

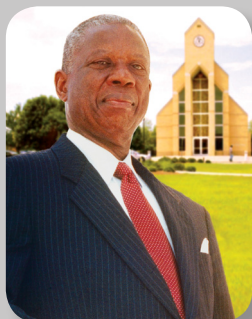


CAMPUS REPORT

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PRESIDENT'S CALENDAR

December 2, 2011

6:00 PM
UNCF Gala
Florence Civic Center
Florence, SC

December 4, 2011

6:00 PM
Morris College Chorale
Annual Christmas Concert
Neal-Jones Auditorium

7:00 PM
Annual Lighting of the Christmas Tree

December 4-6, 2011

2011 SACS Annual Meeting
Orlando, Florida

December 10, 2011

6:00 PM
Beaverdam Baptist Church
Annual Yuletide Banquet
Sam's Restaurant
Fountain Inn, SC
Speaker: Luns C. Richardson

Windley Delivers Pre-Christmas Worship Service Message



Rev. Pee, guest speaker Rev. Windley, President Richardson, SGA President Kennard Jones, and Rev. O. T. Hill at the Pre-Christmas Worship Service Assembly.

Rev. George Windley, Jr., pastor of the First Baptist Missionary Church of Sumter, gave an inspiring message at the Pre-Christmas Worship Service on Thursday morning. Rev. Windley prepared the hearts of the campus community for the Christmas season as he preached the message, "I can't go back the same way."

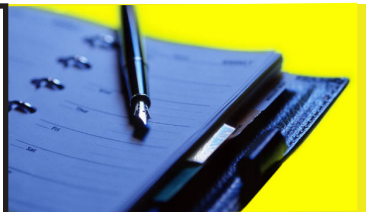
Rev. Windley spoke from Mathew 2: 8-12, sharing that after being led by the star, the wise men found the baby Jesus, fell down and worshipped him, laid down their gifts of frankincense, gold, and myrrh, then went home another way instead of returning to King Herod. Rev. Windley elaborated, "They got up from worshiping the Lord and went home but they went back another way. They did not go back to Herod. Herod represents the world. He represents the haters in this world who do not want us to have a meaningful Christmas but a commercial one. Wise men do not go to the world. We must not go back to the world or our former ways."

Like the wise men, Windley said we too have gifts to bring to Jesus in meaningful worship. He explained the meaning of the gifts given by the wise men. Gold represents the external substance of our lives, frankincense the inner part of our being, and the myrrh our grief. Windley said, "We must give the Lord our all. Our praise, our problems, we must give every bit of ourselves to the Lord."

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Annual Christmas Concert
Neal-Jones Auditorium**

7:00 PM

**Annual Lighting of the
Christmas Tree**

December 5-8, 2011

Final Exams

December 8, 2011

7:00 PM

Residence Halls Close

December 19-30, 2011

Christmas Holidays

January 1, 2012

Happy New Year!

January 2, 2012

**Faculty/Staff Mid-Year
Conference**

January 3, 2012

**Residence Halls Open
for new and returning
students**

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Rev. Windley concluded that a true Christmas is one of worship. Our hearts must be prepared and yielded to bow down in worship and give Jesus our gifts and our lives. Lives that are different because we can't go back the same way. "When we come to know Jesus, we know the true meaning of Christmas. Life becomes different. Peace is different. Joy is different. Live a life that is pleasing to the Lord. Go back a different way."

In his introduction of the speaker, President Richardson described Rev. Windley as a well prepared preacher who would leave us on a high note for the Christmas season. Indeed he did.

Windley earned his undergraduate degree from Morehouse College and his Master of Divinity degree from the McAfee Theological School of Mercer University; both schools are located in Atlanta, Ga.

Ford Black College Quiz Offers Scholarship Money

The Ford Company is offering a video competition to undergraduate students enrolled in HBCUs. The first place prize is a \$3000 scholarship, second place prize a \$2000 scholarship and the third place prize, a \$1000 scholarship. The funds will be awarded jointly to the student and the school. The quiz show will provide a question and participants will create a 1-2 minute video response to the question. Use a video camera, smart phone, or webcam to answer the quiz. Then go to www.blackcollegequiz.com and post your video. **The deadline to enter is December 16, 2011.** Winners will be announced on Ford's Black College Game Show Series which airs January 24, 2012 through February 26, 2012. For further details visit the web site address.

ATTENTION MORRIS COLLEGE FAMILY

Seniors enrolled in Capstone Courses will present their research projects on **Saturday, December 3, 2011, at 9:00 a.m.** in the H. H. Butler Computer Laboratory. The campus community, family and friends are invited to attend. Students from the divisions of Religion and Humanities, Social Sciences, and Business Administration (Organizational Management) will be presenting.

UNCF/Mellon Program

The Faculty Career Enhancement Program offers three components:

1. Faculty International Seminar
2. Faculty Teaching and Learning Institutes
3. Faculty Residency Program

Combined the components work to enhance the status of UNCF institutions. Applications are due by January 12, 2012. Please contact Mrs. Janet Clayton at Ext 3246 for more information regarding this opportunity.