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#### **Church News** By Mary Wilson **Church Reporter**

The Pilgrim Rest Baptist Church, 1240 West Adams Avenue, will present their YMA and YWA Annual Program, February 26 at 6 p.m. The theme will be "Coat of Many Colors." For more information call Sis. P. Whales, president, at 646-9761 anytime after 3 p.m. or Sis. Hardmon at 532-5889. On February 21, a Pre-Womens Day Program Womens Day Program entitled ''A Parade of Wedding Dresses'' featuring wedding dresses from the 40's 50's, 60's, 70's and 80's will be presented. For more information call Sis. Hardmon at 642-5889. The Pilgrim Rest Baptist Church is pastored by the Rev. M. Hardmon.

A Post Valentine Dance will be held in the Zion Methodist Church, 2108 North Revere Street, at 7:00 p.m. on February 21. This program is being presented by the Grace Immanuel Missionary Baptist Church, 805 West Bartlett Avenue, pastored by Rev. S.P. Parks. For more information call 647-5797.

Grace Immanuel The Baptist Church will be honoring their Senior Citizens on February 22 all day. Be there, won't you?

Mountain View The Assembly of God is having their Family Night Tuesday, February 17, at 7:00 p.m. All families are urged to come out and bring their loved ones. The Mountain View Assembly of God is pastored by E. Allen Ratta. Church location is 2075 No. Lamb Blvd.

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The Greater St. James Baptist Church, 317 Madison Avenue, will have its Black History program Sunday, February 22, at 3:00 p.m. It will be entitled "A Tribute to Special People, A Dream.' The St. James Baptist Church is pastored by Rev. J. Wayne Arnold.

The Progressive Church of God in Christ is in revival with the Elder J.E. BoBo nightly at 7:30 p.m. throughout this week. The Progressive COGIC is located at 814 West Bonanza Road, and is pastored by Elder B. McCurdy.

"The First Light" to be Presented in Concert

The Lay Organization of the First A.M.E. Church presents in concert on February 27 at 7:00 p.m. "The First Light" featuring Lou Ragland, Ron Paris and Barbara Watkins, along with Bro. Eddie Shields, Envoy, and The Gaston Five.

The pastor Rev. Eugene Winn invites all to attend the concert. The church is located at 2450 Revere, (just north of Carey) in North Las Vegas.

#### **Trinity Temple Hosts Choral Workshop**

Saturday, February 21st, Trinity Temple's Music Ministry will be hosting a full-day Choral Workshop, under the direction of Dr. Gary Bonner, Dean of the School of Music at Azusa Pacific University. Dr. Bonner is a respected choral conductor and clinician, who has been a dynamic force in developing one of the most respected music schools on a Christian college campus in the country. This is

a unique opportunity for church choirs in Las Vegas, and for individuals. Registration for the workshop will be \$10.00 per person for the full day. Registration includes the workshop, a music packet for each participant, and a light lunch.

734-2223 Call for additional information and pre-registration. Registration deadline is Monday, February 16 in order to guarantee a music packet and lunch reservation. Trinity Temple is located at 1000 E. St. Louis Ave., Phone 734-2223.

The Vegas View Church of God in Christ, 1906 Glider Street has Youth Activities and Jr. Church each Wednesday night beginning at 7:00 p.m. Bring your young people out to get involved in a well rounded church activity at an early age. The Vegas View Church will also have their Church Anniversary February 20-21, at 7:30 p.m. Friday and Saturday nights and at 3:00 p.m. on Sunday. The Vegas View COGIC is pastored by Elder/Supt. the C.H. Parsons.

## **Zion United Church Celebrates Black History Month**

The third Sunday of the

pioneer citizens of the West

Las Vegas community --

"Las Vegas Then and Now"

Almeta Moody, Clarence Ray

United Methodist Church will

Trombone'', by James

Weldon Johnson, in honor of

vanishing "Negro"

The church is located at

2801 Revere Street -- North

Las Vegas, Nevada and the

tribute will begin at 8:30

a.m. The public is invited.

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Zion United Methodist is indebted for their genius Church is celebrating Black and industry as pioneers in History Month with various art, literature and science. presentations.

On the first Sunday of celebration continued with a February, the Junior and commentary presented by Late Teen Sunday School "The classes presented History of Black Gospel Music'' -- an analysis of the -- featuring David Hoggard, origin and emotions which inspired songs such as, "Swing Low, Sweet Chariot" and "Somebody's Sweet and Woodrow Wilson. Calling My Name''

The second Sunday was conclude its celebration with assigned to the Adult and the presentation of "God's Senior Adult classes. Their presentation traced the Black heritage to the royalty of Cleopatra, then downward to preacher. Ham, the son of Noah, to whose decendents mankind

#### **CNN** Airing Great Moments in Black History this Month

In observance of February as Black History Month, CNN, Headline News and CNN Radio will be airing Black History Minutes, 60-second vignettes on black American who have made positive contributions to society and the betterment of the Negro condition.

The 28 ''Black History Minutes,'' one for each day of the month, air at different times throughout the day on CNN. Personalities, such as baseball great Henry Aaron, Mayor Tom Bradley of Los Angeles and Martin Luther King III, will host the segments, telling stories about men such as Jackie Robinson, the first black athlete to play Major League Baseball, and women like Marian Anderson, one of the greatest opera singers the world has ever known. The majority of CNN's "Black History Minutes," however, show the day to day struggles of average people dreams whose and determination have proved more powerful than the forces of ignorance and bigotry.

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### Women of Excellence Seminar at Trinity Temple February 21

Drifting...Not Hours In Your Day...Bored... or Too Many Projects? Come, Discover...The Time Of Your Life! Women of Excellence is presenting a mini-seminarworkshop, including a brunch, on February 21, 1987, 9:00 a.m. until noon.

Topics include, "Finding our Way", "A Unique Your Way'', 'A Unique Pattern'', ''Becoming a Woman of Excellence'', "Putting It All Together". This workshop on personal

#### **Think Healthy**

Quit smoking by attending the American Cancer Society's "Fresh Start" program. This free Quit Smoking Program will be held Feb. 23rd-26th from Noon to 1:00 or from 5:30 to 6:30. Call 798-6877 to register.

Enough development life and skills management is planned for teens and women of all ages! It will touch on seven vital areas of your life.

Betty Nybakken, instructor, has been conducting Women of Excellence Seminars for the past seven years.

The location is Trinity Temple, 1000 E. St. Louis Ave., Las Vegas. Please call Trinity Temple at 734-2223 for more information.

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