June 2018

## **Local Partnerships**

We are working with regional leaders of other Christian campus ministries like Doug Sullivan (*right*) of the Navigators. We are passing along tools and training so they can minister to professors on their many campuses.

## Campuses Locally .. and Beyond

There are great things happening on campuses in Texas and Oklahoma; it is a privilege to meet with so many believers there. For Christian professors in Arkansas, Louisiana, Illinois, Indiana, Nebraska, Colorado and Wyoming, phone calls, video calls and emails allow us to give training and encouragement. Please pray for them as they reflect Christ through their work and their words to so many.

## When Leaders Follow Christ

When university administrators choose to serve others because of their commitment to Christ, it often stands out. Academia is a highly politicized culture and self-promotion is the norm. Here's a few of many administrators who serve Him:

- Rhonda: new dean at a contentious college, brings steady leadership. She's open about her faith and helps others succeed.
- Doug: responsible for faculty development on his campus: "There are big challenges – we can have the strangest faculty problems at times; pray for the culture here," he told me.
- Bruce: department chair, he faces burgeoning classes and faculty complaints, yet finds them asking questions about his faith.

Please pray that God will continue to grant them wisdom and favor with others as salt and light.

## Celebration

We celebrated our 40<sup>th</sup> anniversary with a trip to Victoria, British Columbia ... and then met our kids at a cabin north of Seattle. They are scattered across the country, so any time with them is precious.

A week later we celebrated the homegoing of Sarah's brother-in-law. Gary Scudder was a professor at Vanderbilt and a committed Christian. We deeply grieve for Marti and his kids ..... yet are thankful that he is with the Lord.











