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VISION

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Fund Drive Launched

A \$1-million fund-raising effort to build an Administration-Classroom Building on the south campus has been launched.

General Chairman of the drive is Fort Wayne businessman, James N. Beltz, president of J.B. Tool Die and Engineering Company.

The campaign for building funds is part of a \$4-million expansion program approved by the college's Governing Board.

The fund-raising effort will be conducted among individuals and business firms in the community as well as alumni, staff, students and interested churches. Both staff and student body have already exceeded their goals. Each has pledged over \$15,000. The Alumni Association, Governing Board, Inner Circle and the Missionary Church Association are in the midst of their parts of the campaign.

Dr. Gerig explained that moving the college's present administrative offices to the new building, would free dormitory space for 100 additional students.

"No federal funds will be used in the construction of the Administration-Classroom Building," Dr. Gerig said.

"Our Board of Trustees has unanimously voted to by-pass the use of federal funds although they are available to us. It is our belief that we can best

maintain our academic and spiritual standards without the involvement of governmental agencies.

"America's strength was molded from the tough fibers of its private and voluntarily supported educational institutions, and we believe in upholding this tradition."

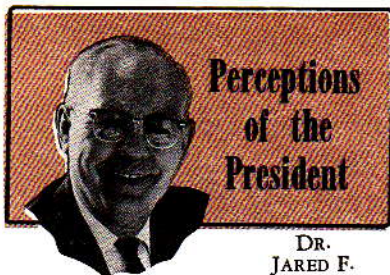
The Administration-Classroom Building has been designed by Strauss Associates, architects. It is a 3-story structure providing a total of 16 classrooms and laboratories besides offices for the administrative staff.

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Bible College Students Serve Overseas



Shown are seven Fort Wayne Bible College students serving overseas as summer missionaries. Shown standing left to right: Patricia Brading of Troy, Ohio and Roberta Cook of Fort Wayne, both serving among Indians on the islands off the coast of British Columbia, Canada; Ruth Gerber of Carol Stream, Illinois serving in Costa Rica; Nancy Naas, R.N. of Livonia, Michigan, serving in Germany. Seated are Dwight Haller of Trochu, Alberta, Canada, serving in Germany; Ernest Geefay of Hong Kong, serving in Spain; and Klaus Heizmann of Germany, also serving in Germany.



Perceptions of the President

DR.
JARED F.
GERIG

1966-1967 - A Year of Great Challenge

This coming school year, half in 1966 and half in 1967, has all the marks of being the greatest year of challenge in the history of Fort Wayne Bible College. It is like God to keep before us increasing challenges to our faith. This is God's way of honoring the little faith we possess and exercise.

Our number one challenge has to do with our south campus expansion program—in particular the building of a new Administration-Classroom building. This much needed facility would meet many pressing needs of the college, including the releasing of other space to house 100 additional students. The latest estimate of the cost of this building is \$1,100,000.

This is a sizable test of our faith, but it also constitutes a new challenge to believe God. The fund-raising effort to meet this need has already begun and will continue throughout the next six or eight months. We invite you to share in this program by earnest prayer, real faith, and sacrificial giving. Without any fanfare, close to \$70,000 has already been pledged.

Our number two challenge of considerable magnitude has to do with accreditation by the North Central Association. Our self-study is now in progress. The faculty has been organized into committees, already giving many hours of work to this project. Fort Wayne Bible College will be the first Bible College in the NCA area, comprising 19 states, to be examined for accreditation. The submission of the completed self-study before June 1, 1967 will constitute the college's application. If the application is approved, examiners will probably visit the college in the fall of 1967.

We are face to face with a real challenge to prove to NCA and the educational world that a Bible College can offer quality education. We are concentrating on changing weaknesses into strengths, trusting that we shall be ready for this crucial test.

Our number three challenge is the most important of all. It embraces spiritual renewal and revival. Our year verse for next year is Lamentations 5:21: "Turn thou us unto thee, O Lord, and we shall be turned; renew our days as of old."*

We are asking God for renewal of spiritual life and power. We are dedicated to the proposition that the times call for and demand a spiritual revival, and we want it to begin in us who are at Fort Wayne Bible College. Possibly God would see fit to let it spread from us to the churches, and on out to the uttermost parts of the earth. We do not want revolt on the FWBC campus; we want revival.

These are the greatest challenges we have ever faced. They encompass the physical, the academic, and the spiritual. They represent great necessities for continuing to do the most effective job possible in training young people for service around the world. We challenge you to become a vital team member with us in seeing these great things come to pass. You will then share in the reward.

*Renew Our Days—The Rev. J. Harlan Wright, Alumni Coordinator, has set the year verse to music with harmonization by Jay Platte, student director of the Singing Collegians. Additional complimentary copies may be obtained for the asking.

Renew Our Days

Lamentations 5:21

J. H. W.

Melody by J. HARLAN WRIGHT

Harmonized by JAY PLATTE

Re - new our days as in days of old; Re - new our days, O Lord.

The first system of music features a treble and bass staff. The treble staff contains a melody with eighth and quarter notes, while the bass staff provides a harmonic accompaniment with chords and moving lines.

Turn Thou us un - to Thee, O Lord; Turn Thou us, O Lord.

The second system continues the melody and accompaniment. The treble staff shows a melodic line with some rests, and the bass staff continues with a steady accompaniment.

Re - new our days as in days of old; Re - new our days, O Lord.

The third system repeats the first line of the song. The musical notation follows the same pattern as the first system, with a treble and bass staff.

Turn Thou us, O Lord, our God; Re - new our hearts to - day.

The fourth system concludes the piece with a final line of lyrics. The treble staff ends with a double bar line, and the bass staff also concludes with a double bar line.

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world congress on evangelism



Dr. Gerig to Attend World Congress on Evangelism

President Jared F. Gerig, has been invited to be a delegate to the World Congress on Evangelism in Berlin, October 26-Nov. 4. The theme for the international congress is "One Race, One Gospel, One Task." About 1200 delegates are being invited from around the world.

Sponsored by **Christianity Today**, nearly 60 church leaders from many countries are serving on the sponsoring committee. Dr. Billy Graham is honorary chairman and Dr. Carl F. H. Henry, editor of **Christianity Today**, is chairman.

Dr. Clyde W. Taylor, general director of the National Association of Evangelicals, is chairman of the executive committee. He is also a member of the Bible College Governing Board.

Commenting on the necessity for a new birth of evangelistic fervor, Taylor says, "Civilization today, on any level, demands regeneration for survival. Evangelism is basic. The entire Congress will be aimed at this vital target which has been almost obscured by the emphasis on the deplorable social conditions of lost men. The need is overwhelming enough to involve every person with courage to face the challenge."

We invite you to pray for the Congress, its leaders, delegates and especially Dr. Gerig as he goes for refreshing and inspiration.



Alumni Cited for Outstanding Service

Two alumni of Fort Wayne Bible College have been cited for outstanding service. The Rev. Clayton D. Steiner of 3506 Indiana Avenue, Fort Wayne and the Rev. William E. Pannell of Detroit, Michigan were elected into membership in the Delta Epsilon Chi honor society of the Accrediting Association of Bible

Colleges at the close of the school year. Dr. Jared F. Gerig, president of the Bible College presented the awards.

The citation for Steiner hails him as a teacher, missionary, pastor, administrator and Christian leader. Graduating in 1920, Steiner received further academic training at Wheaton College (Illinois) and at Nyack Missionary College in Nyack, New York. He then became a teacher in a "little red school house" and later pastored a small church in Ohio.

In 1927 he and Mrs. Steiner sailed for Peru, South America to begin work as missionaries in the Andes Mountains. His support, passage and outfit was provided by the student body of Fort Wayne Bible College. He served for 16 years in South America, including duties as field chairman for the Christian and Missionary Alliance.

Mr. Steiner then pastored the First Missionary Church, Fort Wayne for eight years. In 1952 he was elected central district superintendent of the Mis-

sionary Church Association. He continues to serve in this capacity today.

Rev. William E. Pannell was graduated from Fort Wayne Bible College with the Bachelor of Arts degree in Bible. He then engaged in a ministry of music in tent evangelistic campaigns and Bible conferences.

Gradually Pannell turned his emphasis to evangelistic speaking. He has been used in churches of many denominations from coast to coast as well as in the West Indies. His ministry also included radio writing and producing radio-TV programs and film appearances.

For 13 years Pannell has been associated with the late B. M. Nottage of Detroit, Michigan in a ministry primarily to Negro people. His time and energies are now being directed through Youth For Christ International in an expanded thrust to the inner cities, particularly to reach Negro youth.

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The Class of 1966

The class of 1966 was addressed by Dr. Kenneth Kantzer, Dean of the Trinity Evangelical Divinity School, at commencement exercises on May 30. There are now 1861 who have graduated from Fort Wayne Bible College.

Of those indicating the type of service they expect to enter, 18 said teaching, 13-missions, eight-the pastorate, four-youth work, three-missionary nursing, two-director of Christian education, two-church secretarial, two-Bible college faculty members and one, nursing.

The class of 1966 has given the college a gift of \$732 to purchase 300 **Worship and Service Hymnals** with the college name imprinted on the cover. The remaining money is to be used to buy **Inter-Varsity Hymns**.

Members of the graduating class are listed below.



Receiving the Bachelor of Science degree in Christian education and missions: Karen Jo Steiner, Ohio and John Jay Durst, Indiana. Receiving the B.S. degree in Christian education and music: Sandra K. Phillippe Hughs, Kansas; Sarah Elizabeth Johnson, Illinois and Max Dewayne Wanner, Indiana.

Receiving the Bachelor of Science Degree in Elementary Education: Sherryl Janine Beitler, Indiana; Mary Mae Carey, Indiana; Sue Ann Emery, Indiana; Carolyn Sue Harris, Ohio; Margaret Laura Logan, Pennsylvania; Donita Louise Luginbill, Ohio; Carolyn Faith Mitchell, Ohio; Carolyn Marie Pope, Michigan; JoAnne Martin Portzline, Indiana; Marilyn Gay Rashley, Indiana; Virginia Alverda Reed, Indiana; Norma Haber Rupp, Michigan; Lois Jean Steiner, Indiana and Eileen Rose Vorse, Pennsylvania.

Receiving the Bachelor of Science Degree in missions: Morris Ray Beal, Indiana; Roberta Rose Cook, Indiana and Roger Carlton Hughs, Kansas. Receiving the B.S. Degree in missionary nursing: Lilah Ann Amstutz, California; Clela Annetta Ballard, Maryland; Judith Ann Carlson, Indiana; Joyce Linda Collins, Vermont; Carol Elizabeth Dyck, Indiana; Peggy Lee Gunther, Indiana; Barbara Rae Johnson, New York; Patricia Ellen Pittsenbarger, Ohio and Donna Lee Richmond, Ohio.

Receiving the Bachelor of Science Degree in music education, Patricia Ann Gushiken, Indiana.

Receiving the Bachelor of Arts Degree in Christian education: Elizabeth Ann Ellis, Indiana and Karen Ruth Ettinger, Pennsylvania. Receiving the B.A. Degree in Bible and Theology, David Dean Biberstein, Indiana. Those receiving the B.A. Degree in missions include: John Lowrie Anderson, Jr, Illinois; Helen Hyde Hall, Illinois and Merton Wayne Pekrul, Michigan.

The Alumni Association presented \$50 awards to the outstanding man and outstanding woman in the class: Mrs. Elizabeth (Ellis) Morehead and David Biberstein. Mrs. Morehead will be an assistant in the Christian Service Department this year. Dave Biberstein will study in Jerusalem having received a \$1628 scholarship to study at the American Institute of Holy Land Studies.

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Receiving the Bachelor of Arts Degree in pastoral training: Ronald Dean Hege, Indiana; Niles Katsuji Kageyama, Hawaii; Robert Paul Moening, Ohio; James J. Mortemore, Ohio; James Gibson Welty, Indiana and Bryce Leon Winter-egg, Indiana. Receiving the B.A. Degree in pastoral training and also in missions, Grant Richard Osborne, Indiana. Receiving the B.A. Degree in social science, John Kamau Mahia, Kenya.

Those receiving the Bachelor of Religious Education Degree include: August Charles Enderlin, III, Indiana; Richard Ralph Epps, Indiana; Marjorie Sue Fisher, Illinois; Joy Marceil Gerig, Indiana; Myron Shook Harrison, Wisconsin; Emily Kay Mighells, New York and Aletha Mary Staight, Indiana.

Receiving the Bachelor of Music Education Degree: Betty Lou Hochstetler, Indiana and Monica Thea Wadewitz, Indiana.

Adult Christian Training School

The Adult Christian Training School has two evening courses planned for the fall term. These non-credit community Bible study courses are offered for 12 Tuesday evenings beginning September 20 and ending December 13. Each two-hour session begins at 7 p.m. The cost is \$15 including the course syllabus.

At Leo High School, Leo, Indiana, Dr. Jared F. Gerig will teach the book of Daniel. Lectures will be illustrated with pictures of modern Israel and other Bible lands taken by Dr. Gerig while he taught at the American Institute of Holy Land Studies in Jerusalem.

The Rev. W. O. Klopfenstein, associate professor of Bible and theology, will teach a course entitled, "Your Bible and How to Use it Effectively." Classes will be held at the S. A. Lehman Memorial Library. The course is designed to answer questions on revelation, inspiration, the formation of the Sacred Canon, why some books are regarded as inspired and others are not, along with a survey of modern translations and principles of Bible study to guide the layman in his personal study of the Bible.

Those interested in enrolling in either course should contact the Adult Christian Training School, c/o Fort Wayne Bible College, 800 West Rudisill Blvd., Fort Wayne, Indiana 46807.



Pastoral Training Chairman Appointed

The Rev. Robert C. Strubhar has been appointed chairman of the Department of Pastoral Training. Dr. Gerig announced that he will begin teaching at the Bible College in September. He also announced that Dr. Edward D. Augsburger, assistant professor of Bible and theology has resigned to accept an appointment as associate professor of Bible at Ashland College, Ashland, Ohio.

Mr. Strubhar was born in Washington, Illinois and educated in Peoria public schools. He graduated from Fort Wayne Bible Institute, as it was then known, in 1936. Since then he attended Winona Lake School of Theology, the University of Denver, Fuller Summer Seminary, and was graduated with the Bachelor of Arts degree from Westmont College. He then earned the Master of Arts degree in New Testament at Wheaton College Graduate School of Theology where he served as an assistant to the dean of the graduate school.

For 21 years Mr. Strubhar has had an evangelistic ministry and held pastorates in the Missionary Church Association. For ten more years he served as Midwestern District Superintendent of the MCA.

He is married and has three children, the oldest of whom, John, is a junior at Fort Wayne Bible College. Strubhar's master's thesis is "The Relevance of the Book of Revelation to the Asian Churches."

Music and Fine Arts Chairman Announced

Mr. Gilbert S. Hynes has been appointed chairman of the Department of Music and Fine Arts, Dr. Gerig announced. He will assume duties held in an interim capacity by Professor Ira Gerig since the death of Dr. Rene Frank.

Mr. Hynes is a native of New York, born in Cornwall and educated in Brooklyn public schools, graduating from Franklin Lane High School. He received the Bible-Music diploma from Barrington College in Rhode Island. He then studied at Boston University College of Music receiving the Bachelor of Music degree and Master of Music degree.

With emphasis on vocal music, Mr. Hynes studied privately for two years at Boston Conservatory of Music, for eight years at New England Conservatory of Music and for two years under Opera Workshop scholarships: with Boris Goldovsky and the Metropolitan Opera and with Sarah Caldwell at Boston University.

Mr. Hynes began his teaching career as instructor in voice at Barrington College. He then became baritone soloist and choir director at Tremont Temple Baptist Church in Boston, joining the music faculty at Houghton College, New York, in 1953.

In 1957 he became head of the Music Department at Roberts Wesleyan College, New York, leaving for evangelistic solo work during 1959-60. In 1961 he became director of music at LeTourneau College, Longview, Texas. He served there until appointed to his position at Fort Wayne Bible College.

A member of the Metropolitan Opera Guild, Hynes also belongs to the National Association of Teachers of Singing, the Civic Music Association and was an honorary member of the Longview, Texas, Music Club.



Who Needs Me?

God, that's Who! You get the impact of the tremendous needs for Christian workers both at home and abroad when you read such articles as appears in the May, 1966 edition of **Campus Life**, published by Youth For Christ.

Entitled, "A World-full of Opportunities," the article lists occupations, number of workers needed, by whom and where in the world they are needed. It goes on for page after page.

An inter-church agency has also published a listing of church occupations with estimated number of workers. The total is over 330,000 positions. Many of these are **MEN ONLY** positions. Others, open to either sex are best filled by men. We are concerned that many of these will have to be filled by women.

Why? Perhaps men are more oriented toward the sciences. Salaries are high, work conditions are good and there are many rewards nationally. For this reason many a young man who would make an excellent pastor, missionary, youth or camp worker is pushed into the more financially rewarding positions.

One young man testifies, "I felt God's call into the pastorate or missions but my high school guidance counselor suggested chemical engineering even though my math was only fair. I chose a college which was true to the Bible but my guidance counselor suggested a liberal church-related college. I thank God I listened to Him rather than my guidance counselor." He is now in full-time Christian service.

Advice to young people

The decision about your life's work is **yours** to make.

The decision about the college you attend is also **yours**.

Seek good counsel, read catalogs, talk with students, graduates, workers in the fields you are interested in entering. Visit campus if you can. But most of all, seek God's guidance, saturate yourself with prayer and reading in the Word of God. Then make your decision and stick with it! God has promised: "Trust in the Lord with all thine heart; and lean not unto thine own understanding. In all thy ways acknowledge Him, and He shall direct thy paths." (Prov. 3:5-6)

FUND DRIVE LAUNCHED —

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Mr. Beltz, Drive Chairman, says, "We must interpret the impact Fort Wayne Bible College has made year after year in a unique program of world ministry for it is a story that should be known by every resident in the Fort Wayne area. The entire campaign organization will be challenged to 'clarify the image and amplify the message'."

Mr. Beltz has long been an active member of the First Missionary Church where he has taught Sunday School since 1946. For eight years, he has been president of Fort Wayne Child Evangelism. He also serves on the Youth For Christ Board.

Mr. Beltz is an FWBC Trustee where he is a member of the executive committee and serves on the college south campus committee.

The 8-month campaign effort will be directed by Concord Counsellors, Inc., Fort Wayne professional fund-raising firm.

Fort Wayne Bible College Year

The Missionary Church Association has designated the coming year as "Fort Wayne Bible College Year." In action at its biennial convention in Detroit in August, the M.C.A. re-elected the Rev. Tilman Habegger as president of the controlling denomination for his third four-year term. He was authorized by the convention to make initial contacts and set the stage for a fund-raising drive in the M.C.A.

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Dr. Gerig said, "For the interest and concern for the youth of all races, and in recognition of his fruitful ministry in improving relations between races and between people and their God, Fort Wayne Bible College is happy to present the Rev. William E. Pannell this key and certificate of Honorary Membership in Delta Epsilon Chi."

Two seniors were also voted into membership in Delta Epsilon Chi. Judith Ann Carlson of South Whitley, Indiana, graduated cum laude with the Bachelor of Science degree in missionary nursing. Grant Osborne of Fort Wayne graduated magna cum laude with the Bachelor of Arts degree in pastoral training and missions.

COMING CAMPUS EVENTS

September

- 27-30 Spiritual Emphasis Week
Rev. Dave Breeze

October

- 11 Women's Auxiliary
22 Alumni-Parents' Day

November

- 11-12 Communications Dept. Play
16-18 Missionary Conference
30 Concert—Hughes String Quartet
Ohio State University

December

- 11 Christmas Concert
—Handel's Messiah
16 Christmas Banquet

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