

CHURCH NEWS

By Lethaniel Dilligard

The writer of the column is asking the cooperation of all ministers and churches in supplying News for the column. It is free. Contact Mrs. Dilligard on Saturday afternoon at 642-0799.

THOUGHT FOR TODAY

"THAT ANYONE WHO BELIEVES IN HIM WILL NOT PERISH."

The Bible says, "all have sinned and come short of the glory of God" and "the wages of sin is death" (Roman 3:23 and 6:23) all men are sinners, and the consequences of sin is eternal separation from God, however, the promise is "anyone who believes in him will not perish." The word anyone means you and the word believe means to put your personal trust in Jesus Christ, it means to believe that Jesus Christ was your sin bearer and died in your place so that you might not have to pay the penalty for your sins. In actual practice, it means an act of faith on your part...receiving Christ into your heart and life... "But to all who received him, he gave the right to become children of God. All they needed to do was believe he would save them" picture if you will, Jesus Christ standing at the door of your heart. Jesus said "behold I stand at the door and knock; If any man hear my voice and open the door I will come in." (Revelation 3:20) Jesus will never force his way into any life. Your responsibility is to open the door, through prayer, and invite him in just as you would invite a friend to come into your home. Christ will come in to live in your heart because of your faith in him. When you receive him wonderful things happen.

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The 12 year-old Rev. John Henry Brown will be the guest speaker for the Youth at the Community Baptist Church Sunday at 11:30 a.m. The church is located in Carver Park, Henderson at 24-1/2 West Lincoln. Pastor S. Parks and congregation extends and invitation to the public to attend the great event.

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Sis. Abbie Coleman along with the members will sponsor a mission program at the Mt. Olive Baptist Church, 621 Carey St. Sunday at 3 p.m. Sis. Mary Turner, president of the mission society along with the members extend an invitation to the public to attend. Rev. Raymon Harris is pastor.

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Revival services at the Full Gospel House of Prayer, 1305 North "D" St. are continuing throughout the week. Prayer services are held each day at noon, Evening worship is at 7:30 p.m. with Elder Irving and Sis. Amanda Irving, the singing Nurse conducting the services. The pastor Elder N. Kinclad along with the members extend an invitation to the public to attend.

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The Community Federation of Choirs will convene at the Evergreen Baptist Church, 113 North "H" St. at 3 p.m. Sunday. The president Sis. Jerry Atkinson along with the members extend an invitation to the public to come and enjoy and afternoon of singing. Rev. Nathaniel Whitney is host pastor.

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The Deborah Circle of Bethel will meet in the home of Mrs. Annabelle Love at 14B W. Lincoln, Carver Park in Henderson, at 7:30 p.m. Friday. If you are unable to meet with the circle and would like to study with the group, invite them into your home. Sis. Maggie Love and Bro. Douglas Dilligard are teachers and Sis. Audrey Diggs is president and Rev. I.W. Wilson pastor. For more information about the Circle and their meetings, contact Bro. D. Dilligard at 642-0799.

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Officers and members of the Shiloh Missionary Baptist Church, wish to thank the pastor, and congregation, along with friends throughout the community, who helped make their pastor's 1st. anniversary a glorious event. Many souls were blessed during the anniversary through God's pouring of his Holy Spirit. Deacon Morris Tatum, officer; Johnnie Matthews, church clerk and Rev. Rufus Irving, pastor.

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Please continue to pray for the sick and shut-ins

Lenten Fast For Justice:

In an effort towards finding solutions to Nevada's problem of hungry and poverty, a Lenten campaign of prayer and fasting is being sponsored by the Franciscan Center. The Center invites persons concerned or involved in this problem--the poor, persons committed to social justice and peace, state and county officials, legislators, hotel personnel and businessmen--to join them in prayer each Wednesday at 5:30 PM at St. James Catholic Church at 821 No. H. Street. Other Church's will be hosting the Friday services at 5:30 PM. Services were held this week at St. Luke's Episcopal Church. During the coming weeks they will be at: Trinity Methodist, 6043 W. Charleston, Feb. 25.; First Christian Church, 101 So. Rancho Road, Mar. 3; First Baptist 300 So. 9th, Mar. 10; Guardian Angel Shrine, 302 E. Desert Inn Rd.; Mar. 17; Wesley Methodist, 2727 Civic Center Dr. NLV, Mar. 24.

During the Friday services, food and/or money saved through fasting for one or more meals during the week will be collected and distributed to the poor and needy--persons suffering from hunger, eviction, utility and/or job cutoffs. This number grows daily in Clark County since the close of the county general assistance office. For additional information call Sister Carole Hurray at 382-5630.

Health Service Directory Planned

The Clark County Comprehensive Health Planning Advisory Council has approved for publication a Health Services Inventory for Southern Nevada.

The inventory is the first of a three-step review of local health services. It lists all the physical health services available in Clark County as of January 1, 1972.

Among services included are hospitals, Nursing homes, emergency transportation, outpatient medical services, government agencies, private institutions and a statistical summary of health professionals in the community.

In the future, the Advisory Council's Health Services Task Force will publish information on those health services which are available to the people of Clark County and point out duplications of health services. The inventory is available to any interested organization.

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The Members of Vegas View Church of God in Christ cordially invite you to attend the 6th anniversary of Elder and Mrs. Claude H. Parson of 1906 Glider St., North Las Vegas, beginning February 24th thru 27th., 8 P.M. nightly.

Baha'i Faith Schedule

THE BAHAI FAITH WELCOMES YOU TO OPEN DISCUSSIONS:

THURSDAY - 133 Linden St., Hend. - 8:00 PM
 FRIDAY - 226 Poncho Villa, L.V. - 8:00 PM
 SUNDAY - 3863 Omaha Circle, L.V. - 3:30 PM
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