Boise Bible College is “Uniquely Positioned” among many colleges in the Northwest; our focus is clear and our degrees on target with our mission statement. It would be easy to change direction and focus. Some people would like us to do just that. Sometimes it seems that financially it would benefit us as an institution. What, however, is our bottom line?

I am all about numbers! The number of students who attend BBC to learn how to become leaders in the church around the world, the number of students who learn how to study at an academic level to become educated leaders in various occupations and ministry outreaches, the number of people around the world who need Christ; and the number of people who will come into a saving relationship with Jesus Christ because of the outreach of BBC.

In an interview for Christian Standard, I was asked why BBC is growing in a time when many private colleges are plateaued, declining, or closing. At BBC we are focused on doing one thing and doing that well – educating leaders for the church. Our graduates are across the United States and around the world sharing the Good News of Jesus Christ.

BBC continues to seek partnerships with congregations and individuals who are committed to Christian Higher Education. Together we look forward to the day we dedicate the new dorm and student center, use a new chapel multimedia system for the preparation of worship leaders, and ultimately share our classes around the world through video production facilities. In all of this, I am excited to challenge those who partner with BBC in her “Unique Position” to fulfill the great commission: to begin here and go there! It is a big world, and we are preparing to win it for Him. If you are interested in a partnership to make that happen, let’s visit about your place in that unique position.
Alumni Uniquely Positioned Around the World

by Dr. Jim Byerly

BBC Alumni make a difference in each city, community, state and country where they live. People use “educated, talented, faithful and compassionate” to describe them. Whether their area of expertise is in the full-time pastorate or some other calling or work, each of them functions in a special way in the Body of Christ. We could never share all of the amazing stories of our people, but we hope you will rejoice with us as we spotlight a few of those who make up the alumni of BBC.

Chaplains: Cory Arnold and family have recently been stationed in Korea. Bill Robinson and family are in Baumgartner, Germany. Max Lach and Eddie Harrod are hospital and hospice chaplains in Oregon. Garrett Price and Nikkie Reed-Shumacher are hospice chaplains in the Boise, Idaho area.

Inner-City Ministry: Darryl Answer, a soft-spoken “Londener” came to BBC, felt the call to work with inner-city youth, and now ministers in Kansas City, Missouri doing just that. His emails share both the victories and heartbreaks that come with giving his life in this unique way. This is an excerpt from one of his recent communiqués, “Two people that I continue to ask you to pray for are B.J. and Willie. Both of these men have continued to mature even though they are in places that you would not usually associate with growth. B.J. is currently in a county jail about an hour south of Kansas City. He is still waiting to be sentenced. We went to visit him a few weeks ago, and I am so proud of him. He is learning to trust God. I hate to see him chained like an animal, but he understands that no jail cell or prison guard can keep him away from the love of God. He tells me ‘Paul is my dude!’”

We pray that God will richly bless all of our alumni in their labors around the world.

Silent Auction: We are seeking donations for the Alumni Sponsored Silent Auction to be held during Spring Conference. If you have artwork, sports equipment, jewelry, antiques - anything that would help us raise funds for student scholarships - please consider donating to the auction. Call Dr. B at 376-7731, or e-mail jbyerly@boisebible.edu
The Gray Crew, a group of “Gray Haired Seniors,” comes to our campus in May and June to help clean, paint and build various projects. Each year they do a huge favor for the college and save us thousands of dollars. They clean dorm rooms, paint as needed, repair nearly anything, and build everything from book shelves to bunk beds. They work for “free food” and “fun times.”

They come from all over – Idaho, Oregon, Washington, and Arizona. This year we are anticipating yet another large and enthusiastic group. Consider joining the Gray Crew this year. Bring your R.V. or we can find a dorm room for you. Food is provided, and the fellowship is rich. A special promotional video for recruiting the Gray Crew is available upon request from our Development Department.

Milwaukie Christian Church - A Unique Partnership

Walk into the lobby of Milwaukie Christian Church in Milwaukee, Oregon, and you will see a beautifully-crafted wood sign. It sends a message that making disciples in the world is a high priority for MCC. Steve Johnson, Pastor to Youth and Young Adults, seriously believes in preparing today’s youth for tomorrow’s needs. He takes a very engaged youth group through a discipleship process that emphasizes a biblical preparation for life. Two elements of his plan are Winema Week of Missions (where the MCC encampment is epic) and an extended group bicycle trip. These trips compel the students to take leadership roles, to get in shape physically and be spiritually prepared for the grueling side of life.

Steve regularly promotes the need for life preparation and the value of Bible College. In the last six years nearly 20 MCC students have come to Boise Bible College. He expects more to be coming our way this fall.

Steve is very strategic in his approach to youth ministry; he engages his students with the real world and encourages them to make the choice to attend BBC. Milwaukie Christian Church is leaving a legacy of well prepared witnesses, disciples and followers of Christ.

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Two Visionary Churches – Unique Building Blocks

Valley Christian Church in Bullhead City, Arizona has enjoyed a strong partnership with BBC for several years. We are blessed by their generous spirit and willingness to share.

This fall they selected the student housing project as a church-wide campaign. Their goal was to provide funds that would help and to inspire others to give. The plan was unique and yet very simple. They created a paper wall of “bricks” and asked their members to buy each one for $2 to help build the dorm. The response was tremendous.

They divided the wall between the adults and the children, challenging the youngsters with a matching gift that would double their money. Many bricks were bought to honor family members or as a memorial to departed souls. The whole congregation was involved!

Oakland Church of Christ, in Oakland, Oregon is another congregation that has a long history with us and is asking their congregation to make a commitment to our dormitory project. They believe that if every person, in every local body, was to make a special gift of even just $10, then God will multiply our acts of faith into more than enough. When we all work together to build for His kingdom, God will bless our efforts.

The idea is catching on and moving beyond Oakland and Bullhead City to the entire region. Everyone is excited about helping and praying for Boise Bible College. So far these two groups have collected over $1,600! Can you imagine what could happen if more churches caught this vision? We could fund the student housing project! We are praying for this to happen.
Keynote Speaker

David Bycroft
Tyro, Kansas

David is the Evangelist at The Tyro Christian Church in Tyro, Kansas. Over the past 42 years of his ministry in Tyro, the Lord has blessed from an average attendance of 40 to the present of over 900 in worship each Sunday. Tyro is a community of 250 people. During his ministry the Tyro Church has raised up 35 people who are serving full time in ministry. The Tyro church is currently helping two new churches start and grow.

Tuesday
Kyle French
Dayton, Oregon

Wednesday
Derek Voorhees
Boise, Idaho

Thursday
Russ Isom
Milwaukie, Oregon

Workshop topics and presenters include:

**Uniquely Positioned Because of Our Heritage**
- David Ladd
- Russell Grove
- Charles Crane
- Chuck McCoy
- Danny Harrod
- Larry Woodard

**Preparing the Church for the Unchurched**
- Travis Jacob
- Mike Packer
- Jessica Doddek
- Mike Prior
- Amber Grove
- Graydon Jessup
- Ross Knudsen

**Successful Methods to Reach the Unchurched**
- Phil Alspaw
- Marcus Omdahl
- Dan Jacobs
- George Johnson
- Steve Naglak
- Harold Gott
- John Whittaker
- Marty Young
- Mike Whitford

**Positioning Church Leaders to Reach the Unchurched**
- Steve Moore
- Delbert Durfee
- Steve Johnson
- Carol Stine
- Roger Pederson
- John Whittaker
- Malcam Moberly
- Terry O’Casey
- Danny Harrod

More Reasons to Attend!

Conference is a great time to recognize the many Boise Bible College alumni making an impact in ministries throughout the Northwest, around our country, and throughout the world. The Alumni will have a dinner/gathering with a live auction on Monday evening at 6:00 pm on campus. This is a family gathering especially for our alumni and close friends. We will honor this year’s graduates and spend some good time catching up with each other.

Spring Conference is also a time when our alumni serve our Conference visitors. The alumni sponsor the following events:
- **Silent Auction** with all proceeds going to scholarships for future students.
- **Golf Scramble** – Thursday afternoon is the annual Golf Scramble at Foxtail Golf Course. Golfers and teams are needed, as well as Sponsors. See our web site for details and sign up information.
- **After-Glow** each evening of conference is a time of cookies and coffee for all participants.
Uniquely Positioned
Becoming the Church for the Unchurched

Spring Conference
May 8-10, 2012

SPECIAL EVENTS

Monday, May 7 — 6:00 pm
Alumni Gathering with Live Auction – BBC

Tuesday – Wednesday, May 8 - 9
Alumni-Sponsored Silent Auction

Thursday, May 10 — 11:30 pm
Lunch & Golf Scramble – Foxtail Golf Course

Thursday, May 10 — 2:00 pm
Ladies’ Tea – Foothills Christian Church

Friday, May 11 — 7 pm
Commencement Exercises – Eagle Christian Church

DAILY SCHEDULE

Prayer Time ............... 7:30-8 am

Morning Session ............ 8:30 am
Break .......................... 9:30 am
Workshop I .................... 9:45 am
Break .......................... 10:45 am
Workshop II .................. 11 am

Afternoon Session and Workshop
(Tues. & Wed.) ................. 2 pm

Evening Session ............. 7 pm

To register for this free conference
visit www.boisebible.edu

For more information
call the College at
208-376-7731 or 1-800-893-775
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Life on Campus

by Travis Jacob

The freshman class, led by Gabe Tippery and Collin Barth, hosted 185 people at our Italian Masquerade Winter Banquet on February 10. Everyone enjoyed dinner and a “kidnapping” mystery to solve. We are looking forward to other events in the spring semester, including Missions Emphasis Week (led by the Missions Committee), Senior Skip Day (led by the senior class) and the Spring Banquet (led by the junior class).

Sports Participating in various sports programs gives our students a chance to build relationships and camaraderie with each other. Here are a few highlights:

• Soccer: We have two teams participating in a co-ed indoor soccer league, coached by student Josh Branham and Professor Derek Voorhees.

• Intramural basketball will end on March 3rd with a tournament. The sports committee, led by senior student Joe Hansen, runs the intramural league.

• Women’s Volleyball: We currently have a team participating in the Boise City league. The student leader of the team is Amanda Humphreys.

Leadership development continues to be essential to the growth of our students as they prepare for full-time ministry positions when they graduate. The student leadership team began work in August, when they attended the annual Student Leadership Summit at Trinity Pines Camp in Cascade. Throughout the year they participate in team building exercises, leadership seminars, and planning meetings.

I am excited to be a part of the lives of so many students and look forward to working with the students God continues to bring to BBC each year!

Crossing Guards

The Crossing Guards are positioned to lead worship for any church group of any age or any size. They are able to bring the best out of many different styles of music and are sensitive to the desires and needs of the churches they visit. If your church would like to host them next year, please contact David Davolt at ddavoll@boisebible.edu or 208-866-4463. We ask our hosts to provide housing, meals and gas money to help with the trips. In return you will enjoy the company of some loving, servant leaders and be instrumental in equipping them to do ministry for a lifetime!

Uniquely Gifted

Are you looking for a speaker for a conference, special event, or summer camp? BBC has a faculty that is willing to reach beyond the classroom to those we serve. Their unique experiences on the field, academic qualifications, and desire to share their gifts will be a blessing to your group. Contact David or Mark in our Development Department for more information. Plan early and you will be blessed!
OUTSTANDING STUDENTS, FALL SEMESTER 2011

Dean's List (3.5 to 4.0 GPA)
Ahearn, Matthew ................ Carlin NV
Anderson, Matthew ............... Willamina OR
Bailey, Zachary .................. Spokane WA
Branham, Joshua ................. Fairbanks AK
Bush, Jacob ....................... Moore ID
Cade, Cody ....................... Stayton OR
Chromey, Rebecca ............... Eagle ID
Clark, Rebekah .................. Milwaukee OR
Cole, Chettie ..................... Boise ID
Cole, Jacqueline ................ Kennewick WA
Curley, Sarah ..................... Grandview ID
Ellis, Laurie ...................... Milwaukee OR
Franck, Ryan ..................... Boise ID
Humphreys, Amanda ............. Oakland OR
Johnston, Erin .................... Meridian ID
Kent, Lyshelle .................... St. Ignatius MT
Mascall, Olivia ................... Emmett ID
Mayberry, Krista ................. Walla Walla WA
Nixon, Ema-June .................. Marysville WA
Norman, Jenny ................... Beaverton OR
Nowak, Holly .................... Keno OR
Nowak, Janica .................... Keno OR
Rice, Joel .......................... Boise ID
Shaheen, Aleta ................... Florissant CO
Siebler, Candice ................... Mt Angel OR
Soucie, Breann ................. Coeur d'Alene ID
Sowers, Nicolette .............. Lafayette OR
Stokes, Danika ................. Anchorage AK
Tippery, Gabriel ............... Centralia WA
Towle, Wendy .................... Boise ID
Werber, Natalia ................. Newport OR
Wright, Jacob .................... Milwaukie OR

Honorable Mention
(3 to 3.49 GPA)
Aho, Shaina ...................... Kenai AK
Allen, Katie ....................... Whittier CO
Arnold, Connor ................. Ft Campbell KY
Baxter, Blake .................... Spokane WA
Boltd, Mercedes ................. Meridian ID
Brenner, Loren .................. Eagle ID
Bufford, Geneva ................. Eagle ID
Burnett, Nicole .................. Challis ID
Cole, William .................... Boise ID
Cottingham, Kelsey ............ Layton UT
Davidson, Angela .............. Boise ID
Dewberry, Monica .............. Caldwell ID
Doescher, Marie ................ Kennewick WA
DuBord, Nathaniah ............. Kimberly ID
Durfee, Kendra .................. Athena OR
Emery, Lucas ..................... North Powder OR
Feaster, Sara ..................... Emmett ID
Garland, Brian ................... Nampa ID
Grever, Heather .................. Nampa ID
Hansen, Joseph .................. Kimberly ID
Harper, Joseph ................... Filer ID
Harper, Katherine .............. Buhl ID
Hastie, Alexxus ................. Idaho City ID

Memorials and Honors
IN MEMORY OF .................. GIVEN BY
Fred & Cecil Brown ............ Estate of Fred Brown
Ray Bucy ......................... Elaine Burton
Mr. & Mrs. Ray Combe
Mr. & Mrs. David Davolt
Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Dibelius
Mr. & Mrs. Benedict Thomas
Merrill J. Bullock ............... Mr. & Mrs. Marvin Bullock
Maureen Burrows ............. Mr. & Mrs. Larry Thomas
Claude & Jessie Crane .......... Mr. & Mrs. Alan Crane
Glenn Chaney .................. Mrs. Una Chaney
Thomas Cochell ............... Mr. & Mrs. Thomas O. Cochell
Tommy Cochell ................. Mr. & Mrs. Thomas O. Cochell
Corbin Cornett ................. Mrs. Margaret Cornett
Jesse Davolt ..................... Mr. & Mrs. David Davolt
Dolly Deardorff ............... Mr. & Mrs. David Davolt
Ardeen Duffel ................. Mr. & Mrs. Richard James
Elizabeth Duffel ............... Mr. & Mrs. Richard James
Grant Granger .................. John & Donna Baerwald
James Granger .................. John & Donna Baerwald
Shirley Granger ................ John & Donna Baerwald
Beth A. Hoel .................... Mr. William C. Hoel
Andrew & Lura Knudsen ... Mr. & Mrs. Randy Knudsen
Dale V. & Dearie Knowles .. Mr. & Mrs. Victor Knowles
Clara Lincoln .................. Mrs. Margaret Lawrence
Carol Ann Pilate .............. Mr. Larry Pilate
Ellen Riach ....................... Estate of Fred Brown
Ray Robinson ................. Mrs. Margaret Lawrence
Conley Silsby ................. Mr. & Mrs. David Davolt
Dr. Vincent Smith ............ Mrs. Erma Thompson
Roberta Teeter ................. Mrs. Margaret Lawrence
Gordon Thompson ............ Mrs. Erma Thompson
Allan C. Tuell ................. Ms. Penni Purdy
Evelyn Clay Tuell ............. Ms. Penni Purdy
Thomas R. Twadell ............ Mrs. Barbara Twadell
J.P. Whitted ................. Mrs. Milly Whitted
Jeanie Cochell Wierenga .... Mr. & Mrs. Thomas O. Cochell

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Dr. Kenny Beckman .......... Gwen Yeager
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CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- Mid-Semester Exams ............. March 5-9
- Spring Break .................. March 26-30
- Preview ........................ April 12-14
- Semester Final Exams .......... May 2-7
- Spring Banquet ................ May 4
- Alumni Gathering .............. May 7
- Spring Conference ............ May 8–10
- Commencement ................. May 11