I want to **know Christ**.

**PAUL, Philippians 3:10**

To have **found God** and still **pursue Him** is the soul’s paradox of love.

**A.W. TOZER, The Pursuit of God**

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**SIMPSON UNIVERSITY CHAPEL**

Because of the important contribution chapel makes to the student’s educational and spiritual experience, full-time students (12+ semester hours) and all resident students are required to attend chapel 66 percent of the time during each semester. To receive credit for chapel attendance, each student must scan his or her ID card with the chapel scanners no later than 10 minutes after the beginning of chapel, be present for the entire chapel service, and give full attention to the chapel program. To monitor personal attendance records, students can visit the Simpson Moodle website.

Since chapel attendance is considered a distinction of a Christian university, students whose chapel attendance falls below the 66 percent requirement in any one semester risk receiving a chapel warning, chapel probation, or ultimately suspension from Simpson University. Please see the Simpson University Student Handbook at [www.simpsonu.edu/handbook](http://www.simpsonu.edu/handbook) (page 80-82) for further explanations of the chapel code.

We understand that some students, due to extreme circumstances, may not be able to attend chapel at the 10:20 a.m. hour. Contact the Spiritual Formation Office for information regarding a chapel attendance alternative (must be requested within the first month of each semester).

**SPIRITUAL FORMATION OFFICE**

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**OFFICE** Owen Center 206  
Chapel messages may be listened to online at [simpsonu.edu/chapel](http://simpsonu.edu/chapel).

**WED. & FRI. • 10:20–11:20AM**

**HERITAGE STUDENT LIFE CENTER**

**SCHEDULE INSIDE**

**SIMPSON UNIVERSITY CHAPEL** is “Where our hearts and minds encounter God.” It is designed to intentionally develop the life of our community through meaningful worship, inspirational messages, opportunities to share our spiritual journeys, and helpful, biblically based instruction presented in a variety of formats. The goal of Simpson University chapel is to assist students in their ability to:

1. Form a personal response to issues facing them as 21st century Christians
2. Communicate the values of Simpson University as a Christ-centered institution of higher education
3. Demonstrate their commitment to Christian community and their own spiritual growth
4. Engage, with sensitivity, persons who may be different from them culturally and spiritually
5. Identify opportunities to serve the world and the characteristics necessary to do so
## SEPTEMBER
5  ACADEMIC CONVOCATION
7  PRESIDENT'S COMMUNION SERVICE
12  DEEPER: TRAVIS OSBORNE
14  OPPORTUNITY FAIR

### SPIRITUAL FOCUS WEEK
17  ENCOUNTER WORSHIP EVENT, 9PM
19  BRYAN LORITTS
Bryan is lead pastor of Fellowship Memphis Church, a multicultural church ministering to the urban Memphis community. Bryan has a master's degree in theology and is currently working on his Ph.D. He is the author of *God on Paper* and his newest book, *A Cross-Shaped Gospel*.
20  EVENING CHAPEL: BRYAN LORITTS
LOCATION: PRAYER CHAPEL, 7PM
21  BRYAN LORITTS
22  DAY OF SERVICE
26  STEVE AND DEBBIE ZOPFI: INTERNATIONAL WORKERS IN RESIDENCE

### OCTOBER
3  CHAPEL BY MAJOR
5  COLUMBUS WEEKEND: NO CHAPEL
10  MISTER BROWN
Mister Brown, leader of Proclaim Ministries, helps students all over the nation connect faith and life, empowering them to make choices to live for God.
12  DEEPER: SPIRITUAL FORMATION TEAM
17  WORLD SERVE: SARAH BOURNS
19  DEEPER: TRAVIS OSBORNE
24  DR. DAN BERGER: PROFESSOR OF COMMUNICATION
26  STONES OF REMEMBRANCE: COOPER-HEATH
31  WORSHIP TOGETHER: SU WORSHIP TEAM

### NOVEMBER
2  JULAINE SMITH
Julaine is a business consultant, author, and speaker with more than 25 years' business experience. She is the founder and managing member of ARISE Business Solutions, LLC, a professional services firm which specializes in providing business development strategies, and accounting and advisory solutions to social-purpose businesses.
7  J.D. WILLIAMS GLOBAL IMPACT LECTURESHP
7  ROB, INTERNATIONAL WORKER IN THE MIDDLE EAST
Rob is an international worker with the Alliance in the Middle East. He has created a non-government organization which provides community development programs to the local population. Rob and his family have seen God pursue people in extravagant ways and love that they’ve been called to live out their lives in an amazing Arab context.
8  INTERNATIONAL DINNER & EVENING CHAPEL WITH ROB
LOCATION: HUMPHRIES-COLLORD ROOM, 5:30PM
9  ROB, INTERNATIONAL WORKER IN THE MIDDLE EAST
14  STONES OF REMEMBRANCE: COMMUTERS
16  PRESIDENT MCKINNEY
21  THANKSGIVING: NO CHAPEL
23  THANKSGIVING: NO CHAPEL
28  DEEPER: TRAVIS OSBORNE
30  DEEPER: SPIRITUAL FORMATION TEAM

### DECEMBER
5  DR. DAVID THOMPSON
SPECIAL GUESTS EDWIN & SARA (EL SALVADOR)
Dr. David Thompson has served with the Alliance among the poor in Gabon, Central Africa, as a missionary surgeon for the past 35 years. Since the hospital's inception in 1977, more than 20,000 people have prayed to receive Christ. This January, he and his wife will be moving to a hospital in Egypt.
7  CHRISTMAS CELEBRATION