

# Church



## Church News

By Mary Wilson  
Church Reporter

Delayed Revival: Rev. Raymond Harris from Zion Flowers Baptist Church, Los Angeles, California, will be preaching nightly at 7:00 p.m., March 26 through March 28. A musical on Saturday, March 29 will feature many singers from Los Angeles. Come one and all for this important revival at the New Light Missionary Baptist Church, 1165 Lawry Street, where the Rev. John Henry, Jr. is pastor. For more information call 648-6410.

The Zion United Methodist Senior Usher Board presents its Third Annual Fashion Show "Different Countries of the World" on Saturday, March 24 at 7:30 P.M. in the Zion Educational Building, 2108 Revere Street, North Las Vegas, Nevada. For ticket information call the church at 648-7806. Rev. Marion Bennett is the Pastor.

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**Rev. Jesse D. Scott, Pastor**  
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## THE NAACP AND YOU!



Rev. Jesse D. Scott  
President  
Las Vegas, NAACP



### -NAACP Declares War-

On Monday night, March 19, 1990 - 7:00 P.M. in Heritage Hall, 940 W. Owens Avenue, the NAACP and the West Las Vegas community declared war on their enemies - banks that won't lend money and political office-holders who won't represent them. Their slogan is "Enough Is Enough."

If you live in postal zones 89030 and 89106, for the most part you live in the "redline" district - meaning you can't borrow as much money from the bank as others at the same rate of interest. The inference is that you are too great a risk. You either can't or won't repay the mortgage on your loan as others do. This is a misstatement of a fact. The truth of this matter is that African Americans are no better or worse than anyone else when it comes to paying their bills. In the meeting Monday night, it was agreed by unanimous vote that the committee on banking and

finance would continue its negotiations with the officials of several banks and we would deposit our monies with whatever bank agrees to make loans so that jobs and small businesses can be generated. An equal war has been declared on those absentee political office holders who have forgotten who put them into office in the first place. They are seldom seen in the community until election time and then they come hand-shaking, baby kissing and giving away hot dogs and red soda pop. Wake up Black people, and be ready to vote them out of office on election day.

The next NAACP Community Planning Committee meeting will take place Monday, April 2 at Greater New Jerusalem Baptist Church, 1100 North "D" Street at 7:00 p.m.

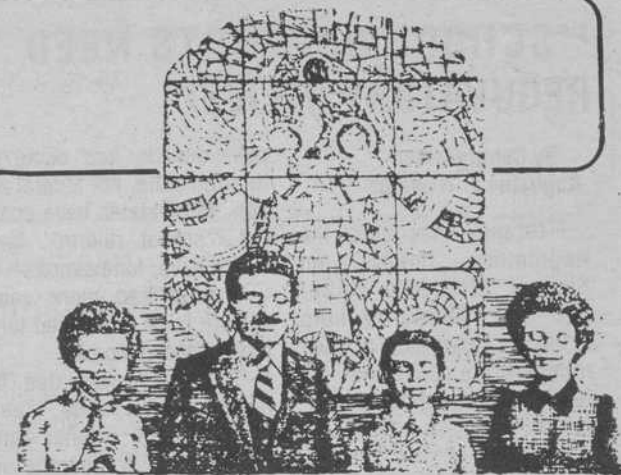
The Las Vegas Branch of the NAACP is announcing the formulation of a Selection and Nominating Committee to screen the applications of those who want to serve on the NAACP's Community Relations Committee.

The purpose of the committee is to receive and investigate citizen's complaints alleging police malpractice and/or brutality by the citizens of Clark County.

An attempt is being made to establish a committee whose diversity will represent white, black, brown and red people, through organizations and individuals who have the interest and willingness to assist in improving the relations between the Las Vegas Metropolitan Police Department and the citizens of Clark County.

All applications should be sent to the NAACP Office, P.O. Box 4887, Las Vegas, Nevada 89127. Applications must be received on or before April 1, 1990.

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## WORDS OF LIFE

### BIBLICAL INSPIRATION FOR THE WEEK

**"Come unto me, all ye that labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest." St. Matthew 11:28**

**1. Jesus calls us.** Have you ever stopped long enough to listen to the heavens? Those who do so will attest that there are heavenly voices calling to us, seeking to "lead, guide and direct" our hearts and minds...and footsteps.

Those who listen for the heavenly voices will also attest that Jesus calls. We can each hear "the Master's voice"--reminding us that in God we may find the respite we need from every burden, the relief we need from every moment's pain or grief.

**2. Is life's work hard?** If you think so then Jesus calls out especially to you. He says to each of us who are weary from our labor: "Come unto me, all ye that labor and are heavy laden." That sounds like a call that fits most of us if not, indeed, all of us--who are the world's historic "hewers of wood and drawers of water."

Place your burden down. Right here. Don't you see me with you? Can't you take me into your life? When you do, you will find that life almost miraculously changes...for good.

**3. God gives rest.** Rest does not always mean "nothing to do." Rest or relief may come from a change of pace. That is what God has for us, a change of pace--from imperfect work to perfect work--for God. In heaven, they serve God day and night.

Jesus offers perfect work in the place of bondage.

## Rev. Fauntroy To Give Up 'Power' in Congress to Run for D.C. Mayor

by Larry A. Still

(WASHINGTON, D.C. -- NNPA)-- Despite "overwhelming opposition from my wife, family and church members" Washington, D.C. minister-politician Walter E. Fauntroy shocked political observers by agreeing to a city-wide Draft Committee's appeal to give up his influential position in the U.S. Congress by "running" for Mayor of the District of Columbia to replace his accused friend and ally, Marion S. Barry.

Declaring that he discussed the matter with Barry before announcing his decision, Fauntroy told reporters he would not disclose the private conversation despite reports that the current mayor is disappointed. Meanwhile, Rev. Jesse Jackson confirmed his intentions not to run for D.C. mayor as he disclosed plans to "run for Senator" in a

"Shadow" election to dramatize the local residents' campaign to make the District the 51st State.

These startling actions were the latest in a series of dramatic events which still have citizens, business leaders and government officials reeling. And Congressional Delegate Fauntroy, who is serving his 19th year in the House of Representatives, announced his surprise decision just before leaving the city to lead a delegation of New Bethel Church members to the Holy Land for a two week visit. He asked the Draft Committee to expand their efforts to a campaign organization to raise funds and develop support.

"After weeks of pain and, at times, tearful consideration...of whether I can stop the hurt and pain that is tearing this nation's capital

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