

Church



Church News

By Mary Wilson
Church Reporter

The Bread of Life Deliverance Center presents "Tent Revival" Come Alive in '88, featuring Evangelist Darryl McCoy (Sunday, July 24 thru Wednesday, July 27), Evangelist A.B. Counce (Thursday, July 28 thru Sunday, July 31), and Evangelist Richard Lemacks (Monday, August 1 thru Sunday, August 7). The location will be at the Corner of Lake Meade & Highland. For more information call 647-2544 or 648-8844. Pastor: Rev. Simmie Richard.

The Combined Choirs of Grace Immanuel Baptist Church will have a Musical on Sunday, July 31 at 3:00 p.m. at 805 Bartlett Avenue. For more information call 647-5797. Pastor: Rev. S.P. Parks.

The Compassion Explosion Penecostal Temple, 304 E. Lake Meade, will be in a Revival Monday, July 25 thru Friday, July 29, 8:00 p.m. nightly, featuring Bishop

Tyrone R. Holland of Fort Worth, Texas. For more information call 648-5866. Overseer: Evangelist Irene Clark.

The Federation of Choirs will be held at the Evergreen Missionary Baptist Church on Sunday, July 24 at 3:00 p.m. Evergreen M.B.C. is located at 1915 Lexington Avenue. Pastor: Rev. Nathaniel Whitney. The Second Baptist Church, Rev. Willie Davis, pastor, will be the host Church. For more information call 648-6155/9665.

The State Sunday School Convention will be held at the St. John Church of God in Christ, 2301 Comstock Drive, Wednesday, July 20th thru Saturday, July 23. Pastor: Elder/Supt. O.L. Jefferson. For more information call 646-9700. Bishop E.N. Webb.

Friday, July 22 has been declared National Fast Day. Remember World Peace in your prayers.

The St. John Church of God in Christ will start their Vacation Bible School Monday, July 25 thru Saturday, July 30th, 6:00 - 8:00 p.m. nightly. For more information call 646-9700. The St. John C.O.G.I.C. is located at 2301 Comstock Drive. Pastor: Elder/Supt. O.L. Jefferson.

The Second Baptist Church, 500 W. Madison Avenue, will be having a Youth Music Workshop on Monday, July 25th. For more information call 648-6155. Pastor: Rev. Willie Davis.

The Zion Chapel Christian Center, 2108 North Revere Street, will be having a Birthday Banquet Celebration for their pastor, Rev. A.J. Thompson, on Saturday, July 23 at 7:00 p.m. Donation: \$10.00. For more information call Mamie Lewis at 647-6982.

The Greater New Jerusalem Missionary Baptist Church will be in fellowship with the Pilgrim Rest Missionary Bap-

AME ZION BISHOP FOGGIE TO BE HONORED FOR 50 YEARS SERVICE IN CHARLOTTE, NC

WASHINGTON — NNPA— The Rt. Rev. Charles Herbert Foggie of Philadelphia, the oldest Presiding Bishop of the African Methodist Episcopal Zion Church, will end a half-century of comprehensive ministry this year when he retires at the AME Zion General Conference in July in Charlotte, N.C.

At 76 years old, Bishop Foggie is still considered to be one of the outstanding preachers and leaders in the denomination, according to Presiding Elder Frederick W. Barnes of the Washington District. "I am thankful for the opportunity of having served for 12 years under the leadership of Bishop Foggie," said Reverend Barnes.

In his 52 years in the min-

istry as pastor and bishop, Reverend Foggie has preached in numerous countries and continents throughout the world, including Africa, China, England and South America. He served 20 years as a bishop, beginning with his election in May 1968, and served 16 years in his present episcopal area, the Third Episcopal District.

Last month the Bishop and his wife, Mrs. Madeline Foggie, were honored by approximately 1000 members and friends of the Philadelphia-Baltimore Conference of the AME Zion Church with a farewell banquet at the Hyatt Regency Hotel in Crystal City, VA. The Conference held its annual sessions May 25-29 at the John Wesley AME Zion Church in Washington, D.C.

In attendance were Bishops Cecil Bishop, Tenth Episcopal District; Clinton R. Coleman, Fifth District and James C. Hoggard, Fourth District. A native of Sumter, SC, Bishop Foggie was educated at Livingston College in Salisbury, NC, and Boston University Graduate School and School of Theology.

During his tenure in the Philadelphia-Baltimore Conference, Bishop Foggie was instrumental in establishing several mission churches, including Beth Shalom, Faith, Full Gospel, Heritage, Temple of Faith, E. Franklin Jackson, and Sons and Daughters of Christ. Founded seven years ago by Rev. John Cherry in Prince George's County in suburban Washington, Full Gospel is considered the fastest grow-

ing church in the denomination. "In my ministerial tenure, I have never seen any mission started with a prayer group of 22, increase to 4,500 (members) within 7 years," said Bishop Foggie.

As presiding bishop, the Right Reverend Foggie was instrumental in redeeming the conference's Ministerial Retirement Fund. His saving of the church's retirement and death benefits "blessed many ministers of this conference..." said Rev. W.W. Bowden, pastor of Union Wesley AME Zion Church. Foggie also appointed the Rev. Rena Karafa-Smart as the first woman presiding elder in the Third Episcopal District.

Last summer, he was recognized by the U.S. Congress and D.C. Delegate Walter E. Fauntroy for his 50 years of service. A flag was flown in his honor at the U.S. Capitol and the event became part of the Congressional Record. Congressman Fauntroy will present the flag to Bishop Foggie in Charlotte.

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Rev. Jesse D. Scott, pastor
646-1662 646-1510

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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