## Vanceboro Christian Church News

There will be several events at the Vanceboro Christian Church, observing the Easter Season.

On Thursday night at 7:30, April 19th, there will be the Maundy Thursday Night Candlelight Service, at which time the Lord's Supper will be celebrated.

On Saturday afternoon, April 21st, there will be an Easter Egg Hunt and picnic, beginning at 4:00 at the church.

On Easter Sunday morning, there will be a 6:00 Sunrise Service. Breakfast will follow, which will be cooked and served by the Christian Men's Fellowship.

Sunday School will be at the regular hour 10:00 a.m. The morning Worship Service will be at 11:00. The choir will sing "Christ Arose".

Members of the C.W.F. are asked to bring their Blessing Boxes at this time.

## The Bible on Trial

#### By REBA MITCHELL

Along the pathway of life we are often faced with questions of life and death. The blood is the life of all flesh. A body with disease is not pure. Removing the blood will not purify the body. The life or heart that is filled with sin is not pure. There is only one way to cleanse a sin sick heart or purify the life, that is through the blood of Jesus. Heb. 9:22-28. He that knew no sin paid the debt for us. He did not owe that debt but He loved us so much that He was willing to pay it. We owed the debt and could not pay it, if Jesus had not paid it we would all be lost with no hope for the future.

## In Memory

#### LILLIAN M ANDERSON

Mrs. Lillian Morris Anderson, 75, died Wednesday morning in Craven County Hospital in New Bern. She was a resident of Route 3, Vanceboro.

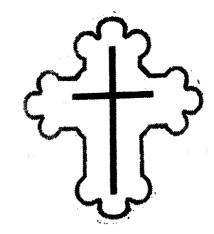
The funeral service was conducted at 3 p.m. Friday, April 13, in the Wilkerson Funeral Chapel in Vanceboro by Rev. Jay Price, pastor of West Vanceboro Church of God, and Rev. Sam Worthington, pastor of Bath Church of God. Burial was in Celestial Memorial Gardens in Vanceboro.

Mrs. Anderson was a native of Craven County and spent most her life in the Vanceboro community. She was a member of the Tabernacle Holiness Church.

She is survived by her husband, Levi Anderson; five sons: Lloyd Wiggins of Route, 2, Ayden, Howard Wiggins of Route 2, Vanceboro, Calvin Anderson and Johnny Ray Anderson, both of Route 1, Vanceboro and Jackie Anderson cf Route 3, Vanceboro; five daughters: Mrs. Reuben Cherry of Greensboro, Mrs. Ernest Morris of Route 2, Vanceboro, Mrs. Bobby Howard of Beaufort, Mrs. Elijah Riggs of Maysville, and Mrs. Larry Elswick of Princeton, West Virginia; one brother, Henry Morris of Route 2, Vanceboro; two sisters: Mrs. George Wilson of Vanceboro and Mrs. Ed Nelson of Ayden; eighteen grandchildren; and four great grandchildren.

## Sharing Good

## News



#### By DOROTHY FILLINGAME

The good news from the Word of God for this week comes from Luke 24:5-7.

When the women went to the burial place of our Lord Jesus Christ on the third day after he was crucified, they found two men in shining garments waiting for them.

As they were afraid and bowed down their faces to the earth, the angels of the Lord asked them this; "Why seek ye the living among the dead? He is not here, but is risen!"

They reminded the women how Jesus had spoken to them about these things while he was yet in Galilee. Jesus had talked to them about how the Son of man must be delivered into the hands of sinful men, and be crucified, and the third day rise again. After the Angels had spoken, they remembered Jesus' words.

As we gather together in Christian groups this Sunday in the Church of our choice, let us remember our risen Savior. Let us remember how our Lord died for a lost world. Our Holy Father raised our Savior, His only begotten Son, from the grave. Hs is risen! He overcame death, hell and the grave. Jesus Christ is alive and sits on the right hand of God in Heaven today.

Our Lord Jesus Christ, risen from the dead, became the first fruits of them that slept.

Concerning the resurrections, the Word says but every man in his own order: Christ the first fruits; afterward they that are Christ's at His coming. I Cor. 15:20-23.

Our Lord Jesus Christ has gone on before us to prepare a place for His church. He said if I go to prepare a place for you, I will come again, and receive you unto myself, that where I am, there ye may be also.

I'm looking forward to the day of my resurrection, should I go to the grave before our Savior comes. Alive or dead, I have His promise that He will descend from Heaven with a shout, with the voice of the archangel, and with the trump of God: and the dead in Christ shall rise first: and then all of us who are alive that belong to Him at His coming, shall be caught up together with them in the clouds to meet the Lord in the air: and so shall we ever be with the Lord.

Do you know this Risen Savior as your hope for eternal life? If not, won't you accept Him today, so you can be ready to meet Him on that great day of His coming for His Church? Come, follow our risen Savior all you who don't know Him.

# Pentecostal Assembly News

#### REVIVAL TO BE HELD

Pentecostal Assembly Church, State Camp Road, Vanceboro will hold Revival Services beginning April 23rd through May 5th at 7:30 p.m. nightly.

Evangelists will be Jim and Beatrice Dixon.

Everyone is invited to attend. Rev. Willie Smith is pastor.

## Tabernacle Holiness Church News

Revival is now in progress and will continue through Sunday morning.

Service each night at 7:30 p.m.

Homecoming Sunday, Rev. Wayne Kelly, guest speaker. Come and be with us.

## Fifth Sunday Night Singing

There will be a gospel sing April 29, 7:30 p.m. at Epworth United Methodist Church featuring the Taylor Family from Kinston. There is no admission charge and everyone is invited.



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## Revival!

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First Vanceboro Free Will Baptist Church

Time - 7:30 each night April 23rd throught April 27th The Evangelist - Rev. Johnny Bullman

The public is cordially invited - All denominations **Don't miss this dynamic speaker!** 



