016, Longview, Texas

Ann Kurtz Janney
6/16/2016, Oviedo, Fla.

Roy A. Jones Sr.
2/9/2016, Macon, Ga.

Maj. Carol Killackey Luhn
5/8/2016, Kenosha, Wis.

Dr. Joseph McGowan Jr.
3/1/2016, Louisville, Ky.

Martin Moore
5/22/2016, Indianapolis, Ind.

Joan Lykins Parr
5/3/2016, Lexington, Ky.

Ralph "Dub" Perkins Sr.
3/6/2016, Nicholasville, Ky.

Helen Pielemeier
5/26/2016, Loogootee, Ind.

James "Jim" Reed
2/6/2016, Delaware, Ohio

Dr. Samuel Smith
3/3/2016, Marietta, Ga.

Elizabeth "Allene" Tuel
12/16/2015, Ripley, Ohio

Upcoming Events



Aug. 9-14 **Welcome Week for New Students**
 Aug. 15 **Classes Begin**
 Sept. 5 **Labor Day Holiday**
 Sept. 8-9 **Fall ACCESS 1, Admissions Visit Event**
 Sept. 12-16 **Fall Revival**
 Sept. 15-17 **Fall Alumni Board Meeting**
 Sept. 16-17 **Sophomore Retreat**
 Sept. 22-23 **Equine Visit Event**
 Sept. 24 **Equine Program Alumni Event**
 Oct. 6-7 **Sibling Invasion, Admissions Visit Event**
 Oct. 6-8 **Homecoming Games and Events**
 Oct. 7 **Homecoming Coronation and Concert**

Oct. 27-29 **Fall Board of Trustees Meeting**
 Oct. 31 - Nov. 4 **Great Commission Congress**
 Nov. **Fall ACCESS 2, Admissions Visit Event**
 Nov. 17-19 **All-Star Band Clinic**
 Nov. 23-25 **Thanksgiving Break**
 Dec. 3 **Wilmore Old-Fashioned Christmas**
 Dec. 5-8 **Final Exams**
 Dec. 26-30 **Christmas Break**
 Jan. 2 **New Year's Holiday**
 Jan. 9 **First Day of Classes**

**Keep an eye out for alumni gatherings in your area!
 Gatherings will be announced in the Fall.*

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- **Missions:** Supporting student-athletes as they serve Christ alongside their teammates in our community and around the world.
- **Scholarships:** Coaches identify this as an area that has potential to provide immediate impact to their teams and the department as a whole.
- **Projects:** Facility upgrades will provide an environment that improves the student-athlete experience and creates increased pride.



To learn more about the Eagle Club visit asburyeagles.com or contact paul.niswander@asbury.edu



A PLACE TO PRAY — This fall, a prayer garden outside Kinlaw Library will greet students, providing an outdoor space for reflection and devotion. It's a joint senior class gift from the Unshakable Class (2015) and Ransomed Class (2016), with the support of Asbury Student Congress.

Photo by: Victor Howard



Ignited...

Fireworks capped off an amazing Saturday at Reunion 2016, where old friendships were rekindled, new friendships sparked and all Asburians were fueled with passion for the cause of Christ.

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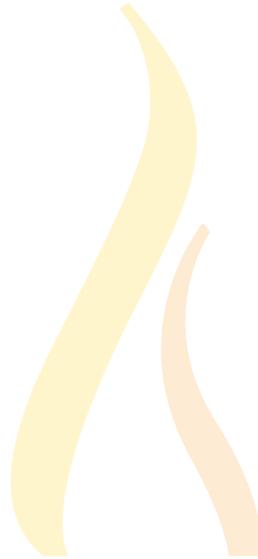


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