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Fort Wayne Bible College invites you to unveil our new image for the college magazine.

Any name change is significant.

We have selected a name which involves the concept of a high point of experience... a peak location... leadership among our peers... a premier environment for searching ideas and serving others... and a name which places us in tandem with our host city.

We, therefore, invite you to turn now to....
**FWBC NEWS IN BRIEF**

**The "Bridge to the Future" Campaign**

Sixty-three percent of the $3.2 million goal for the "Bridge to the Future" capital campaign is committed. Rejoice with us in the Lord's blessing and friends' generosity. Specifically, however, in Phases III and IV, which will construct and equip the much needed multi-purpose facility, some growth is needed. As of December 31, twenty-one percent ($199,500) of the $950,000 goal in Phase III and 17 percent ($80,750) of the $475,000 goal in Phase IV were subscribed.

A capital campaign involves both a commitment to a fiscal goal and a targeted amount of time in which to reach that goal. We have reached the midpoint in the general "life of the campaign", and have realized 63 percent of the fiscal goal. Working together, the campaign will be completed.

**Enrollment Office Decentralizes**

In an effort to reach out to a larger geographical area, increase personal contacts to prospective students, and ultimately increase student enrollment, the Enrollment Office placed counselors in Illinois, Michigan, and Ohio in September 1986.

Lewis Bennett, FWBC Class of 1984, lives and works in Zion, Illinois. He travels extensively in Chicagoland, central Illinois, and southern Wisconsin.

Dennis Kesler, FWBC Class of 1983, has stationed himself in Jackson, Michigan. He travels throughout Michigan and northern Indiana making FWBC known.

Mark Perkins lives in Mansfield, Ohio and he travels to Pennsylvania and throughout Ohio recruiting students.

As of December 31, 1986, it appears their efforts are working. Applications are up 90 percent over last year!

**New Scholarship Endowments**

Fort Wayne Bible College is pleased to recognize the establishment of two new scholarship endowments. Mary Edith Reiff, a former faculty member and department chair of South Side High School (Fort Wayne), endowed a scholarship for students from South Side who attend Fort Wayne Bible College. Her long-term contacts with children of Fort Wayne Bible College faculty and other students affiliated with the College was a significant motivator for the endowment.

In addition, family and friends of Charles A. Roberts established a memorial endowment to assist with programming and education in missions and/or support for academically qualified children of ministers or missionaries.

Dr. George Powers, who established the Powers Memorial Scholarship honoring his mother, made a significant additional commitment which will extend the ability of this endowment in its support of students in music.

To these friends, we say thank you. Information regarding the establishment and funding of scholarship endowments is available from the Development Department. Each scholarship enables Fort Wayne Bible College to educate another leader to be uniquely qualified for service to our world.

**Hotline Installed for Prospective Students**

The Enrollment Office has installed two incoming "800" phone numbers to serve prospective students. In Indiana, students may call (800)292-FWBC(3922). Outside Indiana, prospective students may call (800)233-FWBC(3922).

If you know a young person or young adult who should consider attending FWBC, please give him or her our toll-free number and encourage that person to call. Better yet, why not use the number yourself and give the Enrollment Office the name and address of a prospective student? Information will be sent to that person right away.

**"Reach Out and Touch Someone"**

Fort Wayne Bible College students are reaching out all over Fort Wayne and surrounding communities through Christian Service ministries. During the fall semester, they made over 2,000 visits, taught 784 Sunday School classes, and gave 390 messages and devotional talks. Ninety-two churches and organizations, representing 37 different denominations, provided these opportunities. In addition, FWBC Christian Service performing groups, HIS DESIGN and HIS COMPANY, traveled 2,300 miles and participated in 32 services.

Comments on our students' ministry have been positive. There have been a number of first time decisions and commitments to service reported. To God be the glory!

**Congressman Visits FWBC**

Indiana Congressman Dan Coats was on campus November 3, 1986, to speak to a group of 20 business people on the subject, "Business and Community Support for Private Education". Coats also spoke at chapel that morning on "International Terrorism-A Congressman's Perspective".

**Redesigned**

Fort Wayne Bible College students are talking about "Redesigning." They are not talking about the redesigning of buildings, but the redesigning of lives. "Join the excitement and get in on the remodeling of lives for Christ at Youth Conference '87," says Kim Davis, chairman of this year's Youth Conference. Youth Conference is hosted annually by Fort Wayne Bible College for teens who have an interest in making friends and gaining new spiritual insights.

This year's vibrant speaker will be Kent Fishel. Diversified in his speaking, he relates well with youth. He is the founder of Discipleship, Inc. Youth Conference will be held April 10, 11, and 12 on the campus of Fort Wayne Bible College. Pre-registration is $20 or $25 after March 20. For more information, write Fort Wayne Bible College, Youth Conference, 1025 W. Rudisill Blvd., Fort Wayne, IN 46807.
Leadership and President Gerig: A Student's Perspective

by Al Manning, Class of '89

The 1980's have often been termed turbulent in today's news. In 1986 alone, one can look back and find a year that, although one in which many advances were realized, was characterized by high rates of teenage suicide and pregnancy, increased drug abuse, and epidemics such as AIDS which claimed a large number of lives while scarifying countless others. These issues are especially important to the college age population, not only as their peers are directly involved in these problems, but also as they leave the shelter of home and college to join the workforce and begin families of their own. In particular, today's bible college student needs to be realistically prepared to reach out and minister to a world bombarded with innumerable choices and temptations, a world in which society both accepts and promotes more liberal lifestyles and permits radical social standings.

Dr. Donald Gerig, new president of FWBC, is a strong believer in preparing students to meet the spiritual needs of people in the 21st century. "I think the great curse of evangelism is

Uncommon Inauguration

by Richard P. Dugan

Fort Wayne Bible College is an uncommon institution that calls for an uncommon inauguration of an uncommon president! The college provides a stellar role in higher education, demonstrating excellence in preparing graduates for ministry.

With this raison d'être, the inauguration of the sixth president could not be merely a traditional academic exercise with the normal pomp and circumstance. Rather, the service had to reflect our focus on the church and its world mission. Further, it had to represent our president's past role in church ministry and his continuing interest in developing leadership through the church and its agencies.

The result was a worship service, held in the auditorium of the neighboring First Missionary Church on Saturday morning, November 15. There were the usual caps and gowns, representatives of other colleges and learned societies, and government

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officials, including United States Senator Richard Lugar and Fort Wayne Mayor Winfield Moses.

Less traditionally, however, the worshippers sang God's praises, read His Word, and prayed for His blessing. They committed the college's new servant-leader, Dr. Donald Gerig, to the Lord and the institution to Dr. Gerig's leadership.

And the worship of that moment continues!
Leadership continued

that we have become ingrown and we talk only to ourselves. I would hope that, at FWBC, we can train graduates who understand the issues of today. We don’t want to be guilty of answering questions nobody’s asking,” says Gerig.

When asked about the philosophy of his administration of the school, Dr. Gerig replies, “One of the things we’re going to be giving a great deal of attention to is continuing to increase the quality of what we’re doing here. I’m not going to be content until we’re the best in what we do. I think we’re well on our way to that position, but I think we have some room to grow.”

According to Dr. Gerig, students with a desire to learn is one of the keys to reaching future generations. “What I pray for is education that will excite the learner about learning itself. We have four years to help people become learners. Whether they happen to end up in a pulpit, classroom, recording studio, or a mega-city in the Third World, they need to have a desire to keep learning the Truth.”

Along with a desire to learn, students must also be able to take leadership into the Kingdom and be able to reproduce that quality in others. This presents the school with a tremendous responsibility. Gerig shares, “We must be alert to how we train leaders here. Let us not be afraid to accept the challenge of blending dynamic leadership development into the very fabric of our curriculum.”

“My wish for students would be that they would discover the excitement of really giving their best in every part of their lives in disciplined commitment to what God wants them to do.”

One of the things that makes Dr. Gerig an ideal president is his love for people. It is not at all unusual to see him chatting with students or joking with his colleagues. When not involved in planning, organizing, preaching, and overseeing the administration of the College, he can be seen at volleyball, basketball, and soccer games. Being among the students is an important part of his job, he says. “It is my responsibility to set the tone for the campus. I can’t just cloister myself here in the office and do the paperwork. I have to be out and about and helping to create a climate which will make the College continue to go forward.”

"Whether they happen to end up in a pulpit, classroom, recording studio, or a mega-city in the Third World, they need to have a desire to keep learning the Truth."

by Dr. Donald D. Gerig

T he first graduating class of FWBC (then Fort Wayne Bible Training School) was composed of people all born in the nineteenth century but ministering in the twentieth century. Today we are looking at graduates born in the twentieth century who will spend the majority of their ministry years in the twenty-first century.

Coming back to FWBC, as its president, has been an exciting experience. I find in FWBC a school which has stayed true to its mission all these years. Yes, our methods of teaching have changed, our campus has expanded, and our students are definitely a product of their world. But, that is all as it should be if we are to minister to today’s world.

The rural world our first graduates served has now become an urban world. If the Lord tarries, today’s graduates will face challenges our founders could not have imagined. Mega-cities with millions of people are already common place. The challenge of reaching those people with the good news of the gospel is staggering.

Pray with us that we will be equal to that educational challenge! We still must be about the business of producing competent servant-leaders, committed to Jesus Christ, who can minister in today’s world. Your partnership in that enterprise is a tremendous encouragement to us. God bless you all!
1987 Sharathon Raises Over $410,000

by Debbie J. Carter

Ten phone lines rang from 6 a.m. to midnight throughout the three-day event, as callers faithfully pledged their prayer and financial support to the ministry of WBCL radio.

Seventy-two hours, 5,056 calls, and $395,042 later, the eleventh annual WBCL Sharathon, held January 13-15, concluded with a praise rally broadcast live from Founders Auditorium on the FWBC campus. The $360,000 goal for operating expenses was successfully reached, with remaining funds directed toward the $180,000 needed for new broadcasting equipment purchases. Since January 15th, an additional $15,148 has been received, bringing the total to 5,352 pledges and $410,190.

Guest anchor Wayne Pederson, talk show host of Christian radio programs "Footprints" and "Discoveries", returned for his tenth Sharathon experience. Nationally known Christian musicians, such as Nancy Honeytree and Maria Gardner with daughter Mandy, made special appearances over the air. Over 300 volunteers visited the station to offer their time, food, encouragement, and help wherever most needed. The atmosphere was charged with anticipation and excitement as people moved about doing their part in service to the Lord and to WBCL's ministry. One volunteer shared, "I took off work for the day to volunteer six hours here. It is the most rewarding feeling to sense the love passing through the volunteers and over the air waves as gifts are given to broadcast God's message and His music."

Manager Char Binkley put it best when she said, "Every Sharathon has its own recipe." For this Sharathon, nearly one-third of the operating budget was committed before the event actually began on the air, due to prior mail and banquet pledges. This, coupled with a phenomenal 1986 Sharathon, in which $949,466 was raised ($349,376 toward the operating budget and $600,090 toward the new radio station facility), caused fewer calls to be made during the actual Sharathon. Many faithful listeners who made three-year commitments were simply not able to make additional pledges. A lull in incoming calls on a usually busy Wednesday night prompted Wayne

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WBCL Building Becomes Reality

by Char Binkley

Cloudy skies and rainy weather could not dampen the enthusiasm shared by all who attended the August 27, 1986, groundbreaking ceremonies of the WBCL radio station facility.

Broadcasting "live" over WBCL, Char Binkley welcomed several special guests to the WBCL microphone to join in the special occasion. On hand with greetings were community leaders, listeners, and area pastors.

"How we praise God for His faithfulness exhibited through the gifts of our wonderful listening family. Our hearts are filled with Thanksgiving.

- WBCL Manager Char Binkley

Earthmoving equipment arrived in October and the building began. November and December included the erection of the walls and roof. A spring completion is anticipated with occupancy by early summer.

The 6,272-square foot structure will contain two air studios, a news studio, and a large conference studio in addition to offices, a conference room, and storage. Since its beginning in 1976, WBCL has been housed in college offices and classroom space in Witmer Hall.

The listeners of WBCL pledged $600,000 during the 1986 Sharathon toward the cost of the building with additional pledges for equipment received during the recent January 1987 Sharathon.

The new facility will provide WBCL's growing staff with adequate room for increased development and production of programming.
Pederson and Char Binkley to encourage those who had never given to WBCL to do so at that time. WBCL Office Manager Marsha Sappenfield recalls that, on that same night, a concerned, spirit-filled young man came to the station around 10:30 p.m. and got on the air to encourage callers to reach for their phones. With all the skill of an experienced salesman, he promised a WBCL coffee mug to anyone whose call came into his phone line. God's grace prevailed and a surge of first-time callers sent the ten phone lines into full operation again.

**Would you believe?**

**SECOND GENERATION FWBC STUDENTS**

Row 1: (left to right) SHARON GERIG (Bill g61 and Joyce fs60-61 Gerig), DIANE NAYROCKER (Craig g79 and Debbie fs76-79 Nayrocker), KATHY KULP (Paul g62 and Rachel g61 Kulp), HEATHER LEHMAN (Jerry g59 and Madelyn g57 Lehman), JENNY HAWORTH (Terry g78 and Carol Haworth), GINA VINCENT (Keith fs63-65 and Char Vincent).

Row 2: JENNELLE McGINLEY (Fred fs62-63 and Dorothy fs62-63 McGinley), STEPHANIE CRAMER (Jerry g62 and Karin g64 Cramer), SUANNE STEINER (John g63 and Lois g66 Steiner), RACHELLE STEINER (LaVerne g48 & 49 and Letha g48 Steiner), ANNE HOSTETLER (Dick g65 and Yvonne g61 Hostetler).

Row 3: DANN ZEHR (Tom g54, deceased, and Marcell g52 Zehr), ERIC HOSTETLER (Dick g65 and Yvonne g61 Hostetler), ANDY BINKLEY (Steve g64 and Char g65 Binkley).

Absent: JILL RICHARDSON (John g59 and Peggy g53 Richardson, and ALAN EICHER (Larry g61 and Marge fs67-68 Eicher).

**FOURTH GENERATION FWBC STUDENTS**

Alan Eicher (Sophomore)  
Larry (g61) and Marge (fs67-68) Eicher  
Cyril (g32) and Mildred (Neuenschwander g34) Eicher  
Peter L. (fs05) and Mary (Rupp fs05) Eicher

Sharon Gerig (Senior)  
Bill (g61) and Joyce (fs60-61) Gerig  
Jared (g29) and Mildred (Eicher g28) Gerig

WBCL has grown from a small, two-room facility with three full-time employees to a 50,000 watt station occupying 6,272-square feet of space with 21 employees.

The pledges and dedications were both interesting and heartwarming. One noted pledge was to give a dollar to WBCL for every pound lost in 1987. Another promised to lead at least one friend per month to become a regular listener of WBCL. Many pledges were in honor of pastors, parents, spouses, children, and holidays. Each was a unique expression of appreciation as well as a gift to WBCL's ministry.

In its 11-year history, WBCL has grown from a small, two-room facility employing only a manager, secretary, full-time announcer, and a... continued on page 8
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handful of part-timers, to a 50,000-watt, 24-hour station employing 13 full-time and eight part-time staff. The new building will provide the station with 6,272-square feet of much needed space.

The annual Sharathon event has grown from a small operation of five phone lines operated by WBCL and FWBC staff plus a few volunteers, to a fully computerized, synchronized system involving over 300 volunteers.

"I took off work for the day to volunteer six hours here. It is the most rewarding feeling to sense the love passing through the volunteers and over the air waves as gifts are given to broadcast God's message and His music."
- Sharathon Volunteer

Raising over $400,000 in three days is a fairly awesome task. It is one which requires planning, teamwork, and most importantly, faith. Such was evidenced by all those involved in WBCL's Sharathon. What a wonderful example of God's provision and grace to His servants!

MISSIONS: Bringing the Field to the Classroom

by Gerald Steele

When Fort Wayne Bible College approached me concerning a ministry opportunity in the early months of 1986, my initial thoughts were, "Why me?"

However, as my dialogue with the College continued, I began to see that, in a variety of ways, I was very much prepared for this kind of experience. The College's concern was to employ someone who had significant experience as a church planter, who likes and communicates well with people, and who has had some degree of success in a cross-cultural ministry. In these areas, I qualified.

For the majority of my 12 years as a missionary in Brazil, I was directly involved in an urban church planting context. The city where our family lived housed approximately 1.6 million inhabitants. In addition to starting several churches, our outreach directly and indirectly touched the lives of many through a variety of means including radio, a rehabilitation program for drug addicts, and a counseling clinic. I also served as the director of our field from 1979-1986, which placed me in touch with a variety of ministry and administration opportunities. This experience factor, more than any other, prepared me for my challenge at FWBC. God has afforded me the privilege of serving on the "cutting edge" of exciting new mission strategies.

When I arrived at FWBC in August 1986, I saw many areas for exciting growth both for the students and for myself. My initial plans were to focus on enhancing the existing on-campus missions activities, with hopes of expanding into actual field, cross cultural, and language learning opportunities.

Beginning with the Student Missionary Fellowship (SMF), I worked with the students to increase their awareness and concern for the challenges confronting today's missionaries. More students on campus are developing into "world Christians" as they become involved in improving SMF chapel presentations and respond to increased promotion of missions opportunities such as summer missions work and missions conferences. An upgraded missions conference (March 19-22, 1987), featuring the editor of World Christian magazine, Gordon Aeschliman, and a Spiritual Emphasis Day scheduled in September 1987, will feature Dr. Robert McQuilkin, president of Columbia Bible College, will bring new perspective and heightened awareness of mission work today.

In the classroom, students get a realistic taste of what service on a mission field is like through role playing, skits, video series, and preparation of ethnic meals. Personal illustrations of my Brazilian experiences and missionary guest lecturers, who share their field experience, have also been helpful.

I am encouraged by the growth and progress of the missions program already accomplished this year.

I eagerly anticipate the development of a new program for junior and senior missions majors in which they would gain actual missionary experience through a fall semester internship in urban ministries in Brazil. Another developing program is a ministry team comprised of FWBC students and faculty that would travel to churches presenting the worldwide missions cause.

As we look towards the 21st century, missiologists are unanimous in their declaration that the urban challenge is one of the greatest that awaits the church of Jesus Christ. Mission boards are looking for urban church planters. I'm thrilled to be able to share something of my experience and expertise in the preparation of young people to meet these demands.
ALUMNI NEWS

Alumni Scholarship Recipients Say Thanks

"I am very grateful for the scholarship. Knowing that the members of the Indianapolis area alumni are supporting me both financially and prayerfully has encouraged me to do my best."

--Toni Jackson

"As a married student, going to college has placed a financial strain on my family. The Alumni Scholarship has allowed me to complete my classes for graduation. (I press on toward the goal for the prize of the upward call of God in Christ Jesus. Philippians 3:14)"

--Terry Fittro

"Although the money was needed and appreciated, I felt the simple recognition of the hard work I did encouraged me toward completion of my goals."

--Paul Wilkinson

Editor's Note: Nine alumni scholarships were presented for the 1986-87 school year. These scholarships were funded through the Alumni Scholarship Endowment Fund. Funds for the endowment are raised each year through the Alumni Phonathon (see article on page 10).

Special Tribute

Rev. Harvey L. Mitchell, alumnus, professor, registrar, and long-time friend of FWBC went to be with the Lord on November 17, 1986. Harvey and his wife, Larene (Birkey), graduated from the Bible Institute in 1929. He served on the Governing Board of the College from 1936-38 and 1944-46 and was a part-time teacher from 1941-42 while pastoring the Grabill Missionary Church. He was appointed to the faculty on a full-time basis in 1946 and continued with the College until 1960, serving the last ten years as registrar. Mr. Mitchell was a gifted teacher with a sharp wit and sense of humor. At one time he said of his years at the College, "My greatest reward was to see young people grow in knowledge and in spirit and to realize that God was allowing me to share in their growth." Mrs. Mitchell continues to live in Colorado Springs, Colorado.

FEATURED ALUMNUS

All-American Soccer Grad Returns to Coach, Play Pro

by Steve Morley

Graham West, Fort Wayne Bible College's two-time NCCAA Division II All-American in soccer, coached this year's edition of the Falcon soccer team. West played for the FWBC Falcons from 1982-1985, becoming one of the most leading scorers at any level in the history of collegiate soccer. After graduating in May 1986, West was drafted in the sixth round by the Fort Wayne Flames, the new professional indoor soccer team. He returned to Fort Wayne last summer to coach at FWBC and play professionally.

Going from player to coach in a nine-month period gave West an added appreciation of coaching. "Knowing what I know now as a coach, I would have been more aggressive as a player, and put more into it." Coach West added that coaching had "a lot more responsibility than playing," and he found that the closeness in age to his players, some of whom he had played with, caused his major concerns in coaching the team.

West has reenrolled at FWBC for the spring semester and is majoring in Christian counseling. Because of his coaching duties at FWBC, he missed valuable practice time with the Flames. He appeared in one game before deciding to come back to school.

As far as future plans, he is looking forward to serving in Austria with Sports Life Ministries of Tacoma, Washington. At the end of this semester, he will leave for Tacoma to go through a six-month training program in language and culture before going to Austria to play on a soccer team. His experience as a player and coach should be of great benefit to him as he seeks to glorify the Lord through this sports ministry.
A Letter From Your Alma Mater...

February 1987

Dear Fellow Alumni,

Greetings from Marceil and me, and from your friends at Fort Wayne Bible College.

We have a challenging opportunity before us as an Alumni Association. In the past, a portion ($12,500) of the funds raised from Phonathon each year were allocated for the Alumni Scholarship Endowment Fund, with the balance used for general operating expenses of the College. Last year, we had a third project involved in our Phonathon -- the "Bridge to the Future" capital campaign. Your response to these projects was encouraging.

In response to a request from your Alumni Advisory Board, President Donald Gerig and his Cabinet are giving us the opportunity to increase significantly our Alumni Scholarship Endowment Fund through our annual alumni Phonathon.

This year all funds received through Phonathon 1987 will be added to the Alumni Scholarship Endowment Fund. The present balance is $72,000 and the 1987 Phonathon goal is $40,000. We are praying to surpass this goal and make possible a significant increase in the scholarship endowment.

By allocating all Phonathon gifts to the Scholarship Endowment Fund, the number of students we will be able to assist each year will rise dramatically:

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Enabling students to continue in college is just as important to our strength and health as an institution as enrolling new students. The more endowed scholarships we have the more students we may assist.

You will be receiving information soon about Phonathon 1987. Mark the dates on your calendar. Prayerfully consider your involvement in this challenge to assist men and women preparing for ministries for the Lord.

God bless you in 1987,

Bill Gerig
Alumni Director

Marceil Zehr
Alumni Secretary

NEWS NOTES

1970-1979
Dennis Magary g73 taught at the Caribbean Graduate School of Theology, Jamaica where the principal and director is Zenas Gerig g51.

1980-1986
Doug g82 and Kim (Wild) g81 Beutler are on the Campus Life staff for Elkhart County, IN. Over 200 young people attended a recent all-nighter called "Marathon Night". Ten teens recommitted their lives to Christ following a concert and challenge by Doug.

Ted g86 and Beth g84 Wilson now reside in Jackson, Michigan. Ted is Associate Pastor of Northeast Missionary Church with responsibilities of music and CE. Beth teaches in the Jackson public schools.

Angela and Kevin g86 Abbott are preparing for ministry in France.

Sheri and Scott g86 Litwiller have moved to Anderson, Indiana. Scott teaches 6th grade at South Elementary School in Pendleton, Indiana.
JOB HUNTING

The following churches and organizations have written to the Placement Office indicating openings in the following positions. If you would like further information about these openings, write the Placement Office and refer to the code number.

Pastor. First Baptist Church, Woodbury, NJ. A-15.
Full-Time Christian Ed & Youth Director. Grace United Methodist, Marion, IN. B-2.
Full-Time Christian Ed Director. First Presbyterian Church, Caldwell, NJ. B-3.
Full-Time Christian Ed Director. First Presbyterian Church, Bellevue, NE. B-4.
Staff. Findlay Area Youth For Christ, Findlay, OH. C-2.
Part-Time Youth Pastor. Union Church, Quincy, MI. C-5.
Youth Pastor. Camden Community Church, Camden, MI. C-5.
Staff. Fort Lauderdale Area Youth for Christ, Pompano Beach, FL. C-12.
Part-Time Youth Pastor. Trinity Missionary Church, Springfield, OH. C-14.
Youth Director. Barr Oak Church, Lionier, IN. C-16.
Full-Time Youth Pastor. Trenton Hills United Brethren, Adrian, MI. C-29.
Part-Time Minister of Music. Green Community Missionary Church, Roseburg, OR. E-3.
Pianist/Organist. Christ's United Methodist Church, Roanoke, IN. E-8.
Staff. Christians United Reaching Everyone (CURE), Cincinnati, OH. F-3.
Staff. The Agape Movement, San Bernardino, CA. F-5.
Staff. Human Resources Foundation, International Laurel, MD. F-10.
Staff. New Horizons Youth Ministries, Marion, IN. H-18.
Staff. Youth Investment Foundation, Hopkins, MN. H-16.
Houseparents. Young Life Circle C Group Home, Toledo, OH. H-17.
Staff. Detroit Rescue Mission, Detroit, MI. H-19.
Staff. Twin Wells Indian School, Sun Valley, AZ. H-21.
Counselors. Sunshine Bible Academy, Miller, SD. H-22.
Child Care Worker. White's Institute, Wabash, IN. H-29.
Staff. Covenant Players, Toledo, OH. K-1a.
Staff. Moody Bible Institute, Chicago, IL. K-1b.
Women's Center Coordinator. Howard Community Hospital, Kokomo, IN. K-29.

ALUMNI RALLIES AND REUNIONS

Former College Employees
Meet at Phoenix Alumni Rally
Pictured above are 17 former employees of FWBC who met during an alumni rally in Phoenix, Arizona. Fifty-nine alumni and friends gathered together on November 8, 1986 for fellowship and dinner. Featured was a slide presentation about Fort Wayne Bible College and a report by Dr. Harvey Bostrom, recently retired president of the College.

Soccer Reunion
On Saturday, October 4, eleven former varsity soccer players returned to Fort Wayne Bible College for a "muddy" battle with this year's varsity. The weather was nasty, but a great time of fellowship and exercise was enjoyed by all. This year's soccer reunion will be on September 5, 1987.

Basketball Reunion
On Saturday, November 8, 1986, continued on page 12

BIRTHS

SALLY (Birky) g72 and TIM g73 ERDEL: Matthew Robert born November 1, 1986. Two sisters, Sarah Beth and Rachel. 407 Paddock Drive West, Savoy, IL 61874.
JEAN (Hollenberg) g77 and ADEAN LOUIS: Stephanie Dawn born December 20, 1986. 2052 Highwood Avenue, St. Paul, MN 55119.
CONNIE and LONNIE g77 NORRIS: Isaac Richard born October 16, 1986. 8124 Popp Road, Fort Wayne, IN 46225.
RUTH (Lehman) g79 and JAMES CATRON: Bethany Erin born September 27, 1986. 1890 W. Hillcrest Dr., #422, Newbury Park, CA 91320.
BEV (Veits) f84 and JAY (Veits) f82 and JAY KIRKBRIDE: Gabrielle Elizabeth born August 13, 1986. 225 Carson Street, Apt. 2, St. Albans, WV 25177.
CAROL (Deemer) g81 and CHARLES PARK: Charity Lynn born November 1, 1986. 4611 Church Rd., Traverse City, MI 49684.

MARY ANN (Kistler) g82 and STEVE RUBERG: Daniel John born November 20, 1985. 1207 Nicholas Road, Indianapolis, IN 46220.
JERRIANN (Heiser) g80 & 82 and DEAN WENGER: Andrew Paul born May 11, 1986. 707 Sycamore, North Manchester, IN 46962.
SHARON (Slocum) g83 and STAN HALLACK: Megan Ruth born December 6, 1986. R.R. #1, 112th Avenue, Hart, MI 49420.
COLETTE (Hill) g83 and ERICK f81-R3 STAIRHIME: Jacob Dillon born December 5, 1986. One brother, Joshua. 225 West Hickory #405, Hesston, KA 67062.
BECKY (Speck) f80-R5 and ALLEN RASSI: Lewis Allen born August 11, 1986. 69077 C.R. 11, Nappanee, IN 46550.
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Teacher Ed Program Reaccredited

by Alice Joy Weddle

The Fort Wayne Bible College elementary education and music education programs were granted reaccreditation for a five-year period following a visit in October from a state Department of Education team. The team, composed of two college professors, a public school administrator, and a representative of the Department of Education, commended the programs for their strong commitment to Christian ideals, their attention to individual student needs and their positive relationships with elementary and secondary educators.

Other areas of strength that were noted include the structure of the curriculum of the institution which is guided and checked by the objectives of each program, and the music education curriculum which is patterned after standards of the National Association of Schools of Music and the Music Educators' National Conference. The early and continuous field experiences of the elementary education major were cited also. On recommendation from the team, the teacher education program will explore ways to streamline the curriculum with the intent of reducing the number of hours needed for each degree.

Alumni Rallies continued

thirty former basketball players and the present varsity members came together for brunch and a time of reminiscing in the dining room of Founders Hall. Two games were played in the afternoon at the Woodside Middle School gymnasium. The first game involved two teams of alumni who felt it wise to play against other alumni rather than young college men. The varsity-alumni game was full of excitement down to the last minute with the varsity pulling out the victory. November 7, 1987 is the date for this year's Alumni Basketball Reunion.

Indianapolis Reunion

Lois McKuhen, president of the Indianapolis Chapter of the Alumni Association, made arrangements for a meeting November 8, 1986. That evening, alumni and friends gave or pledged a total of $1,100 toward the Indianapolis Area Scholarship Fund. Professor Doug Barcalow and students Dann Zehr, Toni Jackson, and Cindy Kennedy represented the College at this meeting.

Los Angeles Reunion

In the Los Angeles suburb of Northridge, California, 36 alumni and friends from southern California met on November 10, 1986 for a time of fellowship and dinner at Hodel's restaurant.

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Pray for God's will to be accomplished in Phonalhon '87.

NEW NEWS NOTES!

The Alumni Office has begun circulation of a new flyer containing information of special interest to FWBC alumni. The first issue of ALUMNI UPDATE was mailed out in early January, and will be published between issues of the Summit Record. Both the Alumni Update and the Summit Record will include alumni news. If you are not an alumnus of the College but wish to receive Alumni Update, please contact the Alumni Office and you will be added to the mailing list.