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Heritage in One Sentence

If I had to tell you, in one sentence, what Heritage is all about, here's what I would say:

Heritage helps Christians major in the Word of God so they can help churches make a world of difference.

That one sentence tells you *what* we do—we help Christians major in God's Word. It also tells *why* we do it—so they can help churches impact God's world for Christ.

Even in the midst of the challenges brought on by COVID, we've stayed focused on this mission. We've continued to equip men and women through our college and seminary courses, our chapel services, through church internships, and community outreach.

By God's grace, we will graduate over 60 students this year. Some will be pastors; some will be cross-cultural missionaries. Others will be key ministry leaders while holding marketplace



jobs. Each of them has invested time and energy in studying the Word of God. Now we send them out to help churches make a world of difference.

I want to thank you for your interest in Heritage College and Seminary. I also want to invite you to invest in the ministry of the school through your prayers and financial support. Your generous giving to Heritage this spring will make a world of difference!

Warmly,



Dr. Rick Reed



Learning and Growing to Go

Bachelor of Religious Education graduate Mikhaela Whatley shares how God has used her time at Heritage to clarify her understanding of missions and prepare her for cross-cultural ministry.

The desire to pursue missions settled into my mind when I was very young, and it was the determination to continue pursuing this goal that led me to Heritage. Now, as I look back, I see that the Lord used my experience at Heritage to shift my view on missions for the better.

My whole life I chose missions, but I never truly knew why. However, I was always eager to latch onto its possibility of adventure. While attending Heritage, God stretched my faith, humbled my heart, challenged my ideas, and ultimately reframed the true meaning of grace that contributed to my shift in understanding. In those three years, I discovered the “why.”

I came to realize my childhood choice carried a command to go, not because I was promised I would thrive, but because Jesus’ name is to be glorified. I realized that there are people who haven’t heard the gospel of grace, that don’t know God sent His Son to die for their sins that they may be saved. In the time I spent studying God’s word at Heritage, nothing hit me harder than this reality and I couldn’t ignore it.

After completing my program, I became a student at Emanate Missionary Training Center with my husband Tyler to become equipped for cross-cultural church planting. Reflecting on the work the Lord did in my heart at Heritage to reveal His mission kindles gratitude within my soul that will not be quenched. Jesus’ love is eternal and it’s unfathomable that he’d use a sinner such as I to share the wonders of His grace.

Thank you for your continued prayers and support of Heritage College & Seminary.

Help Heritage train more men and women to grow in their faith and go out to live on Christ’s mission.

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A Heart for God and His People

Master of Theological Studies graduate Matthew Maw reflects on how his studies at Heritage have equipped him to serve at Emmanuel Baptist Church in Barrie, ON.

Ministry is a practice of patient obedience, waiting upon the Lord as we plant, water, and harvest. As we face what often seem to be unique trials, I have been thankful for mentors and professors from Heritage.

In my role at Emmanuel Barrie as the Pastor of Discipleship and Young Adults, I am regularly struck by the precious value of the education I have received. Much of what I learned at Heritage was deeply devotional, growing within me both a heart for God and, particularly, His people. My role at Emmanuel has afforded me the opportunity to regularly share with others the Christ-centred spiritual life and personal knowledge of God that Heritage was so instrumental in forming within me. Whether in teaching or counselling contexts, I am grateful for how those at Heritage have committed to equip and guide me along the way.

My family and I have benefited tremendously from the community and teaching of Heritage Theological Seminary. Our commitment is to continue in prayer for the institution, its staff, and professors so that they might maintain their commitment to the Lord in all things.

My prayer is for many others to experience the gift of God that Heritage Theological Seminary has been to me and my ministry.



Looking Ahead to Fall 2022

As we prepare for the beginning of the upcoming academic year at Heritage, here are a few initiatives we are excited about as we look forward to September.

Biblical Counselling Degrees at Heritage

Our new Biblical Counselling degrees will provide foundational training for those interested in ministering to the different needs that arise in the context of the church and community.

New Diploma in Worship Studies

This two-year diploma program is for the student who wishes to grow as a Christian, develop as a musician, and mature as a worship leader.

The SERVE.experience

We are thrilled to re-launch this nine-month discipleship program—designed to foster personal, spiritual, and relational growth while equipping students for cross-cultural service.

Internships at Heritage

This Fall, we are looking forward to offering college and seminary degree students the opportunity to serve in several two-year, full-time internships; providing students with a more intentional, intensive internship experience.

New Home for Heritage Theological Seminary

Our prayer is to see construction started on the new seminary building this Fall. The building will provide a **home** for the seminary, a **hub** for churches, and a place of **hope** for the community.



Investing in Heritage benefits the Church in **Canada and around the world.**

Your gift to Heritage would make a **world of difference!**

This Spring, we ask that you would consider joining the mission of Heritage to equip men and women for life and ministry by contributing financially to the school.



Pray for Heritage College & Seminary

- Pray for our college and seminary students serving this summer in several churches, camps, and ministries.
- Pray for our incoming first-year college and seminary students as they get ready to start their studies at Heritage this September.
- Pray for our staff and faculty as they both rest this summer and prepare for the fall.



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Upcoming Events at Heritage

Andrew Fuller Centre for Baptist Studies Conference:
"Political Theology in the History of the Church" -
September 15-17, 2022

Heritage Preaching Lectures with
Dr. Jonathan Griffiths- October 20, 2022

Andrew Fuller Centre for Baptist Studies
Annual Lecture with Dr. Kevin Flatt -
October 28, 2022

Ministry Leadership Day with Dr. R. Albert Mohler Jr. -
March 30, 2023