

MONDAY MEMO

School of Theology and Ministry

To inspire
inform
initiate into ministry

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A note from our Associate Dean Dr. Steve Lennox



... you also, like living stones,
are being built into a spiritual house
to be a holy priesthood, offering
spiritual sacrifices acceptable to God
through Jesus Christ. - 1 Peter 2:5

Residence Life Week activities, Academic Convocation, and Summit have all concluded. With these we've acknowledged the breadth an IWU experience offers. Your challenge will be to choose from all the excellent opportunities those opportunities that represent God's best for you. This will mean saying no to some very good options, but the good can be the enemy of the best. One thing you must keep paramount, and that is your relationship with God and His people. Make time for your soul and to assist in the care of others. Find a church and get involved. Chapel is very important, but it is not a substitute for church. We are praying for you.

Have a great week.

The Rev. Stephen J. Lennox, Ph.D.
Professor of Bible
Interim Associate Dean, School of Theology and Ministry

The Monday Memo contains upcoming events and announcements as well as calendar attachments of upcoming events directly pertaining to students within the School of Theology & Ministry and an attachment containing ministry opportunities and job openings. Many times, churches and organizations have provided more information than is included in the attachment. You may request additional information via email or by stopping in the School of Theology & Ministry office. All attachments are in pdf form but are available in their original form (Word or Excel) upon request (email: melissa.fipps@indwes.edu).

New Student Orientation

Tuesday, September 21
11:00 a.m. – noon
Noggle, rm 135 (youth lab)

This orientation meeting is for all anyone new to the School of Theology & Ministry since last fall (change of major/minor, transfers, and freshmen). If you have never attended an orientation to our school, you should attend.

Quick Links



Weekly Menu

<http://wildcat.indwes.edu/Baldwin/>



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School of Theology & Ministry
<http://www.indwes.edu/Academics/CAS/School-of-Theology-and-Ministry/>



Job/Ministry Opportunities
[See attachment](#)



Wildcat Home
<http://wildcat.indwes.edu/>



Seminary Bound
<http://whichseminary.blogspot.com>

**WESLEY
SEMINARY**
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<http://seminary.indwes.edu/>

**Talk Back
Session**

**Featuring chapel speakers Nate Larkin & Constance Rhodes
Wednesday, Sept. 22
Noon – 2 p.m.
Century Dining Room**

Come-And-Go carry-in lunch featuring next week’s chapel speakers—Nate Larkin and Constance Rhodes—who are going to be speaking jointly about addictions, disordered-eating and sexual compulsivity. A topic of great value for those entering the ministry/mission field.



Wesleyan Job Postings
<http://www.wesleyan.org/doc/employment>

**Youth Pastor
Interviews**

**Dr. Frank Beard, District Superintendent
Monday, September 27
9:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.
Sign up in STM office (reception desk)**

Dr. Frank Beard, District Superintendent of the North Central District of the United Methodist church, will be here Monday, September 27, to interview students for possible student pastor positions. Sign up on the clipboard in the School of Theology & Ministry office.



GPA Calculator
http://www.image-ination.com/test_maker/gpa.html



www.stm.clickbook.net

**Sign Language
and Bible
Translation**

**Q&A with Dr. Albert Bickford
Wednesday, September 29
11:30 a.m. -12:45 p.m.
Noggle, rm 115 (Bistro)**

Dr. Bickford will be visiting campus. He will be available to speak with students regarding sign language and Bible translation over the lunch hour. You are welcome to bring a sack lunch. Dr. Bickford will be available to speak with students individually via a sign-up sheet in the STM office or by visiting his booth in the Student Center Mallway.

Name that Fish:

The finalist names are

- Thaddeus
- Squigit
- Obadiah
- Bubba
- Jedidiah
- Stan

with an honorable mention for "Lunch". To cast your vote, email relg.office2@indwes.edu with your choice. The name of the fish will be posted in next week’s Monday Memo.



Several of our professors are testing this online scheduling software in order to book office hours appointments. You may visit www.stm.clickbook.net to make an appointment. You should include a short explanation of the nature of the appointment (i.e. talk about graduation application requirements). **You will receive a confirmation email to put on your calendar.** All appointments must be made at least 24 hours in advance. At this time, participating professors include: **Bud Bence, Brian Bernius, Russ Gunsalus, David Vardaman, Norman Wilson, and Dave Ward**

**Math COMPASS
Exam**

September 28th and September 29th

There is a sign-up sheet in the **Center for Student Success** office. This exam can be taken twice before your junior year. If you took it during registration, that counts as one time. Score reports will be turned into the Registrar’s office.

Outreach in an eWorld
Innovation, Creativity & Connectivity
November 9-11, 2010 | Wesley Seminary at Indiana Wesleyan

Seminary and undergrads students are invited to attend 1 or 2 workshops. Students should just identify themselves to the person at the registration table that they are students, and they will be given a nametag. If you would like to attend more than two sessions, you can pay the \$39 and receive a special designation on the nametag allowing you to attend all sessions.

2010 Conference Details

From President Bob Whitesel
 This year's conference will bring together leading thinkers on electronic communication, including Rusty Rueff (former Vice President of Electronic Arts [EA] and Pepsico), Dan Kimball (author and pastor), Thom Rainer (author and researcher), Ed Stotzer (author and researcher), Warren Bird (author and researcher) and others to show you tools and strategies to use the electronic media for communication. You will not find anywhere a more exciting lineup of speakers!

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From Incoming President Ed Stotzer
 The GCRN is an affiliation of leaders who share research, examine case studies, hear from thought leaders, and network with fellow church leaders who are committed to helping expand the kingdom through effective disciple-making.

Pricing breakdown:
 \$125 - GCRN or SCC member
 \$145 - Non-member
 \$69 - spouse
 \$39 - student
 \$30 - President's Banquet (Thur. dinner & program)

To register or join, go to
www.GreatCommissionResearch.net
 or call Diana Alfonso at (562) 903-4844

For exhibiting and sponsorship information, contact Ted Weaver at Ted@ChurchCentral.com or (866) 515-0520 x 131 (toll free). A limited number of booths are available, and include additional marketing services.

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GCRN CONFERENCE SPEAKERS

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Real-time Church

Technology moves faster than we are keeping track but we expect to use yesterday's solutions to reach tomorrow's congregation! We must either learn to lead or continue to lose the curiosity of the next generation. Find out about tomorrow's trends and tools, that the church can harness to spread God's message in "real-time."

As a former Entertainment and Technology CEO in Silicon Valley and a current freelance social curator, Terey lives, works, writes, and speaks at the intersection of technology, entertainment, talent and faith.



Love/Hate Stories of e-Mission: Why I Both Love and Fear e-Outreach

If Paul and the disciples were walking on earth today, Kimball is certain they would be using the internet and e-communication for mission. However, Kimball is also sure they would be theologically thinking through the ramifications of e-media and communication. This session will look at real stories of how e-outreach has been effective in the local church—as well as look at some of the dangers of moving further and further into an eUniverse.

Dan Kimball is a writer, church planter and pastor who researches the intersection of church, culture and outreach.



Reaching a Wireless Generation: What Thousands of Young Adults Told Us About How They Got Connected to A Church

Based on a massive, every-adult survey conducted in a cross-section of 25 megachurches, Warren will present what young adults themselves said about how

they were reached, how they got involved, how they grow spiritually—and what doesn't work for them. This material is the basis of a co-authored book slated for release next year (2011) through Leadership Network's branded line with Jossey-Bass.

Warren is research director for Leadership Network and the author of 21 books.



Transformational Church Part 1

Results and analysis from a study of over 7,000 churches that are seeing transformation in individual lives, their congregations, and the communities around them.

Thom is president and CEO of LifeWay Christian Resources and former founding dean of the Billy Graham School of Missions and Evangelism at The Southern Baptist Theological Seminary.



New Life in Second Life: Can the Church Grow in Virtual Worlds?

As more people explore and create new lives and communities in Second Life, how will the Good News penetrate these new virtual worlds?

Russ Gursulaj is co-leader of the design team that created a radical new online, online seminary for Wesley Seminary at Indiana Wesleyan University. It is a team constructed, team taught, and practitioner focused.



Transformational Church Part 2

More results and analysis from a study of over 7,000 churches that are seeing transformation in individual lives, their congregations, and the communities around them.

Ed is Director of Lifeway Research and Lifeway's Biologist in Residence.

About the Great Commission Research Network

Founded by renowned missiologists George Hunter and Peter Wagner, GCRN (formerly the American Society for Church Growth) is an affiliation of church leaders who share research, examine case studies, hear from cutting-edge leaders, and network with fellow church professionals who are committed to helping local churches expand the kingdom through disciple-making.



"Isa next to leading thinkers on outreach. Nowhere else does this happen!"

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www.GreatCommissionResearch.net

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