

# SOUTHEASTERN

# UPDATE

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The Southeastern Trustees, Development Council and Public Relations Council met on campus in mid-October. Besides participating in sessions leading to the adoption of Southeastern's Long Range Plan: 1984-2000 and enjoying a fine Autumn Pig Pickin' the groups accomplished quite an agenda of significant work.

CAMPUS MEETINGS

Among the actions of the Trustees were these:

1. Elected Officers: Lee Beaver, Chairman (Missouri); Jesse Chapman, Vice Chairman (North Carolina); Bill Bruster, Secretary (Tennessee); Ed Collette, Treasurer (North Carolina).
2. Authorized the Seminary to sign HEW 441, allowing students to delay payments to college loans until they finish seminary.
3. Approved very small fee/rental increases. Matriculation fees will remain the same.
4. Established the W. Perry Crouch Endowed Professorship in Preaching and Communications.
5. Designated all retired Southeastern teachers as "Emeriti Faculty."
6. Granted tenure to Dr. Furman Hewitt, Professor of Christian Ethics.
7. Appointed Bishop Stephen C. Neill as Visiting Distinguished Teacher - 1985.
8. Approved a "Citation for Faculty Excellence."
9. Made progress on designating the highest and best use of the seminary's US Highway frontage property.
10. Established 6 endowment funds for student aid and student internships.
11. Approved a seminary WATS line (telephone).

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October has seen several significant visitors to the campus. Among them:

CAMPUS VISITORS

- Dr. Jimmy Draper, President of the Southern Baptist Convention, October 13.
- Dr. John Sullivan, First Vice President of the Southern Baptist Convention, October 18.
- Dr. Dorothy Sample, President SBC WMU, October 17.
- Dr. Kirby Godsey, President Mercer University, October 10.

These visitors and others have provided faculty, staff, and students with enriching variety which enhances teaching and learning.



