



January 2011

Newsletter

## Upcoming Events

### R-U Aware

*February 2011*

This year, the NSC is coming together in its first nation-wide health campaign to educate health care workers and the public about medical abortifacients. **Soon**, a class of abortifacient drugs known as selective progesterone receptor modulators (SPRMs) will be available in the pharmacy, marketed as emergency contraceptives. Do you know enough about these drugs to dispense them with a full awareness of what they do? Do you know how they differ from Plan B®? Do the women taking them know the consequences they face? All of these questions will be addressed during this campaign. More information will be delivered to your inbox shortly. Start thinking about how you can get involved **today!**



### CPFI Annual Meeting

*June 9-12*

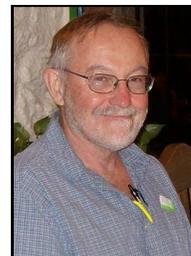
*Myrtle Beach, SC*

Mark your calendar for CPFI's annual meeting in beautiful Myrtle Beach, SC. This year's theme is "Getting Back to the Basics." The conference provides members with continuing education sessions and a chance to fellowship with other Christian pharmacists and pharmacy students from around the world. Don't miss out on this opportunity. Discounted registration rates will be available for students .

## CPFI Community

### Attention Chapters in the Southern U.S.: Special Guest Speaker Opportunity

From April 1 to April 22, Bill Altland, a former long-term missionary pharmacist and current independent pharmacy owner in Craig, Alaska, is making a speaking tour across the southern United States. If you would be interested in having him speak at your chapter meeting or school on medical missions or community pharmacy, contact our Director of Guest Speakers, Jennifer Dunkle ([jennifer.dunkle@ttuhsc.edu](mailto:jennifer.dunkle@ttuhsc.edu)), to schedule a date.



# CPFI Community

## Chapter Highlights

*Campbell University – College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences*

“Our 6th Annual Chili Cook Off was held on November 1, 2010 at Memorial Baptist Church in Lillington, NC which has been kind enough to let us use their facilities every year. People were charged \$5 to attend the Cook Off which included all you can eat chili, a drink, and a dessert. Twenty-six different entries were placed by students and faculty of the Campbell University College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences. The first place entry received 50 dollars, and a People's Choice Award was also given (as people used kidney beans to cast their vote for their favorite chili). It was a great time for food, fun, and fellowship. The Campbell CPFI Chapter was able to raise \$560.00 that will be used towards student mission trips, which was a great blessing. “

- Karyn Fabo



*University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences*

“This past Thanksgiving, we held a Thanksgiving potluck inviting all from the colleges to attend. We had a wonderful turnout with a great meal and a time for playing games. At the close of the semester, we wrapped up our study of Abraham in our weekly Bible study. For finals week, we packed ‘Finals Care Packages’ for all the students which included a bag of good ‘study foods’ such as popcorn, hot chocolate packages, and candy. Inside each bag, there were candy canes with the story of the origin of the candy cane. As many know, the candy cane was made in order to tell of Christ’s sacrifice. We closed a successful Fall semester in the college of pharmacy and were able to minister to many students! All glory to God!”

-Sherri Brixley



*University of Florida College of Pharmacy, Jacksonville Campus*

“This past month, we put together an ‘Adopt-a-Room’ event. What we did was ‘adopted’ a room at Community Connections which is a local organization here in Jacksonville that helps women and children who are going through hardships and need a place to stay. They provide a room and clothes. Students from our campus donated sheet sets, pillows, blankets, toiletries, books, stuffed animals, decorations, etc., and money to go towards a grocery gift card. CPFI then went to the center and cleaned and painted a conjoined room for a mother with 3 to 4 children. The next day consisted of the set-up and decoration of the room. It was a great event! “

- Lauren Rios

Before



After



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## Medical Missions Opportunities

### Trip Calendar

Organization	Date	Location
<b>Global Health Outreach</b> Website: <a href="http://www.cmda.org">www.cmda.org</a>	March 5-13	Nicaragua
	March 11-25 (Urgent Need)	Ethiopia
	March 12-20 (Urgent Need)	Haiti & Nicaragua
<b>e3 Partners</b> Website: <a href="http://www.e3partners.org">www.e3partners.org</a>	February 24 - March 5	Sudan
	March 11-20	Indonesia
	March 12-20	Ecuador
	March 18-27	Middle East
<b>His Healing Hands</b> Website: <a href="http://www.hishealinghands.com">www.hishealinghands.com</a>	July 21-31	Uganda
	August 19-28	Kenya

◆ **Rotation Opportunity:** Want to set up a rotation to see what it is like to truly live out your faith with your pharmacy practice? Many opportunities are available to set up a rotation site overseas or in various parts of the U.S.

Featured rotation: *Whale Tail Pharmacy, Craig, Alaska*. Contact owners Bill and Sarah Altland for more information on setting up a rotation at this pharmacy: [bsaltland@hotmail.com](mailto:bsaltland@hotmail.com)

*Note: The process of getting rotations approved through your university may be lengthy, so it is never too early to start planning.*

◆ **Special Need for Pharmacy Students: Dominican Republic**

Organization: Grace Fellowship, Greensboro, GA

When: Late May 2011

Length: 10 days

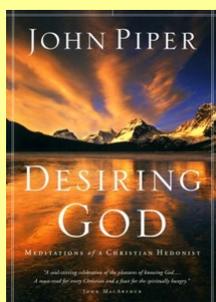
Cost: Around \$1300

Need: 2 pharmacy students

Contact Clarence Gissendanner for more information: [tytydoc@earthlink.net](mailto:tytydoc@earthlink.net)

◆ **Missions Scholarships:** See Appendices F-I of your Student Chapter Manual for information on applying for a missions scholarship and for even more resources on missions trips.

◆ Contact our student missions coordinator, Mandy Williams ([mandepadg@yahoo.com](mailto:mandepadg@yahoo.com)), to find out how you can get connected with missions trips and other missionaries in the field.



### Bible Study Resources

This month's book is *Desiring God* by John Piper. Piper's best-known and well-loved book points the reader to a life that glorifies God by delighting in Him and enjoying Him forever. A DVD study guide is also available so you can work through this soul-shaping book with your chapter.

*Note: The resources in this section are added by our CPFI members and are not endorsed by CPFI as an organization. Contact your NSC chair to suggest resources for this section.*

## Ongoing Announcements

**Guest Speakers.** Looking for a guest speaker for chapter meetings or events? Contact Jennifer Dunkle (jennifer.dunkle@ttuhsc.edu) to find out if there are CPFI professional members registered as a guest speaker in your area.

**International Chapter Partnership.** If you'd be interested in connecting with other pharmacy students around the globe, sign up your chapter to be part of our International Partnership Program and help support your pharmacy brothers and sisters worldwide! Contact Callista Carlton (Callista333@gmail.com) for more information

**CPFI Chapter Awards.** Want your school to earn recognition for its amazing CPFI chapter? Keep track of your chapter's involvement and email it to ardavis@llu.edu anytime before June 1, 2011 to be considered for chapter of the year. Winners will be announced at the CPFI Annual Meeting in June.

**Regional Groups.** If you are interested in connecting with other CPFI student chapters within your region for events, outreaches, or fellowship, or if you would like to serve as a regional director, contact Cimeon Koebel (MrCimeon@gmail.com).

**Prayer Breakfasts.** Have you ever wanted to get together with the other Christians at your state APhA or ASHP meetings or other professional meetings? Consider having your chapter host a CPFI Prayer Breakfast. Contact Tom Robertson (THOMAS\_ROBERTSON@pba.edu) to learn more.

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## Questions, Comments, Submissions...

We are always looking for entries for:

- ◆ Christ-centered Bible study books or ideas for chapter Bible studies
- ◆ Missions opportunities for pharmacy students through your school or other organization
- ◆ Chapter events to be included in our chapter highlights E-mail your NSC chairperson today!

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**Visit us on the web at**  
[www.cphi.org](http://www.cphi.org)

*We are therefore Christ's ambassadors, as though God were making his appeal through us. We implore you on Christ's behalf: Be reconciled to God. God made him who had no sin to be sin for us, so that in him we might become the righteousness of God.*

2 Corinthians 5:20-21 (NIV)



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