



We do not have a high priest who is unable to empathize with our weaknesses, but we have one who has been tempted in every way, just we are – yet he did not sin. ~ Hebrews 4:15

- The new group of 107 students is settling in well. It's exciting to be working with young adults who are seeking "knowledge of the Holy One." Thirteen of the new students are enrolled in Rosedale Trades. We are excited to see what God will do among us this year as we "sit at His feet."
- Pray for good adjustment and interactions for our three **international students**: one from Brazil and two from Tanzania. There is also one missionary child from the Republic of Georgia.
- We host "**One Night**" which brings local youth groups to campus, Oct. 2, for worship, games, and interaction with students. Pray that this can be a time of "holy ground" for all!
- **Discover Rosedale**, a time for high schoolers to visit campus, is planned for Oct. 24-25. Pray that God will draw students to this event, and that they will be prompted to enroll.
- Pray for **Annika Miller and Esther Snyder**, admissions counselors, who are spending much time giving campus tours, making phone calls, planning events, and connecting with prospective students.
- **Discipleship groups**, led by staff and faculty members, meet every Monday morning from 10-11. Students meet for **spiritual formation** at 8 am every morning and for **chapels** on Wednesdays and Fridays. Pray that students will fit comfortably into these new routines and structures, and that we will grow together in grace and the knowledge of God.
- With higher enrollment we're feeling the need for a new dorm more than ever! Construction is beginning in earnest. Follow progress at rosedale.edu by clicking on **New Dorm Construction Livestream**. Please pray that the (estimated) \$500,000 will come in, enabling us to build debt-free.
- Pray for **Jeremy Miller and the development team** as we are involved in various visits and fund-raising events this fall season. A regional drought is affecting crops here in central Ohio. Some of the anticipated harvest will be lost. Even as we pray for physical rain for the dry, cracked earth, we pray for "spiritual rain" to fall on hard and broken hearts, bringing healing and new growth.
- Pray for **Ken Miller** as he begins leading a **student choir**, auditioning for **Salt & Light**, and arranging public events for the year. Plan now to visit Nov. 15-16, a special Parents & Associates weekend featuring the student drama, *The Curious Savage*.
- Pray for **Mike Baker**, director of partner development for Rosedale International, as he leads the **Missions Week**, October 9-11. Representatives from various mission agencies will visit during this time to share information about the many needs and service opportunities around the world.
- As part of **Explore**, all students are asked to volunteer a minimum of one hour/week or 12 hours/semester in local ministries involved in tutoring, international student work, a thrift store, children's ministries, etc. Pray for **Jeff and Jessica Miller** as they coordinate these connections for all students and the local non-profits they serve.