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HOURS OF OPERATION

ACADEMIC SUPPORT CENTER

JULY 16 & 23

Tuesdays
10 a.m. – 3 p.m.

AUGUST 12

Monday
10 a.m. – 3 p.m.

LIBRARY

SUMMER HOURS May 30 – August 13:

Monday & Wednesday
8:30 a.m. – 5 p.m.

Tuesday & Thursday
8:30 a.m. – 8 p.m.

Friday – Sunday
CLOSED



CONGRATULATIONS MAIKEL ROJAS PEREZ!



Congratulations to Master of Divinity student Maikel Rojas Perez, who received the Harry Denman Evangelism Award at the 2019 Annual Conference of the Kentucky Annual Conference of The United Methodist Church. Begun in 1981 to honor United Methodist clergy and lay persons in each annual conference who exhibit unusual and outstanding efforts for the work on Christian Evangelism, the Harry Denman Evangelism Award helps draw attention to evangelism in the conference by honoring one clergy person, one lay person, and one youth who

are reaching others effectively for Christ. Those eligible for the awards are effective in helping persons to experience the transforming love of God through Jesus Christ. Maikel is assistant pastor at St. Matthews United Methodist Church, Louisville, KY.

Photo by Ralph Homan.

Calendar: July 15 - August 9

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
JULY 15	16	17	18	19 Offices Closed
22	23	24	25	26 Offices Closed
29	30	31	AUGUST 1	2 Offices Closed
5	6	7	8	9 Offices Closed

Submit all articles, questions or inquiries to
Editor Jean Campbell Herp, ext. 360 or jherp@lpts.edu

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NOTES FROM THE
Academic Support Center (ASC)
SCHLEGEL HALL, ROOM 102

Summer in the Academic Support Center (ASC)

The ASC is open on TUESDAYS through the summer to support you in your academic endeavors. Drop in (10 a.m.—3 p.m.) or make an appointment:
[Calendly.com/bherrintonhodge](https://calendly.com/bherrintonhodge)

Writing Tables return to the Academic Support Center (ASC).



Need to manage your calendar and study schedule?



Need to brush up on reading, writing, or critical thinking skills?



Need to strengthen your studying or writing process?

Plan to attend Writing Tables Workshops!

Writing Tables will be offered in the days before classes resume:
August 28, 29, 30, September 3 and 4, 10:00 a.m. – noon.

Additional gatherings will be offered on Thursday afternoons through September.
September 5, 12, 19 and 26, 3:00—5:00 p.m.

Come to one or all of the Writing Tables, depending on your particular needs.

Need Help? Just ASC! 

Academic Support Center (ASC)

DAILY HOURS RETURN ON MONDAY, AUGUST 19

MONDAY-THURSDAY, 10:00 A.M. - 4 P.M.

Field Education Information

Students in Summer 2019 CPE

We hope you are having a rewarding time in your CPE experience. This is a friendly reminder that the Field Ed office is to receive a copy of your complete CPE Evaluation—both the supervisor's comments and the student's comments.

Each of you received a form that specifically allows the Field Ed office to forward a copy of your CPE Evaluation to your church judicatory. If you have not already completed one, please do so and return it to the Field Ed office as soon as possible. The form is on the Seminary website in the Field Ed section.

Campus Safety

Summertime brings with it a large number of new faces to our campus, and along with it occasional concerns about visitors with possibly questionable intent. Ours is a welcoming and friendly place, proudly open to the public and located in one of Louisville's best neighborhoods. Nevertheless, it is always good to be mindful of your surroundings.

First and foremost, if you find yourself in a situation where your personal safety is at risk or if a crime has occurred, (e.g. a car has been broken into--whether locked or unlocked), call the police immediately.

If you are concerned about the activities of a person or group on campus but your safety is not at risk and no crime has been committed, you may contact the Facilities Department, and we will do our best to address the situation. This might simply involve approaching the person or group and asking what their business is on campus. Depending on the situation, we could ask them to leave or, if necessary, contact law enforcement for action.

In non-emergency situations such as these we ask that you not use the Facilities Emergency Telephone, (502) 376.1572, nor attempt to call Securitas, our after-hours security service. Their role is limited to monitoring campus activities and securing buildings, and they are not equipped to respond to phone call requests. Of course, if you see a Securitas employee making the rounds, feel free to share your concern with them.

Common sense measures such as locking your car and apartment and keeping valuables out of sight, combined with being mindful of your surroundings, will go a long way toward maintaining the safety of our already very safe campus.



Louisville Seminary Counseling Center

Louisville Seminary Counseling Center is seeking an Office Assistant, a 6-7 hours a week, late afternoon/evening position.

Duties include:

- greeting and assisting clients and staff;
- maintaining office documentation and space; and
- updating and maintaining resource room and catalog.

Qualifications: Must be a current LPTS MDiv or MAR student; office experience helpful. Interested individuals should contact Becky Timerding, Administrative Assistant, at (502) 894.2293 x 0 or by e-mail, btimerding@lpts.edu.

Louisville Institute

Louisville Institute is seeking an Office Assistant to work 10 hours a week.

Duties include:

- Manage filing system
- Update paperwork, maintain documents and word processing
- Help organize and maintain office common areas
- Assist with social media updates
- Perform general office clerk duties and errands
- Data entry
- Assist office staff as needed

Qualifications: Must be a current LPTS student; office experience helpful. Applicant should contact Jessica Bowman at (502) 894.2297 or by email at jbowman@lpts.edu

CALL FOR NOMINATIONS:

2020 Distinguished Alum Awards

2020 First Decade Award

Nominations are currently being accepted for the 2020 Louisville Seminary Distinguished Alum Award and the 2020 Louisville Seminary First Decade Award.

NOMINATE AN ALUM

The Distinguished Alum Award is given to a graduate of Louisville Seminary who has made a lasting impact on the church and society through outstanding professional, volunteer, or philanthropic accomplishments; and/or who has advanced the seminary's mission, thereby enhancing its impact on the church and future generations of students.

The First Decade Award is presented to a recent graduate who has made a significant impact on the church and in her/his community in the first five to nine years of ministry and service.

Please submit nominations by
THURSDAY, JULY 25, 2019.

[READ THE NEWSBRIEF.](#)

PRESIDENTIAL INAUGURATION HIGHLIGHTS

On April 26, 2019, the Rev. Dr. Alton B. Pollard, III was formally installed as Louisville Presbyterian Theological Seminary's tenth president.

In the days leading up to the installation ceremony, Louisville Seminary hosted a series of events that celebrate the unconditional and everlasting love that God has for all people of every creed, color, gender, sexual orientation, and circumstance.

And so the Louisville Seminary Community accepts the invitation, the challenges, and the rewards of emphasizing "Whosoever: A Divine Invitation" as the foundation for engaging the world and building bridges between God and humanity.

[SEE THE INAUGURATION HIGHLIGHTS.](#)



2019 COMMENCEMENT & BACCALAUREATE HIGHLIGHTS

On Sunday, May 19, 2019, Louisville Presbyterian Theological Seminary held its Commencement exercises for the 165th graduating class. This year the seminary conferred Master of Divinity degrees on 17 students, Master of Arts in Marriage and Family Therapy degrees on six students, Master of Arts (Religion) degrees on two students, and Doctor of Ministry degrees on ten students. Additionally, six students received a Certificate in Black Church Studies, three students received a Diploma in Pastoral Studies, and one student received a Certificate in Educational Ministry.

[SEE THE GRADUATION HIGHLIGHTS.](#)



NEW LEGACY CAFÉ

MONDAY - FRIDAY
8 a.m. - 2 p.m.





CALLED TO SERVE

A Free Retreat for Louisville Presbyterian Theological Seminary Presbyterian Students and Mid-Kentucky Presbytery's Candidates and Inquirers

September 7, 2019

8:15 - 2:15 pm

Highland Presbyterian Church, 1011 Cherokee Road, Louisville

Connect with others called to serve as minister of Word and Sacrament in the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.). Learn about standard ordination exams, MIFs/PIFs and the CLC, Negotiating a Call, Student Loan Forgiveness, the Board of Pensions benefits program, chaplaincy options and much more.

Save the Date and watch for more details!