

A Weekly Publication of Perkins School of Theology/SMU

Dallas April 11, 2014 Houston-Galveston

# **Upcoming Worship**

8:00 AM Services
Perkins Chapel
(unless otherwise indicated)

Tuesday,

April 15:

Morning prayer led by Ben Hensley

Wednesday,

April 16:

Morning prayer led by Order of St. Luke Members

Thursday,

April 17:

No Morning Prayer Easter Break

Friday,

April 18:

No Morning Prayer Easter Break

11:30 AM
Services
Perkins Chapel
(unless otherwise indicated)

Wednesday,

### Photos of the Week



Affirming Religious Community (ARC) hosted a variety of activities this week for ARC Week. On Tuesday, April 8 ARC hosted an Allies Training during C.H.A.P. (left). ARC also hosted a panel on sexuality, gender identity, and congregations with Dr. Suzanne Scholz, Rev. Anna Hosemann-Butler (Oak Lawn UMC), and Rev. Cody Sanders (Alliance of Baptists) on Wednesday, April 9 (right). They also led worship in chapel on Thursday, April 10, and participated in the Day of Silence on Friday, April 11.

Send us your pictures from your Perkins event, gathering, or meeting to <a href="mailto:perkinsnews@smu.edu">perkinsnews@smu.edu</a> and be featured in the Perkins News.

### **Upcoming Scholarship Opportunities**

This section will highlight different scholarships that could be of interest to the Perkins Community. Scholarships featured here will often have rapidly approaching deadlines, so look into these opportunities right away. A wide variety of opportunities for financial assistance can always be found in the Outside Scholarship Section of the Perkins Website.

#### **Ed E. and Gladys Hurley Foundation Scholarship**

The Ed E. and Gladys Hurley Foundation Scholarship exists to assist worthy and deserving young men and women to obtain college education when they and their parents are financially unable to provide the necessary funds for that purpose. Funds can be used solely for colleges in the State of Texas, but students who reside in any state and who wish to study to become ministers, missionaries or religious workers of the Protestant faith may

April 16:

A Service of the Word for Holy Week

Based on Chorales, Focused on Psalm 130

Seminary Singers and Daniela Müller, musicians

Thursday,

April 17:

No Worship Easter Break

Wednesday,

April 23:

Yom Hashoah, Holocaust Remembrance Rev. Dr. Stephen Rankin, preaching Seminary Singers, musician

> Thursday, April 24:

Word and Table, with Baptism. Rev. Dr. Gary MacDonald, preaching Daniela Müller, musician

## Community Lunch

Tuesday,
April 15
Sken Spagh

Chicken Spaghetti Spinach

Mixed Green Salad and Bread

Wednesday,

April 16

Beef and Veggie Burritos Spanish Rice Corn and Bean Salsa

Salad

Thursday,
April 17
No Community Lunch
Easter Break

receive up to \$1,000 per academic year.

The application and instruction sheet can be obtained by <u>download</u> or from the Office of Admissions and Financial Aid (Kirby #216). This application requires certification of enrollment and two letters of recommendation, so please do not wait until the last minute to start this application. You must follow the instructions precisely.

Completed application packets should be <u>returned to the Office of Admissions and Financial Aid (Kirby #216) by **May 16, 2014**. Do not attempt to submit your application directly to the Hurley Foundation. Recipients of the Hurley grants will be notified by Perkins as soon as we are notified after the end of the spring semester.</u>

If you have questions regarding these or any other outside scholarship opportunities, contact Lynda Casey in the Office of Admissions and Financial Aid (Kirby 216) at <a href="mailto:lmcasey@smu.edu">lmcasey@smu.edu</a> or 214-768-3411.

### **ELECTIONS**

#### **Perkins Student Association**

Friday, April 11, 2014 11:00 a.m. - 1:15 p.m. Prothro Hall, Room 206

Monday, April 14, 2014 4:30 p.m. - 6:30 p.m. Prothro Hall, Foyer

Elections are currently IN PROCESS! The following individuals are running for the following positions:

President: Sadie Brink

Dr. Lael C. Melville John F. Stephenson II

Vice President: Trey Burns

Secretary: OPEN

Treasurer: Ailsa Odom

Social Life Chair: Emily Robnett

Justice In Action Chair: Robert Goodson

Middle Year Reps (2): Ethan Gregory

Myron Rhodes, Jr.

Last Year Reps (2): OPEN

Friday,
April 18
No Community Lunch
Easter Break

## PSA Meetings

April 23, 2014

## Perkins Community Life Fee \$30.00

This \$30.00 (per year) fee covers: The Perkins Look Book, helps fund the Fall Banquet, Spring Banquet, graduation events, special functions, low cost food service (snacks, lunches, dinners), free coffee, tea, lemonade, ice, and exam week fun.

Please pay by stopping by the Office of Community Life in 216 Kirby.

Please make checks payable to: Perkins School of Theology.

If the fee presents an unusual hardship for you, contact Tracy Anne Allred at 214-768-1480 or tallred@smu.edu or Rachel Rigdon at 214-768-3371 or rdannen@smu.edu.

Senators (2): OPEN

Information about candidates can be found at this site: http://www.smu.edu/~/media/Site/Perkins/PDF/Community/Elections2014.ashx

This election includes a constitution ratification proposal. If you would like a copy of the proposed constitution contact Stefanie Hayes (PSA Vice President).

If you are unable to vote in person at either the Dallas or Houston/Galveston locations an online ballot is available. You must contact Stefanie Hayes for the link and password.

For more information, contact Stefanie Hayes at <a href="mailto:sjhayes@smu.edu">sjhayes@smu.edu</a>.

## SoulCare: Practices to Nurture the Mind, Body, & Soul Sponsored by Faith Calls: Theological Programs for Young People

Saturday, April 12, 2014 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m., Registration opens at 8:30 a.m. Prothro Hall, Room 121

Join the *Faith Calls* program at the annual Spring Forum - *SoulCare*: Practices to Nurture the Mind, Body, & Soul. This year's forum will focus on the various dimensions of wellness, spiritually, physically, and socially. This is an event for young people ages 15-22. Our keynote speaker will be Dr. Paula Dobbs-Wiggins. Featured speakers include: Lisa Joyner, Grant Skeldon, Froswa Booker-Drew, and Neeki Bey. All Perkins community members and their church youth groups are welcome. There is a \$10 admission, and lunch is provided. Registration is required.

#### Register online:

 $\underline{http://www.smu.edu/Perkins/PublicPrograms/FaithCalls/Spring\%20Forum/Registration}$ 

For more information, contact Tonya Burton at <a href="mailto:tburton@smu.edu">tburton@smu.edu</a> or (214) 768-1333.

### Recital by Daniela Müller

Saturday, April 12, 2014 8:00 p.m.

Caruth Auditorium at Meadows School of the Arts

Come and support fellow Perkins student and M.S.M. candidate Daniela Müller as she performs works by Dupre, Bach, and Widor (symphony and gothique). This is a wonderful opportunity to show your support for our MSM program, our international students, and for Daniela, in addition to hearing some amazing music.

For more information, contact Daniela Müller at damueller@smu.edu.

## C.H.A.P. (Community Hour at Perkins) Sponsored by BSA Who do People Say Jesus Is? Are we who we say we are?

Tuesday, April 15, 2014 11:30 a.m. - 12:20 p.m. Prothro Hall, Room 100



The person of Jesus has been analyzed, interpreted, and denied by people from the beginning of time, but who is Jesus really? As we work towards answering that question, we must then ask, are we upholding the principles that Jesus laid out during his ministry? Join the Black Seminarian Association (BSA) this Tuesday as we embark upon further understanding of what we are called to do as believers.

For more information, contact Michelle Rushing at <a href="mailto:mrushing@smu.edu">mrushing@smu.edu</a>.

### **Interfaith Dialogue Informational meeting**

Discussion about a Potential Organized Interest Group for Next Year

Tuesday, April 15, 2014 12:45 p.m. - 1:15 p.m. Prothro Hall, Room 204

Are you interested in Interfaith Dialogue? Do you enjoy learning about other faiths or have a passion for interfaith ministry, activities, and issues? Then join us for a brief informational meeting about a potential OIG for next year! We will discuss a variety of things including potential activities, student participation, and officers.

For further information, contact Stefanie Hayes at sjhayes@smu.edu.

### **Holy Week Service**

Wednesday, April 16, 2014 11:30 a.m. Perkins Chapel

Holy Week Chapel will focus on Psalm 130. Music will be provided by Seminary Singers, directed by Lisa Hancock and Ben Hensley, and Drs. Christopher Anderson and Michael Hawn. Dr. Anderson will offer a meditation on this psalm. Please join us for this part of the Holy Week journey.

For more information, contact Dr. Hawn at <a href="mailto:mhawn@smu.edu">mhawn@smu.edu</a>.

### 5K Walk: Leukemia Lymphoma Society

Saturday, April 26, 2014 The walk begins at 9:00 a.m.; registration begins at 7:00 a.m. Kirkwood Temple CME 1440 Sunny Glen Dr. Dallas, Texas 75232



On April 26, 2014, Sheena Fields' church, Kirkwood Temple CME, is hosting the Leukemia Lymphoma Society with a 5K walk/run. I would like to extend the invitation to the ENTIRE Perkins Community (faculty, staff, and students) to participate and support Sheena and the Leukemia Lymphoma Society as a whole. If we are to be stewards and carriers of the Gospel in this world, we must support efforts of awareness with love and our presence. I once again invite you to support our sister in Christ as she battles this disease daily and also support the Society which brings aid to so many people. Registration is \$10 and is available on site. T-shirts are \$6, and you can register online at <a href="http://www.ministry.kirkwoodtemplecme.org">http://www.ministry.kirkwoodtemplecme.org</a>. Hope to see you there!

For more information, contact Michelle Rushing at mrushing@smu.edu.

### **Eleventh Annual Remembering Mom Luncheon Celebration**

For those who have experienced loss of a mother

Saturday, May 10, 2014

Reception at 11:00 a.m. & Luncheon at Noon

Northway Christian Church: 7202 W. Northwest Highway, Dallas



The Barbara Franklin Cancer Foundation

The Barbara Franklin Foundation will host its Eleventh Annual Remembering Mom Luncheon Celebration. It is a community service organization supporting men and women who have experienced loss of a mother. During our annual celebration, we will honor and celebrate the memory of our deceased mothers through a variety of meaningful activities:

- Candle-lighting ceremony & litany
- Individual recognition of each mother
- Acknowledgement of first year losses
- Reflections, sharing, and bonding
- Great food and fellowship
- Key note address: Dr. E. Bernard Franklin of Kansas City (brother of the founder)
- Special acknowledgements & gifts for students pursuing their education in spite of their mother's absence

Tickets are \$40 if paid by April 30th; \$45 if paid after May 1st.

For additional information or tickets, please contact Regina Franklin-Basye, Founder at <u>Regina@rememberingmom.org</u> or 214-755-9644 for additional information.

### FINAL EXAM SCHEDULE FOR SPRING 2014

Day	Time 9-12 noon	Place
Friday, May 9	NT 6302 Clark-Soles	100P
	NT 6302 Smith	220P
	OT 6302 Scholz	209P
	OT 6302 Heller	106P
Monday, May 12	HX 6306 Lee	106P
	HX 6306 Lewis	100P
Tuesday, May 13	CA 7013 Whitfield	100P
	OT 8368 Scholz	209P
Wednesday, May 14	GR 7301 Clark-Soles	220P
	HB 7301 Heller	223P
	HX 8385 Lee	209P

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