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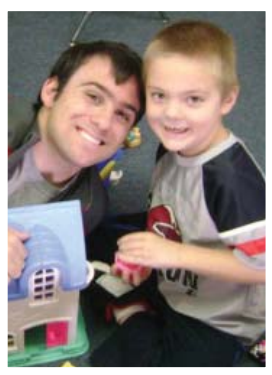
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Brescia University Mission Statement:
Brescia University is a Catholic, liberal arts institution founded in the Ursuline tradition of personal and social transformation through education.

Directed to academic and moral excellence in a student-centered environment, Brescia offers undergraduate and graduate programs that serve students who seek success through rewarding careers and service to others.

Cover Photo: Ashley Miller winding down at the beach during the Alternative Spring Break in Pensacola, FL.

Courtesy: Tracy Naylor '01

Dear Brescians,

Welcome to the Summer 2011 edition of the *Brescia NOW!* Inside you will find the President's Donor Report as well as an overview of the latest news at Brescia. The highlight, of course, was our commencement ceremony on May 14, 2011, at Owensboro's Riverpark Center. It is always a moment of intense pride for me as I see our students crossing the stage to receive their diploma. The smiles on their faces and the joy of their families underscore the great accomplishment they have achieved in earning a university degree.



Dr. James Voyles, Brescia alumnus and prominent Atlanta attorney, gave the commencement address challenging our students to use their liberal arts education to do great things. We were proud to confer on Dr. Voyles an Honorary Doctorate in Humane Letters.

Central to Dr. Voyles' life is his spirit of service, especially in his efforts to give voice to the vulnerable members of our society. I'm proud that this value of servant leadership continues to be fostered at Brescia. Inside these pages you will read about the work of the Brescia University Habitat for Humanity chapter. The work of these students exemplifies the energy and commitment that our students have in serving others. This is but one example of the immersive educational experience that is integral to the Brescia Difference.

I hope you enjoy reading about Brescia, our students, faculty and staff. None of this, of course, would be possible without your support. So, allow me to say thank-you. Because of your prayers, time, and financial support, Brescia continues its mission of educating in the Ursuline tradition. Thank you!

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Fr. Larry Hostetter". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Fr. Larry Hostetter
President



Commencement 2011

A New Chapter Begins

*O*n a chilly, rainy Saturday morning, hundreds of people filed into the RiverPark Center in downtown Owensboro to celebrate the academic achievements of 116 graduates. Brescia University's commencement was unique this year since for the first time, graduates from our online programs traveled from as far away as Maryland, North Carolina, and Wyoming to attend.

Degrees were awarded as such: one associate of science; 20 bachelors of art; 48 bachelors of science; 21 bachelors of social work; 16 masters of business administration; and 10 masters of science in curriculum and instruction.

Bishop William F. Medley gave the invocation, and the 2011 class representative, Sagan Sette, was the student speaker.



James E. Voyles '65, Ph.D., JD, was the commencement speaker at this year's graduation ceremony. Voyles also was awarded an honorary degree, Doctor of Humane Letters.

Voyles encouraged the 2011 graduates to go forth, make a difference and accomplish all their goals.

Voyles has spent the past thirty plus years working in the legal field as attorney, legal scholar, university professor, and civil rights activist. He is the author of numerous professional publications and has represented a wide range of clients. Voyles' most notable case involved the representation of 2,300 African-Americans in a discrimination case which resulted in the largest employment settlement in the history of the United States.

Most recently, he has been active in the entertainment industry, representing artists such as Usher and the Ray Charles Foundation.

He is currently the senior partner of the Voyles Milhollin Law Firm.



Brescia's Strategic Direction for Destination Programs



Audrey Popham

In keeping with the direction of the Brescia University Strategic Plan, which states that we see the University “recognized as a moral and intellectual powerhouse with destination programs that will draw students from near and far,” Brescia selected the School of Education and the William H. Thompson School of Business as our destination programs. Both of these programs reflect a unique, educational experience with a focus on the liberal arts and our Ursuline heritage.

In the School of Education, four students earned national recognition by scoring in the top 15% in the nation on their Praxis II exams. Every education student in the United States must pass the Praxis in their respective teaching fields. These students are Audrey Popham '11, Erika Murphy '11, Sondra Williams '12, and Stacy Robertson '12.

Two new degree programs were added to the School of Education: a Bachelor of Science in Interdisciplinary Early Childhood Education (IECE) and a Master of Science in Teacher Leadership (MSTL).

The IECE program will benefit childcare employees and those interested in working with children from birth through kindergarten including those with disabilities. In June, Brescia learned the Kentucky Department of Education and the Kentucky Higher Education Assistance Authority both have approved the IECE degree for the KIDS (Kentucky

Invests in Developing Success) Now Scholarship. This scholarship is available to anyone currently working with young children in a licensed childcare center, private preschool, family certified home, or public preschool as an aide or assistant. The amount available per student



Erika Murphy



per year is \$1,800.

This scholarship may be combined with any other financial aid, grants, or scholarships. The IECE program was designed by adjunct faculty member, Jennifer Brey, and former Academic Dean and Chair of the School of Education, Sr. Sharon Sullivan.

The MSTL program will teach students about their leadership styles while using latest research to help them in the classroom. The focus of the program is on equipping participants to work with all students in an inclusive classroom setting. This master's program can be completed in two years or at one's own pace. It was created by Patricia Akoji, Ph.D., Assistant Professor of Education in the School of Education.

Brescia's education alumni continue to shape the minds of young people throughout the nation. Not only are they making a difference in their classrooms, but also in advisory roles on the legislative level. Meg Gatten, 2002 elementary education and 2010 master of science in curriculum and instruction alumna, was appointed by Kentucky Governor Steve Beshear to the State Advisory Council for Gifted Education. According to the State's website, this council works to "formulate and offer recommendations related to services for gifted and talented students." These recommendations are influential in forming policies in the state.

The William H. Thompson School of Business has spent the past year working on building relationships with their alumni and the greater Owensboro community. They began a

paper presentation contest which accepted papers from business students from colleges and universities in the tri-state area. The winning paper presentation received \$100 through a sponsorship with PNC Bank. Brescia's School of Business faculty remain committed in assisting students to land internships which allow them opportunities to take their classroom knowledge and apply it to real world situations.

This spring, students in Brescia's business policy class received global recognition for their performance in a semester-long business simulation exercise. Each team was measured on criteria, such as earnings per share, return on average equity and stock price. Two of the student groups ranked in the top 100 out of more than 550 teams from fifty-plus colleges and universities world-wide.

Rohnn Sanderson, Ph.D., Assistant Professor of Economics and Marc Pugliese, Ph.D., Assistant Professor of Theology, are collaborating on a book concerning economics and ethics. The book is being written to educate people about the basic principles of economics; to educate economists about the area of philosophical ethics; and to show how the two disciplines interact.

The greater Owensboro business community continues to realize the importance of a higher education degree and encourages their employees to continue their education through our two business master's programs. In May, there were sixteen graduates receiving a master's of business administration.

Spring Break & Serving Others

Making a Difference in the Community



In March, Brescia University students continued the tradition of spending their spring break in what is commonly referred to as an alternative spring break (ASB). Instead of joining the hoards of other students at some tropical paradise, these students spent their time giving back to others through a service project.

This year, Brescia's ASB trip travelled to Pensacola, Florida, to work with people who have Cerebral Palsy. Six students and one chaperone made the ten-hour drive arriving at their destination ready for a night of sleep before their work began.

Their first project consisted of painting a kitchen at a Cerebral Palsy campus. Day one became a great day of team building. "I witnessed leadership in ways I never expected," said Jake Davis. "It was incredibly inspiring to see the leadership skills we all possess manifest themselves in such seemingly menial tasks."

Day two included more painting but this time at a

local group home. Although, instead of just relaxing at the end of the day, the students returned to the group home for dinner with the Cerebral Palsy clients. The interaction with the members of the group home was the moment in the trip that the students began to realize why they were there.

One particular client touched student Ashley Miller's heart. Ashley said the lady had them laughing all night, even though she communicated via sign language, and the students communicated back through writing on paper. "The night ended all too soon," Ashley said. "As I signed to her 'time to go,' she looked at me with eyes that I will forever remember and said 'no.' It was so sad to have to leave her. I had made such a connection."

Day three was a "free" day for the students. They all attended a church service in the morning, made a huge breakfast, napped, played games, shopped, and just enjoyed each other's company.



Day four took a turn from all manual labor to some manual labor and a lot of human interaction as the group spent the day at the Capstone Academy.

They were divided into groups and worked with children with autism, cerebral palsy, and physical disabilities.

Isaac Duncan said each of them had separate experiences, being divided into groups, but everyone agreed it was a very meaningful and rewarding experience. "We all had so much fun, made many memories, and were able to reflect on our experience and connect it to our various majors. Some of us even plan on becoming pen pals with some of the people we've met."

The day ended with a visit to the beach to watch the sun set over the ocean.

The last day of the trip, day five, was Fun Friday. The students spent the day in various groups assisting clients in activities including making wind chimes and

playing Wii Bowling. After lunch, there was downtime in which the students were able to spend time getting to know the clients even better. "We discussed genres of music, movies, and one client outsmarted us all with the numerous random riddles she told and the extensive knowledge of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. that she effortlessly recited," said Brenda Palmer.

Wheelchair races took place next, and the afternoon ended with watching Scooby-Doo together. Leaving hardly a dry eye in the building, it was a bittersweet day as the clients cried when the Brescia group had to depart for the last time.

Each of the students, along with the chaperone, returned from this experience looking forward to next year's ASB project as well as the opportunity to serve others and make a difference.

Spirit of Angela Award

Recognized during Founder's Week

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- St. Angela Merici

Angela Merici, answering God's call, creatively founded the Company of Saint Ursula on November 25, 1535, in Brescia, Italy. The Order of Saint Ursula and its educational mission developed out of the seeds planted by Angela in the Company. Brescia University, a sponsored institution of the Ursuline Sisters of Mount Saint Joseph, developed out of those very seeds planted by Angela and is being guided in her spirit today.

Members of the Brescia Family were given the opportunity to nominate a Brescia student who possesses in remarkable ways the spirit of Angela Merici. From among those students nominated, a panel of judges identified Michele Johnston and Jason Ward as the recipients of the 2011 Spirit of Angela award.

Michele Johnston, who was the only woman in a class of nineteen in Brescia's online program for the Diocese of Pensacola-Tallahassee, was the first recipient. Like Saint Angela, she is a strong, intelligent woman living out her vocation in a male-dominated environment, and like Saint Angela, she exhibits no bitterness as she does so. Michele has a deep sense of the presence of Christ in her marriage and in the love of Jesus for those to whom she ministers. She possesses a strong dedication to encouraging others to use their gifts toward making a difference in our 21st century world.

Michele, who is studying theology in preparation for serving in lay ecclesial ministry, has been a unique part of the online theology program and has greatly helped all of the participants, in ways great and small, to be better prepared for future ministry as Permanent Deacons. Michele has left an indelible testament to the strength and wisdom of women in the Christian tradition. The spirit of Angela lives in her.

Jason Ward, our second recipient of the Spirit of Angela award, is a caring individual as well. Beyond being a giving husband to his wife, Rebecca, and a kind and thoughtful father to his two step-daughters, Jason cares for his grandparents by doing their shopping and chopping their wood.

Jason worked tirelessly in the Curriculum Resource Center, where the loss of its director meant that Jason took on many of the director's duties and kept the Center running smoothly and effectively until a full-time replacement could be hired.

Jason has the heart of a teacher. His love of learning and eagerness to share what he has learned make his methods of teaching effective and his desire for the scholarly life contagious. Indeed, Jason brought his students to a mastery of vocabulary skills with creative study strategies that are unique but very successful. Jason is an avid reader, who has the gift of connecting scholarly content to adolescent interest. It is perhaps Jason, himself, that most effectively connects learning with life. For Jason, it has always been academic plus personal growth that turns an adolescent into a thriving and contributing member of society. "If I can help one person, then maybe I can keep the gears of hope turning, which is bound to produce a selfish pursuit of mine – smiles and laughter." Indeed, Jason is an extraordinary example of this himself.

"I would say that Brescia University allowed me to encounter all aspects of the Brescia Difference and, specifically, 'Promotion of Servant Leadership.' None of this would have been possible, of course, without such a strong core of staff, educators, and students at Brescia University," Jason said about the education he received at Brescia University.



AROUND CAMPUS

Fellowship of Christian Athletes

A growing club on campus, the Fellowship of Christian Athletes (FCA), was founded at Brescia in 2008. There are now approximately forty students, who actively participate in the club. The group meets every weekday in Brescia's Quad at noon for prayer. Brescia's FCA theme verse from the Bible is Philippians 1:6, "I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me."

When Jacob Blevins '12 first came to Brescia, there wasn't an FCA on campus. Jacob says that he was active in FCA throughout his high school years and was hoping to continue in the club during college. He says with the help of God and friends, especially Bryce Garrett '12, Jacob was able to install FCA as a recognized organization at Brescia.

"The platform of sports is a tremendous opportunity to witness to others and share the Good News of Jesus Christ. God is too great to be kept a secret. Our goal is to proclaim what He has done for all of us, what He is yet to do, just how much He loves each and every one of us, and the awesome plan He has for our lives if we'd just let Him into our hearts."

Student Social Work Club

The Brescia Student Social Work Club took time before Easter this year to prepare baskets for the children at OASIS, a local shelter for abused and battered women and their children. Nearly fifty baskets were assembled by members of the club.

Christin Tucker, BSSWC president, said the club chose this particular project because most people do not view Easter as being an important holiday for children. The club disagreed. A club member also works

at OASIS and said, "it was such a blessing to see the reactions of the children when they received the [baskets]."

Storyteller Performs

In April, Brescia hosted Sandra Kelley, a regionally-known writer, educator and storyteller, on campus. Sandra held a workshop and then performed several of her stories. Her stories involved a blend of Appalachian Jack Tales and takes from the natural world. This event was sponsored by Brescia's theatre department and the English department's Ichabod Society.

Fine Art Faculty Exhibition

In April, Brescia's Division of Fine Arts faculty members exhibited their work in the campus art gallery. The show included ceramics, paintings, graphic art, photography and more.

Featured Brescia faculty members included Alena Kiefer, Erin Jones, Frank Krevens, David Stratton and Sr. Mary Diane Taylor.

Soles4Souls Shoe Drive

A shoe drive took place on campus during the spring semester with 121 pairs of shoes donated to Soles4Souls, Inc. in Old Hickory, TN. Eva Atkinson '79, Brescia campus counselor, and her daughters dropped off the shoes.



AROUND CAMPUS



Peace Activist and Author

Brescia University was delighted to have a nationally-known Jesuit priest, peace activist, organizer, lecturer, retreat leader, and author/editor of twenty books on peace and nonviolence on campus in March. Reverend John Dear was even nominated for the Nobel Peace Prize by Archbishop Desmond Tutu.

Through Brescia's Contemporary Woman Program, the public was invited to attend his presentation, "Blessed Are the Peacemakers." Rev. Dear inspired the crowd to find an issue you care about and "be passionate about making a difference."



World-Rekowned Harpist

Brescia and the Diocese of Owensboro co-sponsored a concert by world-renowned harpist, Cheryl Ann Fulton, in April. She is America's premier performer of historical harps and one of the few harpists in the world to play triple, medieval and contemporary lever harps. Dr. Fulton has been playing and teaching harps for more than 20 years.

Dr. Fulton's work can be heard on more than thirty albums and soundtracks in styles such as contemporary, medieval, and Celtic. She is also a composer, whose work has been featured on National Public Radio.

You can see videos and photos from the event by visiting the Brescia University Facebook Page.



Empty Bowls Fundraiser

It was a record-breaking year for the annual Empty Bowls fundraiser this spring. A total of \$3,281.01 was raised with all proceeds benefitting St. Benedict's Homeless Shelter.

Brescia University donated the clay, glaze, and space to make more than 350 bowls for the soup dinner. Cost to attend the dinner was \$15 and included soup, bread, drinks and the handmade bowl.

This fundraiser is an opportunity to inform others of the ongoing, though sometimes silent, issue of hunger in our nation and community.

Summer Fine Arts Courses

Over the summer, Brescia University launched a new initiative to educate area teenagers and adults interested in the fine arts. It is called "The Community Institute for the Arts at Brescia."

It was a three-week course that met for two hours, twice a week. The non-credit courses offered students an opportunity to work with an instructor to develop a path that fits their own particular interests and needs. Fine arts offered this summer were: ceramics, photography, weaving, intro to theatre, and interdisciplinary art.



AROUND CAMPUS

New Student of the Year

Several students received awards this past year, including Henderson, KY student, Carla Crespo '14. Carla received the New Student of the Year award. The winner is elected by the Student Development staff based on the students participation in on-campus activities, leadership positions, community service and volunteer work.

During Carla's freshman year at Brescia, she became President of the Freshman Class Council, a member of St. Angela's Messenger (SAMS) Club, involved in Campus Ministry, the University Choir and Pep band, and was elected as Student Government Association (SGA) Secretary for the 2011-2012 term. She is a volunteer at her home parish, Holy Name Church, in Henderson and was named Lady of the Court during Homecoming 2010.

Rotary's Hager Award

Emily Gatton '11 was named a recipient of the Owensboro Rotary Club's Larry Hager Award this past spring. The Owensboro Rotary began giving out this award in 1992 to "honor seniors at local high schools and colleges who have made significant contributions to their schools through academic achievement."

According to the Rotary's website, recipients are chosen based on the following criteria: "good character, good citizenship, participation in worthwhile activities and wholesome influence on others; compassion, concern and action for others ('Service above Self'); and a scholastic record reflecting earnest effort and consistent progress."

While at Brescia, Emily has served as the Treasurer for the National Student Speech, Language and Hearing Association and President of the Brescia University chapter of Habitat

for Humanity. She has volunteered her time to help build a house for Habitat for Humanity, as well as, helping at the Apple Festival, the Buddy Walk, the Special Olympics, the Dream Riders' Jamboree, as an assistant softball coach, an assistant t-ball coach, a youth counselor and as a Eucharistic minister at her church.

2011 Honors Recipients

At the Honor's Convocation this spring, 84 students received honors, awards and scholarships for their scholastic achievements.

As part of the convocation, a Celebration of Excellence took place in the Campus Study Pavilion. Students gave oral and poster presentations. There was a tie for the best oral presentation between "The Green Synthesis of a Fluorescent Natural Product" by Laura Thompson and Megan Short and "A Multi-step Synthesis of 5-5-diphenyl-4-penten-2-one" by Austin Tapp, Jasen London and Jacob Blevins.

The best poster was "Trompe L'oeil Paper Foods" by Trena Bratcher, Miriam Key, Sara Downs, Alexandra Ford, Ben Goetz, Mindi Addington, Kendra McIntyre, and Kaylen Rhodes. Everything pictured was made from paper.

Also this spring, 134 students were named to the Dean's List, meaning these students finished the semester with at least a cumulative GPA of 3.5.

Campus Capers

A campus favorite returned this spring. Students, faculty and staff competed through skits, songs, poetry readings, and musical performances at the reintroduced Campus Capers. Jake Davis '12 and Katie Beyke '11 won for performing a news-related skit and imitating Drs. Craig Barrette and Ellen Dugan-Barrette.





Campus Habitat for Humanity Chapter

Making Dreams Come True

Making dreams a reality. That is what Habitat for Humanity does for people every day across the United States. Locally, the Brescia University Habitat for Humanity Chapter has been doing its part to make a dream come true for an Owensboro family. Brescia's H4H chapter has co-sponsored a house at 2314 West 9th Street.

The foundation of the home was poured in late February, and the building of the home was underway with student support by early April. This is the first home that BU's H4H chapter has co-sponsored. Since 1999, the chapter has been active in assisting with projects affiliated with H4H and in putting man-hours into other homes.

Club president during the time of the build, Emily Gatton '11, said the purpose of the build was to show the community what the Brescia Difference is all about. "We wanted to prove to the community what the 'Brescia Difference' really is. I feel like we succeeded by pulling together to sponsor and build, not just a house, but a HOME, for such a deserving family."

Over the course of the spring semester walls were raised and painted, and the flooring and appliances were installed. It typically takes 3-6 months for a house to be completed from start to finish. An official house dedication took place on July 24, 2011.

Virginia Braswell, Owensboro-Daviess County H4H Executive Director, said the project should be finished by mid-July, complete with a closing and dedication. This is the 95th Habitat House in Owensboro. She said the family of four have been very active in preparing their home for the move. H4H requires that their families put in 350 hours of sweat equity either on their own home, someone else's, or other H4H projects. Braswell said this particular family has put in more than 400 hours at this point.

"Brescia University has had a long relationship with H4H. The past year has been one of the more active years and has been really outstanding," said Braswell.

Brescia's Habitat chapter had a goal of raising \$5,000 during the spring semester, and Braswell said the combined funds received from Brescia and co-sponsor, Owensboro Catholic High School, totaled nearly \$10,000 toward the cost of the home. Braswell said they also received a \$35,000 grant from the city, and Habitat was able to fund the remainder.





Brescia University's leadership of the institution - the Board of Trustees - is a governing body of individuals dedicated to Catholic higher education and the desire to see Brescia succeed.

During the June 2011 meeting, Vicki Stogsdill agreed to become the first female board chair since the establishment of an independent board in the 1960's.

Stogsdill, a native of Daviess County, is Chief Nursing Officer and Vice President of Nursing at Owensboro Medical Health System. She has more than 30 years of leadership at OMHS. In 2007, she was recognized by the American Nurses Credentialing Center as a Master in Advanced Nursing Administration. She received the Chamber of Commerce Athena Award in 2008 and was named a Fellow with the American College of Healthcare Executives in 2010. Stogsdill currently serves as treasurer for the Kentucky Organization of Nursing Leaders and chair of the finance committee at St. Peter Alcantara Church. She is the past chair of the Daviess County United Way, past chair of the American Red Cross, and a past member of the City of Owensboro's Strategic Planning Committee.

Stogsdill has both a bachelor and master of science degree in nursing from the University of Kentucky and a master of business administration from Western Kentucky University.

She is married to Jack Stogsdill, and they have three daughters.



New Board Members:



Rick Higdon and his wife reside in Marietta, Georgia. He is the President and CEO of Turnpoint Solutions, a boutique, global technology consulting company serving customers in the mining, transportation, and energy industries. Prior to founding Turnpoint, he was President of the Mobility Workforce Management division of Axiom. Rick received his bachelor of science in accounting from Brescia College in 1986. He is also a Certified Public Accountant (CPA).



Sister Carol Shively is an Ursuline Sister of Mount Saint Joseph who resides in Bossier City, Louisiana. In 1999, she was appointed superintendant of Catholic schools in the Diocese of Shreveport. She presides over 2,200 elementary and high school students in seven schools in northern Louisiana; five elementary schools, two high schools, and Loyola College Prep in Shreveport; and Saint Frederick in Monroe. Sr. Carol received her bachelor of science from Brescia College in 1983 and has also completed a master's in education administration.



Kevin Schwartz and his wife, Rebecca '05, reside in Owensboro. He is the founder and managing partner of Schwartz CPA Group, which employs fifty plus full-time and part-time staff providing audit, payroll and tax services to western Kentucky and southern Indiana. Prior to founding Schwartz CPA Group, Kevin worked for a large accounting firm, PricewaterhouseCoopers, in St. Louis, Missouri. Kevin received his bachelor of business administration in finance from the University of Kentucky and a master of business administration with an emphasis in tax from the University of Central Missouri.

STUDENT NEWS

Academic Conferences Across the Country

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From left to right: Megann Hanks, Lydia Tinsley, Heather Eichholz, Sonya Lindauer, Vicki Tinsley, Hannah Ison, and Lauren Varble.

Brescia students had the opportunity to share research at two different academic conferences this past spring. Five students and one faculty member traveled to San Diego for the Alpha Chi convention. The students Hannah Ison, Lauren Varble, Sonya Lindauer, Heather Eichholz, and Megann Hanks were accompanied by Vicki Tinsley, assistant professor of psychology.

“I came back excited for next year and full of ideas for what Alpha Chi can do on campus,” Tinsley said. “It was neat to meet people from all over the country who are interested in the same area you are,” she said.

“The trip was an amazing experience,” Hanks said. “We met other Alpha Chi students from all over the U.S. and had the opportunity to see their research.”

“I presented research in San Diego for Alpha Chi that was

titled “The Diversity Among Us: Plantae,” Lindauer said. “It was a wonderful experience that challenged me academically and strengthened social bonds with several Brescia students.”

Meanwhile, in Ithaca, NY, student Julie Reynolds and faculty member Dr. John Marvin, associate professor of chemistry, attended the National Conference of Undergraduate Research (NCUR). Reynolds presented research she conducted on concept maps in the fall semester.

“The trip was a great experience,” Reynolds said. “I got to see a variety of presentations, and it was encouraging to meet so many people interested in similar things as I am.”

Next year’s Alpha Chi conference will be held in Baltimore, Maryland, and NCUR will be held at Weber University near Salt Lake City, Utah. Many students who attended the conferences said they plan to go back next year.



Hannah Ison, junior Spanish major with a focus in pre-law, learned over the summer she is one of only 20 applicants chosen to intern next spring with the Legislative Research Commission (LRC) in Frankfort.

Once the Kentucky General Assembly convenes in January, Hannah will move to Frankfort and work directly with the state’s lawmakers every day and gain a thorough understanding of the law-making process. This will be a Monday through Friday internship, working 8-5 and sometimes longer. While interning, she will also take two classes, “The Kentucky Legislative Process” and “Challenges of State Government.”

Between the internship and the two classes Hannah will attend, she will earn 15 credit hours during the spring

semester. Hannah will return to Brescia University for the Fall 2012 semester to complete her Spanish degree. She will then graduate May 2013, and continue the enrollment process into law school.

Hannah said she applied for this internship experience last spring because she wanted to experience how laws are made. She has been working at Rhodes & Rhodes law firm in Owensboro for the past year. Hannah is also a Moore Scholar at Brescia.



FACULTY NEWS

Marc Pugliese, assistant professor of theology, recently had a book review published in the *Southeastern Theological Review* (Winter 2011), entitled, *Perspectives on the Doctrine of God: Four Views*, by Paul Helm, Bruce A. Ware, Roger E. Olson, and John Sanders.

Pugliese also wrote an article in *The Coming Home Network International Newsletter*, June 2011, entitled, “A Journey of Mind and Heart.”

Rohn Sanderson, assistant professor of economics and finance, recently had his paper entitled, “Compartmentalizing Gold Prices” published in the journal, *International Journal of Economic Sciences and Applied Research*.

Dmitry Uskov, assistant professor of physics, had a paper published December 2010 in *Physical Review A* (American Physical Society) entitled, “Identifying the Quantum Correlations in Light-Harvesting Complexes.” The paper is on the topic of Quantum Biology. This is completely new field of science, where quantum physics, information science, and biology meet together.

Sharon Simmons, LCSW, ABD, assistant professor of social work, presented a workshop entitled “Engaging Students Through Humor, Creativity, and Technology” at the Kentucky Association of Social Work Educators (KASWE) spring conference April 7-8, 2011 in Louisville.



Preserving our Past through Conversation/ Oral History/Storytelling

Belinda Thomson '72, associate professor of speech and drama, spent the entire Spring 2011 semester working on a project in McLean County, where her hometown of Calhoun is the county seat. Belinda grew up in Calhoun and left in 1968 to attend college. She says “genetics, exposure at a young age and practice have all combined to create my love for family stories and set the stage for my development as a storyteller. This combination of elements served as part of the impetus for my project to document and preserve, through videotaping, memories and stories of McLean County residents.”

Belinda says during the spring semester, she spent Friday afternoons at the museum engaged in videotaping McLean

County residents as they talked about growing up in the community. The project resulted in a set of 4 DVDs that run approximately one hour each. Participants include both men and women who range in age from 60 to 89 years of age.

Belinda also videotaped herself telling a selection of stories she wrote about growing up in Calhoun. Additionally, she compiled a booklet of her family stories for the museum. All of these materials are located in the museum at 540 Main Street in Calhoun and, as a part of their artifact collection, are available for viewing. Those interested in purchasing any of the DVDs can stop by the museum on Fridays until 4 pm.

Belinda says special thanks go to the West Kentucky Genealogy Association who gave all of their records, office equipment, and more to the museum last year.

An Evening Among Brescia's Stars

Distinguished Alumni Banquet
April 9, 2011



Kevin Carrico '86



Sr. Michele Morek '66



Shirley Raymond '69

Since the inception of this prestigious recognition, Brescia University has awarded 45 alumni with the Distinguished Alumni title. This award was created to honor those graduates who exemplify the elements that encompass **The Brescia Difference**: *Respect for the Sacred, Devotion to Learning, Commitment to Growth in Virtue, and Promotion of Servant Leadership*. Because of the breadth and scope of their life's work; the magnitude of their impact on the regional, national, and sometimes international scenes; and their examples of service and leadership, alumni who receive this esteemed honor have distinguished themselves among their peers. Though this year's recipients come from three totally different backgrounds, they have one thing in common. They have demonstrated that they are true stars of Brescia.

Brescia University believes that it provides more than an ordinary education – Brescia's educational experience rooted in a 500-year teaching tradition started by St. Angela Merici and continued through the Ursuline Sisters of Mount Saint Joseph is an irreplaceable treasure. This teaching tradition reminds us that each of our students are wonderfully made in God's image and demands from us that we do our best to help our students discover and realize their unique potential and how to become the best human beings possible.

University faculty, staff, alumni and friends gathered at a banquet on Saturday, April 9, 2011, to honor those previously selected and to bestow its highest honor on three alumni who have distinguished themselves and, in turn, brought honor to Brescia's mission.

Gallery of Distinguished Alumni

Wesley Acton '60
Evelyn Kennedy Ambrose '84
Sr. Joseph Angela Boone '62
Thomas Castlen '76
Denzil Edge '67
Robert Earl Fischer '62
George Frey '63
Michael Gilles '75

Gerald '63 † and Sue Kuhn '80 Gough
Carl Greenwell '73
Suzanne King Hagan '67
Susan Kulka Hager '66 †
Susanne Wright Harris '79
Edward "Jerry" Hayden, Jr. '63
James Hines, Jr. '63 †
Gary Jackson '78

Lisa Payne Jones '93
Charles Kamuf '62
Carl Lewis '91
Jean Lorraine Lonergan '58 †
Dianne Marcum '80
Beverly A. McAuliffe '66
Patricia O'Malley McCarthy '58

† Deceased

Kevin Carrico graduated from Brescia University in 1986 with a Bachelor of Science in Business Administration. He went on to graduate from the Kentucky School of Banking in 1994 and graduated from Leadership Kentucky in 2008.

"It has been one of the true privileges of my life to represent Brescia not only as a former student but as a Trustee as well."

For nearly 30 years, Kevin has been working with the same bank, PNC, though its name has changed over the years. Kevin started as a part-time teller while attending Brescia and became the Senior Vice President/Regional Manager. Kevin is responsible for supervising fourteen retail banking operations in Owensboro, Bowling Green, Elizabethtown and Bardstown.

Kevin has served on the Wendell Foster Board, Cliff Hagan Board, Kiwanis, and is the past president of the American Institute of Banking and Rotary Club. He has been on the Brescia Board of Trustees since 2007 and is a founding member of the Society of the Arch.

Kevin and his wife Deborah live in Owensboro with their children, Cameron, Chase, Colin, and Cassidy.

Shirley Raymond, a 1969 graduate with a Bachelor of Science in Sociology, has served forty years in various social work positions in southern Indiana. She spent 25 years as the Executive Director of Harrison County Community Services, Inc..

As coordinator of many interagency teams in Southern Indiana, Shirley developed the county's human service planning council, child care system development, and case management programs for high risk students.

"I learned [at Brescia] that the spirit of community can change the world."

Shirley is the past president of both the Kiwanis of Historic Harrison County and the Local Coordinating Council for Drug Free Indiana; past board member with the New Albany Deanery Board of Education; a Catholic Youth Leadership sponsor and catechist for 15 years; on the founding board for the New Albany Catholic Charities and the Harrison County Habitat for Humanity; a court appointed special advocate of Harrison County Board member; and founding board member and immediate past-president for Infolink of Southern Indiana.

Shirley lives in DePauw, Indiana, with her children and their families.

Sister Michele Morek earned a Bachelor of Science in Biology with a minor in Math from Brescia College in 1966 and a PH.D. in Biology from Notre Dame in 1972, where she specialized in embryology and cancer research for the National Institute of Health.

For 33 years at Brescia, Sr. Michele taught Biology and served as Chair of the Division of Math and Natural Science, Academic Dean, and Vice President of Academic Affairs.

Sr. Michele served in leadership with the Kentucky Allied Health Consortium, the Owensboro Strategies for Tomorrow Education Task Force, the Kentucky Pre-College Curriculum Committee, the Daviess County Emergency Planning Committee, and the Owensboro Diocese Rural Life Commission.

In 2004, Sr. Michele was elected as the Congregational Leader for the Ursulines in a six-year term.

"The greatest honor for me has been learning and working at Brescia."

Sr. Michele recently completed an internship in New York City with UNANIMA, working mainly in the areas of water, climate change, poverty, and sustainable development.

Gallery of Distinguished Alumni

John Meister '71
Joseph Moore '74
James Mudd '59
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Joyce Bittel Yeiser '69

† Deceased

ALUMNI NEWS



The Brescia University Alumni Association Board, under the new leadership of Jim Weafer '02, is off and running with new ideas and plans to make the Alumni Association a stronger and more consistent voice for the alumni base.

During Honor's Convocation this year in April, the Alumni Association gave out the Delbert S. Murphy Alumni Scholarship to Ashley Miller and the Alumni Student Award was given to Sagan Sette.

With the additions of fellow alumni Carl Lewis '91, Jim Demaio '95, Dette Wilson '82, and Sabrina Grant '05 to the Alumni Board, President Weafer and the rest of the Board are working hard on upcoming events like the 2011 Homecoming, which takes place September 16 and 17.

At this year's Homecoming, we will honor two of our fellow alumni with the following awards: The Father Saffer Award and the Outstanding Alumni Award. These awards will be given at the Annual Meeting during Homecoming this year. Become a fan of Brescia University and Brescia University Alumni Association on Facebook for the most current and up-to-date information regarding Homecoming. Look for your invitation in August or register online today at www.brescia.edu and click on Alumni.

Brescia University will once again sponsor the Labor Day weekend Friday After 5 event downtown at the river on September 2, 2011, with the concert finale featuring music by the Velvet Bombers. Stop by the table underneath the Brescia tent to speak to Jason Cox, our Alumni Relations Director, and pick up some great Brescia gear!



We want your input! Brescia is nearing the completion of a University Branding Initiative and would love your feedback on a 10-question survey. Your response to this survey will be invaluable in helping Brescia position and market itself over the next several years. Please take a few minutes to fill out the survey. You can access it by going to <http://www.surveymonkey.com/s/communityfocusgroup> or scanning this QR Code with your smartphone. Thank you for your participation!



On June 9, 2011, Brescia University participated in the Foundation for Health's Annual Golf Classic benefitting the new Owensboro Medical Health System facility that is currently under construction.

The team of Jarred Bowman '97, Jason Cox '97, Father Larry Hostetter, and Charlie Kamuf '62 finished in a tie for third place overall in a field of more than forty teams.

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The Brescia Annual Fund had a record-breaking year in 2010-2011. Many milestones were reached, and the bar has been raised to a higher level of growth for the coming years thanks to overwhelming support. We surpassed our goal and increased the Brescia Annual Fund by more than 5% compared to last year. Brescia would not have been able to boast such wonderful news without YOU. There were more than 1,300 individuals from the Brescia community who believed in our mission and helped us pave the road to success. Because of your gifts, Brescia will be able to more fully meet the changing needs of our students to continue providing exceptional educational opportunities. Among other necessities, the Brescia Annual Fund provides financial assistance to students who are pursuing a path to a brighter future.

GOLD (Graduates of the Last Decade), Society of the Arch members, Board of Trustees, Faculty, Staff, alumni, and friends of Brescia all joined together to make 2010-2011 the best annual fund year on record. The Board of Trustees increased their giving by 29%, Society of the Arch membership increased by 18 members, and Faculty/Staff giving increased by 9%. These are huge increases that are possible truly because people believe in Brescia.

Amy French, Director of Annual Giving, attributes these successes to all the generous supporters of Brescia University in monetary support as well as through their willingness to enlighten others on the powerful mission of teaching and learning — empowering students to live the Brescia Difference. Amy says, “I believe that people around the Owensboro area and beyond are beginning to see the difference that Brescia graduates bring to their various careers and the communities in which they live thus encouraging others to support the university.” French looks forward to an even more successful year in 2011-2012.

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BEARCAT ATHLETICS

Fast and Furious: Matt Lowe '12

Matt Lowe '12 is a goal-oriented young man. His goals include running professionally, but if for some reason that avenue doesn't work out, a backup plan is in place.

Matt started running in the 8th grade while training for baseball. Knowing that running would build his leg muscles, thus enabling him to become a better pitcher, he began training. Before long, he decided to put his athletic endeavors toward running instead of baseball. The rest, as they say, is history.

Matt says his freshman and sophomore years in high school weren't all that great; he was only in the top seven in school. By junior year, through hardwork and commitment, he began beating the number one runner in school. Then, by senior year, Matt moved to the number one position — the fastest guy at Webster County High School.

His efforts in high school paid off as he was offered a full athletic scholarship to attend Brescia University to run on the cross country team.

Matt said three races stick out in his mind — two in cross country and one in track. During cross country this past season, Matt suffered from a pulled left hamstring. The Kentucky Intercollegiate Conference (KIAC) meet was approaching soon. He hadn't run in two weeks, just worked out on the elliptical and bicycle machines. The day before the race, Matt couldn't even finish a three mile run. No one believed he would be



able to run a five mile race. He taped his leg, took ibuprofen, and persevered through the pain for the team, placing second overall.

At the cross country nationals, it was a similar experience as it took place just a few weeks after the conference race. Matt said it was the hardest race he's run. "After crossing the finish line, I had nothing left in me, and I collapsed."

The third race that sticks out to Matt is running in the National Association of Intercollegiate Athletes (NAIA) track meet. Though Matt had never run a 10 K, he ended up qualifying for nationals after running one in Chicago.

He said the race started with everyone going super fast. "I was coming in last, but after the first 5K, people started slowing down. I began passing people." Matt ended up placing 18th out of 36 runners.

Those are just some of his personal best records. He's set school records as well, and assisted the cross country team in finishing second in the KIAC all three years.

"After three seasons with us, he [Matt] is a five-time national qualifier in cross-country and track and field, and his leadership this past season was priceless," said his cross country coach, Nathan Christianson. "I have never coached a more driven and determined athlete than Matt, and it will be interesting to see how his senior year cross-country season ends up for us."

Where does all this ambition stem from? Matt said he was inspired by a cousin who has success running marathons in Flagstaff, AZ.

Matt's efforts aren't solely on athletics, though. He is majoring in psychology, with a minor in art, concentrating in drawing. He said if professional running doesn't work out, he plans to join the military and help soldiers with post traumatic stress disorder. When asked why the military and PTSD, Matt shared a story of a best friend's grandfather who served with the Allied Forces in World War II. This grandfather was a prisoner of war in a German prison camp about to be killed

by a firing squad. As the triggers were cocked, a miraculous sound was heard. Allied jet fighters and U.S. soldiers began bombarding the camp. Though he lived through the terror of being a POW, he had been haunted for many years, suffering from nightmares associated with PTSD. Matt said his friend's grandfather inspired him to

want to help others dealing with PTSD. When Matt isn't busy with taking psychology and art courses at Brescia or designing tatoos, he said he's busy spending time with his girlfriend, also a Brescia student, and hanging out with his cross country team mates who he said are like an extended family to him.

Over the summer, Matt keeps busy

working two jobs and putting money in the bank.

As a senior, Matt said he's had a great experience at Brescia. "It's been one heck of a ride! I can't even imagine leaving this place and starting some place new. I can't envision life outside of college."

Scorecard

Men's Tennis (14-5, 8-0 KIAC) completed the season winning the Kentucky Intercollegiate Conference (KIAC) Tournament, winning the regional tournament and playing in the National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics (NAIA) Championship. Head coach, Jack Etchison, was named KIAC Tennis Coach of the Year, and Alex Devilleneave, Alex Schubert, Julien Cheneberg, and Thiago Mastroianni were named to the KIAC All Conference Team.



Brescia had 34 students named Kentucky Intercollegiate All-Scholar Athletes for their participation in a sport during the 2010-2011 season. To be named KIAC All Scholar, each student must maintain a 3.5 GPA during each semester.



Men's Golf won their conference tournament, and head coach, David Ballou, was named as Coach of the Year. Isaac Church was named Men's Player of the Year, and Garrett Veal and Matt Galloway were named to All Conference.

Women's Golf, though not an official conference sport, competed in an unofficial KIAC Tournament. They won the tournament, and head coach, David Ballou, was named Coach of the Year. Bretnea Turner was named Player of the Year and Lauren Varble was named All-Runner Up. Schyler Pentecost and Brittany Daugherty were named to the All Conference team.



2010-2011 Donor Report

(June 1, 2010 - May 31, 2011)

Thank you to each of you who chose to invest in Brescia. Your gifts given either to invest in Brescia's greatest areas of need through the Annual Fund or for the investment of a specific purpose, such as an endowed scholarship, have helped further Brescia's mission of teaching and learning. We are grateful for your partnership.



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Six recognition categories list the names of alumni and friends, who made restricted and unrestricted gifts to Brescia during the fiscal year (June 1, 2010 - May 31, 2011).

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- The Brescia Annual Fund increased by more than **5%** this year compared to 2009-2010.
- Faculty and Staff giving increased to **25%**.
- There were more than **1,300** total annual fund donors.
- We can boast that **20%** of our alumni give back to their alma mater.
- **18** new Society of the Arch members joined our mission.
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class notes

Robert Brewster,

From volunteer to executive director - transforming a community.



Robert Brewster, a 1975 alumnus of Brescia College, graduated with his English degree and then went on to do a year of service with the Glenmary Sisters of Covington at

the prompting of the campus chaplain. Little did he know how this volunteer experience would change his life's path or how he would end up utilizing his education at Brescia to transform a community.

Because the 1960's were times of great change, the people of Appalachia began migrating to Northern Kentucky in pursuit of work and a better life for their families. In 1966, Reverend Bill Neuroth founded what was called the Brighton Street Center in a small storefront on the corner of 8th and Brighton Streets. In 1968, Bob Brewster began volunteer work at the Center. He began the year with few expectations but quickly realized he was on the path to the rest of his life. A few short months later he became the Center's first full time employee, and in 1969, he became the Executive Director.

Since that time, Brighton Center has expanded its programs and services, which are offered in an effort to continue meeting the needs of the community. The Center has become one of Northern Kentucky's most comprehensive agencies and has earned a national reputation for cutting edge initiatives and pioneering approaches that build on the people, physical assets, and hopes of the community.

The Brighton Center strives to turn obstacles into possibilities through community efforts that are forged in their commitment to self-sufficiency and driven by programs rooted in community values and finding proactive solutions. Their mission is to create opportunities for individuals and families to reach self-sufficiency through support services, education and leadership.

Through Bob's leadership, the Brighton Center has grown to provide a uniquely comprehensive range of programs and services including family and work supports; financial and homeownership services; workforce development services including education, employment and training programs; substance abuse recovery services for women; early childhood education; and neighborhood based programs including community organizing and housing development.

Bob is passing the torch to the next generation of leadership at Brighton Center after 42 years of service. "Last year we served over 84,000 individuals through 38 programs. Our focus has always been meeting the needs of the community, and because of that, we have become their trusted friend." As an agency, the Brighton Center has had 3,390 adults, who have become employed a minimum of 90 days, 941 individuals who have worked full-time with access to health insurance, and 710 individuals, who have earned a livable wage of at least 200% more than the poverty level.

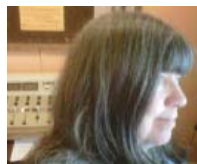
He attributes who he is today to Brescia University and the guidance of Sr. Ruth Gehres and other Ursuline Sisters who helped broaden his perspectives and mindset to see the injustices in the world. One memorable example was when he decided to ride the bus trip down to Selma for the sit-in under the leadership of Sister deChantel. He said that it was "quite the experience", and struggled to explain the turbulence at the time.

He appreciates and respects everything that Brescia taught him about the church, about social injustices, and about the ways that one person can make a difference. He left Brescia feeling like he could truly make a difference and has truly exemplified the Brescia Difference in everyone he has met in his work at the Brighton Center.

Written by Amy French

Reverend Paul Scaglione '68 is directing the Archdiocese of Louisville's Pastoral Care office and working with the Sisters of Charity of Nazareth. Five years ago, the Archdiocese of Louisville expanded a ministry to include pastoral care teams in hospitals. Then in 2009, it was expanded into nursing homes including Nazareth Home. The program goals include assisting those transitioning to a nursing home, journeying with those facing a terminal illness and bringing comfort to both residents and families as they deal with end-of-life issues.

Francis X. Werner '73, was recently promoted to Senior Vice President of Resort Community Services, INC.



Karen Nelson Hayden '86, is the producer and disc jockey of Kentucky Ridge, a two-hour weekly

live radio show featuring bluegrass, old time, and bluegrass music on KQNY 91.9FM in Quincy, California. She is pictured here in her studio.



Sharon '91 Cinnamond and her husband, Bob, celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary this summer. Robert Eugene Cinnamond and

Sharon Louise Anslinger were married by the Reverend Patrick Kilfoil at St. Joseph's Catholic Church in Evansville, IN on June 10, 1961.

They have four children: Debbie (Gary) Hagan of Reynolds Station, Don Cinnamond of Philpot, Anne (Danny) Howard of Knottsville, and Sue (Lee) Mills of Whitesville; 10 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Bob and Sharrie have spent the last 39 years building the Kingdom of God through Cursillo, TEC, YES, REC, Koinonia and Walk to Emmaus.



Laura Krebs Lewis '92 sent the above photograph of her two children, Avery, age four, and Aiden, age 18 months. Laura and her husband, Jason, live in Louisville, Ky.



Casey Williams Hamilton '95 has been named the Education Coordinator and Instructor at Owensboro Community & Technical College. Casey earned her Master's degree in Administration from UT Martin

in 2008. She and her husband Rob live in Owensboro, KY along with their two children, Addison, age 9 and Jack Walton, age 5.

Jim Demaio '96 is currently serving as Board President of the Greater Owensboro Realtor Association for 2011. Jim is a realtor with Coldwell Banker Realty Group and serves on the Brescia Alumni Board.

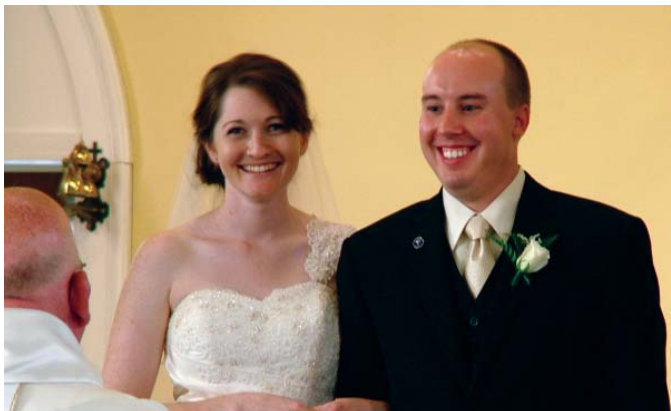
Dr. Wes Booker '99 relocated his dental practice into a new facility in May 2011. Dental Designs of Owensboro is located at 3310 Professional Park Drive, Suite 103. Booker serves on the Brescia Alumni Board.



Keith Wells '96 and Misty Fenwick '04 were married October 2010 in Gatlinburg, TN and are currently living in Owensboro.

Gina Board '02 is the proud grandmother of Amelia Dell, born on May 21, 2011.





Josh Clary '06 and Stephanie Quarles '06 were married on June 3, 2011 in Shelbyville, Ky.

Jay Hart '07 and Tara Robertson '07 were married on May 21, 2011.

Courtney Ogle '10, from Owensboro, KY, was accepted into Murray State University's graduate program for communication disorders.



Meg Gatten '02 and '10 (MSCI) has been appointed by Governor Steve Beshear to the State Advisory Council for Gifted Education. Her term began in May.

Meg's Action Research Project is titled "Curriculum Compacting: One Student's Journey." Compacting involves the removal of previously mastered materials from the curriculum to accelerate learning for gifted students.

Stephanie Johnson '11, from Grandview, IN, was accepted into the University of Louisville's Kent School of Social Work Master's Program.



(L to R:) Matthew Williams, UofL's Director of Development, Keith Hudson, Stephanie Johnson, and Marilyn Conley.



Kevin '07 & '11 and Laura Rhodes '08 Fritz recently purchased a house near Brescia and built a private pottery studio in his back yard this spring. Kevin hopes to expand the "overgrown hobby" into a part-time business, KJF Pottery, in the next couple years. Kevin spends a lot of time relaxing with his family and chopping wood for future firings. Kevin learned about pottery and wood firing at Brescia and says he owes much of this passion to Steven Driver, a former faculty member. You can reach Kevin at kevinjfrtiz@gmail.com or on Facebook, KJF Pottery.

Kristen Peak Powers '99, MS CCC-SLP, was nationally recognized recently as being placed on the Bilingual Service Provider Registry for the American Speech Language Hearing Association. Kristen is one of three in the state of Kentucky and one of nine in the Kentucky, Indiana, and Tennessee regional area. She is the only one on the list who has the ability to screen, evaluate, and provide direct speech/language, voice, fluency, and swallowing therapy to the Hispanic population. She has experience working with Hispanic children and adults with speech/language difficulties, voice, fluency, Down's Syndrome, Autism, Mild Mental Disabilities, Functional Mental Disabilities, and providing augmentative communication devices/systems in

their native language.

Kristen graduated from Brescia with a double major in Communications Sciences and Disorders and Spanish. She attributes her success in life to Brescia University professors, Dr. Iris Moreno-Brown, Donna Goodlett-Collins and Dr. James Naas.

In order to graduate with a double major, Kristen had to complete a practicum outside of the United States, so she spent thirty days in Mexico working with Father Chema, MD, a physician and Catholic priest. While working with him, she developed speech/language, voice, fluency, and swallowing programs to help the staff implement at Caritas Hospital in Puebla, Mexico.



Sister Helena Fischer



Sister Julia Head



Sister Rose Marita O'Bryan

Twelve Ursuline Sisters of Mount Saint Joseph are celebrating jubilees of religious life this year, including three currently affiliated with Brescia who are celebrating their 50th year.

Sister Helena Fischer '65 has ministered at Brescia since 1987. She was director of institutional research (1987-97), assistant registrar (1987-90), and registrar (1990-present).

Sister Julia Head '65 was coordinator of off-campus courses at Brescia (1992-99). She ministered in Daviess County as teacher, coordinator of religious education, and in the Office of Adult Education for the Diocese of Owensboro. She was director of the apostolate at the Motherhouse. She is currently serving as assistant congregational leader of the Ursuline Sisters of Mount Saint Joseph and is on the Brescia Board of Trustees.

Sister Rose Marita O'Bryan '65 has served as director of the Contemporary Woman Program at Brescia since 2005. She has twice served in Ursuline leadership, as a councilor and as major superior/congregational leader. She was vocation director, contact program coordinator, and director of postulants. Today, she is also director of Mission Effectiveness for the Ursuline Sisters.

The following Ursuline Sisters are either graduates and/or former faculty members of Brescia who are celebrating their jubilees.

Celebrating 70 Years:

[Sister Mary Evelyn Duvall '73](#), [Sister Pauletta McCarty '62](#), and [Sister Jean Gertrude Mudd '82](#)

Celebrating 60 Years:

[Sister Clarence Marie Lockett '67](#)

Celebrating 50 Years:

[Sister Kathleen Kaelin '65](#), [Sister Nancy Murphy '65](#), and [Sister Rosanne Spalding '65](#)

Celebrating 40 Years:

[Sister Betsy Moyer '74](#)

*Jubilarian congratulations may be sent to:
Mount Saint Joseph
8001 Cummings Road
Maple Mount, KY 42356*

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After graduating from Brescia, she went on to complete her Masters of Science at Western Kentucky University in Communication Disorders. She received her Certificate of Clinical Competency from the American Speech Language Hearing Association upon completing her clinical fellowship year.

Kristen is employed full-time as a speech language pathologist for Daviess County Public Schools, where she screens, evaluates, and provides direct speech/language, voice, and fluency services for the community's Hispanic populations, as well as, other populations. She also works for Progressive Rehab Inc. and provides Bilingual Speech/Language Pathol-

ogy services in Daviess County for Home Health and private speech/language, voice, fluency, and swallowing therapy.

Kristen said that being recognized by the American Speech Language Hearing Association as a Bilingual Service Provider has been a long term goal in her career. "Brescia helped me ultimately reach my goal of being able to combine my passion for the Spanish language and wanting to help others communicate. I feel that only with Brescia's professors, small class size, collaborative staff, and liberal arts Catholic education that Brescia offers, I was able to complete my goal of becoming one of only three Bilingual Speech Language Pathologists in the state of Kentucky."

Homecoming September 16-17, 2011

Look for invitations in the mail in early August!

Battle for the Bell

Now is the time to begin preparing your chariot for the annual Chariot Races. Last year, eight teams battled for the bell. This year, we want to double that number and double the excitement!

For a complete list of rules and regulations, contact Jason Cox, Alumni Relations Director, at jason.cox@brescia.edu or 270-686-2111.

Also returning is Campus Capers. Put your thinking caps on and come up with an original performance idea at this year's Campus Capers! Whether it's goofy, dramatic, astounding, or just plain fun, we don't care.
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- Sagan Sette '11

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The Brescia University community joins in prayerful remembrance of those who have died. Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them.

From November 23, 2010 - June 28, 2011

In Memoriam:

Jerome P. Draeger '58, who passed away April 19, 2011.

Mary E. Duvall '73, who passed away April 26, 2011.

Dolorita Robinson '65, who passed away March 23, 2011.

Mona R. Shopa '67, who passed away January 20, 2011.

Debra Towery '00, who passed away January 28, 2011.

Curtis W. Wilkerson '79, who passed away January 19, 2011.

We Extend our Deepest Sympathy:

Tom Luckett '71, whose wife, Deborah, passed away on December 21, 2010.

Sister Vivian Marie Bowles '69, whose mother, Willa Stein, passed away on January 18, 2011.



Sister Marita Greenwell, 85, an Ursuline Sister of Mount Saint Joseph, died June 21, at Mount Saint Joseph in her 65th year of religious life.

Sister Marita was an inspiration to so many people, first as an encouraging music teacher, and then as the leader of the Contemporary Woman Program at Brescia College/University, a revolutionary self-esteem building program for women which she directed for 32 years (1973-2005).

She was a teacher at St. Martin School, Rome (1948-52); Mount Saint Joseph Academy, Maple Mount (1960-68); Blessed Mother School (1954), Immaculate School (1970-71), and Brescia College (1971-73) in Owensboro and St. Thomas More School, Paducah (1954-55); as well as in the Archdiocese of Louisville and in Missouri. She was co-director of the Ursuline Associate program from 1996-2002.

Survivors include her sister, Dorothy Hughes of Elizabethtown, nieces and nephews, and the members of her religious community.

Memorial gifts for Sister Marita may take the form of donations to the Ursuline Sisters of Mount Saint Joseph, 8001 Cummings Road, Maple Mount, KY 42356.

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