

THE PAGE LECTURES

Theme: "Toward a Christological World View"

Tuesday, October 4

Professor Thomas H. Graves, *Presiding*

Prelude

Professor James W. Good, *Organist*

Invocation Professor Graves

Hymn: "Holy, Holy, Holy" No. 1

Introduction of the Lecturer Professor Graves

Lecture I Dr. Eric C. Rust
"The Trinitarian and Christological Base"

Benediction Professor Graves

Postlude

Wednesday, October 5

Dean Morris Ashcraft, *Presiding*

Prelude

Ramona Prestwood, *Organist*

Invocation Dean Ashcraft

Hymn: "This is My Father's World" No. 155

Presentation of the Lecturer Dean Ashcraft

Lecture II Dr. Eric C. Rust
"The Natural Process in Christological Perspective"

Benediction Dean Ashcraft

Postlude

Thursday, October 6

Professor John W. Eddins, Jr., *Presiding*

Prelude

Kerry Boyce, *Organist*

Invocation Professor Eddins

Hymn: "All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name" No. 41

Presentation of the Lecturer Professor Eddins

Lecture III Dr. Eric C. Rust
"The Historical Movement in Christological Perspective"

Benediction Professor Eddins

Postlude

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The 1983 Page Lecturer is a native of England and is Professor Emeritus of Christian Philosophy, Southern Baptist Theological Seminary, Louisville, Kentucky, where he has been a member of the faculty since 1953. From 1946 to 1952 Dr. Rust was Professor of Biblical and Philosophical Theology at Rawdon Baptist College, University of Leeds, England. He served the following year as Professor of Christian Apologetics at Crozer Theological Seminary in Chester, Pennsylvania.

Dr. Rust received the B.Sc. and M.Sc. degrees from the Royal College of Science, London University, with first class honors in mathematics. He also holds the B.A., M.A., and B.D. degrees from Regent's Park College and St. Catherine's, Oxford University. He was awarded the Litt.D. degree from the University of Richmond.

He holds membership in the British Society for Old Testament Study and in the American Society of Biblical Literature. He has lectured extensively in American colleges and universities. Dr. Rust has written numerous books, including *Christian Understanding of History* (1946); *Salvation History* (1963); *Towards a Theological Understanding of History* (1963); *Positive Religion in a Revolutionary Time* (1971); and *The Word and Words: Toward a Theology of Preaching* (1982).

Dr. Rust is married to the former Helen Mitchell Kenn. They have three children and five grandchildren.