



Lord, you alone are my portion and my cup; you make my lot secure. The boundary lines have fallen for me in pleasant places; surely I have a delightful inheritance. I will praise the LORD, who counsels me; even at night my heart instructs me.” ~ Psalm 16:5-7

- ☛ We're enjoying a more **relaxed summer**, and catching up on the things that don't get done during the school year. We give thanks that most weekends are fully booked with reunions, weddings, and retreats, which provide a good stream of summer revenue.
- ☛ Pray for **Darnell Brenneman** as he oversees summer staff, volunteers, and contractors. Volunteers who have helped with painting, trimming bushes, and cleaning have been much appreciated.
- ☛ Two weeks of **Choral Camp, July 11-23**, are the big campus event this month. Pray for Director Kirk Kauffman, Program Director Megan McGaffey, and other teachers, counselors, and staff. Pray for a refreshing and encouraging experience filled with spiritual impact and free of illness and fear.
- ☛ We've been praying for **more students** and working hard to make RBC a preferred destination. Enrollment projections for the fall are looking stronger than ever! We are grateful, but many uncertainties remain. Pray that young adults and their parents will see the value of choosing to invest in fruitful lives of Kingdom service by laying firm foundations of faith for at RBC.
- ☛ This is a **summer of transitions**: Matt Showalter moves to the Academic Dean's office; Dion Gingerich begins as Dean of Students; Phil Weber moves to teaching and miscellaneous tasks; Jon Showalter returns to part-time teaching; and Brian Tonti comes on as the new Drama Director.
- ☛ Karl Vaters, guest speaker and resource person, will lead the **“God's Mission and Church”** leadership training retreat on campus **August 18-20**. Karl's focus is on “healthy small churches.” Pray that God will draw those who should be here for this time of exploring God's purpose, heart, and intent for the church. RBC faculty members Jeff McLain and Jeremy Miller will help facilitate the retreat.
- ☛ **Rick Griest**, Director of the School of Business, is working to develop connections with business leaders who are willing, gifted, and called to mentor RBC business students. Pray that enough **business mentors** will come forward so that each student can have a compatible mentor.
- ☛ Pray for **Matt Showalter** and **Phil Weber, in-coming and out-going Academic Deans**, as they make arrangements for the upcoming academic year and completing the 2022-23 catalog so incoming students can begin selecting courses for the fall semester.
- ☛ Pray for **David Perkins** as he coordinates layout and graphic design for the catalog and a wide variety of other projects for the upcoming year. David and his family also need to find a new home—pray for God's provision of this immediate need.
- ☛ Please pray that the right person(s) will be found to begin an RBC **thrift store** to provide an additional stream of revenue for our daily operations. Financial needs are many as we close out this fiscal year, plan for another, and raise funds for the much-needed new dorm.
- ☛ Give thanks for Jeremy Miller and Micah Mullet's **fruitful ministry trip to Tanzania** last month. Pray for a mutually beneficial partnership with the Tanzania Mennonite Church.