

THIS WEEK AT ASBURY SEMINARY

Kentucky Campus

March 3-9, 2008

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THIS WEEK IN WORSHIP

Tuesday, March 4 - Bishop Ronald Gainer

Bishop Ronald William Gainer was ordained and installed as the Second Bishop of Lexington, Kentucky on February 22, 2003, in the Cathedral of Christ the King. The Diocese of Lexington is a mission diocese, composed of 50 counties in Central and Eastern Kentucky and over 45,000 Catholics.

Bishop Gainer was born in Pottsville, Pennsylvania, and educated in Catholic schools in Pottsville. He completed studies at St. Charles Borromeo Seminary in Philadelphia in 1973, earning a Master of Divinity degree, summa cum laude. He was ordained to the priesthood for the Diocese of Allentown, Pennsylvania on May 19, 1973. He earned a licentiate degree in Canon Law and a diploma in Latin Letters from the Pontifical Gregorian University in Rome in 1986.

Bishop Gainer served in parish, campus ministry, marriages and family, and tribunal positions for much of his priesthood. In 1991, the Holy Father named him a Prelate of Honor (Monsignor). In 1999, he was appointed Secretary of Catholic Life and Evangelization for the Diocese of Allentown. In this capacity, he supervised fourteen diocesan offices and the promotion of the works of spiritual renewal and evangelization. He has also served as a visiting Professor of Canon Law at Saint Charles Borromeo Seminary, Chaplain to the Carmelite Nuns of the Ancient Observance, and as member of the Council of Priests, College of Consultors and the Priest Personnel Board for the Diocese of Allentown.

He is a member of the Canon Law Society of American, the Canon Law Society of Great Britain and Ireland, and the Eastern Regional Conference of Canonists.

On the national level, Bishop Gainer is a member of the USCCB Canonical Affairs Committee and the Committee on Higher Education. He represents Region V to the Bishops' Committee for the Protection of Children and Young People and also serves as the USCCB moderator for Catholic Campus Ministry Association and liaison with the North American Forum on the Catechumenate. He is on the Sacred Heart School of Theology Board of Directors.

Wednesday, March 5 - Dr. David Pendleton

Thursday & Friday, March 6-7 - Theta Phi Lecture Series, Dr. Francis Watson

Dr. Francis Watson, author, Christian scholar and professor of New Testament Exegesis at the University of Durham (U.K.). Watson is a respected scholar in the areas of biblical interpretation and the theological interpretation of scripture. His book *Paul, Judaism, and the Gentiles: Beyond the New Perspective* was released Oct. 2007. The Theta Phi Lectures are sponsored by the local chapter of Theta Phi, an international honor society in the field of religion. The lectures alternate their focus between theological

and biblical studies, year by year. Past lecturers include John Howard Yoder, Elizabeth Struthers Malbon, Wolfhart Pannenberg, Elizabeth Achtemeier, James D.G. Dunn, Karlfried Froehlich, Geoffrey Wainwright and I. Howard Marshall and William J. Abraham.

*Chapel is held three times per week on Tuesday, Wednesday, & Thursday at 11 a.m. in Estes Chapel unless otherwise noted.

*For speaker bios and more information check out

http://www.asburyseminary.edu/chapel/wilmore_current.php

COMMUNITY NOTICES

Spouse and Family Ministry's Dish Mix on Monday, March 3 at 6:30 p.m.

Dish Mix - "International Culinary Experience"

It's Rachel Ray Asbury-style! Learn how to prepare dishes from across the globe.

Bring an appetizer or dessert to share at the Wesleyan Seminary Foundation (215 E. College Street) (Childcare provided.)

ASBURY SEMINARY'S EIGHTH ANNUAL COUPLES RETREAT

March 7-8, 2008 at Double Tree Suites

2601 Richmond Road, Lexington

A one-of-a-kind retreat designed to meet your needs as a seminary couple

RECONNECT...REST...RENEW

Retreat Registration: Your cost \$75.00 (real cost \$175.00). There are a few spots left. Need a brochure and registration card? E-mail spouse-family@asburyseminary.edu or stop by the student services desk to pick it up in person. *Note, your registration is required in full before your room and retreat spot can be reserved.*

Abide, our Spring 08 Readers

Listen to our professors in short audio commentaries on each chapter of John's Gospel as it unfolds in the reader. The point is to model good and faithful ways of reading Scripture. These audio clips may be listened to at <http://www.asburyseminary.edu/online-chapel/read>. Click on the reader link to get there. You may download the link to your ipod via iTunes.

Art Exhibit on Campus.

Blood and Water: Visual Reflections on the Hymns of Charles Wesley. New Paintings from Shannon Steed

Lenten Art Exhibition

Sherman Thomas Student Center Lobby

The Asbury Healing Academy is pleased to offer the following evening seminar with Dr. Don Demaray:

Healing and the Christian Faith with Dr. Don Demaray

Time: Wednesdays 6:30-8:30pm

Dates: March 5 and 12, 2008

Location: Fletcher Prayer Chapel located on the ground floor of the McPheeters Building

Registration fee: \$35.00 (check payable to ATS) you may register at the Chapel Office or email

hacademy@asburyseminary.edu

Art classes being offered at the Asbury College this summer. Seminary students welcome.

Classes meet 2 hrs a day, May 19 to June 13

Ceramics, 8 a.m.

Photography I, 10:15 a.m.

Graphic Design I, 1 p.m.

Animation Design (Graphic Design I prerequisite), 10:15 a.m.

Painting (Intro to Drawing or Intro to 2-d background required), 8 a.m.

Also, Art History Seminar in France May 13 to 25

For more information, contact the Registrar's Office at Asbury College: Registrar@asbury.edu

FEATURES

Download Podcasts of Chapel Services. If you happen to miss chapel or are an ExL student and live away from campus, you can still participate in chapel services with the Wilmore campus community.

Streaming - Live streaming of our Wilmore chapel services happens every Tuesday and Thursday from 10:50 a.m. to 12 p.m. during the academic year. **Chapel Podcasts** - Missed a chapel service? Keep up with the Asbury community by subscribing to our chapel podcasts. For more information go to,

<http://www.asburyseminary.edu/online-chapel/listen>

Heard on Campus:

Heard at the Texas Chili Cook off:

" I like a chili that when I bite it, it bites back." Submitted by Jay Ward

LOCAL HAPPENINGS

March 5 - ArtsPlace - Red Barn Radio Bluegrass and More! Featuring "Velvet Water." This band from Winchester is acclaimed for their original songs that blend Americana, Funk/Folk and Bluegrass together for a sound that is Velvet Water. Red Barn Radio is bringing Bluegrass Music to The Performance Hall at ArtsPlace. Doors open at 7:30 p.m. Show begins at 8 p.m. Admission is \$5 and free for children under age 12. ArtsPlace is located at 161 North Mill Street, Lexington.

www.velvetwater.roosterradio.org/bios.html. (859) 277-8224

March 6 - Living Arts & Science Center - Living Arts and Science Center Discovery Night: Chinese New Year Celebration! This Thursday at Discovery Night - Germ Busters - Become a Health Detective at the LASC's March Discovery Night! 6-8 p.m. The Living Arts and Science Center is a not-for-profit organization and requests a Science Night donation of \$1 for children ages 5-11, and \$2 for 12 years and up. Group space is limited. 859-252-5222

Kentucky Theatre/Central Public Library One World Film Festival Thursday, March 6 at The Kentucky Theatre: **I HAVE NEVER FORGOTTEN YOU: THE LIFE AND LEGACY OF SIMON WIESENTHAL** (PG-13). Narrated by Nicole Kidman, the documentary recounts the life and legacy of the famous Nazi-hunter and humanist who died in 2005. The Hadassah organization will sponsor a reception following the 7:30 showing. 5pm & 7:30pm. www.oneworldfilmfestival.org. 859-266-6073

ArtsPlace - Mostly Waltz Social Dance on March 7. Come dance to the live music 8-10 p.m. A pre-dance workshop in slow waltz begins at 7 p.m. Casual dress, all skill levels welcome, couples or singles

welcome. \$6 per person, \$3 full-time students. ArtsPlace is located at 161 N. Mill Street, Lexington.
<http://www.lexingtonvintagedance.org> 859-420-6780

Kentucky Theatre/Central Public Library - One World Film Festival Sunday, March 9, at the Central Public Library Theatre: ANGELS IN THE DUST. A documentary about Marion Cloete who, with the help of her family, leaves her middle-class Johannesburg suburb, and establishes a traditional African community to house, nurture, and give hope to more than 500 parentless children. 2 pm & 4:30 pm. www.oneworldfilmfestival.org. 859-266-6073

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