



**E-Newsletter
November 2024**

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Upcoming Events

Hood will be closed November 27-29 for the Thanksgiving Holiday.



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In Memoriam



The entire Hood community joins together in prayer for and offers sincere condolences to the family and friends of:

Mr. Ronald B. Hinson Jr., M.Div student on the passing of his father Mr. Ronald B. Hinson Sr.

Hood Alum MDiv'17 Rev. Antonio Smith passed away.



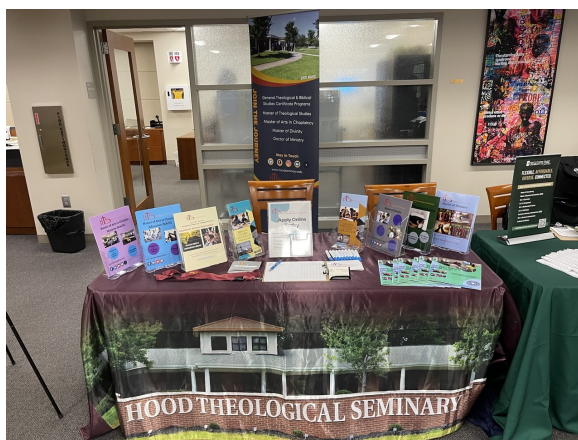
Hood Travels

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Hood attended the Northeast Episcopal District Leadership Institute



Hood attended the Johnson C. Smith University Graduate Fair



Hood attended the General Baptist State Convention in Raleigh NC.



Faculty/Staff News

Dr. Vergel L. Lattimore
President and Professor



Dr. Lattimore Attended the Memorial Service for alum Rev. Antonio Smith, The Park Church, Charlotte, NC (11/9/24)

He participated in the ACPE Virtual Continuing Education workshop (11/15/24)

Dr. Lattimore attended a workshop at Belk School of Business, UNC- Charlotte, Charlotte. NC (11/14/24)

Rev. Kimberly Clarke Turner



Rev. Kimberly Clarke Turner, Director of the Center for Bold Leadership, has been appointed to serve on the board of the North Carolina Council of Churches. Her term begins in January 2025.

Michael Gehring



Michael Gehring, Visiting Professor of History of Christianity, has a new book coming out in December 2024. The book is titled *William J. Abraham: A Theological Profile*, and can be found [HERE](#).

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