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Evangelism Day: “That We Might Save Some”

Urban ministry. Campus ministry. Using the arts in evangelism. Ministering to the poor. Reaching people impacted by trauma. We explored all these and more on Evangelism Day. It was an especially motivating day as seasoned gospel ministers shared their stories with us—their successes and their struggles, and how God’s grace carried them through it all.

Evangelism Day video →



Preseminary sophomore **Trenton Heyn** (*FVL*) said every speaker had something encouraging to say. He especially liked the sectional on witnessing to those impacted by trauma. “So many people in the world have experienced horrible traumatic events, and they could be people who need to hear about their Savior. Dr. Brandon Hayes explained the different types of trauma and how we can reach out to them in a kind manner, so that they feel comfortable within a church or school body.”



Lily Dang (*WISCO*), who’ll earn her elementary ed degree next Christmas, especially enjoyed Pastor Nathan Loersch’s sectional, “I Forgot that You Existed,” which focused on outreach to the poor. “We don’t have the chance to discuss this topic in depth in class, so it was eye-opening to hear Pastor Loersch explain who the ‘poor’ really are. It’s not just about financial struggles. It can also

mean people who are poor in spirit, those facing emotional pain or spiritual emptiness. He reminded us that reaching out to the poor isn’t just an option; it’s a command from God. This presentation helped me see both the challenges and the opportunities in reaching out to people who are struggling, and why it’s essential to approach them with humility, patience, and compassion, creating a space where they feel seen, valued, and safe. Through that kind of love, we reflect the kindness and mercy of Christ himself.”



Preseminary junior **Lucas Prange** (*LPS*) liked Pastor Sam Jeske’s “Engaging Christianity,” which addressed the challenging questions the world poses to Christianity. “There’s a great deal of uncertainty and doubt in our world, so it’s essential that we share the grounded truths of Scripture. I honestly think I came away from that

presentation even more convinced of my faith in Christ.” Evangelism Day, he added, “gives us a small glimpse into the great joys that await us as full-time public ministers of the gospel. What an awesome privilege!”



Mollie Henrich and Pastor Mark Henrich (*Risen Savior-Pooler GA*) presented “See the World Beyond Your Church and Classroom.”



Pastor Sam Jeske (*Our Shepherd-Crown Point IN*) presented “Engaging Christianity.”