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CAMPUS READY FOR 1968-1969 CLASS

Moving the college furnishings to the campus and into the class rooms is now in progress as craftsmen are completing work on the new St. Louis Campus.

The three buildings housing the facilities for the pioneer year will soon be occupied and made ready for the opening of college on September 16. Students who attend Missouri Baptist College's St. Louis Campus will find outstanding provisions designed to make their college work effective.

Buildings on the campus are grouped around a courtyard which gives convenient access to each. These are placed on three sides of the court with an attractive hill landscape serving as the fourth side of the quadrangle.



ACADEMIC-ADMINISTRATION BUILDING



THE LIBRARY

Situated at the front of the court, overlooking the campus and parking lots, is the academic-administration building. It contains the class rooms and the offices.

This two-story building, of dark red brick accented by precast concrete and glass panels, is of fire-proof construction. The science laboratory and lecture rooms on the second floor are outstanding features of the building.

On the south side of the court is the library with the latest arrangements for effective reading and research. It now houses the 8,000 volume library which was moved from the extension center quarters at the Tower Grove Baptist Church during the first week of August.

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Pioneer Year Made Possible By Gifts

Dreams, sparking days of labor and times of sacrifice, are about to come true for Baptists of the St. Louis area who envisioned the establishment of a Baptist college.

With the nearing completion of the St. Louis Campus and opening of classes in September the hopes of the past will be realities of the present.

Thousands have had a part in this accomplishment. Churches of the St. Louis Baptist Association, readily joined by churches of the Cuivre, Franklin County and Jefferson County Baptist Associations, pledged themselves for contributions to the College Development Fund.

On the basis of these pledges, St. Louis Baptist Mission Board and the Missouri Baptist Convention joined in securing a bond issue of \$1,250,000.00 to purchase the 81 acre campus and construct the initial three buildings.

FURNISHINGS AND EQUIPMENT for the new program now offer opportunities for special gifts to supplement the bond issue money. Many of these items are not included in basic construction costs but are necessary to the operation of the college program. Others are items that will greatly enhance the ministry of the college when funds become available for them.

Some of the furnishings and equipment have been purchased but can be attractively designated as a memorial or recognized as a special gift to the college.

Interest and support by friends of the college in providing these needs will be most helpful. This will be an outstanding aid in making the pioneer year at St. Louis an effective one for teaching our youth. Donations may be made for a complete unit of the furnishings or for part of a unit.

GIFT OPPORTUNITIES OF FURNISHINGS AND EQUIPMENT INCLUDE

Gymnasium Bleachers
350 seats, \$10.00 each\$ 3,500.00

Student Lounge
Tables and chairs for 60,
\$20.00 each place 1,200.00

Physical Education Furnishings
Locker and shower rooms,
100 lockers, \$30.00 each .. 3,000.00

Chemistry Laboratory
Supplies 2,000.00

Office Equipment
4 typewriters, \$500.00 each 2,000.00
1 duplicator, \$500.00 500.00
2 calculators, \$125.00 each 250.00

Faculty Offices
Desks, chairs, files, 17 places,
\$200.00 each place 3,400.00

Administrative Offices
President's office 800.00
Vice President's and develop-
ment offices 800.00
Academic offices 875.00
Business offices 925.00
Pianos (3, \$700.00 each) 2,100.00
Organ (electronic) 1,500.00
Library Furnishing and
Equipment 35,000.00
(Cost of specific items
available for those inter-
ested in donating part of
the library furnishings)

Science Laboratory
Equipment 65,000.00
(Cost of specific items available)

For additional information concern-
ing the above furnishings or other gifts
to Christian Education through Missouri
Baptist College contact Rev. Virgil L.
Vaughn, vice president, at the Office
of Development.

Accreditation Granted By North Central Association

Missouri Baptist College has been accepted by the North Central Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools as a college offering accredited work. This accreditation is for both campuses.

The Hannibal-La Grange Campus had previously attained accreditation as Hannibal-La Grange College. Because of the consolidation the accreditation also applies to the St. Louis Campus.

This means that students from Missouri Baptist College can readily transfer credits to other colleges and universities as they continue their studies.



CARL GOODSON

Registration for Fall Semester Monday, September 16

Official Registration Day for the fall semester on the St. Louis Campus has been set for Monday, September 16, 1968. Registration will begin at 8 a.m.

Procedures for the student's registration will start in the library with admissions counselors and faculty advisors ready to help students in planning courses of study. Dr. Carl Goodson, academic dean, will supervise the registration activities.

Pre-registration may be completed by those who have applied for admission and have been notified of acceptance before the Registration Day. Pre-registration will be open after August 20. Students who have been accepted for the fall semester will be notified as to the time they may come to the campus for pre-registration.

Classes will begin Tuesday morning, September 17.

EVENING COURSES TO BE OFFERED THIS FALL

Courses to be offered in the initial night school program on the new campus are now being scheduled. These will be a part of the regular curriculum and will carry full college credit. The evening classes will be taught Tuesday and Thursday nights beginning September 17.

Registration for the evening classes will be Tuesday, September 17, and Thursday, September 19, at 7 p.m. Regular tuition will apply at the rate of \$27.50 per semester hour.

Evening classes will be conducted from 7-9:30 p.m. on the nights scheduled. For more information about these classes write the Director of Admissions.

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JANICE HANSON MAKES FUTURE HISTORY

A tall, attractive brunette who recently graduated from high school and who drives an MG may not look much like a pioneer but Janice Hanson is one! She is, in fact, more than a pioneer—almost an explorer, a trail blazer. Jan is the first student to be accepted for enrollment in Missouri Baptist College at St. Louis.

Janice, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ray R. Hanson, Maryland Heights, was a June graduate of Pattonville High School. While attending high school she was cartoonist for the school newspaper and was first flutist in the symphonic band.

She is a member of the First Baptist Church of Maryland Heights. Active in church life, Jan sings in the choir and has spent several vacations with her parents at Ridgecrest, North Carolina, attending Sunday School and Training Union conferences.

In college Jan plans to major in either English or psychology. She says she hopes to get a practical education—"useable in all of life." The counsel of friends and conversations with other young people in her church helped her to choose Missouri Baptist College.

Janice says she is excited about starting to college in a new school and being a part of the first student body.

Trustees and Advisory Committee Sponsor Gifts for Operating Budget

A gift program to supplement the operating budget for the St. Louis Campus is being sponsored by the board of trustees and the college advisory committee. This has been designated the "Pioneer In Development" program.

The plan is designed as a sustaining program with donors making gifts at the rate of \$10.00 a month for the operation of the college. The Pioneer program will be promoted on an annual basis. "Pioneer '68" was inaugurated June 1, 1968.

"Pioneer '68" gives individuals and organizations an opportunity to share in the education of young people through regular donations to the college budget. As a voluntary program, participation may be started or terminated at the donor's choice. Any member of the board of trustees and advisory committee, or the Office of Development, will be happy to supply information or Membership Certificates for "Pioneer '68."



JAN HANSON, first student accepted by St. Louis Campus, reviewing fall courses with DARRELL ATKINS, Director of Admissions, assisted by MRS. SANDRA BURGNER, Secretary.



JAN introduced to VIRGIL L. VAUGHN, Vice-President of Missouri Baptist College.



GYMNASIUM AND STUDENT LOUNGE

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Completing the court boundary at the north, the gymnasium provides a multiple purpose building. The gymnasium floor can be divided into two rooms permitting separate physical education programs for men or women.

Chapel services and auditorium programs will be held in the gymnasium building until a separate campus chapel can be provided. The music rooms are also located in the gymnasium.

Student lounge, food service, and book store areas constitute a unique use of floor space. A portion of the gymnasium's ground floor storage and mechanical rooms is now being readied

to house these services. What appeared to be ample provision for storage of college equipment has now been "commandeered" for the student's own hideaway!

While Missouri Baptist College is fortunate to inaugurate its St. Louis Campus program with such impressive and adequate facilities, studies by the Plans and Development Committee show the need for additional provisions is already apparent! Immediate projects must include areas for a student center and cafeteria, additional administrative and faculty offices, and a well-equipped chapel which will emphasize the Christian ministry of the college.

With future growth of the college—and the addition of the junior and senior years—expansion of the library and increased class room space must be considered.

The chairman of the Development Committee, Rev. Wallace E. Jones, has stated, "Baptists of the St. Louis area have answered the challenge of Christian Education with the underwriting of St. Louis Campus. As the college, the churches, and the Convention work together in this endeavor we will help the inquiring minds of our youth to discover the answers to life, aided by a quality education dedicated to the glory of God."



L. A. FOSTER

THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES AND ADMINISTRATION OF
MISSOURI BAPTIST COLLEGE
cordially invite you to attend the
FORMAL DEDICATION AND OPEN HOUSE

OF THE ST. LOUIS CAMPUS

SUNDAY AFTERNOON, SEPTEMBER 22, 1968

TWO-THIRTY O'CLOCK

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Dedication Speaker

PRESIDENT L. A. FOSTER