



# Inside LABTS

A Look at the Ministry of the Los Angeles Bible Training School  
April 2008

## CALENDAR

4/14, 17, 21, 24  
Missions Conference

4/25, 26  
L.A. Men's Bible  
Conference

5/5 & 8  
Alumni Week

5/12 & 15  
Final Exams

5/16  
Graduation Dinner

5/18  
Commencement

8/18, 21  
Fall 2008 Registration

*Set your  
heart to study the  
word of God*

## Recent Chapel Messages

- *True Repentance and Confession* (Psalm 51:4), Carl Hargrove
- *A Message from Hell* (Luke 16:19-31), Jess Palmer
- *A Plea to Christians* (1 Peter 2:11-12), Anthony Mosley
- *Test of Faith* (Genesis 12), Felix Ballon
- *Praying for a Loyal Heart* (Psalm 119:36), Paul Felix

All Chapel messages are recorded. For a complete list and further information contact the office.

## WE TEACH THE BIBLE!



Rev. Jeremiah C. H. Rowe

By the providence of God, The Los Angeles Bible Training School came into existence because one of its co-founders, the late Rev. Jeremiah C. H. Rowe, wanted the Bible taught in his community. Rev. Rowe expressed his gratitude for the founding of LABTS by saying, "We are thankful to God that this school is founded upon Evangelical principles, which are backed up by the Word of God." The passion of Rowe in 1962 was the teaching of God's word to God's people in his community. Today, in 2008, LABTS is committed to this same vision. We still teach the Bible!

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"Bible" is at the center of our name and we are not ashamed to call ourselves the Los Angeles **BIBLE** Training School.

The Bible is at the center of our curriculum. Each class offered at LABTS is focused upon what the Bible teaches. The sixteen classes that a student must complete in order to graduate from our institution have as its subject matter the Bible.

Teaching the Bible is the commitment of our faculty members. Each one has invested significant time in learning what God's word teaches so that they might pass it on to their students.

We teach the Bible because we firmly believe that "All Scripture is inspired by God and profitable for teaching, for reproof, for correction, for training in righteousness; that the man of God may be adequate, equipped for every good work" (2 Tim. 3:16-17).

Yes, we teach the Bible!

## WHY MISSIONS?

The question that will be considered at the annual LABTS Missions Conference this year is "Why missions?" A missionary couple, a former Pastor of Missions, and the president of one of the most popular Bible radio programs in the world, will challenge the students to consider God's plan for missions. The Missions Conference will take place during Chapel (7:45 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.) on April 14, 17, 21, and 24. All are invited to attend.

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## GRADUATION 2008



Professor Robert Scott

The Los Angeles Bible Training School will have its forty-fourth commencement exercise on May 18, 2008 at 4:00 p.m. The graduation will be held at Fairview Heights Baptist Church, 1215 Marlborough Ave., in Inglewood. It will be a great delight for the faculty, students, family, and friends, to witness the graduation of 16 students.

The commencement speaker will be Professor Robert Scott. Professor Scott is a graduate of The Master's Seminary having earned both a M.Div. and Th.M. He is also the pastor of the Los Angeles Community Bible Church. Pastor Scott has taught a number of courses at LABTS. He is happily married to his wife Naomi and God has blessed their marriage with six children.

For additional information about this year's graduation, you can contact the school.

## FACULTY FOCUS: Professor George Hurtt



**Birthday:** March 25, 1977  
(Detroit, Michigan)

**Education:** B.A., University of Detroit; M.H.S.A., University of Michigan; M.Div., The Master's Seminary

**Current Church:** Mt. Sinai Missionary Baptist Church (Los Angeles), Pastor H. B. Charles, Jr.

**Ministry Involvement:** Assistant Pastor (Christian Education, Church Administration and Strategic Development)

**Hobbies/Interests:** I enjoy sports, traveling, and being with my family.

**Courses Taught at LABTS:** Matthew, Philippians, Bible Study Methods, Hebrews, and Discipleship (current course)

**Favorite Verse:** Mark 1:35 - "And in the early morning, while it was still dark, He arose and went out and departed to a lonely place, and was praying there."

**Favorite Bible Personality:** My favorite Bible personality is Epaproditus (Philippians 2:25-30; 4:18) because of his love for God and God's people. Also, he was willing to do whatever for the glory of God.

**Words of Encouragement for LABTS Students:** "If you are not struggling with sin in your life, you are strengthening sin in your life. Therefore, we should always be attacking sin actively or become a victim of its trappings."

## A WORD FROM THE PRESIDENT

The Spring 2008 semester has been a good one. The enrollment is slightly down from the Fall 2007 semester, but that is typical. What is very encouraging is that the Pastoral Theology class (Thursday night) taught by Dr. LaMonte King is being attended by 21 men. Most of these men have already responded to God's call upon their life to preach the Word. A handful are currently serving as pastors. Please pray that this class will be a blessing to their individual lives and also to their ministry.

As the semester comes to an end, there are a number of exciting events on the calendar: Missions Conference; Los Angeles Men's Bible Conference; Alumni Week, Graduation Dinner; Graduation. Also, during the last two weeks of the semester, we will be registering returning students for the Fall 2008 semester.

I am concluding my sixth year as President of LABTS. I consider it a privilege to serve God in this capacity. I have often told individuals on many different occasions that LABTS is "my heart." Pray that God will use this ministry to His glory!

## The Los Angeles Men's Bible Conference April 25-26, 2007

### "Men Who Love God" *Fulfilling the Greatest Commandment*

**Brian Kennedy**  
*Loving God's People*  
(Matthew 22:39)

**LaMonte King**  
*Loving God's Holiness*  
(I John 3:3)

**Robert Scott**  
*Loving God's Commandments*  
(John 14:15)

**Carl Hargrove**  
*Loving God's Presence*  
(Psalm 27:4)

**Anthony Kidd**  
*Loving God's Truth*  
(Psalm 119:97)

For men who want to grow deeper in their faith and be more effective in ministry

Co-sponsored by The Master's Seminary and The Los Angeles Bible Training School

**Location**  
Fairview Heights Baptist Church  
1215 Marlborough Avenue  
Inglewood, 90302

## FALL 2008 SEMESTER



### MONDAY MORNING

314 Doctrine III  
433 Acts

### MONDAY EVENING

211 Doctrine I  
333 Romans  
512 I & II Timothy, Titus  
514 Genesis

### THURSDAY MORNING

201 NT Survey I  
431 First Corinthians

### THURSDAY EVENING

101 OT Survey I  
434 Revelation I  
513 Gospel of Matthew  
540 Expository Preaching I

### REGISTRATION DATES

Monday, Aug. 18, 6:00-8:00 pm  
Thursday, Aug. 21, 6:00-8:00 pm

### REGISTRATION FEE

\$50.00 per semester

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