



Dear Friends,

Welcome back! And a very special welcome to our new students this semester! I hope that Christmas break was refreshing for you and that you are coming into this semester with the strength to finish strong! I believe that this will be another great semester! With Winter weather on its way, don't forget to sign up for Campus Alerts! Subscribe by visiting <http://eagle.northwestu.edu/apps/campus-alerts/subscribe.php>.

If you need a reminder about our Chapel Attendance Policy, visit <http://www.northwestu.edu/ministry/chapel/policy.php>. Any questions regarding Chapel Attendance can be sent directly to chapelattendance@northwestu.edu.

Next Week in Chapel

In honor of Martin Luther King Day, the school will be closed **Monday**, January 16th. There will be no classes, Pursuit, or chapel. **Wednesday**, Motivational Speaker, Victoria Trabosh, will be speaking to us from our Student Development Theme this semester – Christian Ethics in a Post-Modern World. **Friday**, Dr. Wayne Goodall from the College of Ministry will be taking us through John 11:1-12:1.

Choralons

Choralons will be traveling to Yakima and Othello for their first trip of the year this weekend. Please pray for the group and their ministry as well as safe travels. We are believing for great things this weekend!

Life Groups

We are still accepting applications for Life Group Leaders this Spring! If you are interested in getting involved in Life Groups or leading a Life Group next semester, email lifegroups@northwestu.edu or stop by the Campus Ministries Office and grab an application. Applications will be due January 20th. Then on January 23rd, we will introduce all of the available Life Groups in chapel so you can get plugged in.

Emergency Alert System

With snow in our forecast I want to remind you to sign up for the Emergency Alert System. It will be difficult to find out about closures unless you have signed up. You can click this link and follow the directions to get connected. <https://eagle.northwestu.edu/apps/campus-alerts/subscribe.php>.

Scripture Focus

I hope that you all have received the Spring 2012 NUMA Prayer and Scripture Focus Card, if you haven't, they are still available in the Campus Ministries Office. Dr. Castleberry brought a great word this Monday about this week's scripture; I encourage you to allow this verse to challenge you this week!

"Jesus answered, "I did tell you, but you do not believe. The works I do in my Father's name testify about me, but you do not believe because you are not my sheep. My sheep listen to my voice; I know them, and they follow me. I give them eternal life, and they shall never perish; no one will snatch them out of my hand. My Father, who has given them to me, is greater than all; no one can snatch them out of my Father's hand. I and the Father are one." – John 10:25-30

Offering

Last semester we reached our goal, and \$6500 was sent to aid in the fight against Human Trafficking! With over 14 opportunities to give in Chapel this semester, I am believing that we can reach our goal of \$5000.

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Enjoy your three day weekend!