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supports Christians and seekers in academia by providing a welcoming community for engaging faith, thought and life.



TWENTY YEARS AT THE BONHOEFFER HOUSE

As we celebrate two decades of Theological Horizons' ministry "at home" on University Circle, we are amazed, grateful -- and hopeful for the future as the University of Virginia reopens in August. Thanks be to God for his indescribable gift! (2 Corinthians 9:15)

Unprecedented. How often has this word described our current moment? Yes, we at Theological Horizons have learned to **pivot**. We practice **social distancing**, meet on **Zoom** where we **mute**, **unmute** and **chat**. For all of our new vocabulary and innovative strategies, we seek to walk faithfully along the same Way, following Jesus, who said, "Walk with me and work with me—watch how I do it. Learn the unforced rhythms of grace." (Matthew 11:29 The Message) Let us continue to learn the rhythms of grace together!

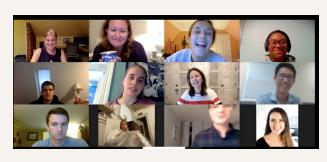


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Virtual Vintage

Sad news: We've paused our beloved traditional Vintage Lunches till fall (when we plan to resume with the very highest protocols of health and safety). **Happy news:** We've continued to meet the best writers of our Christian tradition each Friday.



Since we moved to Zoom, we've been joined by friends of all ages and from as far away as Berlin, Vancouver, the United Kingdom and Atlanta. Karen Wright Marsh has introduced Vintage Christians who serve as wise guides while we wrestle with the question, "How do we follow Christ faithfully in a complex world?" And we've saved it all! Find the readings, see the videos and listen to the audio recordings at www.theologicalhorizons.org/vintage



Cafe Nights

Throughout the summer, we're gathering students and young alumni for weekly Cafe Nights, casual conversations to catch up, share a fun drink, and learn from amazing guest speakers. Our weekly themes have ranged from "How to Have Hard Conversations" with John Sarrouf to

the "Importance of Play" with Lakisha Lockart. We have talked about race in America with Donell Woodson and delved deep into the Enneagram with Welford Orrick.

Check out the videos at www.theologicalhorizons.org/cafe-nights

Join us! Register at info@theologicalhorizons.org

Dream with Me: John M. Perkins

Little did we know how precious that fellowship would be, looking back upon the February weekend later after the pandemic pulled us all apart.

Dr. John M. Perkins, nationally revered community builder and longtime friend of Theological Horizons, came to Charlottesville for a series of final public appearances leading up to his 90th birthday.

The Dome Room of the Rotunda (pictured on the front page) was filled to capacity for his talk, "Parting Thoughts on Race and Love," sponsored with the Project on Lived Theology at the University of Virginia.

"Dream with Me: An Afternoon of Storytelling, Music and Worship" drew more than 500 people to the Martin Luther King, Jr., Performing Arts Center for music by the Charlottesville Worship Collective, testimonies by those transformed by Perkins's witness, and intimate reflections from Dr. Perkins himself.



Rounding out the three day weekend, Dr. Perkins paused for a house blessing at The Perkins House, an intentional residential community for UVa students. He shared wisdom on the practicalities of effecting change at A Morning Workshop on community development held at First Baptist on Main Street.

This historic weekend with Dr. John M. Perkins was also a milestone event for the Capps Lecture Series, marking the final lecture generously funded by Dr. and Mrs. W. Jerry Capps. We wish to express our profound gratitude to Dr. and Mrs. Capps for supporting two decades of transformative, Gospel-centered witness! Thank you, Jerry and Catherine!

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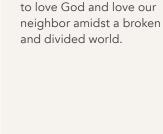






















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www.theologicalhorizons.org/blog and www.theologicalhorizons.org/fellows





WELCOME NEW HOOS!

The UVa semester begins soon and we're gearing up. New UVa students and families are invited to a series of **Wahoo Welcomes** on Zoom this summer! Get to know Theological Horizons staff & students. Ask your burning questions. Get the lowdown on all things UVa. We can't wait to meet you!

To register, just email us at info@theologicalhorizons.org

SEASON 2 OF THE VINTAGE SAINTS AND SINNERS PODCAST

Karen is back in the studio with more sinner-saint stories and conversations with engaging guests. New episodes feature Philip Yancey, Lauren Winner, James Martin, Larycia Hawkins, Natasha Sistrunk Robinson and more.

Subscribe wherever you listen to podcasts! Season 2 launches in September.





KATE BOWLER TO DELIVER THE INAUGURAL SCOPER LECTURES

On March 21-22, 2021, we welcome Kate Bowler, Duke professor, New York Times best-selling author and incurable optimist to the University of Virginia. Dr. Bowler's books include Everything Happens for a Reason and Other Lies I've Loved and The Preacher's Wife: The Precarious Power of Evangelical Women Celebrities. Save the date!

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We say a grateful farewell to outgoing board members, Mark Byrd, Anthony Lazaro and Leslie Merrick and welcome Nancy Beane and Heidi Metcalf Little. Your wise, visionary leadership ensures the integrity of this ministry. Thank you!