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Hooah! That is an official greeting from your friendly veteran. It means anything and everything, except no. My name is Mitch Haubert. I grew up as an Army brat, but claim the South as my home. As a typical southern boy, manners, social graces, and morals were expected and demanded, but I was far from being a Christian. I attended church randomly, revivals occasionally, and was even dunked one hot August night. My first taste of true religion came after a young man spent six months sharing his life and the gospel with me. After a night of seeking everything the world had to offer, my world came crashing down. God tore down the idols of my heart and broke me. He ripped away everything that was near and dear to my heart. He left me nowhere else to turn and I cried out for God to save me. The next morning's scene would prove inspiring and somewhat comical. Try imagining two Division I-A football players embracing and crying in the locker room during morning workouts. There was definitely no turning back after that! On a serious note, I thank God for my friend. God used a faithful young man committed to sharing the good news to save a poor wretched sinner like me.

As far as my work is concerned, I oversee the media at GPTS. The media department is in transition. Daniel Wilson brought me on staff to facilitate his vision of a completely digital library. I am happy to say that we are coming closer to that goal each semester. We now digitally record our classes, sermons and conferences, so we are no longer producing audio cassettes or VHS tapes. This makes our products fast and easier to duplicate, and it makes them much more cost effective.

We now have many more products readily available. For instance, the Pastoral Theology of Al Martin was converted to MP3 this summer, and we made all 2008 lectures from the Pastors Institute, available on three cds. This has been a blessing to many of our students and friends. Our goal is help students to obtain quality materials to aid in their classroom efforts. To facilitate achieving this goal, we are recording and posting our entire catalog of classes. This will allow students to take advantage of the wonderful teaching they are receiving in class even after the class is completed.

My closing words are a request. I am a Chaplain Candidate with the South Carolina Army National Guard. I covet your prayers on behalf of the Chaplaincy and our soldiers. We are facing an unprecedented amount of deployments. Our families are suffering. Suicide is now one of the most frequent causes of death for members of our Armed Services.. Please pray God would be merciful to us and bring an end to our conflicts. Please pray that God would empower our Chaplains to preach the Word of God without compromise and stand upon His Word as we teach, rebuke, correct and train our soldiers in

In the month of August we received donations totaling \$22,660. The contributions were \$34,694 under budget. Donations for the first two months of the fiscal year are \$58,959. Contributions for the year are \$7,592 more than this time last year. Donations so far this fiscal year are currently under budget by approximately \$55,750, and our general expenses are \$3,594 under budget.

Income for the Capital Campaign has reached \$1,959,523 and we anticipate another \$1,025,637 in outstanding pledges. Thank you very much to all who have responded to our urgent plea for funds. At the time of this mailing we have received gifts and commitments that will enable us to make our loan payment next week. However this payment has depleted our funds for ordinary operating expenses. We still have a significant need for increased giving to both the Capital Funds Campaign and our General Fund. Please continue to pray for God's provision. If you are not a regular donor, please consider whether or not you are able and led to partner with us at this time. For monthly giving we are now set up for electronic funds transfer (EFT). Monthly gifts provide us with a dependable cash flow throughout the year, enabling us to plan more efficiently. For more information, contact Brenda Benson at bbenson@gpts.edu or (864) 322-2717, ext. 318.

"Please Pray With Us"

September Prayer Requests:

- Please pray for those who have lost loved ones and property in the recent Hurricanes. Hurricane Ike caused significant damage on the island of Haiti where Charles Amicy ('98) and Octavius Delfils ('07) minister. Several families in the Amicy's church lost

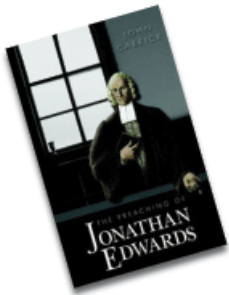
righteousness. Hooah!

The PRESBYTERIAN Bookshop

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The Preaching of Jonathan Edwards by John Carrick - \$19.60

Dr Carrick demonstrates that Edwards was preaching and writing at a unique moment in history when the Puritan spirit and the spirit of the Enlightenment intersected; he traces the remarkable fall and rise of interest in the great American preacher theologian in the nineteenth and twentieth centuries; he



interacts, both positively and critically, with the now complete Yale edition of Edwards' *Works* and also with the ever burgeoning field of Edwards scholarship; and he cites extensively from

Edwards' sermons, treatises, and *Miscellanies* in order to demonstrate the power and the profundity of his preaching and thought.

A Christian Worldview - Essays from a Reformed Perspective - \$14.40

The essays in this volume address some Worldview matters related to certain extremely germane topics Christians face every day of their life. While they are of a more popular tenor, and are not highly technical or necessarily philosophical, they do speak seriously and ably to the serious issues of our day. Some topics will not surprise you. The near ubiquitous issues of information technology and Islam are treated as most readers would expect.

But, we also treat the reader to a few topics that may—although they really shouldn't—strike some as peculiar, namely, Roman Catholicism and War. The opening chapter is an effort to provide a foundational framework for a Christian worldview. The entire book is application of a Christian Worldview to matters specifically 21st Century; there is nothing passé here. Contributors include K. Scott Oliphint, George Grant, Anees Zaka, and Richard Phillips, among



children. Much of the compound where they minister has been destroyed by the flooding,

- Please pray for US military service members serving throughout the world and for Christian chaplains who seek to minister to them. Please pray that God would empower Chaplains to preach the Word of God without compromise and stand upon His Word.
- Please continue to pray for God's provision of financial resources to meet both our on-going General Fund needs and for the completion of our Capital Campaign.
- Please pray for the unconverted family members of faculty, staff and students of Greenville Seminary. In particular, faculty member, Dr. James McGoldrick has requested prayer for the many unsaved members of his family.
- Praise God for sparing the life of GPTS student, Dan Lemley through two heart attacks last week. Dan has just returned home from the hospital and would appreciate your prayers for rest and recovery. Dan and his wife, Phyllis have been much encouraged by the love and prayers of the brethren and continue in praising God.



Sept. 20 – Dr. Pipa – Report to the OPC Presbytery of Connecticut and Southern New York

Sept. 21 – Dr. Curto – Covenant Community Church, Taylors, SC

Sept. 21– Dr. Pipa – Westminster OPC, Hamden, CT – preaching in Morning Worship

Sept. 21– Dr. Pipa – Orthodox Presbyterian Church, Franklin Square, NY – preaching in Evening Worship

Sept. 21 – Dr. Carrick – Covenant Presbyterian Church, Buford, GA

Sept. 21 – Dr. Dyer – Grace PCA, Dacusville, SC

Sept. 26 – Dr. Pipa – Patrick Henry College, Purcellville, VA – Preaching at Chapel

Sept 26-27– Dr. Pipa – Jefferson Park Baptist Church – Evangelical Forum Meeting on Doctrine of God

Sept. 26-28 – Dr. Curto – Niagara Reformed Bible Conference, Canada

Sept. 28 – Dr. Carrick – Providence OPC, Chilhowie, VA

Oct. 3-5 – Dr. Curto – Cornerstone Bible Institute, Canada

Oct 3-5 - Dr. Willborn - Grace Presbyterian Church, Cookeville, TN

Oct 3-5 – Dr. Carrick – Grace Reformed Church, PCA, Greeneville, TN

Oct 5 – Dr. Pipa – Teaching Sunday School at Christ Church of the Carolinas, Columbia, SC

Oct 8-20 – Dr. Pipa – Reformed Theological Institute, Tordinci, Croatia and Belgrade, Serbia.

Oct. 10-11 – Dr. Willborn – Christ Church of the Carolinas, Columbia, SC

other fine scholars and pastors.

Oct. 19 – Dr. Curto – First Presbyterian Church, Enterprise, AL

Oct. 24-25 – Dr. Willborn – Christ Church of the Carolinas, Columbia, SC

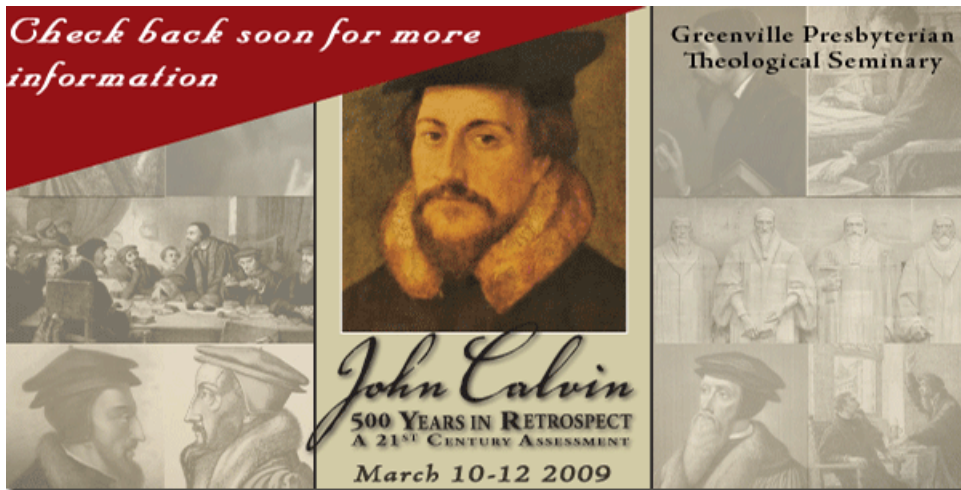
Oct 25-26 – Dr. Carrick - Reformation Weekend at Faith OPC, Elmer, NJ

Oct. 26 – Dr. Curto – Providence OPC, Greensboro, NC

Nov 11 – Dr. Carrick – Lecture on Jonathan Edwards at meeting of NAPARC , Taylors, SC

Ongoing – Dr. Willborn – Stated Supply at Covenant PCA, Oakridge, TN

Ongoing – Dr. McGoldrick – Second Presbyterian PCA, Greenville, SC; Sunday School Class on James: Putting Principles into Practice



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