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Truth in Love Ministry

Last weekend Pastor Mark Cares, a familiar face at MLC, gave a seminar on Truth in Love Ministry. Based in Idaho, TILM focuses on witnessing the truth to Mormons. MLC students like **Steve Millerman** (*Cameron Senior HS- WI*) canvassed for TILM. “Last summer I had the opportunity to go to Provo, Utah, and witness my faith to over a hundred Mormons,” he says. “The most important part for me was to see how Pastor Cares approaches this ministry. There is a real urgency here, because there are hundreds of thousands of Mormons around the world who need to hear the truth about Jesus.” This summer, MLC students will again join TILM in witnessing to Mormons, this time in Salt Lake City.



Haley Roske (MVL), Aaron Kristopeit (WISCO), Eric Fricke (LPS), Angelica Burk (ALA), Steve Millerman, and Seth Meyer (Lakeside) let their lights shine to the Mormons in Provo last summer.

SPaM Gatherings

Training to become a pastor isn't always easy. Students learn Greek and Hebrew so they can read the Bible in its original languages, and they balance that challenge with their other classes and commitments. In addition, actually being a pastor can seem so far off in the future. That's why SPaM, **Students in Pastoral Ministry**, have their quarterly gatherings. Preseminary students and their professors—like **Peter Plagenz** (*WLA*) and Professor Jim Danell, pictured—meet for fun and fellowship, entertainment and encouragement. It's a way to build a bond of brotherhood. “It's great to relax and enjoy delectable eats, humor, and a devotion and hymn with your brothers and professors,” says **Carl Heling** (*Manitowoc*). The professors show how funny they can be as they entertain, but best of all, preseminary students are reminded of what they're working toward, and they emerge recharged and ready to study and serve.



Cards in the Caf

As everyone knows, playing cards is a great Lutheran tradition. In March and April, MLC had cribbage and euchre tournaments during late night (7:15-midnight) and weekends in the caf. Students of all skill levels participated, even if they didn't know how to play at first. (At a school training future teachers, there are plenty of people more than willing to explain the rules.) **Caleb Klatt** (*West*), pictured, won the coveted cribbage championship trophy, and **David Marquardt** (*LPS*) and **Ben Birner** (*LPS*) won the euchre tournament. “Events like the euchre tournament are

perfect for getting away from responsibilities for a while and just having some fun!” says David. “I got to interact with some students I don't normally talk to.” There's nothing like cards for meeting new people and having a great time!

Upcoming Events @ MLC

4/25,26,27: Children's Theater
5/17: Commencement Concert
5/18: Graduation and Call Services

