

Partnership Dinner VII Affordable

Because of tax savings which a gift to Michigan Christian College brings, the out-of-pocket cost of participating is very low. The chart illustrates that a Michigan Christian couple can attend the dinner for an out-of-pocket gift cost of about the annual cost of the Sunday newspaper (\$26.00). Non-Michigan friends can also realize tax benefits on their Federal taxes.

Your taxable income		\$ 8,000	\$12,000	\$16,000
PD VII Ticket	\$60.00			
Value of dinner	- 9.00			
Your net gift	<u>\$51.00</u>	\$ 51.00	\$ 51.00	\$ 51.00
Federal income tax savings	\$ 9.69	\$ 9.69	\$ 11.22	\$ 12.75
Credit on Michigan income tax	+ 25.50	+ 25.50	+ 25.50	+ 25.50
Total tax savings	<u>\$ 35.19</u>	<u>\$ 36.72</u>	<u>\$ 38.25</u>	
From net gift of	\$ 51.00	\$ 51.00	\$ 51.00	
Subtract total tax savings	- 35.19	- 36.72	- 38.25	
Your actual cost of gift	<u>\$ 15.81</u>	<u>\$ 13.28</u>	<u>\$ 11.75</u>	

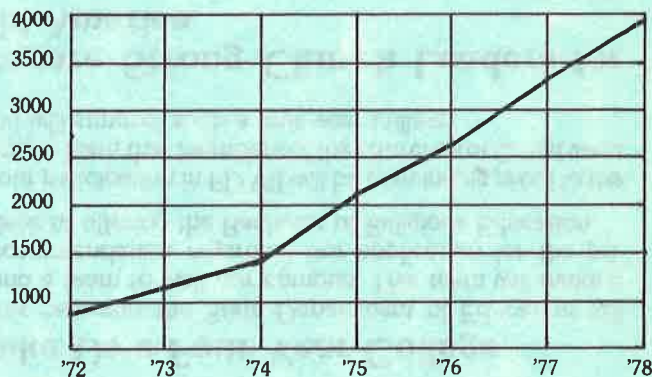
The above information is based on current year tax rates for a joint return. The Michigan Tax Credit is limited to the smaller of: 50% of the gift, or 20% of the computed tax, or \$200 on a joint return. We have made the assumption that the gift will qualify for 50% credit. If as a result of the tax credit on the Michigan Income Tax you receive a refund, the refund will be taxable income on your Federal Income Tax return.

Encouraging Trends

- Enrollment, a record 400 this year, is surging. Help us reach 450 by September.
- Of present students, 88 receive financial aid, averaging \$1,800. Massive aid is available. Share this word with students and their parents.
- Since our last Partnership Dinner, our full accreditation by the North Central Association of Colleges has been reaffirmed for another five years.
- Eldred Echols, missionary in Africa for 34 years, will join our Bible faculty this fall.

LARGEST ANNUAL GATHERING OF MEMBERS OF THE CHURCHES OF CHRIST IN MID—WEST AMERICA

'78 Goal = 4000*



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“They That Wait Upon The Lord . . .



Silverdome, world's largest air-supported covered stadium. Acres of lighted parking. Easy to find. Take I-75 to M-59 and exit at Opdyke Road. No stadium rental because we are using catering service.

... Shall Mount Up With Wings As Eagles ...”

for

Partnership Dinner VII

Pontiac Silverdome

April 29, 1978

Dinner: 6:00 - 7:15 p.m.

Program: 7:15 - 8:30 p.m.

POWERFUL POINTS FOR PARTICIPATION

- “... we are partners working together for God...” (I Corinthians 3:9)
- **Keep God’s Work Flourishing.**
One out of ten colleges will be forced to close or merge by 1980. (Detroit Free Press, January 1, 1978) It is the moment of truth. Michigan Christian College will flourish, not close, if concerned Christians “mount up with wings as eagles” in her behalf. Payments on the Alma Gatewood Residence Hall this year are \$134,000 which must be met via PD VII.
- **Make Us a Four Year College.**
This semester the State Department of Education will send a team to visit our campus. This team will make a recommendation regarding our application for the privilege of offering the Bachelor of Religious Education.
Your participation in PD VII will be convincing proof to the visiting team that members of the churches of Christ want and will support such a four year college.
- **Prepare Strong Church Leaders for Mid-America.**
Young people from the heart of the nation must be trained to serve as preachers, elders, deacons, Bible school teachers, and personal workers. Participation in PD VII makes you a partner in meeting this vital need.

Attend A Satellite Partnership Dinner VII

Throughout the Midwest, church leaders are arranging satellite dinners to coincide with the parent Partnership Dinner in the Silverdome. Plans are being formulated for a “hookup” with the Silverdome dinner. (Details later). Your participation is strongly urged.

Make A Second Gift At No Cost

Sound easy? It is. If employed by a company with a matching program, your PD VII gift will be doubled, courtesy of your employer.

To reserve your place at an exciting Satellite Partnership Dinner VII, contact your PD VII local chairman at your congregation, or complete and mail this form to: Partnership Dinner VII, Michigan Christian College, 800 W. Avon Road, Rochester, MI 48063. (Or phone 313-651-5800 ext. 21)

*Isa. 40:31, MCC '78 Theme Scripture

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\$60-A-PLATE BENEFIT DINNER FOR MICHIGAN CHRISTIAN COLLEGE PARTNERSHIP DINNER VII

\$_____ is amount of total PD VII gift enclosed.
 \$_____ is amount of PD VII gift that is pledged,
 of which \$_____ is enclosed, with
 the balance to be sent by June 30, 1978.
 _____ is the number of dinner tickets which
 will actually be used at Silverdome.

Name _____ Attend MCC? _____
 Spouse _____ Attend MCC? _____
 Address _____
 City _____ State _____
 Zip Code _____ Phone (a.c. _____)
 Member of which congregation _____
 Employed by _____