



## IBC Welcomes New Staff Members

The IBC family is pleased to announce the addition of new staff members and some changes in duties of some current staff members. God is good to have worked (micromanaged) in our lives individually to bring this team together. We praise Him.

### Mr. Jim Sproul is now Executive

**Assistant to our president, Dr. Jerry Tetreau.** Mr. Sproul will help to reduce the number of direct reports to the president's office. Mr. Sproul will have oversight responsibilities for physical properties, food service, student life, financial aid, and the college pastor's responsibilities for IBC. He will be a big help to our president in day-to-day administrative duties.

### Mrs. Susan Bither will serve as Administrative Assistant to our president.

She will supervise the receptionist as well as paid and volunteer office workers, and provide support to the Director of Student Life and the Dean of Women. Susan, her husband, Jeff, and their children, Rachael and Ryan, moved to our area a year ago from Oregon. She served most of this past year as our receptionist. We welcome her to this new position.

### Mrs. Becky Stertzbach will serve as Receptionist and Registrar.

The College family happily welcomes Becky, her husband, David, and their children

who have just moved to the warmer Southwest from the colder Northeast (Vermont). Mr. David Stertzbach will be teaching music courses in the College. He will also lead in the music department while Mr. Michael Bryson continues his pursuit of the doctorate in music.

### Mrs. Kay Sproul returns to help us as interim Librarian.

What a blessing she has been in developing most of our library of over 65,000 volumes. We welcome her back after a short two-year sabbatical; she was a help with her 2-year old triplet grandchildren. She may still insist on taking personal time to help with these special little ones.

### Mr. Michael Riley joins our staff as Media Center Coordinator.

He will be working with Mrs. Sproul, especially in the area of supervising staff, both hired and volunteer. Mr. Riley will also be a part-time teacher, and he will serve as Dean of Men. We welcome him as one of two men's resident hall supervisors. Mr. Riley has completed his residency work for his doctorate in apologetics from Westminster Seminary. He did his undergraduate studies at Bob Jones

University and was graduated with the M. Div. from Detroit Baptist Theological Seminary.

### Dr. Stan Bushey will serve the College as Graduate School Administrator.

In the recent team visit of the Transnational Association of Christian Colleges and Schools (TRACS), our accrediting agency, it became very clear that we

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need to draw the administrative responsibilities of the graduate programs together into one office. We welcome Dr. Bushey to this office. Let's continue praying for Dr. Bushey as he continues fighting difficult health issues.

### Mrs. Marcia Gammon becomes the Ladies' Dorm Supervisor.

This past school year she served as a supervisor in one of the ladies' residence houses. She and the ladies will occupy the large residence in Chandler. Marcia also continues her study with us and her

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# IBC Students' Summer Ministry Reports



**Amy Alwin** - As I headed for Robin's Daycare, I was eager for new witnessing opportunities. Witnessing opportunities were limited; however, one day during naptime a little girl asked me if God existed! There was no way God would have let me out of that one. To my joy, I was able to present the entire gospel to her. I learned wherever God places me is my mission field. If I never had an opportunity to witness to that girl, my work performance would be a testimony, whether bad or good. This is why we must live every moment for Christ.



**James Mohler** - The Lord blessed me greatly this summer. He opened doors for me to preach at three nursing home services and participate in several visitations with my assistant pastor. I thank God for the invaluable ministry experience this summer.



**Vanessa Alvarez** - I did not want to be a cook at Ironwood this summer, but I did want to do God's will and serve Him. God sweetly asked me throughout the entire summer, "Whose kingdom are you building, mine or yours?" Praise God, He gave me the grace and victory after many hard fought battles with my will, to answer, "God's Kingdom." Psalm 84:11-12.

**Dulce Molina** - I had an opportunity to work with a young woman dealing with depression due to a tumor she has around the main bone on her foot. After three weeks of attending church and witnessing to her during the week, she got saved on Father's Day. After that, she continued attending church faithfully as the Lord changed her attitude about life. She was able to go to a summer camp, and she was very excited about the decisions she had made and wanted to serve the Lord with her life.



**Jeremy Koehn** - This summer at Ironwood Christian Camp I had the opportunity to make a difference in many young lives. It was amazing to see the preaching of God's Word change the hearts of my campers. God saved three of my campers and many more made great decisions like choosing good friends and obeying parents.



**Carly Nelson** - This summer I learned that ministry is not necessarily something that you do, but rather a way of life. At first I thought serving the Lord meant going somewhere, but He was faithful to provide opportunities to serve on the IBC ministry team, at two different camps, and by teaching a Sunday School class. What a privilege to serve such a great God.



## The 2005 IBC Youth Conference: The Journey

Teens are bombarded today with many people telling them how to live. Many young people struggle with authenticity and integrity in their own lives and with those that they observe around them. They want to live independently, yet they still want to conform. IBC's annual youth conference, coming up November 10-11, is going to address this issue. Our theme is **The**



**Journey: Authentic Living in a Fake World.** We want to challenge young people to have authentic lives as they live in a world that covers up reality.

Youth pastors from around the West and members of our pastoral staff will be speaking throughout the conference. We trust that churches will use the conference as a tool to reach their teens for Christ.

## Upcoming Events

### September:

9/27 – Picture Day

### October:

10/14 – Men's Retreat

10/17 – Mid Terms

### November:

11/10–11/11 – Youth Conference

11/21 – Pie and Praise

11/25–11/27 – Thanksgiving Break



## Progress on IBC's New Dormitory

At International Baptist College, we are so pleased with the progress of our first dormitory, Singleton Hall. It has a planned occupancy of January 15, 2006. It will sleep 110 students with an apartment for "Hall Parents." It will also have a private bathroom in every room with only four students per room. We have students living in three residence quarters and desperately need this housing.

The second IBC building, to begin in December, will be the 32,000 square foot academic building. It will be finished in time for the fall term in 2006. It will house the largest Independent Baptist library west of the Mississippi, offices, classrooms, and a 4,500 square foot student center. We are excited by the opportunities on the new campus.

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work in the media center.

We also welcome back graduate student, **Mr. Yuri Iwaniuk, as another Men's Dorm Supervisor.**

We are pleased to welcome **Miss Heidi Barry as our Publications Director and Mr. James Yuen as our IT Director.** What a blessing to have highly qualified tech people on staff.

It is a thrill to see what has taken place this summer. It is a thrill to see the progress on the new dorm being built. It will be a thrill to see more of our "Future-5 Plan" come into being during the school year. Let's remember the Scripture passage, "Except the Lord build the house, they labor in vain that build it." Yes, man has a part in building God's work; however, God has the larger part. What an honor to be able to participate in His work in this special place.

**Jerry C. Tetreau, IBC President**

## New IBC Students

International Baptist College welcomes our incoming new students. A total of 23 new students have come by faith to be 'mentored into ministry'. They have come from Washington, Wyoming, New Mexico, Nebraska, and all over Arizona. Some are taking a class or two to increase their Bible knowledge. Others are preparing for a life of vocational ministry, and some are still waiting to see where the Lord will direct them. IBC is excited about the students God has brought this year and looks forward to seeing what God will do in and through them.



New and returning IBC students register for fall classes on registration day.



## IBC Alumni Spotlight: Jenny Tyson

*Jenny (Messick) Tyson graduated from International Baptist College in 1992 with an Associate of Arts degree.*

We currently live in Western Kansas. We have three sons, Jake (9), Zachary (7), and Hunter (3). My husband is an associate pastor of a new church in the town where we live. Right now he is going through a Bible institute. When he has completed that, at the end of

this year, he will go through the ordination process. Some time early next year, Lord willing, he will become pastor of the church here - Victory Baptist Church.

It is a small church since it has just recently started, but we are seeing growth. We are excited to see what God is going to do in Lankin, Kansas and in our family's lives.

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