



Meet Dr. J. William “Bill”

Alum—2010, Master of Divinity

and Joyce Holmes

Caldwell Society Members

“My experiences in the classroom and community life of LPTS were life changing. I will forever be indebted to the faculty, staff, and students who shared the journey with me. It is imperative that we who have benefited so greatly from the gifts of others over the years make giving back a priority, now and in the future.”

A Louisville, Ky., physician for 37 years, Bill Holmes dedicated himself to healing, specifically in the field of pediatrics and pediatric neurology, and to a large degree to disadvantaged populations. Bill practiced medicine at Kosair Children’s Hospital in Louisville, Ky., and taught at the University of Louisville School of Medicine until his retirement in 2007.

Following retirement, Bill’s lifetime interest in theology and philosophy led him to LPTS and eventually to pastoral ministry. Today, he serves as a stated supply pastor at Mt. Lebanon Presbyterian Church near Henryville, Ind. He hopes that everything he learned at LPTS will help his church members know that “in their life on a daily basis they can experience the blessings of knowing God in the Trinity.”

As a part of giving back to LPTS, Bill and his wife, Joyce, have become Louisville Seminary’s newest members of the Caldwell Society, which is comprised of individuals who are supporting the mission of Louisville Seminary with a planned gift or bequest.