You will be my witnesses beginning here and going there”! That is what is written on the globe sitting in my office. It was put there when I became president of the college to remind me of our commission by Christ as individuals and as a college. Winning souls for Christ is at the front of all of our teaching and programs here at BBC.

This week I received a notice that a long-time supporter of the college passed away. I called and spoke to his daughter and she said her father had always thought highly of Christian Higher Education and the way Boise Bible College focused on producing leaders for the church around the world. In fact, she had heard our students giving the “We’re Debt Free!” yell on Dave Ramsey’s radio program and had shared that with him. In the interview, we had mentioned how it took the help of small, medium and large gifts as well as one-time and monthly supporters. She added that he smiled because he knew he had been a part of making that happen. His legacy lives on through graduates who benefit from the blessings he sent.

There are many things in this issue of the Outreach that help show what you are accomplishing here and through the lives of students, ministers, missionaries and church leaders. We are beginning to focus on our Spring Conference which will look at the topic of being “Wholly Holy.” We are excited to have Jeff Walling, as the keynote speaker on campus to meet with our students and faculty and speak to all who are attending. Last year some people from Washington said that because they cannot afford to go to the NACC, our annual Spring Conference has become their only convention. It meets the needs of individuals, alumni, students, ministers, elders, missionaries and visitors from all over the west.

Right now we are busy developing plans and obtaining permits for the Student Center and new dorm. We will begin construction of the Student Center next month with completion slated for the middle of September. We will have a special celebration during Spring Conference. This building is already paid for! We will not begin construction of the second dorm until we have additional funds in hand. We are being stewards of what God has given us and will wait on Him. Maybe He is going to use YOU to make that happen!

Come and visit God’s campus. See His work happening in and through the lives of His students.

Till the Whole World Knows,

Jerry E. Stine
We Are Debt Free!

In December, 2013 we were blessed with a special gift of nearly $2 Million dollars to pay off our construction debt! The loan, which in 2006 was used to add classrooms, the chapel and start the student housing project, had a large balloon payment coming due later this spring. The picture on the front cover shows President Terry Stine, Business Manager Val Welch and Student Body Vice-President Isacc Williams at the bank holding the original note marked “PAID.”

At the first chapel of Spring Semester we gathered the students and recorded a loud “WE ARE DEBT FREE!” scream for the Dave Ramsey radio show. On January 30th Terry Stine was interviewed live on the show and a few million listeners got to hear that scream. Ramsey was certain that we were the first Christian College to be “DEBT FREE” on his show. We offer his Financial Peace class each spring to help our students bring their personal finances into control.

New Student Center

This gift will also allow us to build the Student Center debt free! Construction will begin this spring with the goal to have it ready for students later this fall. The two-story center will provide good public space for the students to study and socialize. It will feature a coffee bar and lots of natural lighting. We are grateful to everybody who contributed and made this addition possible.

The Final Phase

The final phase of the building project will be the second dormitory wing to provide living space for 80 additional students. This phase will cost about $2.1 million dollars and the plan is to build it debt free as well. If you want to contribute, please mark your gift to the Building Fund.

General Fund Update

Even as we celebrate the good news, we are projecting a shortage to our General Fund this spring. With lower than expected enrollments and many donations directed toward our building project, we are under pressure to adjust our operating budget and to support our excellent programs. Every gift counts. Thank you in advance for your sacrificial support of Boise Bible College. Please consider a monthly gift over the next 12 months.

Goodbye to Travis Jacob

Travis and Kippy Jacob made a huge impact at BBC these past 5½ years. Travis served us well as Student Dean and Kippy was a friend to everybody. Student Life and Christian Leadership was elevated to a status equal to Academics as Travis encouraged and empowered the student leaders to develop and execute well-planned campus activities and gatherings. We will miss both of them as they return to Florida, to new adventures and sunny beaches!

Steven Naglak will serve as the Interim Student Dean through the end of the semester.
The apostle Paul knew the positive power of what is commonly viewed as negative: comparison. In an effort to help impoverished Christians in Judea, Paul asked churches in parts of the 1st century Roman Empire to donate funds. The Corinthians initially expressed their willingness, but later began to waver on their commitment. To motivate them, Paul elevated the Macedonian churches as a model for the Corinthians to emulate. Paul boasted that despite great affliction and extreme poverty, the Macedonians shared liberally to participate in his relief campaign. Then, with sincere love for the Corinthians, but with slight sarcasm toward their pride and selfishness, Paul prodded them to be generous participants like the Macedonians (2 Cor. 8:7). The apostle compared one church with another, in a healthy way. That's rare. Today, the opposite is common: one church comparing itself to another church out of envy.

Boasting about one’s church with an attitude of “one-upmanship” belittles the Kingdom. Instead of striving to be the best church FOR their community, competitive churches trying to outdo a Kingdom rival settle on being the best church IN their community. The latter mindset feeds on competitive comparison, which saddens Christ’s heart and establishes an “us versus them” mentality prohibitive to churches uniting.

Churches accomplish more in partnership than in isolation, even if that means uniting across theological differences to meet human needs. In essentials unity, in non-essentials liberty, and in all things love...right? But too often churches compete and create doctrinal trenches around their “church-dom.” That saddens Jesus’ heart and means His prayer for unity (John 17:11). What can be done to correct this?

Because comparing and competition can be based on our own false conceptions, all Christians (especially leaders of churches) need to honestly assess their motives by asking important questions: What is going on inside us when we compare our church with another? What is the motive behind the ministries we offer? Are we driven to make our church more famous than Jesus?

We each need a regular process of realigning our life and church back to Christ and away from self-absorption. Without an intentional realignment process, we are vulnerable to serving for self-glory and making destructive comparisons with other churches. So, consider these reflective questions:

1. Are we living by grace or performance? Every Christian’s service is a product of God’s grace.
2. Are we serving with a willing heart? Are we each willing to step in obedience and faith to meet needs around us...without anyone knowing what church we represent?
3. Are we focused on Christ or the name of our church? By fixing our eyes on Jesus we will more likely serve with the goal of making His name famous; whether our church gets credit is truly irrelevant.

A few final thoughts. First, increased numbers of bodies, bucks and buildings should never be the health-meter of a church. Second, pride is to be crucified, so we will serve God and people with humility. Last, know that your church’s value and identity is in Christ alone.

NOTE> Church leaders, be sure to read the additional article penned by the BBC faculty to offer help to leaders who find themselves in a crisis of comparison, driven by insecurity and envy.

Part 3 will be in the next issue of Outreach. To read the full article written by Dr. Voorhees and his BBC colleagues go to: www.boisebible.edu/partners then under the Resources tab, click on Leadership Resource.
Leadership Development in Jamaica

In January 2014 Professor Dale Cornett and Outreach Coordinator Curt Nordhielm spoke in a Leadership Seminar with the Herko Family Mission in Jamaica. They challenged the local men to step up into roles of spiritual leadership in a society that has traditionally been led by matriarchs.

Since 1987, when they started the Old Harbor Church of Christ in a village about an hour’s drive from Kingston, Dennis and Mary Herko have engaged a leadership vacuum that has hindered the growth of the congregation. Curt spoke to a group of about 100 on the leading in “The Image of God” and Dale on a work “Worthy of Double Honor,” the office of an elder.

Working with our Partner Churches

Our professors and staff are well prepared and are available to teach and preach outside the classroom in churches, camps, and seminars in all types of settings. A few examples of the partnerships include:

Dr. Derek Voorhees (Professor of New Testament) is prepared to lead seminars on the role and purpose of elders in the local church. He recently held an eldership equipping seminar for men from ages 20 - 70 at Coquille Christian Community Church. The older men said it helped to solidify their concept of leadership while the younger men learned and developed important people skills.

Jessica Doddek (Professor of Music and Worship) has developed workshops that encourage others to develop musicianship and intentionality as they prepare to lead others in worship. Mike Yunker (Senior Pastor at Real Life Christian Church in Bend, OR) recently asked her to work with their teams to reestablish the foundations of worship deep in their hearts. In the workshop they discussed challenges in facilitating worship and practiced solutions, arming themselves with ways to feed thirsty souls and lead others in worship.

Danny Harrod (Professor of Inter-Cultural Studies) is available to lead workshops for those developing short-term mission trips. "Short Term Mission Trips Done Well" has sessions covering pre-field preparation, on-site effectiveness and debriefing. He presented this workshop at the 2013 WiNeMa Week of Missions and is prepared to share it with other teams.

Memorials & Honors

In Memory of ........................ Given By

Thomas Twadel .................................................. Barbara Twadel
Dwight Rose ........................ First Christian Church Partakers Class
Jesse Arnold Davolt ..................................... Mr. & Mrs. David Davolt
Dwight Rose & Elaine Smith ........ Mr. & Mrs. Don Smith
Noble Wheeler ............................... Mr. & Mrs. Clarence Cannon
Carol Pilate .............................................. Mr. Larry Pilate
Olive Marie Lytle ............................. Ms. Rosalie Zarybnicky
Corbin Cornett Sr. ............................... Mrs. Margaret Cornett
Ruth Bedea ........................................ Mrs. Sible Parks
Dwight Rose ........................ Mrs. Norma Jean Bauer Revocable Trust

In Honor of ........................... Given By

W.E. Dannon .................................................. Ms. Willena Dannen
June Arnold ................................................. Mr. Ken Arnold

Danny Harrod .................................. Mr. & Mrs. Curt Nordhielm
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Dr. Beckman's 95th Birthday .................. Ms. Audrey Ridley
Dr. Beckman's 95th Birthday .... Mr. and Mrs. Hank Hutton
Dr. Beckman's 95th Birthday ...... Mr. and Mrs. R.E. Wood
Dr. Beckman's 95th Birthday .... Mr. and Mrs. Bob Fleenor
discover your identity through the presence of a Holy God

SPRING CONFERENCE
MAY 13-15, 2014

As obedient children, do not conform to the evil desires you had when you lived in ignorance... for it is written: "Be holy, because I am holy." 1 Peter 1:14, 16
JEFF WALLING
Keynote Speaker
Providence Road Church of Christ, Charlotte NC

MORNING SPEAKERS
BRUCE WHITE Garden Way Church, Eugene OR
CHRIS GOLDMAN Northwest Church of Christ, Shoreline WA
STEVE MOORE Ten Mile Christian Church, Meridian ID

Registration and Event Schedule at:
www.BoiseBible.edu
Conference is free
Pre-Registration is suggested

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Spring Conference is a great opportunity for church leaders to grow, regenerate and network with others from all around the region. Our theme (Wholly Holy) was chosen specifically to help leaders discover their identity through the presence of a Holy God. The speakers and workshop leaders will stress this theme.

KEYNOTE SPEAKER: JEFF WALLING

Jeff Walling has spent the last thirty-five years preaching and teaching about Jesus. His passionate style and dramatic delivery has made him a sought after speaker, lecturing to tens of thousands annually at Christian universities, evangelism seminars and conferences worldwide. He enjoys writing and has published books and written for Christian Standard. He has held youth minister and preaching positions, Jeff loves in Charlotte, North Carolina with his wife, Cathryn, where he is in his 16th year of service as the senior minister for Providence Road Church of Christ. (www.prcoc.org)

MORNING SPEAKERS

BRUCE WHITE

Bruce is the preaching minister at Garden Way Church in Eugene, OR. He is a native of southern California and has been at Garden Way since the fall of 2010. Prior to his over twenty years of ministry experience, he working in marketing and management for international corporations. He loves to help people connect closer to God through a clear understanding of the Bible.

CHRIS GOLDMAN

Chris is the preaching minister and catalyst leader at Northwest Church in Shoreline, WA. Chris grew up in Hobbs, New Mexico. He received his BS from Abilene Christian University (1987) and a MS in Ministry from Pepperdine University (1993). He has served as a youth minister, an associate pastor and as preaching minister. Chris is currently leading Northwest Church in a relocation effort.

STEVE MOORE

Steve has been the minister at Ten Mile Christian Church in Meridian Idaho since 1976. He received his BA from Boise Bible College (1975) and a MA of Ministry from Pepperdine University and has taken additional graduate work at Emmanuel Christian Seminary. Steve is passionate about preaching the Word and especially enjoys working through the Prison Ministry and Celebrate Recovery. He is a gentleman farmer, enjoys horses and Boise State football!

LOOKING Back & Ahead

ALUMNI GATHERING

May 12, 2014 - BBC Chapel - 6:00 p.m.
WORKSHOPS - Offered each morning and we focus directly on one of four tracks:
(Workshops are subject to change.)

Living Intentionally
“How God makes us Holy through disruption” Tony Nelson, Sandpoint Christian Church, Sandpoint, ID
“How Living your life intentionally for God” Travis Jacob
“How Holiness is an intentional design” Russell Grove, Boise Bible College

Living in Obedience
“Obeying God’s Word” Bob Scott, Christian Development Fund
“Disciplines in Holiness” John Whittaker, Boise Bible College

Living with Authenticity
“Discoveries from serving as a chaplain” Bob Yunker, Burns Christian Church, Burns, OR
“Welcoming guests in the family” Dennis Thomas, Canyon Ridge Christian Church, Meridian, ID
“Modeling Holiness to Youth” Nick Duffell/Heath Fagen, Tenmile Christian Church, Meridian, ID

Living as a Godly Leader
“People skills for Godly leaders” Ryan Conner, Amity Christian Church, Amity, OR
“Leading from the feet up” Ray Deloe, Crossroads Christian Church, Salinas, CA
“Developing Holiness in Worship” Jessica Doddek, Boise Bible College

ADDITIONAL EVENTS
Alumni Legacy Scholarship silent auction
Alumni Gathering: Monday, May 12 at 6:00 p.m.

Tuesday, May 13
Networking luncheon with BBC professors and minister groups
Special workshop with David Empson, ICOM Executive Director

Wednesday, May 14
Lunch with Jeff Walling. Seating is limited, register early. $20 cost
“Communicating with Style” Special workshop with Jeff Walling
“Women Leading in Holiness” Special workshop with Beth Ladd
Dinner Theatre presented by Boise Bible College Drama Class

Thursday, May 15
Women’s Tea
8th Annual Alumni Legacy Golf Scramble: 1:00 Eagle Hills Golf Course
Mortgage Burning and Student Center dedication service

SIGN UP for our Alumni Scholarship Golf Scramble! To register for the Golf Scramble visit boisebible.edu/events/golf14

DONATE an item for our silent auction! The auction starts Monday, May 12 at the alumni gathering and goes throughout Spring Conference. We will accept anything from pens to pies to photos - basically anything you think someone would pay $25 or more to buy! Bring or send your items to BBC attention Joyce Anderson. Please let us know what you can send soon and send everything by May 1.

JOIN US for the Alumni Gathering! It takes place on May 12 with dinner starting at 6:00 p.m. at the Dr. Charles Crane Chapel.
“Camp reps” Selected for Summer

Admission Director Nathan Gemeinhart, recently announced the selection of the students who will serve as “Camp Reps” for the summer. This summer they will represent BBC in 60 weeks of camp or more in Washington, Montana, Idaho, Oregon, Colorado, Arizona and California! They will collectively log in somewhere around 35,000 miles as they travel from camp to camp and will touch the lives of thousands of young people. Their training started with a trip to Grove Christian Camp in January for hands-on equipping at a High School retreat. They will attend more retreats this spring, work on a calling program to prospective students and spend hours in classroom training to assure they are solid in their faith, passionate about serving people and knowledgeable about the ministry opportunities of BBC! They are taught to first honor God, serve the camp directors and then represent the college.

High School: Preview 2014

Our biggest on campus event of the year for high school students is April 10-12! Plan now to attend with your youth group. The main speaker is Adam Reid, youth minister from Canyon Ridge Christian Church in Las Vegas, NV. He has a passion for working with students and has MC’d for CIY numerous times. Plan to be inspired to serve God, to meet youth from all over the Northwest, visit with professors and have good food! All for only $40. (Did we say that includes a special t-shirt?) Don’t be left out, register today at boisebible.edu/events/preview14 or call 1-800-893-7755.

An Exciting Year Ahead - Apply Today!

We have more applicants for next year than usual and already over 40 are accepted and ready to start! This may be the year to get signed up early to assure a room in the dorm! The world today is in great need of committed Christians with a passion to live Christ in all parts of life. A year or four at BBC will prepare you for a life of ministry!

For more information or to apply visit boisebible.edu/future_students.

A Four-Letter Word by Danielle Alexander (Junior) engaged to Stetson McElhaney (Senior)

FEAR. One of the most crippling four-letter words I know.

Take a minute to think about what scares you. Would you avoid facing your fear if you could? What if your biggest fear was something you couldn’t avoid? What if the thing that makes your adrenaline pump is something as normal as driving? For millions of Americans that deal with panic attacks and anxiety disorders, this is their reality.

I am a 25-year-old woman who has been dealing with different irrational fears since childhood. Panic attacks have caused me to avoid driving, elevators, the freeway, concerts, social events, drive-thru windows, church, leaving town, going on dates, and much more. Although I am now able to keep my struggles mostly undetected, I still find myself having to wrestle down thoughts of being in danger.

When I gave my life to Christ in 2011, He called me to do some things that really scared me. After time, I came to the realization that doing scary things inside God’s will is safer than doing “safe” things outside of God’s will.

Are there things that God is calling you to do, that you are avoiding out of fear? If I can do it, you have no excuse.
Help us connect our alumni! Alumni Coordinator Dr. Jim Byerly needs your help. Here are a few ways to help others connect:

**LOOK** for any recordings of BBC music groups!

**SUBMIT** your nominee for distinguished alumni! Send your suggestions to jbyerly@boisebible.edu.

**SHARE** pictures of your graduating class! Send them to jbyerly@boisebible.edu or mail them to BBC.

**VOLUNTEER to join with other alumni in our prayer cohort!** Contact Jim Byerly at 1-800-893-7755 for more information. Please start by praying for our alumni serving as missionaries:

- **Alaska – Angela & Taylor Hayden**
- **Africa – Nick & Lyndale Adams,** *Dave & Cynthia Fortesque, Nate & Stacy Banta, Yolanda & Andrew Burgess*
- **Australia – David & Janelle Woodard**
- **Cambodia – Derek & Pam Helt**
- **China – Martyn & Lynda Mayfield**
- **Germany – Tony Cole**
- **India – John & Kunjamma Gabriel**
- **Pakistan – Sam & Brittany Gill**
- **Philippines – Cassie Wallace, Mike & Jeanne Propp, Steve & Juliana Bragg**
- **New Zealand – Jodi Taylor**
- **Spain – Tony & Rachel Parker**
- **Ukraine – Rick Deighton**
- **Washington – Steve & Becky Overlin, Jerry McNew**
- **Worldwide – Ira & Nova McBee**

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**OUTSTANDING STUDENTS – FALL SEMESTER 2013**

**DEAN’S LIST** *(3.5 to 4.0 GPA)*

- Bailey, Abigail [Sandpoint, ID]
- Barth, Danielle [Racine, WI]
- Bellamy, Jacquelyn [Gooding, ID]
- Brewer, Shannon [Delta, CO]
- Bush, Jacob [Cathlamet, WA]
- Chorney, Ryan [Eagle, ID]
- Cole, Jacqueline [Kennewick, WA]
- Cole, James [Boise, ID]
- Colpron, Alisa [Boise, ID]
- DeGroat, Brandie [Boise, ID]
- Franck, Ryan [Boise, ID]
- Hamilton, David [Boise, ID]
- Jackson, Mackenzie [Eagle, ID]
- Johnson, Shaundra [Meridian, ID]
- Larsson, Robert [St. Ignatius, MT]
- Ledford, Shelby [Boise, ID]
- Misenheimer, Nietzsche [Sheridan, OR]
- Morillo, Monique [Athol, ID]
- Newman, Hannah [Drain, OR]
- Nixon, Ema-June [Maryville, WA]
- Norman, Jenny [Beaverton, OR]
- Nugent, Elizabeth [Centralia, WA]
- O’Meara, Natasha [Greenleaf, ID]
- Painter, Rebecca [Centralia, WA]
- Prettyman, Grayson [Keiser, OR]
- Rice, Joel [Boise, ID]
- Stevenson, Caleb [Meridian, ID]
- Thatcher, Crystal [Gooding, ID]
- Voska, Rachel [Sacramento, CA]
- Wilson, Rachel [Warner’s Bay, Australia]
- Wright, Allyson [Milwaukie, OR]

**HONORABLE MENTION** *(3.0 to 3.49 GPA)*

- Alexander, Danielle [Centralia, WA]
- Allen, Katie [Grand Junction, CO]
- Arnold, Connor [Idaho Falls, ID]
- Baker, Melissa [Estacada, OR]
- Branham, Shaina [Kenai, AK]
- Bryant, Kaylee [Springfield, OR]
- Bullock, Kevin [Eugene, OR]
- Byers, Quentin [Enterprise, OR]
- Carpenter, Scott [Coquille, OR]
- Crane, Taylor [Eagle, ID]
- Croft, Hunter [Spokane, WA]
- Dewberry, Monica [Portsmouth, VA]
- Durfee, Kendra [Athena, OR]
- Erasquin, Nancy [Nampa, ID]
- Faxon, Rachel [Toledo, OR]
- Ferguson, Kayla [Milwaukie, OR]
- Fry, Rachel [Lebanon, OR]
- Glazebrook, Jamison [Eugene, OR]
- Harth, Paul [Milwaukie, OR]
- Johnston, Erin [Meridian, ID]
- Lester, Jessica [Seattle, WA]
- Lopez, Jessica [Nampa, ID]
- Mastrude, Nicholas [Baker City, OR]
- Miller, Stephanie [Filer, OR]
- Miner, Donnelle [Hayden, ID]
- Moe, Silas [North Powder, OR]
- Morris, Joshua [Gooding, ID]
- Mosier, Tyler [Burien, WA]
- Penner, Andrea [Caldwell, ID]
- Renk, Christopher [Eagle, ID]
- Rogers, Tollie [Emmett, ID]
- Ruiz, Jennifer [Idaho Falls, ID]
- Sheehy, Caitlyn [Mountain Home, ID]
- Shelton, Kaylin [Wallace, ID]
- Stanciu, Sorin [Meridian, ID]
- Tippery, Gabriel [Centralia, WA]
- Troutt, Brooke [Emmett, ID]
- Turner, Seth [Eagle, ID]
- Whitcomb, Kaitlyn [LaPine, OR]
- Wiebe, Jordan [Middleton, ID]
- Williamson, Dana [Camas, WA]
- Sheehy, Caitlyn [Mountain Home, ID]
The campus theme this year has been Infinite Identity taken from II Corinthians 5:17. Chapel services for spring semester are built around finding our identity in Christ by living intentionally, living in obedience, living with authenticity, and living as a Godly leader. This theme is also carried out in Spring Conference.