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**Great Lakes  
Christian College  
Celebrates  
75 years in 2024.**

**Mark your calendar.  
October 12, 2024  
Celebration Day!**



*"Over a generation ago, men and women of God were deeply concerned with the lack of vitality and the shrinking numbers of Christian Churches/Churches of Christ in Michigan. Their concern led to plans for founding Great Lakes Bible College, which came into being in 1949 at Rock Lake, near Vestaburg, Michigan. Twelve students were enrolled during the first year and their classes convened in the log cabin of Ralph R. Woodard, the first President of the College."*  
(2023-24 Academic Catalog)

**AND THE NEXT 75 YEARS IS HISTORY!**

*We look forward to a time of celebration on Saturday, October 12, 2024 where we will reflect, remember, and give glory to God for His goodness to GLCC. We anticipate alumni and friends of the College coming together, reaffirming our mission of "preparing students to be servant-leaders in the church and world."*

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## **DEAN'S LIST (Fall 2023)**

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## Vice President Phil Beavers to Retire

The retirement of Vice President of Institutional Advancement Phil Beavers was announced by GLCC president Dr. Frank Weller at the College's Board of Trustees meeting last week. Beavers, who was appointed to the position in January 1999 is the longest serving Vice President in the College's history. Phil has served under three GLCC Presidents: Jerry Paul, Larry Carter, and now Frank Weller.



Beavers tenure is concluding on a high note. Contributions to GLCC increased 140% from fiscal year 2022 to fiscal year 2023 enabling the college to realize its first budget surplus in nearly a decade.



## Bryan Tarrant Named Vice President of Finance and Operations

The GLCC Board of Trustees has affirmed Mr. Bryan Tarrant's appointment as Vice President of Finance and Operations, effectively immediately. Tarrant has served as GLCC's Director of Operations since September 2022.

Tarrant has managed businesses and led teams since he returned from his service in the United States Marine Corps. He has done everything from managing restaurants to starting his own successful small business. Since becoming Director of Operations, Tarrant helped President Weller and the GLCC Cabinet achieve the College's first budget surplus in a decade.

Tarrant and his wife, Joy, reside in Mason, Michigan and he serves as an Elder at South Lansing Christian Church in Lansing.



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