

February 4, 1981

The Rev. Dr. Paul Irion
Doctoral Studies Committee
Lancaster Theological Seminary
Lancaster, Pennsylvania 17603

Dear Paul:

Since February 15 is the final date to make application for oral examination in 1981, this letter comes to you and to the Projects Director for that purpose. The final legible draft of my final Project Report is about to be submitted for final approval to Dr. Richard Vieth and the other members of my Collegial Support Group. This draft will incorporate all the recommendations and changes made by them at our most recent meeting together in Columbia, Maryland. Three copies of this final legible draft will be hand delivered to the Projects Director prior to March 1, 1981. Also, the remaining balance of all fees charged to me will be paid by that date.

It is my sincere hope and expectation to complete all requirements necessary to receive the Doctor of Ministry Degree at this year's Commencement. If there is anything further I need to know or to do to make this possible, please feel free to contact me by letter or by phone (301-276-0393).

Most sincerely,

Rev. W. Scott Hengen III
Pastor

WSH/mss

CC: Mr. Donald Freeman - LTS
Dr. Richard Vieth - Lts

February 12, 1980

The Rev. Dr. Paul E. Irion, Chairperson
Doctoral Studies Committee
Lancaster Theological Seminary
Lancaster, Pennsylvania 17603

Dear Paul:

For several reasons it has become necessary for me to delay completion of the work necessary to receive the Doctor of Ministry degree in 1980. As you know, from my letter to you in October it was my intention to have this happen while I was still President of the Alumni Council. However, the pressures of the parish, new and recent developments related to my Project, the Rev. Carroll Kann on sabbatical leave, and necessary delays in completing the Project Report have made the February 15 deadline impossible. That means 1981 will have to be when it happens for me. Rather than forsake quality for speed, I anticipate full completion by the end of the summer, 1980.

Please forgive any inconvenience this may have caused you. And I will continue to do my best regarding financial payments. If there is more I should know regarding this delay, please contact me.

Sincerely,

Rev. W. Scott Hengen, III
Pastor

WSH/mss

CC: The Rev. Donald Freeman, LTS
The Rev. Richard Vieth, LTS
The Rev. Carroll Kann, CAG
Miss Carole P. Weidel - Balto.

October 9, 1979

The Rev. Dr. Paul Irion
Doctoral Studies Committee
Lancaster Theological Seminary
Lancaster, Pennsylvania 17603

Dear Dr. Irion:

In response to the stated deadline (October 15) in the Doctor of Ministry Handbook and the announcement in the August 31 Minutes of the Doctoral Studies Committee, I hereby indicate my hope and expectation to complete all the requirements necessary to receive the degree in May, 1980.

Therefore, please be advised that I prefer my name to appear on the diploma as follows:

WALTER SCOTT HENGEN III

Thank you for your continuing support and help in this matter.

Sincerely,

W. Scott Hengen, III
Pastor

WSH/mss