

The Bandon Chapel Notebook

By Maggie B.
HI, NEIGHBORS! I don't want to sound like a broken record but I have a compelling desire to emphasize the importance of NOW - life is sweet and sacred, the time to live and love is NOW. Be excited about living - be happy! Of course, it's up to you to develop happiness and joy - then, let your face show it to those around you. There is so much unrealized potential in all of us. We must keep growing, learn new things and share them. Deep inside each of us there is a need to love and to be loved. Don't hesitate to reach out to others in tenderness and love. When you do for others, you help yourself. If you've heard something good about someone, tell them about it! Pay compliments. I don't mean be insincere - look for good in everyone - it's there - then compliment them. Be slow to criticize or judge.

Reach out to others any way you can, especially to our elderly. These dear old folks have a wealth of knowledge they could share if we but asked - and - listened. Take time out NOW to brighten someone's day, make their load a little lighter. It doesn't hurt but will put a lilt in your voice and bounce in your step.

This verse titled "The Lonely, The Old, The Forgotten" by Alice E. Chase, will give you something to think about. Share it with me:

"She sits there waiting patiently and wipes away a tear, Wishing that a visitor would suddenly appear. Someone to say, "How are you?" and greet her with a smile. Someone to sit beside her and chat a little while.

It's hard for her to understand just what she's doing there. What happened to her family and friends who used to care? How come she's been abandoned like some old worn-out shoe? What crime has she committed? What bad thing did she do?

True, she has a bed to sleep in and she's sheltered from the rain, But there's precious little else to ease her loneliness and pain. She's only one of many in an oldster's home today Who finds the price for longer life is much too high to pay.

That picture could be quickly changed if all of us would spend Some extra time just visiting a relative or friend Who's shut away from all the things that once were held so dear And needs to be reminded at least someone is near . . .

To take her by the hand and say, 'How are you?' with a smile, And then sit close beside her and just love her for a while!"

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 'Twas great to open one's eyes to a new day, be able to get out of bed, bathe and dress unassisted and to enjoy the privilege of entering the church of one's choice on this Lord's Day to worship our Heavenly Father and thank Him for His countless blessings.

Those gathered for Sunday School at Bandon Chapel were enthusiastically welcomed by Supt. Stan Turbyfill and treated to a powerful lesson by Wm. F. Smith. It was entitled "Good News For All People", Acts 15:4-14, 19, 21. Butch brought out that within the church there is a great variety but we should not attempt to change people in the name of Christ just for the sake of change but we should strive to unify the Church in its purpose and work.

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 Prayer List: When God's people pray together, miracles DO happen. Please add our friends to your prayer list. Hilda Strickland is home in Arrowhead Beach to

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 "Happy Birthday" was sung by all in honor of Kent Rowley, Emma Inskip and Margaret Bunting as they placed their contributions in our Birthday Bank.

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 A beautifully decorated cake was delivered to Bandon Sunday morning, sent by Meta Mason in appreciation for all prayers and love shown to her while she was incapacitated. It was cut by Pastor Bob and served during the coffee break. It was delicious! Thank you, Meta.

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 The Worship Service at Bandon was a joy. Our Shepherd, Rev. Robert S. Harrell, had as his scripture Luke 15:1-24. Resume: In our scripture, Jesus is answering the question "What is God like?" He presents three parables: 1) A shepherd discovers one day that one of his sheep is missing - separated from the flock and the shepherd. Instead of being satisfied with the 99 sheep that were left, the shepherd could not rest until he went out and found the lost sheep. When it was found, there was great rejoicing. God is like that; 2) The lost coin: Although there were still nine coins left, the woman could not rest until she found the one lost - then she went out and told everyone so they could rejoice with her. God is like that; 3) The prodigal son: A father had two sons. He loved them both. One of them made a fool of himself but in spite of that fact, his father still loved him and rejoiced when he came to himself and came home. God is like a father who stands at the gate every day while a child is missing. He stands and waits patiently for that child. When the child comes back home even the angels rejoice.

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 CONGRATULATIONS, IT'S A BOY!! Stan and Lorraine Turbyfill are the proud parents of a brand new baby boy - NATHANIEL SCOTT TURBYFILL - born Friday afternoon at 4:39 at Chowan Hospital. He weighed in at 8 lbs-1 oz. and was 19-3/4 inches

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 The Edenton-Chowan Board of Education will hold its monthly meeting at 8:00 P.M. on Monday, May 2nd in the third floor conference room of the County Office Building.

Small businesses have been responsible for more than half of the new product and services innovations developed since World War II.

Letter To The Editor

Dear Editor:
 Attached is a copy of the formal response sent by this Association to the City of Virginia Beach concerning that City's actions to apply to the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers for a permit to withdraw water from Lake Gaston and construct a pipeline to transport the water for ultimate reuse in the City of Virginia Beach.

As you know, this Association has continuously expressed its opposition to this proposal and to any other form of resource removal from the Roanoke River Basin which does not demonstrate some value to the Basin's citizens, businesses or governments.

The letter to the City of Virginia Beach is self-explanatory, and I enclose it in full and complete text for you to use as you see fit.

I would point out to you that this Association is not simply in opposition to the proposed action by the City of Virginia Beach. We acknowledge that the City may have a water supply problem in the future, and we have met with City officials on several occasions to discuss this and related problems.

On the other hand, we have done considerable research into the problem and several potential solutions and feel strongly that there are other means by which all of the communities in Tidewater could resolve their water supply problems for the foreseeable future, at a significantly lower cost than the current proposed solution, and even more important without potential damage to the resources of the Roanoke River Basin.

Thus, it is out of a spirit of cooperation rather than simple opposition that we are at-

tempting to assist in the resolution of this very serious threat to the Roanoke River Basin. We are prepared to take whatever steps or actions necessary to protect the interests of the citizens of the Roanoke River Basin, and we will do so as appropriate. We sincerely hope, however, that a solution can be reached where all of the citizens of both areas involved can "win", rather than forcing an answer whereby one side would "win", and the other side "lose".

Thank you for your interest and support in this matter.

Sincerely,
 Jesse L. Fowler, Jr.
 Secretary-Treasurer

Hugh Salter, Executive Assistant

Hugh Salter of Beaufort has been named executive assistant for law enforcement relations for the N.C. Division of Marine Fisheries effective May 2, according to James A. Summers, acting director of Marine Fisheries.

Salter will replace Warren Lupton who retired from the position March 31. He will work from the Division's Morehead City Office.

Salter will be the Division's liaison with local, state, and federal law enforcement agencies. He will work with law enforcement officials and district attorneys throughout the coastal area to acquaint them with the operation of the Division's law enforcement program, and to develop lines of communication between them and Division enforcement personnel.

He served as U.S. Marshall for the Eastern District of North Carolina 1977-1981 and 1961-1969, and was Carteret County Sheriff 1953-1961.



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 - CAPE COLONY—Pleasant me with 3 bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, screened porch, stove, on 2 lots.
 - COLONY DRIVE — Del. ful 3 bedroom home, includes 2 baths, den, 1 room, a large kitchen, extras and a large lot.
 - MOBILE HOME—On 3 lots, 3 BR, two car garage, excellent condition. \$25,000.
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- ARROWHEAD BEACH—New 2 bedroom house on 2 lots. \$27,500.
- HISTORIC DISTRICT—Lovely 2-story frame house. Large country kitchen, dining room, 3 BR., 2 baths, 2 fireplaces.
- WATERFRONT — Albemarle Sound, 1/2 acre lot on Bella Vista Drive. \$26,500.
- IN THE COUNTRY—2 bedroom home on an acre of land, workshop. Central heat & air. Reduced to \$30,000.
- NEAR HANCOCK STATION—Home or mobile home site. 6 acre tract. \$5,000.
- ARROWHEAD BEACH—Attractive 3 bedroom home, living room, dining room, kitchen and bath. Situated on 3 wooded lots. \$19,500.
- HICKORY LANE—Great Room, Kitchen with convenient dining room, 3 bedroom, 2 baths, game room and large yard. \$60,000.
- HOME ON THE ALBEMARLE SOUND—Cape Colony, 2 story brick, 3 or 4 Bedrooms, L.R. with fireplace, Family Room with fireplace, large deck, workshop. Central heat and air. \$19,500.
- FANTASTIC BUY!—Country Club area. Owner must sell. 4 BR, brick ranch. 2000 sq. ft., 1/2 acre fenced lot. Garage, family room with fireplace, 9 1/2 per cent. Annual Percentage Rate.
- MORGAN PARK — Lovely 3 BR brick ranch in excellent condition, central heat and air, built-ins.
- NEAR TOWN—Attractive brick veneer home on 1/2 acre wooded lot, 3 BR, LR, den, dining area, 1 1/2 baths. Reduced to \$36,500.
- 4 BEDROOM HOME — On 2 acre lot. Convenient to town, 2 full baths, LR, family room w-woodstove, central air and oil furnace, 3 yrs. old, outbuildings. Reduced to \$39,500.
- BRICK HOME — Three BD, 2 baths, large livingroom with fireplace, dining room, kitchen. Well insulated. Central heat and air. Two car garage and workshop. \$49,500.
- APARTMENT HOUSE — Good location in town, 5 apartments, 3 lots. \$24,500.
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