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## Brevard Methodist Church Holds Formal Opening

### New Faculty Members Added

President Emmett K. McLarty, Jr., of Brevard College, announces two new appointments to the faculty of Brevard College: Mrs. Elizabeth J. Holder, as librarian; and, Dr. Joseph F. Leete, to the Chemistry department.

Dr. Leete is a native of Pennsylvania and has done academic work at Pennsylvania State University, the American University at Cairo, Egypt, and the University of Greifswald in Germany, where he received his doctorate in chemistry.

He has taught at the American University in Cairo and the U. S. Naval Academy at Annapolis. While serving at the Academy, he was appointed for a tour of duty with the office of Strategic Services in the China, India, Burma theatre, where he was chief of the United Nations Relief and Rehabilitation service in Shanghai, China. He returned to naval duty and served with the foreign liquidation service.

Dr. Leete served on the faculty of Brevard College in 1950-51. For the past three years he has been a manufacturer's agent for Lakeside Engineering Corporation of Chicago, a firm which handles equipment for the treatment and disposal of municipal and industrial waste.

Dr. Leete will assume his teaching duties beginning with the spring semester. He and Mrs. Leete and their 10-year-old daughter, Susan, live at 220 Grove circle in Brevard. They are well-known in church and civic circles.

Mrs. Holder is a native of Winston-Salem and has done academic work in Duke University, Salem College, Columbia University, and the University of North Carolina. She holds an A. B. degree from Salem College and a Master of Science in Library Science from the University of North Carolina. Mrs. Holder has been Assistant Librarian at Salem College, assistant in children's work in the New York Public Library; and has served as reporter and staff artist on the Winston-Salem Journal and Sentinel and is at present on the staff of the Woman's College library of the University of North Carolina at Greensboro.

Mrs. Holder, together with her daughter, Elizabeth, will move to Brevard during the summer and will assume responsibilities as librarian before the opening of school for the fall semester, 1958.

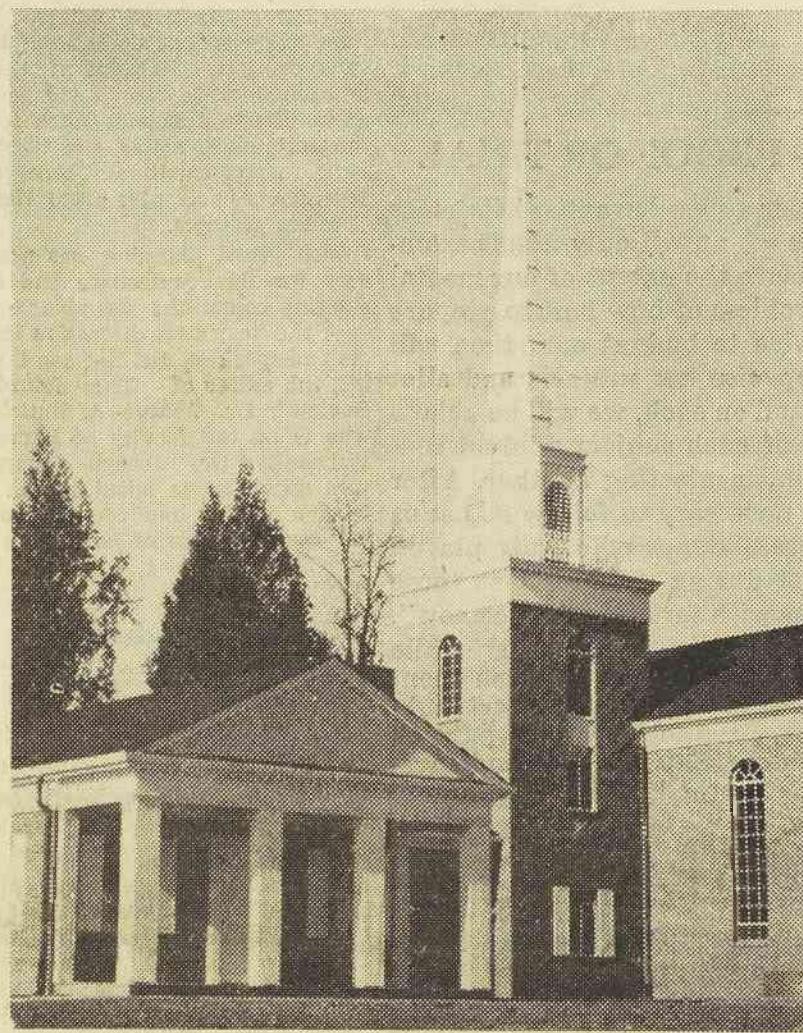
### Rumors And Comments

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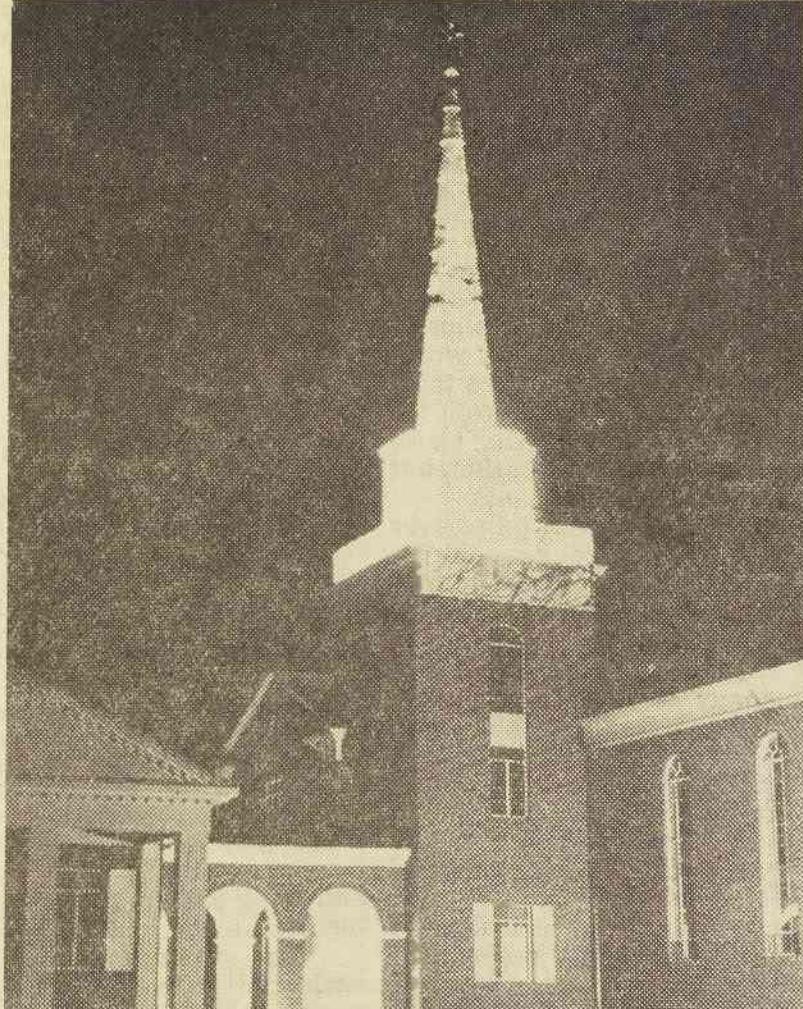
Dean Bennett reports that there are no plans for Brevard College to become a four-year college. The need for junior college level work increases as college enrollments grow by leaps and bounds. Developments at the college such as the planning for buildings and the securing of faculty members are being guided by the standards of four-year college work. This will insure the academic standards the college has already attained and have the college prepared for four-year level work in the event the future should warrant changes.

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### Day Or Night



### The New Methodist Church



### Is Beautiful and Inspiring

### Church Is Filled To Capacity

January 12, 1958, marked the formal opening of the Brevard Methodist Church. The Reverend J. W. Fitzgerald, District Superintendent, made the declaration and also shared the pulpit hour with the Reverend E. K. McLarty, President of Brevard College, and the Reverend Douglas Corriher, pastor of the Church.

Mr. Corriher, speaking on the topic of "The Church and The Community", stated that the Church should be the conscience of the community and should speak out when necessary. One should rejoice for critical preaching and not feel that the church is meddling. He also stated that the community should be the conscience of the church and speak out prophetically.

President McLarty spoke on "The Church and the College." He expressed the sentiment of the college toward the Church when he said that the college felt fortunate to have the Church as its closest neighbor. He called attention to the inseparable tie between religion and education, saying that religion without education was incomplete and that education without religion was inadequate. He pointed out that the Methodist Movement grew out of the heart of a dedicated student. The fellowship of prayer, praise, and learning shared between the church and the college should be approached with eagerness for each group and never be taken for granted. It is a privilege with responsibility.

Speaking on "The Church and the Kingdom", Mr. Fitzgerald said that one might find at Church a ladder from earth to heaven. He stated that it could be a gate to heaven and a means for a fuller life. He closed by giving his attitude or his philosophy of life in "The Church by the Side of the Road", which he had paraphrased from the familiar "House by the Side of the Road."

The Brevard College Choir, under the direction of Prof. Nelson Adams, provided the choral music for the formal opening.

### Evening Classes Being Instituted

Beginning with the spring semester five courses will be offered in the evening at Brevard College. It became necessary in the fall semester to offer Engineering Drawing in the evening as well as is the regular schedule.

Evening courses to be offered in addition are: General Chemistry, Mathematics 10, Salesmanship, and Reading Improvement. The lecture-recitation periods will be scheduled for Monday evenings from 6:30 to 9:30 and laboratories will be scheduled for Tuesday evenings. The courses will continue throughout the semester and will carry full college credit.

Regularly enrolled students will be registered for these courses as for any other in the curriculum though some attempt will be made to reserve room for special students from the town of Brevard and its outlying areas.