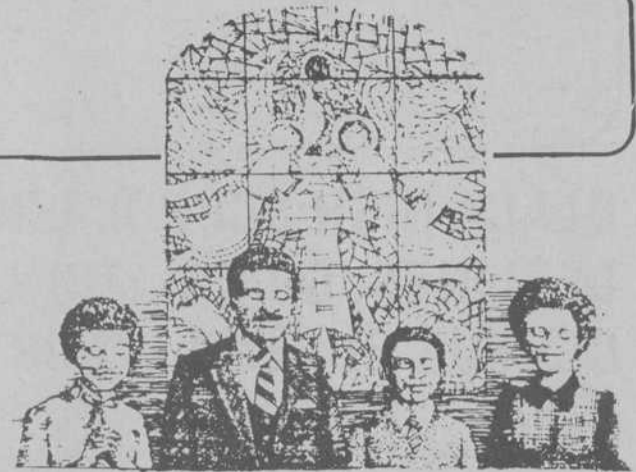


# Church



## Church News

By Mary Wilson  
Church Reporter

Prophet Perez Momon will be the speaker at the Revival being held at the St. John Church of God in Christ, 2301 Comstock Drive from Sunday, May 8 through Friday, May 13., nightly beginning at 7:30 p.m. For more information call 648-2524. The pastor is Elder O.L. Jefferson. Come Out And Enjoy The Refreshing

Word of the Lord!  
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The Levi Gospel Ensemble, in conjunction with the Grace Immanuel Baptist Church, presents the 2nd annual "Levi Awards" on Friday, May 13 beginning at 7:30 p.m. For more information, location and tickets, call 644-8372. The Grace Immanuel Baptist Church is

located at 805 Bartlett Avenue. The pastor of Grace Immanuel Church is Rev. S.P. Parks.  
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The Morning Star Church, 300 Lake Mead, will be having a Revival Monday, May 9 through Friday, May 13 starting at 6:30 p.m. nightly. The featured speaker will be Rev. Daryl Thomas. The pastor of the Morning Star Church is Rev. Joe Carter.  
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The Greater Carver Baptist Church, 1221 North "J" Street, will be celebrating their 44th Anniversary Wednesday, May 11 through Saturday, May 14 at 7:30 p.m. ending on Sunday, May 15 with services starting at 3:00 p.m. For more information call 648-4111. The pastor is Rev. R. Wilson.  
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The Most High Church of God in Christ will be celebrating their pastor's and wife's 22nd anniversary Thursday, May 12 through Sunday, May 15, starting at 7:30 p.m. and 3:00 p.m.

respectively. The Most High C.O.G.I.C. is located at 2217 York Street and the pastor is Elder James Washington. For more information call 648-3464.  
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The Pilgrim Church of Christ Holiness, U.S.A., 1515 North "D" Street, will be having their 3rd Annual PCHOCH Usher Board Program Day on Sunday, May 15 at 4:00 p.m. The information number is 648-6504. The pastor is Rev. David L. Harris.  
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On Thursday, May 12 at 7:00 p.m. Reverend Rogers will speak at the Greater Carver Baptist Church, 1221 North J. Street. Rev. James M. Rogers is the pastor of the Greater New Jerusalem Missionary Baptist Church, 1100 North "D" Street. Information number is 648-8438.  
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Saturday, May 14 at 7:00 p.m. there will be a Musical Fellowship with the Greater New Jerusalem Missionary Baptist Church and the Mt. Calvary Baptist Church of Indio, California. Come and hear good praises and songs lifting up the name of the Lord. The location is 1100 North "D" Street. Rev. James M. Rogers is pastor. For more information call 648-8438.  
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The Men of the Greater Evergreen Missionary Baptist Church, 1915 Lexington Street, will celebrate their annual Men's Day on Sunday May 15 at 3:30 p.m. Rev. Billy Casey, Executive Director of the Black Chamber of Commerce and Pastor of the Faith Bible Christian Center will be the speaker. For more information call 647-3071. The pastor is Rev. Nathaniel Whitney.  
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The Combined Voices of Victory will conduct their Annual Spring Music Workshop Monday, May 9 through Friday, May 13 with their Musical being presented on Sunday, May 15. For more information please call 648-2268. Rev. George DeBose is the pastor of the Victory Baptist Church, located at 500 W. Monroe Avenue.  
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The Ushers of the Second Baptist Church will be celebrating their Annual Day on Sunday, May 15, highlight-  
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## WORDS OF LIFE

"Gather the weeds first . . ."

—ST. MATTHEW 13:30

I. "Wash your hands and face . . .!" Company is coming. Or we are about to sit down to eat. But first, we must remove the unsightly and unseemly things. We want to be clean for company, for family fellowship and for friends. "Put on thy beautiful garments, O Jerusalem."

II. Weeds spread. They sprout out seedlings from their roots and choke out that which is good. Or, perhaps like dandelions, they use the winds to scatter their seemingly attractive seeds of destruction.

Some "weeds," in the form of vines, choke and kill the largest and strongest of trees. Hence, the wisdom of the divine words: "Gather the weeds first . . ."

III. Good cannot grow where evil is entrenched. God asks us to dis-entrench life's weeds and thorns. God asks us to help Him, as He seeks to free us from the fetters of self-centeredness which hinder growth into the measure of the stature of the fullness of our life . . . in Him.

All throughout life, we must root out the trouble spots and isolate the leprous in spirit, if the pure hands, clean hearts and open hands are to serve God as they should.

### PRAYER POEM

The hymn writer Phoebe Palmer has given us a remarkable but little-used hymn which speaks of our need to be cleansed.

Doubtless behind the unfamiliarity of this hymn is our reluctant to recognize that we need to be cleansed. Yet only as we are cleansed, may we be our very best.

The words of Phoebe Palmer's "The Cleansing Wave" should speak to our hearts of our need:

*Oh, now I see the crimson wave,  
The fountain deep and wide;  
Jesus, my Lord, mighty to save,  
Points to His wounded side.  
The cleansing stream I see, I see!  
I plunge and oh, it cleanseth me;  
Oh, praise the lord, it cleanseth me,  
It cleanseth me, yes it cleanseth me.*

*I rise to walk in heaven's light.  
Above the world and win;  
With hearts made pure and garments white,  
And Christ enthroned within.*

*Amazing grace! 'Tis heaven below  
To feel the blood applied;  
And Jesus, only Jesus knows,  
My Jesus crucified.*

Root out the weeds. Put the past behind. Put on the new man. Be robed in the garments of righteousness. Remove the weeds first from our lives.

Get back into the habit of church-bringing. Bring others back to church to share with you.

## Masjid Muhammad Services Scheduled In The Name of Allah, The Most Gracious, The Most Merciful

- Masjid Muhammad begins Jumah Prayer promptly at 12:00 p.m. Friday.
- Sisters class starts at 7:00 p.m. on Saturday (for women of all ages).
- Taleem & The Jr. Taleem Program (ages 3-15 years old) commences on Sunday at 1:00 p.m.
- Masjid Muhammad is open every night for The Isha Prayer.

**\*All Praise is due to Allah (The Creator)\***

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