

Christian Legal Society

Description: organization designed to provide law students a forum to discuss and learn how to integrate the Christian faith with the study and profession of law.

Goals/Objectives:

- 1) to glorify God in everything we do
- 2) to grow strong in the Lord
- 3) to display the love of Christ
- 4) to be interested in and respectful of all viewpoints/perspectives, whether policy-related or faith-related
- 5) to better understand the purpose and mindset of a Christian lawyer

How to accomplish these goals:

- 1) regular prayer meetings
- 2) meetings twice monthly during lunch
- 3) service in the community
- 4) living lives that are beyond reproach and that bring praise to God
- 5) inviting Christian leaders in the community to speak during meetings

Officers within the group:

- President: Jessica Dickerson
- Vice President: Julie Solms
- Treasurer: Chris Sease
- Secretary: Joshua McIntyre

Role of Faculty Advisor: Professor Richard Myers will be available to counsel Christian Legal Society Leadership with regard to proposed guest speakers and service projects. He will also advise the organization on how to be "salt of the earth" and "light of the world" (Matthew 5:13) within the UNC School of Law.

The Christian Legal Society of UNC complies with the Official Recognition of Student Organizations Non-Discrimination Policy.

Christian Legal Society Statement of Purpose
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The purpose of CLS is to serve Carolina Law and the wider community. We try to serve Carolina Law by providing a place to explore and study the Bible in the context of the intersection of faith and the practice of law. We try to serve the wider community by using the legal skills and knowledge that we acquire to help others.

CLS is also to be a national grassroots network of lawyers and law students committed to proclaiming, loving, and serving Jesus Christ, through all we do and say in the practice of law and advocating justice, Biblical reconciliation, and religious freedom.