Dallas Baptist University recently dedicated the Gregory Gazebo in honor of DBU Vice President Dr. Rick Gregory and his wife, Judy. The gazebo was patterned after the gazebo that sits atop one of the hot springs discovered by Thomas Jefferson at The Homestead Resort in Hot Springs, Virginia. The Homestead was founded in 1766 and was well known as a retreat for our nation’s Founding Fathers.

Dr. Gregory joined DBU in 1990 as registrar and later became vice president for executive and student affairs. Today he serves as vice president for university advancement and dean of the Gary Cook Graduate School of Leadership. In his leadership role in the Gary Cook Graduate School of Leadership, Dr. Gregory oversees the Master of Arts in Christian Education, the Master of Arts in Worship Leadership, the Master of Education in Higher Education, the Ed.D. in Educational Leadership, and the Ph.D. in Leadership Studies. Judy Gregory has been an active member of the DBU Women’s Auxiliary Board and was honored in December of 2004 with a Ruth Award for her dedication to God, family, others, and Christian education at DBU. The Gregories have three children, Josh, Tiffany, and Zach.