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500 Students Attend Religion and Life Conference



David addresses students on Protestant history.

The first Religion and Life conference co-sponsored by the Ecumenical Chaplaincy at Brock University was an astounding success.

Over the course of two days 500 students from local High Schools received an introduction to religions of the world. Guest lecturers offered participants both historical and theological reflections on the topic of “The

Mystery of Suffering and the Nature of the Divine.”

The Ecumenical Chaplaincy offered perspectives from Protestant history and theology.

This event also introduced prospective students to the University environment.

A revised program is already in its planning stages for next year as we expected over 10 High



Students during the first day of a two-day conference on the understanding of suffering in world religions.

Schools in the Niagara region will participate.

Feed the Students

A new program is proposed for this fall 2009 at Chaplaincy services. The Ecumenical Chaplaincy along with the Reformed Chaplaincy at Brock University are starting a dinner program for students on Wednesday Evenings.

We hope that local congregations will support this initiative and take the opportunity to meet with Brock students.

More information will be forthcoming in September. If you or your congregation is interested in participating or receiving more information, contact David by E-mail or phone.

Get on the Web

Brock University is revising its web pages.

The Ecumenical Chaplain is the Webmaster for the Chaplaincy pages.

If you'd like a link to your congregation on the Chaplaincy web, please send a very brief (one sentence) description of your congregation and its web address to dgalston@brocku.ca.

I'll be updating our web pages in late August and throughout the fall. I'd love to hold some links to local churches.

For Your Information

My fall schedule 2009 permits me to offer the following Sundays to visit your congregation as a guest preacher:

September 20
October 25
November 22
December 13

I am also open to offering workshops or other learning events during other times.

In addition to speaking about Chaplaincy, I hold expertise related to Biblical Criticism, Christian History, and Christian Philosophy.

The Quest Christian Community New This Fall

Cooperatively with the Reformed Chaplaincy, the Ecumenical Chaplaincy will be starting a regular worship time on campus for the Protestant community on Thursdays at 4:30 P.M.

Contact David

I will be away for July and the first two weeks of August. E-mails can be sent to dgalston@brocku.ca or phone 905-688-5550 Extension 3977.