

The Hughes Report



By Thomas F. Hughes

Crisis in the Churches

Recent burning of churches (4 at this writing) has created a crisis out of proportion. Fire insurance companies are threatening to cancel fire policies in our area. This would make it all but impossible to finance further church buildings or improvements. However there is a U.S. government program which will provide not only fire but burglary & theft through the Fair Plan, but of course the rates are considerably higher as this is similar to the assigned risk of automobile policies -- but it can be obtained.

Burnings in the white areas will produce the same results. It thus becomes important to band together in this situation for the mutual benefit. I have been advised that the white ministers have a Ministerial Alliance and blacks are invited to join. This is good, but it is to be hoped that this problem will cause a formation of a solid Black Ministers Alliance, since their problems are different.

It was beautiful to see on TV a cross section of our ministers entering a meeting with Sheriff Lamb in an effort to stop the church burning. Progress is the child of crisis.

I have long noted the tremendous power the 70,000 black churches could wield. Tie them in with other black oriented groups like NAACP, SCLC, A. Phillip Randolph, Black Panther, Operation Life, etc. and the potential is unlimited.

In Dr. J. H. Jackson's annual address of 1962 called "Another Milestone on the Road from Protest to Production" he stated: "The next forward step in racial development and progress will not be made by our white friends for their negro neighbors, but will be made by negroes for themselves. And this step depends not on what negroes can force others to give or do for them, but what negroes in the light of new opportunities will do for themselves and for the social order in which they live."

"We then must possess a new courage to face frankly the failures and shortcomings in our local community, and address ourselves with boldness to the correction of the same; for it takes far more courage to face the personal problems in our own lives and those in our immediate families and communities, than it does to analyze the shortcomings of those who oppose our growth and development. We must go from protest to production."

Let us move forward.

The wife and family of the late Mr. Henry Williams wish to thank all their friends for the beautiful flowers and many telegrams and cards and letters of condolence during their recent bereavement. May God bless you and keep each of you in his care always.

The Henry Williams Family



Reverend Charles Earl presenting the Gospel Healing Hour. Every Sunday morning from 10:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. on KVOV Radio. Anyone that would like to be prayed for can call 647-2688.

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CHURCH SERVICES

<p>SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH 1720 North J St., LV S.S. 9:30 AM - Wor. 11:00 AM H. Vanderberg, Minister</p>	<p>PRAYER HOUSE CHURCH of GOD IN CHRIST 1341 W. Blankenship, LV S.S. 9:45 AM - Wor. 12 NOON C.J. Johnson, Minister</p>	<p>THE FULL GOSPEL DELIVERANCE CENTER. 603 Van Buren, LV S.S. 10:00 - Wor. 12 NOON Mother Ladd, Minister</p>
<p>TRIED STONE BAPTIST CHURCH 1200 Lawry Ave., LV S.S. 9:30 AM - Wor. 11:00 AM C.C. Smith, Minister 648-8252</p>	<p>FIRST A.M.E CHURCH 2450 Revere Ave., NLV S.S. 9:30 AM - Wor. 11:00 AM Charles Wyatt, Minister 648-8730</p>	<p>PILGRIM CHURCH OF CHRIST HOLINESS U.S.A. 1515 North D Street Church-Study-Parsonage Elder, James Thrash, Pastor. 648-3648</p>
<p>GOODWILL CHURCH of GOD IN CHRIST 990 Hassel Ave., LV S.S. 9:30 AM - 12 Noon C. L. Murray, Minister</p>	<p>ST. JOHN MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH 1439 Lawry Ave., LV S.S. 9:30 AM - Wor. 11:00 AM Jenkins, Minister 648-2382</p>	<p>ST. PAUL CHURCH of GOD IN CHRIST 911 North G St., LV S.S. 10:00 - Wor. 12 NOON C. Hall, Minister 648-4230 - 648-2545</p>
<p>THE CHURCH of SCIENTOLOGY CHURCH SERVICE 2108 Industrial Road Sunday 8:00 P.M. 382-3561</p>	<p>TRUE LOVE MISSIONARY CHURCH 1941 North "H" Street S.S. 9:30 AM - Wor. 11:00 AM I.W. Wilson, Pastor 642-0219</p>	<p>ALLEN CHAPEL A.M.E. CHURCH 900 West Bonanza Su. F S.S. 9:30 AM - Wor. 11:00 AM Albert L. Dunn, Minister 647-1642</p>
<p>CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH 313 Madison Avenue S.S. 10:00 AM - Wor. 11:30 AM M.L. Carroll, Minister 648-4981</p>	<p>GRACE IMMANUEL M.B. CHURCH 815 Bartlett Street S.S. 9:45 AM - Wor. 11 AM C.L. Alexander, Pastor</p>	<p>CHRIST HOLY SANCTIFIED CHURCH 316 W. Madison Avenue S.S. 9:45 AM - Wor. 11:00 AM Elder, Herman Ishmael 648-9944</p>
<p>GREATER NEW JERUSALEM BAPTIST CHURCH 1100 North D St., LV S.S. 9:30 AM - Wor. 11:00 AM 648-9958 Rev. F. N. Addison, Pastor</p>	<p>GREATER FAITH BAPTIST CHURCH 2736 Chamberlain, NLV S.S. 9:45 AM - Wor. 11:00 AM Prentis Walker, Minister 648-1020</p>	<p>BETHEL BAPTIST CHURCH LV AM S.S. 9:30 AM - Wor. 11:00 AM Jesse Wesley, Minister 648-8663</p>
<p>MT. OLIVE MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH 621 Carey Ave., NLV S.S. 9:45 AM - Wor. 11:00 AM Raymond Harris, Minister 642-5663</p>	<p>PLEASANT GROVE BAPTIST CHURCH 1189 Hassel Ave., LV S.S. 9:30 AM - Wor. 11:00 AM J. L. Kemp, Minister</p>	<p>ST. JAMES BAPTIST CHURCH 311 Madison Ave., LV S.S. 9:30 AM - Wor. 11:00 AM Rev. Donald C. Blake 648-9690</p>
<p>ST. JAMES THE APOSTLE CATHOLIC CHURCH 821 North H. St. LV. Sun. Mass 10:30 AM-7:30 PM Holy Days 7:30 AM- 5:45 PM Father Larry Dunphy, O.F.M</p>	<p>MISSIONARY VICTORY BAPTIST CHURCH 1305 North E. St., LV S.S. 9:30 AM - Wor. 11:00 AM A. J. Thompson, Minister 648-9918</p>	<p>SECOND BAPTIST CHURCH 1209 North E. St., LV S.S. 9:30 AM - Wor. 11:00 AM V.C.L. Coleman, Minister 648-6155</p>
<p>MACEDONIA BAPTIST CHURCH 2610 Clayton St., NLV S.S. 9:30 AM - Wor. 11:00 AM J.E. Richardson, Minister</p>	<p>THE NEW MORNING STAR BAPTIST CHURCH 1221 J St., LV S.S. 9:45 - Wor. 11:00 A.B. Carr, Minister</p>	<p>COX UPPER ROOM CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST 1117 North F St., LV S.S. 9:30 AM - Wor. 11:45 AM E.N. Webb, Bishop 648-6856 - 648-4875</p>
<p>NEW LIGHT BAPTIST CHURCH 1165 Lawry Ave., LV S.S. 9:30 AM - Wor. 11:00 AM John Henry, Jr., Minister</p>	<p>ST. ANTHONY SPIRITUAL TEMPLE 304 Madison Ave., LV S.S. 9:30 AM - Wor. 7:30 PM B.J. Jackson, Minister 648-1843</p>	<p>CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST 1216 Adams LV S.S. 9:30 AM - Wor. 11:30 AM J.W. Logan, Minister 684-9992 - 648-1256</p>
<p>MOUNT CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH 977 Hassel St., LV S. S. 9:30 AM - Wor. 11:00 AM L.T. Peterson, Minister</p>	<p>VEGAS VIEW CHURCH of GOD IN CHRIST 1906 Glider, NLV S.S. 9:30 - Wor. 12 NOON C.H. Parson, Minister 642-6211</p>	<p>ST. JOHN CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST 2301 Comstock Dr., LV S.S. 9:30 AM - Wor. 12 NOON O.L. Jefferson, Minister</p>
<p>PALESTINE BAPTIST CHURCH 1425 Balzar Ave., LV S.S. 10:00 AM - Wor. 11:30 AM Frank Davis, Jr., Minister</p>	<p>PILGRIM REST MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH 1240 W. Adams Ave., LV S.S. 9:30 AM - Wor. 11:00 AM E. C. Kline, Minister 648-5666</p>	<p>HOUSE OF HOLINESS CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST 2301 I. St., LV S.S. 9:45 AM - Wor. 12 NOON M. Saunders, Minister</p>
<p>BETHANY BAPTIST CHURCH 1300 Gold Ave., LV S.S. 9:30 AM - Wor. 11:00 AM H. Atkinson, Minister 648-1154</p>	<p>THE MOST HIGH CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST 2717 York St., NLV S.S. 9:45 - Wor. 12 NOON James Washington, Minister 648-3464</p>	<p>KINGDOM HALL 1025 Balzar, LV Sun. Public Talk 2:00 PM Watchtower Study 3:00 PM</p>
<p>CHURCH OF CHRIST 2626 N. Highland, NLV Bible Study 10:00 AM Worship 11:00 AM 642-8782</p>	<p>MUHAMMAD'S TEMPLE of ISLAM NO. 75 615 Van Buren, LV Wed. 8:00 PM - Fri. 8:00 PM Sun. 2:00 PM Amos Muhammad, Minister</p>	<p>ZION METHODIST CHURCH 2108 North Revere, NLV S.S. 9:30 AM - Wor. 11:00 AM Marion Bennett, Minister 648-7806</p>
<p>FIRST CHURCH of GOD 827 Balzar, LV S.S. 9:45 AM - Wor. 11:00 J.L. Daniels, Minister 648-5248.</p>	<p>GOD CENTER DIVINE HEARING & PROPHECY 520 Van Buren at "F" St. S.S. 10:00 AM - Wor. 11:45 AM A.M. White, Minister 648-6141</p>	<p>GOLDEN VALLEY APOSTOLIC CHURCH 300-D E. Lake Mead Blvd., NLV S.S. 9:30 AM - Wor. 11:00 AM Elder C.E. Gamble, Pastor 870-2490</p>