

# RELIGION

## Church Announcements

### \*\*\* NOW OPEN! ROCK SOLID RECREATION CENTER

This is an exciting new facility used for indoor sports, recreation, and hangin' out. Some of the featured activities are basketball, volleyball, ping pong, pool, video games, food, music, and more. There is also a snack area, lounge, nursery, and restrooms. Rock Solid is a great place for the whole family. We are located at 800 N. Rancho Drive at Bonanza. The times for usage are as follows:

Sunday-1:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.  
\*Mon-Thurs.-4 p.m. - 10 p.m.  
Friday-4:00 p.m. - 11:00 p.m.  
Saturday-10:00p.m.-11:00p.m.  
\*Closed on Wed. from 7:00p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

Cal 221-6277 for more info.

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Warm Springs Baptist Church, 2075 E. Warm Springs Rd., will be hosting a weekend with Bob Laurent in November. The theme will be, "Connecting Points: Strengthening Life's Important Relationships," and will feature a get-together for youth and their parents, a men's breakfast, a seminar for parents, and more. Bob Laurent is the author of *Keeping Your Teen in Touch With God* and *Bring your Teen Back to God* and has been a featured guest on Focus on the Family. He holds a Ph.D. in Religious Education, specializing in Adolescent Psychology. He teaches Bible at Judson College in Elgin, Illinois, and has ministered to teens for 20 years. He is married & has 4 children.

Dates for the weekend event are Friday, November 6th, through Sunday, November 8th. For further

information call Warm Springs Baptist Church at 361-7070. All are welcome.

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St. James The Apostle Catholic Church Gentlemen's Club will hold its Korean Rib dinner on Saturday, November 7, 1992. Ticket purchases can be made now through November 5, 1992; by calling 646-6606 Tuesday, Wednesday, or Thursday between the hours of 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Proceeds from this fundraiser will go to benefit the St. James Scholarship Fund.

Tickets and dinners can be picked-up at St. James Parish Hall, 820 North H Street on Saturday, November 7 from 12:00 noon to 3:00 p.m. Ticket price - \$7.50.

We appreciate your assistance in making this fundraiser a success.

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Combach Christian Bible Training Institute (CCBTI) presents Youth For Christ, theme: "Equipping the Saints" Ephesians 4:12.

Featuring: Rev. Mario Billingsley - New Hope Baptist; Rev. Sigmond Joiner - New Light Baptist; Rev. Ed Jones - Evergreen Baptist; Rev. Charles McCall - Second Baptist; Rev. Jack Douglas - Holy Rock Baptist.

Monday - Friday, November 9th - 13th, at 7:00 p.m.

Musical Sunday, November 15th, at 3:00 p.m.

Guest Choirs: Greater New Jerusalem - Pastor J.M. Rogers, Sr.; New Bethel - Pastor J.L. Wesley; Greater St. James - Pastor D. Horn.

Place: COMMUNITY BAPTIST CHURCH, 245 East Foster Avenue, Henderson, NV. Rev. Sam Roberson, Pastor/Teacher.

For more information call - 648-

8180 or 565-0071.

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Church Women United of Greater Las Vegas will celebrate World Community Day on Friday, November 6, 1992, at Holy Spirit Lutheran Church, 6670 West Cheyenne Avenue. The theme will be "Discovering the Sacred Circle" written by Native American Christian Women from Oklahoma.

Registration 9 a.m. - Breakfast 9:30 a.m. - Service 10:30 a.m. Donation \$5.00.

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Full Gospel Business Men's Fellowship Men's meeting will be held 6:30 p.m., Saturday, November 7th, at the Bourbon Street Hotel & Casino, 120 E. Flamingo Rd., Las Vegas, NV. Guest speaker Dario Rabak, A National Director, has recently returned from Russia and will be speaking on the work of the Holy Spirit. The cost for the dinner meeting is \$12.00. Seating is limited. For reservations please call 898-2731.

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DEALING WITH TEENAGE PREGNANCY/SUICIDE/AIDS

Second Baptist Church Fellowship Hall Saturday, November 21, 1992, 10:00 a.m.

- Personal testimonies of once substance abusers.
- Medical advice from professional doctors.
- Various ways to deal with teenage problems.

Second Baptist Church, 500 West Madison Ave., Las Vegas NV, Rev. Willie Davis, Pastor.

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The Church of the Lord Jesus located at 1260 Bartlett, will be sponsoring their 11th Annual appreciation services in honor of District Elder and Sister Seward Victorian, with special guest speaker Prophet Evangelist Ferryl Barnes, November 18th-22nd.

For more information, please contact Evangelist Banks, 648-0861.

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The True Love Missionary Baptist Church is proud of our pastor and wife's 18 years of faithful service. Theme "Being A Pastor" Jeremiah 17:16 to express our love and appreciation for these two lovely people, we have services scheduled Friday, November 6, 1992, at 7:30 where Rev. Tom Jenkins, pastor of St. John B.C., will bring the

message. Sunday, Nov. 8, 1992 at 11:00 a.m. Rev. C.L. Birden, pastor of New Temple M.B.C.; Los Angeles, CA is the messenger. At our 3:00 p.m. service the Rev. Willie Davis of Second Baptist is the guest speaker.

Dinner will be served after morning service. Come and share in this historic celebration.

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1941 North "H" Street, (702) 648-3603.

Pastor: Rev. I.W. Wilson  
Church News: Linda B. Wright.

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## GOOD VIBRATIONS

# "I Believe In Miracles"

By Harold E. Palmer, Jr.  
Like a small boy who has taken apart a time clock to find what makes it run, society appears to have taken our world apart. We have found the wheels of life that make the ticks and discover what makes the hands move. But for all that, could it be, we have missed the mind that produced it and the spirited that sustain it. Today, we switch on the electric light or tune in on television or fly through the air with scarcely a moment's thought of the wonder of it all, because these things have been so quickly turned into accessories to our comfort.

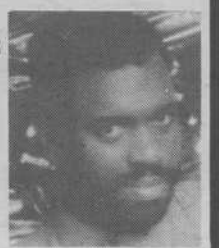
So it is little surprise to me that all around us is an increasing number of people who have ceased to wonder at the miracles in their lives. Sad to say interest in the miraculous has shifted from the point where it brought a vision of God's presence and power to a point, for some, if not many, where it represents a way to get something we want.

"But surely," says the voice of some, if not many, "in the face of modern science and universal law, you don't believe in miracles." "Indeed, I do-more than ever." After all, what is a miracle? Is it some strange phenomenon that violates all our expectations, with-

## ☆ GOSPEL'S TOP TEN ☆

FOR WEEK ENDING OCTOBER 24 1992

1. John P. Kee - WE WALK BY FAITH
2. Marvin Winans - PERFECTURE CHOIR
3. Rev. Milton Brunson & The Thompson Community Singers  
- MY MIND IS MADE UP
4. Rev. James Moore - LIVE IN DETROIT
5. Thomas Whitfield  
- ALIVE & SATISFIED
6. Daryl Coley  
- WHEN THE MUSIC STOPS
7. Hezekiah Walker/ Fellowship Crusade Choir  
- FOCUS ON GLORY
8. Rev. T. Wright/Chicago Interdenominational Mass Choir  
- I'M GLAD ABOUT IT
9. Mississippi Mass Choir - GOD GETS THE GLORY
10. Shirley Caesar - HE'S WORKING IT OUT FOR YOU.



JOHN P. KEE

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out rhyme or reason, injected into life just to prove that there is a God? Or is it something that the creator and sustainer of all that is good and beautiful and wonder, who holds the forces of the universe in His hands, uncovers in life to meet our deepest heart's desire, a gracious act of God that sets aglow the fires of expectancy and faith and renews our confidence in His presence and grace.

The secret of the miraculous does not lie in the voice within our soul responding to the beautiful and wonders of life that witnesses God's hand at every turn and stops and marvels at the grace of it all. "Yes, I believe in miracles. I have seen God's hand in my life-guiding me through the brokenness of my own earthly existence, strengthen me in the moments of my own human weakness and revealing to me the beauty of His grace that forever surrounds us"

The problem we face isn't that we live in a humdrum world, but that we live in it and seek no more than that in it, and so we see no more in it, missing the best, which life has to offer. Seeing miracles in life, is seeing God, in life and missing them is missing Him. And everything is an opportunity.

Take the opportunity to look beyond your struggle and pain.



HAROLD E. PALMER, JR.

Listen to songs of the birds in the sky, watch the glory of a gorgeous sunsets past you by, bear witness to the redemption of someone long given up as lost, stand with those who dedicate themselves in service and never count the cost." Only when we start witnessing to His presence and become "thankful," again over the small things in our life. Life with all of its beauty, its a glory, its miraculous possibilities and its abundant opportunities filled with the gifts of God's love.

"Seize the moment, it is worth it." Then you too shall feel the power out of a sense of passion and joy; that will have you say to the world; "I BELIEVE IN MIRACLES BECAUSE I HAVE SEEN A MIRACLE IN ME."

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1701 E. Oakey Blvd. • Las Vegas, NV 89104  
WORSHIP  
9:00 a.m. Jubilee Service Rev. Harold E. Palmer, Jr.  
10:30 a.m. Senior Pastor

**HOLY TRINITY AFRICAN METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH** 363-2358  
920 South Decatur Boulevard  
(Mt. View Lutheran Church Building)  
Sunday Worship Services  
2:00 p.m.  
Pastor  
Rev. Emanuel Wasson III