

Church Notices

GRACE LUTHERAN CHURCH
Rev. E. T. Troutman, Pastor
(The Church of the Open Door)
Sunday School at 10:00 a. m.
Worship at 11:00 a. m.
Sermon topic: "The Mighty Voice."
Luther League at 8:00 p. m.
Lutheran Student Association at 8:30 p. m.
The February meeting of the Church Council at 7:15 p. m.
The quarterly meeting of the circles of the church women will be held in the Fellowship Hall, Monday evening at 7:00 with a covered-dish supper preceding the devotional and business meeting.
Junior Choir will meet Wednesday afternoon at 3:30.
Senior Choir rehearsal on Wednesday evening at 7:00 with Mrs. Walton Cole directing and Prof. Cole at the organ.
Come and worship (Plenty of parking space).

LUTHERAN PARISH
George W. Shufford, Pastor
Feb. 3—Pastor's vacation
Feb. 10—Pastor conducting preaching mission, Dallas, N. C.
Feb. 17—Bethany 11:00 a. m.; Holy Communion 2:30 p. m.
Feb. 24—Preaching Missions scheduled to begin.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
J. K. Parker, Jr., pastor.
Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.
Morning worship at 11:00 a. m.
There is a nursery kept for small children during this service, with a nurse on duty.
Westminster Fellowship at 5:45 p. m.
Circles of the women of the church meet the first Monday of each month; general meeting of the women of the church each third Monday.

ST. LUKE'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH
Sundays 9:30 a. m. morning prayer, Holy Communion 1st and 3rd Sundays.
10:30 a. m. Church School
6:00 p. m. Canterbury Club—All college students, faculty and interested persons invited.
Wednesdays 10:15 a. m. Holy Communion
9:00 a. m. Morning prayer daily except Saturday.

RUMPLE MEMORIAL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Blowing Rock, N. C.
The Rev. Walter K. Keys, D. D., minister.
Sunday:
9:30 a. m. Men's Bible Class—The Manse
10:00 a. m. Sunday School—The Chapel
11:00 a. m. Morning Worship—The Church
7:00 to 9:00 p. m. Pioneer and Young People's assembly—The Chapel
Wednesday:
3:15 p. m. Choir practices—The Church
7:30 p. m. Prayer meeting—The Chapel.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Blowing Rock, N. C.
Rev. G. Carlton Cox, pastor
Sunday School—10:00 a. m.
Worship service—11:00 p. m.
Sunday Evening service—8:00 p. m.
Prayer meeting Wednesday—8:00 p. m.
Choir rehearsal Wednesday—8:00 p. m.

BOONE CATHOLIC CHURCH
Miss Legion but first and second Sundays at 11:45; Other Sundays at 8:45.
BOONE METHODIST CHURCH
E. H. Lowman, pastor.
Sunday school—9:45.
Morning worship—11:00.
Methodist Youth Fellowship—6:30.
Choir rehearsal—Wednesday, 8:15.
Junior Choir—Friday, 3:30 to 4 p. m.
A cordial welcome to all.

Windy Gap News

Mr. and Mrs. Len Ward of Lynchburg, Va., visited home folks last week end.
Don Trivett remains seriously ill at his home here. He had as visitors last week his brothers, Russell and Bill of Ohio, Dan of Indiana, Dudley of Avery county. His children, Maud and Marie of Washington, D. C., J. D. of New York and Cloyd of Palm Springs, Fla., are spending a few days here.
Mr. and Mrs. Auburn Trivett and family were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jones Harmon last Sunday.
Luther Harmon and Ronald Ward were visitors in North Wilkesboro last week.
Miss Ruby Harmon is at home here after spending a few days in the hospital at Lenoir.
Lloyd Hagaman of Reese visited friends here last week end.

New Seed List Is Published

"The 1957 Seed List, showing sources of certified seed for spring planted crops, has just been published by the N. C. Crop Improvement Association," states John C. Rice, director of the association. He says the list gives the names, addresses, and crops certified of the 547 growers who are members of the association.
Rice claims the use of N. C. certified seed continues to increase in North Carolina as farmers are learning the value of planting seed of known origin and known performance. He adds that the year 1955 has been a good seed production year, with the exception of the areas adjacent to the coast where heavy rains in October caused some damage to seed crops in the area.
According to Rice, there was a slight increase in acreage of certified seed of cotton, Irish potatoes, sweet potatoes, and tobacco. The acreage of certified seed in production for seeding hybrid corn, soybeans, peanuts, and grain sorghum remained about constant with the previous year.
The Seed List contains 12 different crops and 54 varieties of these crops, states Rice. They were produced in 1956 for sale as certified seed in 1957. He adds that the blue certification tag with the seal attached to the bag is the farmer's evidence of certified seed.
Rice says farmers may obtain copies of the Seed List by writing the association's office at North Carolina State College in Raleigh or by contacting county agents or vocational agricultural teachers.



THE CLOSE RELATIONSHIP of civil defense and Ground Observer Corps is illustrated by this historic land office at Wintersville, Ohio, which serves today as Jefferson County Civil Defense headquarters and as a site for skywatchers in the Canton, Ohio, filter center area. Civil defense and the GOC cooperate very closely, and data supplied by the more than 11,000 GOC posts in the nation is used in alerting civil defense local and national units to action. (U. S. Air Force Photo)

Elementary School News

The first grade students in Mrs. Cottrell's grade were given a surprise party Wednesday afternoon. The occasion was Jane Dougherty's birthday anniversary, a former classmate of the students, who is spending the winter in Vero Beach, Florida. Jane planned the party before she left, keeping it a secret. Her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ruffy, brought cake and ice cream to serve to the class, and presented each child with a favor which Jane had sent. The favors were Florida souvenirs.
First Grade Presents Program
Miss Putnam's first grade students presented a program for the primary grades' in assembly Friday morning. The story of the Gingerbread Boy was dramatized in actions and songs by the class members. Larry Gragg was the Gingerbread Boy and Jane Miller was the little old lady. The cat was played by Mary Hartley; the pig by Patsy Brewer; the blue bird by Carol Greer; and the duck by Connie Edmisten. J. C. Trivett held up the stove and the tree was held by Betty Knight and Mike Carter. Narrators for the story were Walter Miller, Brenda Wey, L. D. Hagaman, Larry Norris, Kirk Edmisten, Terry Hollar, and Paula Steele. The Bible story was read by Beth Lawrence. The baton twirlers were Monnie Blanton, Terry Hollar, Brenda Wey, Linda Kay Price, Betty Ann Congleton, and Paula Steele. Those making the Merry Go Round were Billy Knight, Ronnie Reese, Harry Yates, and Ann Anderson, Butch Harrison, Randy Vines, Ruby Moritz, Bobby Ward, and Ted Greene.
Sixth Grade Presents Program
For the grammar grades' assembly on Friday morning, Mrs. Horton's sixth grade students presented a program. They recited the First Psalm and gave a play called "The Mish-Mash Bird", which was about a family who had bought a mish-mash bird by mistake. Twice daily there would be tours through the house. The family became worried, until finally the bird scared them by not telling the future or recalling the past years. The bird, who was very smart, could tell anything. The cast was as follows:
Mother, Kathryn Mast; father, Robert Matheson; their daughter, Ala Sue McGuire; their son, Tommy Taylor; Mr. Bickford, Edward Brown; Mrs. Bickford, Carolyn Hoover; Langford, Joe Todd; radio announcer, Jimmy Cottrell;

Appalachian Hi School

Miss Jean Childers, Home Demonstration Agent of Watauga County, discussed collars and other accents in clothing at the meeting of Appalachian High School Home Economics Club in the home economics department at the regular meeting Monday night, January 14.
The following serve the club as officers: Joyce Tuckwiller, president; Pat Proffit, vice-president; Pat Brown, secretary-treasurer; and Peggy Phillips, reporter.
The scheduled time for the next meeting is January 28.

Teen Canteen
As many persons know, and many do not, the Teen Canteen is one of the most popular organizations in Boone. It is an organization for young people—a place where teen-agers can go to dance, play all kinds of games, do anything else they like in the realm of relaxation. The most popular games are ping-pong and playing cards.
Although this is just the second year the Teen Canteen has been organized, it has had many leaders. At present, Mrs. Lawrence Owsley is director, with Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Dancy as assistants. The Canteen, on the upper end of town, opposite the Greene Buick Company, is open every Thursday from 7:00 to 10:00 p. m. All high school pupils are welcome to attend.

March Of Dimes Fund
Appalachian High School in regular assembly Thursday, January 24, raised \$127.41 for the polio drive—an average of \$2.83 per minute.
After a short talk by Joe Baird, guide, Bob Small three ornithologists, Griper, Baker Edmisten; Groaner, Junior Wilcox, Grunt, Roddy White; tourists, Barbara Yoder, Nancy Stephens, Eugenia Miller; The Mish-Mash Bird, Ronnie Clark; announcer, Gay Kirchner, stage helpers, Tommy Barnes and Stuart Oxentine.

student teacher of Miss Ruby Akers, teacher of eleventh grade English, groups paid to have teachers and students perform from the stage—songs, dances, quartettes, and readings.
Sheila Gilley and Joyce Littleton, seniors, were in charge of the program.

There is no substitute for accurate, complete records when computing income tax, say family living specialists at State College.

PANTS CAUSE ARREST
Amite, La.—A pair of trousers, abandoned in a burglarized grocery store, led to the arrest of Lorenze Powers on a charge of burglary. The pants provided the clue which enabled police to identify and arrest Powers after tracing him to Memphis, Tenn.

"DEAD DUCKS" FLY OFF
Granite, Okla.—Happy duck hunters Osborne Hunt and J. B. Reser laid the five ducks they had shot on the ground. Just then, another flight came over and they started firing away. In the meantime, two of the five "dead" ducks flew away.

NEWS ABOUT OUR Servicemen

SERVING IN HAWAII
35th Div., Hawaii—Army Pfc. John W. Baird, 22, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Baird, Route 1, Vilas, N. C., is assigned to the 25th Infantry Division in Hawaii.
Baird, a senior wireman in Headquarters Company of the 35th Regiment's 2nd Battalion, completed basic training at Fort Jackson, S. C., before arriving overseas last April.
He attended high school in Sugar Grove.

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THE SECRET

In another moment he will be getting up and walking toward you, eager to tell the secret of his calmness and strength. Will you listen? He has solved many problems, overcome much grief and temptation, been able to meet the conditions of every-day living, all because through the Church he has come in contact with the Source of all power. In the Church he has found companionship. Its worship services have brought faith, peace and serenity. Its activities have furnished an outlet for his creative abilities and energy. The Church has been a part of his life from boyhood. Through its various departments the needs of his life have been met. He has enjoyed the fellowship there and, looking back, he is able to trace his own growth.

Have you learned his secret? Wouldn't you like to know it? What the Church has done for him it can do for you. If you are young, it will help meet your problems. If you are older, it will bring satisfaction and peace.

THE CHURCH FOR ALL . . . ALL FOR THE CHURCH

The Church is the greatest factor on earth for the building of character and good citizenship. It is a storehouse of spiritual values. Without a strong Church, neither democracy nor civilization can survive. There are four sound reasons why every person should attend services regularly and support the Church. They are: (1) For his own sake. (2) For the sake of his children's sake. (3) For the sake of his community and nation. (4) For the sake of the Church itself, which needs his moral and material support. Plan to go to church regularly and read your Bible daily.

Day	Book	Chapter	Verses
Sunday	Proverbs	11	6-17
Monday	Proverbs	25	1-28
Tuesday	Isaiah	26	1-7
Wednesday	Isaiah	40	27-31
Thursday	Luke	4	1-13
Friday	Luke	11	1-11
Saturday	Acts	9	1-9

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NOTICE

Watauga County Taxpayers

Save by paying your 1956 County Taxes on or before February 2, 1957. 1 percent interest will be added February 2, 2 percent March 2, and 1/2 percent each month allowed to go unpaid thereafter.

ORVILLE FOSTER
TAX COLLECTOR

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