

December 2011

Prayer Requests:

Summer Missions

Student Finals

Intern/Alumni Fund—Donations:

2010 \$7767 2011 \$8710 Goal \$9000

Warren Woolf Intern Endowment

2009 \$4940 2010 \$55,133 Current \$115,495

Jennifer Mosley President

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Intern:

What a semester it has been! The Lord has been doing amazing things in the lives of the students as we all learn what it means to become more like Jesus Christ. Each Tuesday we have been on a journey through the Word examining what Faith, Hope, and Love looks like in the context of our personal lives. As we have been hearing and studying the Word, we have discovered that being intentional is the key to becoming more like Jesus. So far we have engaged the campus by serving free pancakes, setting up a discussion table on Skiles walkway, prayer walking, football cookouts, and many other events and activities. We have built a lot of relationships and had some really good conversations, however, the harvest is still plentiful. Please continue to pray for our students as they strive to reflect the love, grace, and truth of Jesus Christ on the campus. Thank you again for your generous support!
Jessie Holmes



INTERNATIONALS So far this year, we have enjoyed getting to know the approximately 3500 international students at Georgia Tech and the Georgia Tech English Language Institute. We had an excellent time on the rafting trip this September, and also at a picnic in conjunction with international students from Georgia State. We have started a Bible study which covers the book of Mark and focuses on the life of Christ. We have had Hindu, Muslim, and Christian background students attend, as well as some American students. We have enjoyed some fruitful discussions as the students are noticing some differences between a biblical worldview and their respective worldviews. Over Thanksgiving, several international students were able to enjoy a meal in an American home or at the Thanksgiving lunch for international students sponsored by FBC Woodstock. We are looking forward to doing some Christmas outreach and events as well. If you would like to host an international student or two for a meal over Christmas time, please let me know. I appreciate your continued prayers and support!
Megan Cosby

GEORGIA TECH BCM ALUMNI NEWSLETTER

Merry Christmas 2011

Our Campus Minister - Foundations This fall semester has been about foundations--laying foundations on which to build. Foundations are a sign of beginnings and beginning is exactly where we are as we grow together as a ministry staff and as a body of believers on this campus. We have spent a lot of time understanding our identity, clarifying definitions, sharing purpose, seeking understanding, building relationships. It's been time well spent and we are not through with those things yet. But, we are coming together and we are ready to move forward. Our student leaders are doing a great job gathering, encouraging, and teaching their peers. The title for this group is Vision Team and they are embracing that identity and challenge. I cannot imagine a better group with which to collaborate at this time in our development. We are planning some leadership training for them as we prepare for next semester--putting some tools in their hands--and really look forward to the dividends and their continued growth as catalysts and influencers. If there has been a sad part of this first semester at Tech, it will be letting go of some terrific graduating seniors. We've just started and have built some good relationships and taken some good first steps together and now some of the pivotal people in this transition are about to leave. But, even that is good. It's good for them to take the next step. It's good for them to be glad and sad at the same time. And it's good that letting them go seems too soon. Even that is a sign of good foundations being laid. Pray for us. Come visit. Get involved. There is room for you here and in the lives of this generation of students. Thanks for all you do and for continuing to be leaders for this ministry. **warren**



Football SM Cookout Every year, the BCM has remained committed to the effort of funding mission work through the Send Me Now summer missions program. One way that the 740bcm has been able to contribute is by selling hamburgers and hotdogs during Georgia Tech home football games. Its prime location near the stadium allowed us not only to make many sales, but also to interact with the fans and spread the news of our cause. This year, the cookouts were great opportunities to get to know some of the freshmen, whom stepped up to command some of the hardest chores despite starting out fairly unacquainted with the BCM. Our new campus minister, Warren Skinner, also took a very active role, and was always there to encourage both the volunteers and the customers. These cookouts have always been times to come together as a ministry to get our hands dirty for whatever God desires from us, and we wish the best to this year's missionaries! Thanks to all who gave support to this part of the Send Me Now campaign! Brandon Neese

Senior This morning I went for a run around campus and as I ran past Tech tower and the library and down Skiles walkway, I realized something. I am really going to miss this place called Georgia Tech. As a senior getting ready to graduate, I have a lot of different emotions going on. I am excited to finally be getting out of Tech, and I am happy to know that the late nights of studying are almost over. Yet, I am sad to see these last four and a half years come to a close. It is not just Tech I am sad to leave, but it is the people here. I have been a member at the BCM since my freshmen year and met some of my best friends here. They have comforted me during the hard times, and laughed with me through just about everything else. Yes I am really going to miss this place, but I know that God has so much more waiting for me. Emily Goss



Fall Break Trip For Fall Break, I went to Helen, GA with some members of the BCM from Georgia Tech. While there, we went to the Helen Oktoberfest where we had the chance to use face painting and balloon animal making as mediums to talk about Christianity. Also, I helped clean the local Crisis Pregnancy Center, and I installed a light fixture for an old lady who lived by herself in the mountains. In addition to doing community service on the trip, we hiked around local waterfalls, watched *The Office*, and made a campfire. Although we only had a short time to help in Helen, the things we accomplished were significant and the people were very grateful.
Hayden Marsh