
President's Greeting

June 2025

Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

It is good to give thanks to the Lord, and to sing praise to your name, O Most High (Psalm 92.1).

We give thanks and praise the Lord for His wonderful works among us. On May 17 we watched as six students received their degrees and certificates. Each of these men worked hard and earned what they were granted. We will miss them, but we trust that the Lord will use them in His service.

We also announced that Daniel Scheiderer PhD has been appointed to serve as a full-time faculty member with the rank and title *Assistant Professor of Theological Studies*. Many have commented on what a great choice this is, and expect that Dr. Scheiderer will make significant contributions to IRBS. He will begin his labors for us on July 1, 2025.

After commencement exercises have concluded, we enter into the slow summer academic season. Fewer classes are offered, but this doesn't mean that the work slows. There are many plans to pursue and much ministry travel to fulfill. Please pray for us as we use the next few months to accomplish much for the Lord's glory and the strengthening of IRBS.



In Christ,
James M. Renihan
President, IRBS

Dr. Renihan's Speaking Schedule:

- June 8 Reformed Baptist Church of Fort Worth TX
 - June 14-15 **IRBS OTR**, Rangely CO
 - June 21-22 **IRBS OTR**, Melbourne, Australia
 - June 28 **IRBS OTR**, Palmerston North, NZ
 - June 30-July 4 School of Theology, Palmerston North, NZ
 - July 7-11 School of Theology, Sydney, Australia
 - July 12 **IRBS OTR**, Sydney, Australia
 - July 22-24 3535 Annual Conference, Fargo, ND
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On the Road

IRBS is pleased to announce a new initiative, "IRBS on the Road," an opportunity to **bring IRBS to your church for a day**. In 2025, we'll be considering believer's baptism in, "**IRBS on the Road: A Deep Dive into Baptism**," with Dr. Renihan. All Christians are welcome to attend. Upcoming events (**June & July**) will be held in Colorado, Australia, and New Zealand. See Dr. Renihan's schedule above for dates & locations. For more information on an On the Road event near you, please contact admissions@irbsseminary.org.

Congratulations to the Class of 2025!



New Faculty Appointment

Praise the Lord with us!
The Trustees of International Reformed Baptist Seminary are pleased to announce the appointment of Daniel Scheiderer PhD to serve as Assistant Professor of Christian Theology at IRBS.



Apply now for 2025/2026 enrollment.

Also accepting Applications for Self-paced enrollment.

Summer 2025 Course Schedule

Registration is open now. Classes begin June 3.

Greek I - J. Henson

Preaching Practicum II - R. Davidson

Pastoral Theology I, Theological Pastoring - R. Davidson (UK)

Spring/Summer 2025 IRBS International.

Students must register in Populi for credit.

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UNITED KINGDOM

Dr. J. Ryan Davidson will be teaching **Pastoral Theology** at Trinity Grace in Ramsbottom, Manchester.

July 7-11, 9AM-5PM

For more information, or to sign up as an auditor, visit brokenwharfe.com/irbsuk

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AUSTRALIA

Dr. James Renihan will be teaching **Symbolics** at Stanmore Baptist Church, Stanmore, Australia.

July 7-11

For more information, or to sign up as an auditor, email stanmorebaptist@gmail.com

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NEW ZEALAND

Dr. James Renihan will be teaching **Preaching the Psalms to a Christian Congregation**, for School of Theology at Crosspoint Church in Palmerston North New Zealand, **June 30-July 3.**

Fall 2025 Course Schedule

Registration now open.

Greek II - J. Henson

Introduction to Research Writing - M. Grinder

Doctrine of God - J. Dolezal

Theology of Ministry - R. Davidson

Doctrine of the Church - D. Scheiderer

Pentateuch - J. Wilson

Modern Church (Baptist History) - J. Montgomery

Biblical Theology (live from UK) - R. Barcellos

Legacy (self-paced) Course List

Registration is always open.

Email admissions@irbsseminary.org for more information about any IRBS classes.

International Reformed Baptist Seminary is pleased to
announce cooperative agreements with
Grace Theological College, Auckland, New Zealand



and

**African Christian University School of Divinity,
Lusaka, Zambia.**



IRBS shares common goals with these schools.
Qualified students from each will be able to register for our
classes, and we hope that some of our professors will be able to
travel and teach in each location.

Particular Baptist Theological Society

International Reformed Baptist Seminary is pleased to announce the formation of the **Particular Baptist Theological Society**. This new endeavor is a means to encourage scholarship related to historic and current Particular Baptist doctrine and practice. The doctrinal standard for the society will be the New Hampshire Confession of Faith.

The society will meet for one day and will feature a plenary session alongside concurrent side sessions. Each of these will consist of papers presented by scholars, students and ministers interested in the goals of the Society.

The first meeting will be held in May 2026, and the theme will be *Chalcedonian Christology*. Soon we will call for paper proposals. We will give priority to papers related to the topic *Chalcedonian Christology*, especially those related to the great Baptist Confessions. Other topics will be considered. Submissions may be in the areas of exegetical theology, systematic theology, historical theology or pastoral theology.

For further information, please write to pbts@irbs.org. Soon a website will be available at irbs.org.

With the **IRBS Church Partnership**, local churches can

Share the Load

with men in their congregations who are called to pursue pastoral ministry, **relieving**

them of the financial burdens that come with seminary education.

Our **Church Partnership** program offers tuition-free, credit-earning courses to members of supporting churches, along with many other benefits.

The Good News Course video series



In Partnership with Broken Wharfe, IRBS Student, Benedict Allmand-Smith, and IRBS UK Director, Enoch Adekoya have produced this free course of 11 short videos, designed to introduce the fundamental truths of the Christian faith to a broad audience. These are ideal for church outreach, group discussions, or even personal study. Check it out at [Good News Course](#).

Opportunities to Connect

Women's Fellowship

Student wife? Female student? Faculty wife? Sister in Christ? All interested ladies are invited!

Our Women's Fellowship is currently on hiatus for the summer, but we look forward to reconnecting in September. If you (or a lady in your life) is interested in joining us, please send your email address to kristen@irbsseminary.org to be added to the invitation list.

Student-led Missions Prayer Meeting

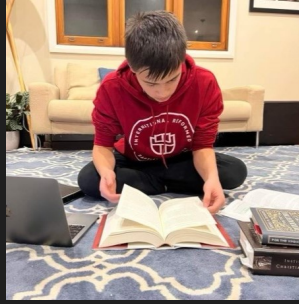
All are welcome to join us **Saturday, 21st June**, at 10am CST for the Haystack Prayer Meeting. We will be joining together to pray for the work of missions throughout the world. The New Creation Mandate given by the Lord Jesus Christ to his disciples to "Go therefore and make disciples of all the nations," stands now and even to the end of the age. Therefore, let us join ourselves in prayer, beseeching our God for the building of his everlasting kingdom.

The **Zoom** link will be posted in the Populi dashboard and calendar.

Please join us as we bring these vital prayers to our God.
Questions may be emailed to bnasmith1@gmail.com.

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Upcoming Conferences



3535 Conference

July 22-24, 2025

Tuesday-Thursday

Community Baptist Church, Fargo, North Dakota

Topic: The Rise of
17th-century 1689 Congregationalism and
the Reformed Baptist movement

Speakers include:

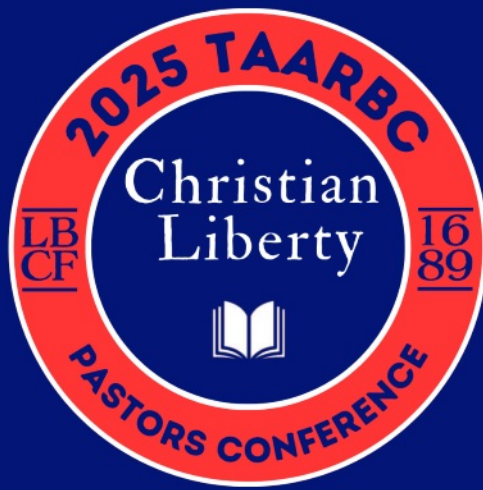
Dr. Matthew Bingham,

Dr. James Renihan,

Jared Mays,

Pastor Noah Bailey

[Register here](#)



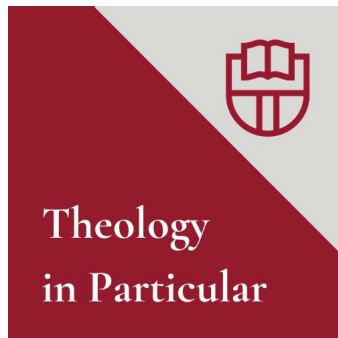
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This year's conference will again be held in conjunction with the IRBS 2025/2026 Convocation. Stay tuned for registration details, coming soon!

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Check out our microcast, featuring brief discussions between Dr. Renihan & Pastor Fred Pugh, IRBS Chairman of the Board, on matters about and within the 2nd London Confession of Faith. The new season just began! Listen on your favorite podcast app or find all episodes on our [website](#).

Prayer Requests

Praise God for so many exciting developments, including:

- The appointment of Dr. Daniel Scheiderer as full-time Assistant Professor of Christian Theology

- The development of the Particular Baptist Theological Society
- The new partnerships between IRBS & Grace Theological College in New Zealand and African Christian University in Zambia

Please pray for all of these developments to bear fruit in the will of the Lord. Also please pray for safe travels for staff and faculty as they traverse the world this summer.

Thank you for your faithful prayer support.
May IRBS continue to be an effective tool in His hand.
Soli Deo Gloria!



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