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Academic Affairs Committee Approves Two New Programs

During the Trustee meetings last week, many interesting things happened. I had planned to write about them this week and, in fact, kept the entire front page open to report about the Academic Affairs, Student Affairs, and Development sub-committees. Then, I suddenly remembered that I have four papers to write and nine books to read for finals.

So, here I am. 24 point type filler. (Haven't you always wanted to do this for a paper? Well, live vicariously! It is fun.) Thanks for your understanding. I'll fill you in on the rest of the Trustee meetings as well as many other things going on here next quarter.

I wish you God's peace and grace during finals week. May He draw you deeper into His heart and give you hope and unexpected new life this Easter.

In Christ,

Vicki Luna, Editor

p.s. No chapel services or denominational meetings this week. Some prayer teams will still be meeting, however. Check with your contact person.
Denominational News

CHRISTIAN AND MISSIONARY ALLIANCE STUDENTS: Dr. Dennis Johnson, Director of Personnel of the CMA, will be on campus for one day, Friday, March 22. If you have plans for ministry in or are interested in knowing more about the Christian and Missionary Alliance, you will want to meet with Dr. Johnson. Anyone wanting an appointment with Dr. Johnson should contact the Office of Church Relations, 584-5580.

ASSEMBLIES OF GOD STUDENTS: who may be interested in sponsored church planting after graduation this June may like to pick up an application. The Southern California District will select several persons to establish churches in connection with the "Decade of Harvest" emphasis. If interested, drop a note to Prof. Spittler (Box K) or telephone 585-5308 (or, if no answer, 794-3722).

Career Services

CAREER COUNSELING Uncertain how you will fit your education into a ministry position? Want to explore how your gifts fit into a career plan? Individual consultation to explore vocational identity and possibility is available through Career Services. Stop by our office, in Carnell Hall behind the Catalyst, or call 584-5576 to set up an appointment with Judi Karman, our new counselor.

ATTENTION SPRING/SUMMER GRADS Please be sure to turn in your yellow Graduate Placement Forms to Career Services.

Human Resources

Editor’s Correction: Peggy Still and Carole Swemline were accidently left out of the Semi announcement of Employee Honors last week. This oversight (due to graphic maneuvering rather than an accidental omission) does not in any way affect their value as gifted employees and wonderful people! Carol and Peggy have served for five years.

Financial Aid

HARYUAMA MINISTERIAL SCHOLARSHIPS
These scholarships support students who plan to minister to Japanese American communities as pastors or Christian educators. Applications are due May 1.

91-92 SOT & SWM MA/CCSP GRANT APPLICATIONS
Application packets for 91-92 SOT and SWM (MA/CCSP only) grants are available in Financial Aid. All students desiring any type of SOT grant (i.e., Team Ministry, Ethnic American, Black or Hispanic Ministry, Regular or Endowed grant, or SWM MA/CCSP grant) MUST complete this application.

I. Eligibility Requirements:
1. Accepted as a regular student in the MDiv or MA program.
2. Take at least 24 units between Summer 91 and Spring 92 at the main campus (exception if less than 24 units to graduate.)
3. You must not owe a refund or be in default to any Title IV program.

II. Award Amounts: Institutional grants are based on relative need and range between 15-70% of tuition. Due to the great need on campus, please investigate all other forms of aid (e.g. church, denomination, individuals, etc.), also.

III. Deadline: For returning students, a completed application packet must be received in Financial Aid no later than 5 p.m., April 15, 1991. NO LATE APPLICATIONS ACCEPTED.

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I had always thought that in order for me to discover deep, dark, dungeon secrets about myself that I would need to see a therapist. But I have found that this sort of self-discovery can also take place in a small group. During the past ten weeks of this quarter, I’ve been involved in a small group as part of my Small Groups class taught by Julie Gorman. I was excited about developing relationships with others, but I was also apprehensive about what I could be getting myself into.

In the group, I began to discover a mutual willingness to trust and be transparent which helped me see how far I would go in revealing my innermost self. This willingness didn’t happen all at once. As the quarter progressed, we talked about things like change and conflict, visited other ministries, praised and prayed together, affirmed and confronted one another, and laughed a lot. We gelled into quite a diverse group with a rainbow of gifts, strengths, and struggles.

It was during one of our meetings of open but unpressed sharing that I realized some of the ways in which I deal with change in my life. I thought that because I was “in the world but not of it” that I didn’t need the stability and security of a familiar routine to help me cope. During the course of what was being shared by the others I found myself falling short. I had been unable to detect my unwillingness to go through change, and I was also unwilling to admit any inability to function normally without some consistency in my life. I realized that I am somewhat dysfunctional in the midst of most self. This willingness didn’t happen all at once. As the quarter progressed, we talked about things like change and conflict, visited other ministries, praised and prayed together, affirmed and confronted one another, and laughed a lot. We gelled into quite a diverse group with a rainbow of gifts, strengths, and struggles.

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Through the group, I was not only able to see how much I needed to change, but I was also able to relate to others in the group that had similar experiences with different philosophies which needed rearranging. My “settledness” had once again become unsettled, yet I could depend on the group for the support I needed to accept myself and to face the reality of the changes I needed to make.

Even though the ten weeks of our winter quarter have come to an end, the self-discovery that I experienced in our small group will effect me for a lifetime. Our group wasn’t perfect. We didn’t always get along. We didn’t always have self-discovery. And we didn’t always share intimately. But we did grow.
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