



HOMECOMING 2020 COMES TO YOU

This year's Homecoming will be different because it's going to be virtual! It will last longer and feature some events that we haven't done before. Best of all, we plan to highlight more of our alumni from all around the world. Mark these days on your calendar: November 9-14. Then, get ready to enjoy Homecoming from home. All events are FREE!



ORU IS GROWING!

For the 12th year in a row, enrollment is up at ORU. We are thrilled to have so many outstanding students pursuing degrees that will prepare them to serve God through a variety of professions.

LEARN MORE



LAUNCHING A NEW LAB

ORU is always introducing something new—something that will be of enormous benefit to our students. This fall, we held a ribbon-cutting ceremony to mark the official opening of the Computing and Mathematics Department's highly anticipated Stanley White High Performance Computing Lab.

WATCH VIDEO



STAGING A VIRTUAL PERFORMANCE

Would you like a little more drama in your life? We have just the ticket—and it's free! AND you can enjoy this show from the comfort of your own home. ORU's talented thespians will present "Radium Girls"—virtually—at 7:30 p.m. CDT on September 17, 18, and 19. They'll be on the Howard Auditorium stage, and you'll be watching from your couch! RSVP to receive the Zoom Webinar ID and password.





2020 GRAD ALREADY ON CAREER PATH

Kayla Williams knew what she wanted to do when she came to ORU: prepare for a career in the film industry. She got her foot in the door as a student and she's been working ever since.

READ THE STORY



TIME FOR FALL REVIVAL

You are invited to tune in for Fall Revival with Christine Caine and Reggie Dabbs. Christine will speak at 11:00 a.m. CDT on September 30. Reggie will speak at 7:00 p.m. CDT on the 30th and at 10:00 a.m. CDT on October 1.

CHAPEL LINK



HONORING OUR DONORS

We are so grateful for everyone who supports ORU. It's our donors' generosity that enables us to develop whole leaders for the whole world! In a little while, we will be recognizing donors who made gifts to ORU during our most recent fiscal year (May 1, 2019-April 30, 2020) by publishing an online "Honor Roll of Donors." If you would prefer to remain anonymous, please let us know; we won't post your name online. You can email us at <u>development@oru.edu</u>.



SAYING FAREWELL

Two beloved members of the ORU family passed away recently. **Dr. Jimmy Buskirk**, the founding dean of the College of Theology and Ministry, served at ORU from 1976 to 1984. His pastoral impact extended far beyond his administrative role, touching the lives of not just theology students, but faculty, staff, and alumni. He entered heaven on September 9. His memorial service will take place on September 29 at 11:00 a.m. CDT at First United Methodist Church in Tulsa and will be streamed live: <u>http://fumctulsa.online.church</u> and on Facebook at <u>http://facebook.com/fumctulsa</u>.

Dr. Terry Law, a 1969 graduate, was the co-founder of Living Sound International, a music ministry team that traveled all over the world to share the gospel. He later founded World Compassion Terry Law Ministries to expand his work and bring humanitarian aid to countless souls in desperate and perilous situations. He entered heaven on August 31. His memorial service was held in ORU's Christ's Chapel on September 8.

WATCH TERRY'S MEMORIAL SERVICE

DID YOU KNOW?

ORU'S WHOLE LEADERS FOR THE WHOLE WORLD CAMPAIGN WILL PRODUCE THREE NEW BUILDINGS, A CENTER FOR GLOBAL LEADERSHIP, AND SCHOLARSHIPS FOR LEARNERS FROM EVERY NATION. YOUR <u>CONTRIBUTION</u> TO THE BUILDING PROJECTS WILL GO FOUR TIMES AS FAR!

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