

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

The Scripture reads: "Grow in Grace," not jump in Grace.....

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The Ruth Circle of New Jerusalem Baptist Church will sponsor a mission program Sunday afternoon at 3 p.m. with Sis. Mary L. Burton, City Wide Mission president as guest speaker. The public is invited to attend the program. Rev. F. N. Addison, is host pastor.

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Bible study is being held each day at Victory Baptist Church, Monday through Friday from 10:30 a.m. All who are interested in knowing and learning more about the scriptures are asked to attend the class. The class is free and there is no registration. Pastor A. J. Thompson, is the instructor. The classes are open to the public.

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The Mission Society of Second Baptist Church will host a banquet at Second Baptist, July 29th at 8:00 p.m. The Church is located at 500 Madison, and is pastored by Rev. V. C. L. Coleman. The public is invited to attend. Tickets are being sold by members of the church.

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Prayers of the righteous are being asked for 14 year old David Holwell, son of Sis. Mary Harris, and a member of Pilgrim Church of Christ Holiness. Young David is now in Pasadena, California at the Good News Church of Christ Holiness conducting a youth revival. Elder C. Coldwell of the Church is assisting David. Six souls claimed Christ as their savior during a program of which David spoke on last month. Pray that the young man will continue in the Lord and will be successful in doing his will.

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The City Wide Mission will be conducting services at the Rescue Mission at 7:00 p.m., this Friday evening. All persons with a testimony, who would like to share it with friendless and destitute persons may do so Friday, during the hour long services rendered by the City Mission, at the Rescue Mission.

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The monthly meeting of the City Wide Mission will be held the second Sunday in July, at Pilgrim Church of Christ Holiness at 3 p.m. All Mission Societies of the area are invited to be in attendance. Elder Williams, is host pastor.

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A program concluding a five-day Vacation Bible school session at Bethel Baptist Church will be held Saturday night at 7:30 p.m. at the church, pastored by Rev. I. W. Wilson. Parents and friends of the children attending the sessions are invited to come out and witness what the children have learned during the week of the session. The children will present a variety of songs, Bible verses and Bible stories learned during the week.

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Weekly prayer services: Prayer services throughout the community are held on Tuesday morning at Bethel Baptist Church from 8:30 a.m. The Community Wide Prayer Band meets in the home of Sis. Arena Turpin, 1204 Cunningham Dr. each Tuesday from 9:00 a.m. At Goodwill Church of God in Christ, prayer services are held daily from 9:00 a.m. Attend the prayer meeting of your choice and be strong in the Lord.

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Please continue to pray for the sick and shut-ins everywhere, and in your prayers, pray for the success of our churches. Sick list: Blanche Jones, Jim and Margie Cleveland, Odessa Bowman, Mozelle Ellitoo, Addie Malone, Mary Miller, Pete Shaw, Lethaniel Dilligard, and the many others we don't know by name.

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11th Anniversary For Pastor A.J Thompson



Rev. & Mrs. A. J. Thompson were honored for his 11th anniversary as pastor of Victory Baptist Church, June 22-25, 1972. This was considered to be one of the best anniversary celebrations. It was sponsored by the Pastor's Aid Club, with Mrs. Mateal McClodden presiding.

L-R, Mrs. Mateal McClodden, Rev. A. J. Thompson, Mrs. A. J. Thompson, and Deacon Falson Jordan.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL



A successful week of Vacation Bible School held at the Cox Upper Room Church of God in Christ, 1117 North "F" Street, under the direction of Mrs. Otha Webb and Mrs. Earlene Ward.

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Abdul-baha Speaks on The Baha'i Principles

This is the fourth in a series of talks Abdul-baha gave to the Theosophical Society, in which he explains the principles of the Baha'i Faith. These principles were given by Baha'u'llah, Prophet-Founder of the Baha'i Faith, over one hundred years ago.

VII. - The seventh principle of Baha'u'llah is: The Equality of Men-equality before the Law. The Law must reign, and not the individual; thus will the world become a place of beauty and true brotherhood will be realized. Having attained solidarity, men will have found truth.

VIII. - The eighth principle of Baha'u'llah is: Universal Peace.

A Supreme Tribunal shall be elected by the people and governments of every nation, where members from each country and government shall assemble in unity. All disputes shall be brought before this Court, its mission being to prevent war.

IX. - The ninth principle of Baha'u'llah is: Questions.

Religion is concerned with things of the spirit, politics with things of the world. Religion has to work with the world of thought, whilst the field of politics lies with the world of external conditions.

It is the work of the clergy to educate the people, to instruct them, to give them good advice and teaching so that they may progress spiritually. With political questions they have nothing to do.

God is hope. God is now.

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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