

# Church



## Church News

By Mary Wilson  
Church Reporter

The International Evangelists Raymond Kirkland and Bob Hall will be conducting Miracle Services at Victory Chapel Sunday, October 23 through Friday, October 28 at 7:30 p.m. nightly. Come expecting miraculous healings, marriages restored, and deliverance from drugs and alcohol. Victory Chapel is located at 2220 East Cheyenne Avenue in North Las Vegas (next to NAPA Auto Parts). For more information call 649-0157.

The Neway C.O.G.I.C., 1308 "D" Street, will be in a special midnight service featuring Evangelist Pickett of San Diego, California on Friday, October 28. For more information call 647-4645. Elder Harold Dorsey is the proud pastor.

Teh Zion Methodist Church, 2108 Revere Street, will have their Fall Carnival on Saturday, October 29 beginning at 1:00 p.m. For more information call 648-7806.

Rev. Marion Bennett is the pastor.

The St. John Baptist Church will host a musical featuring the Gloryland Singers of Las Vegas and the New Hope Messengers of Phoenix, Arizona on Saturday, October 29 at 7:00 p.m. The St. John Baptist Church is located at 1439 Lawry Avenue and is pastored by Rev. Tom Jenkins. For more information call 642-2382.

The Gospel Meadettes will celebrate their 16th Anniversary Saturday, October 29 at 7:30 p.m. and Sunday, October 30 at 3:00 p.m. These services will be held at Pleasant Grove Baptist Church, 1198 Hassell Avenue. The pastor is Rev. J.L. Kemp. For more information call 648-1645.

The Greater Faith Baptist Church, 2736 Chamberlain Lane, North Las Vegas, will have their Annual Women's Day Services on Sunday, October 30 at 3:00 p.m. For

more information please call 648-7564. Rev. Earl Henry is the pastor.

The Vegas View Church of God in Christ, 1906 Glider Avenue, North Las Vegas, will have Women's Day Services on Sunday, October 30. The guest speaker will be District Missionary Anderson. Come out and enjoy the Lord with us. For more information call 642-6211. Supt./Elder C. Parson is the proud pastor of Vegas View Church of God in Christ.

The Las Vegas Chapter of the Gospel Music Workshop of America presents "Songs of Zion" featuring Kenny Smith and Brothers in Christ of Los Angeles, California on Sunday, October 30 at 3:00 p.m. at the Greater St. James Baptist Church, 316 Madison Avenue. For more information call 646-4747. Rev. J. Wayne Arnold is the pastor of the Greater St. James Baptist Church.

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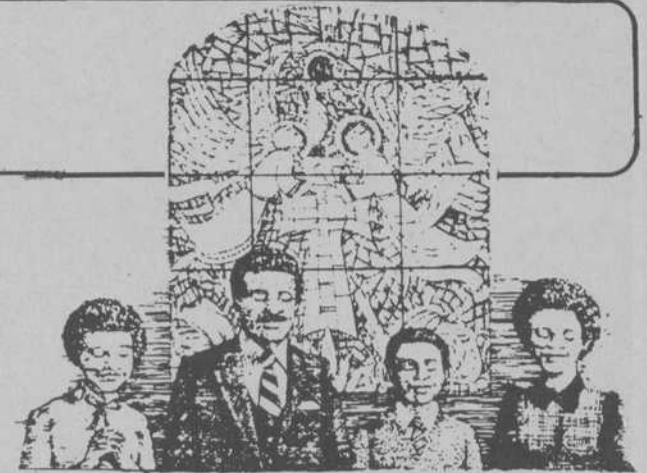
Southern Nevada will host a Pastor's Musical Seminar on Monday, October 31 and Nov. 1, 2, and 3 with services starting daily at 8:00 a.m. and nightly at 7:00 p.m. Lloyd C. Blue is the instructor. For more information call Pastor Harris at 648-6504.

Remember Monday, October 31 is Halloween. Pray that no harm will come to the children and that that night will be safe and a happy one.

Elder Melvin Sanders and Wife will be celebrating their anniversary Thursday, October 27 through Sunday, October 30. For more information call 648-9496. Elder Sanders is the pastor of the House of Holiness Church of God in Christ, located at 2301 North "H" Street. Come out and help them celebrate their anniversary.

The Second Baptist Church, 500 W. Madison Avenue, will have a "Homecoming Revival" Monday, October 31 through Friday, November 4. For more information call 648-6155. Rev. Willie Davis is the pastor.

The Vegas View C.O.G.I.C. will be having a Thrift Shop Yard Sale on Saturday, October 29 from 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. Come out and shop for bargains. The Vegas View C.O.G.I.C. is located at 1906 Glider Avenue in North Las Vegas, and is pastored by Supt./Elder Claude Parson.



## WORDS OF LIFE

"Let us make . . . songs of praise!"

—Psalm 95:2

**I. God loves praise.** King David, the actual or mythological psalmist, recognized the important life-truth that "even God loves praise." His actual words in this verse indicate that we should "make a joyful noise to Him."

"Shout it out!" "Let the world know it!" "Tell everyone!" Forget the melody; just let the words themselves be sweet!

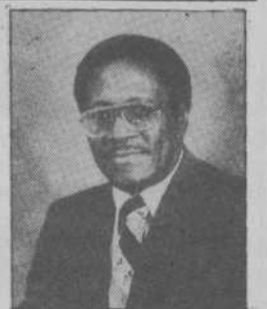
**II. Our dear ones love praise.** This is especially true of husbands and wives. We cannot "take one another for granted." Even God expects of us our daily prayers and hymns of praise. Our loves ones can live on nothing less. The principle here holds true for parents and children and for all who are "near and dear to us."

**III. Life itself should be an act or a song of praise.** Life is short. Time is precious. While we have time, make the most of it "with praise." What a wonderful day! What a wonderful life! What a wonderful God! What wonderful friends and family! God has made it all; and "we shall rejoice and be glad in it."

## THE NAACP AND YOU!



Rev. Jesse D. Scott  
President  
Las Vegas, NAACP



"A Tribute to Youth" is the theme of this year's NAACP Freedom Fund Banquet, which will be held Friday, November 4 at Bally's Grand Hotel-Casino. The prestigious event is sponsored by the Las Vegas Branch NAACP and is the major annual fundraiser for the local office.

This year, the keynote speaker will be the noted Chicago Civil rights attorney, Thomas N. Todd. Todd, a former classmate of Nevada State Senator Joe Neal at Southern University in Baton Rouge, Louisiana, is a practicing attorney in private practice in Chicago. Throughout his illustrious legal career, Todd, known as T.N.T., has fought relentlessly for equitable treatment of Blacks in the workplace, in public accommodations

Services were held at 11 a.m. Saturday in the Greater Evergreen Baptist Church. Burial was in Palm Memorial Park.

and in every conceivable arena.

According to Branch President Reverend Jesse D. Scott, Todd "promises to be a dynamic speaker, one who will inspire the community to greater heights." Indeed, Todd is renowned as an eloquent speaker, having delivered stirring keynote speeches to countless national groups over the span of his career. From humble beginnings, born in Demopolis, Alabama, Todd has risen to the height of his profession. He has been published and written about extensively. He has been chronicled in JET and EBONY magazines, and interviewed on network television. With all the accolades he has received, Todd remains proud that he is the product of historical Black colleges.

While Todd will be a centerpiece of the banquet, the young people on the Program will be the real focus. ACT-SO is an acronym for Afro-

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## ATTENTION!!!

All former members of the  
**CHRISTIAN CHURCH**  
(Disciples of Christ)  
living in Southern Nevada.

You are invited to become a part of  
a newly organized Fellowship of the  
**SECOND CHRISTIAN CHURCH**  
located at

950 West Owens Avenue  
Las Vegas, Nevada  
P.O. Box 5072, Las Vegas 89127

Sunday Services from 9:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.  
Mondays and Fridays — Bible Study - 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.

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

## Willie Brooks Dies at Age 74

Willie Hicks Brooks, 74, died Saturday in a local hospital. She was a Las Vegas resident since 1943.

A 10-year foster grandparent, she was born Nov. 7, 1913, in Merigo, Miss., and was the oldest member of the Greater Evergreen Baptist Church choir.

She is survived by her daughters, Virginia Brewster, De-Glorias Bass, Connie Wheeler and Shirley, all of Las Vegas; sons Walter and Allen, both of Las Vegas, and Eardie of Anchorage, Alaska; sisters, Havana Clark and Louise Graham, both of Los Angeles; brothers, Robert Hicks of Memphis, Tenn., and Aaron Hicks of Tallulah, La.; 16 grandchildren; and 13 great-grandchildren.