

DWC Photo Gallery

Dr. Marilyn Taylor, associate professor of writing and literature, offers suggestions during the Academic Resume Fair, organized by ESL instructors Sharon Sinton and Michelle Vargo, on January 15. The joint-class session stemmed from a unit that explored how students could present their educational, work, and life experiences should they pursue further education. It gave students a practical opportunity to apply concepts they learned in class. DWC president, Fr. Tom Aschelman, SVD, and Jolene Zimmerman, college registrar, also shared their observations with the ESL students.



DWC senior Wilken Fevrier talks of his call to religious life during a session at the annual 6th Grade Vocation Day at Divine Word College, March 13. More than 250 students from area Catholic elementary schools attended the event sponsored by the Dubuque Area Vocation Association (DAVA). Members of nine religious communities of men and women, a diocesan priest and a deacon met with groups of students to talk about religious life. Wilken, who grew up in Haiti, is among this year's DWC graduates.

6 DWC Health Director Brother Mike Decker, SVD, was pleased with the turnout for the college blood drive organized by the Mississippi Valley Regional Blood Center, on March 27. Fifteen members of the college community stepped up, twice as many compared to the recent past. This was the first time to donate blood for two-thirds of the donors. A person needs to have been in this country for three years in order to give blood, a limiting factor in light of our large international student population.



...And Jesus fell... On Good Friday, March 30, the Divine Word College community gathered for a re-enactment of the Stations of the Cross, organized and performed by students. Freshman Christian Andresen offered a moving portrayal of Our Lord Jesus as he struggled to carry the burden of his cross in a procession that worked its way around campus. The Stations of the Cross is an emotionally gripping part of the Easter Triduum at DWC.

Francis Wambua (foreground) and Wisvel Joseph (left) were among almost a dozen DWC students to perform during "Celebrate Africa" at the Heritage Center on the campus of the University of Dubuque, on April 24. The third annual event is a celebration of African culture, combining authentic food with traditional African music, dancing and fashion. There were exhibits, an educational presentation about Africa and a panel discussion.

