

Prison Ministry, Food Banks Topics of Concern

Local prison ministry and the development of a Multi-County Meeting on Food Banks were the major subjects of the March 1 meeting of the coordinating committee of Robeson County Clergy and Laity Concerned.

Four members of the local prison ministry group presented information on the program and appealed for the development of a strong, multi-racial group of volunteers to visit with inmates at the minimum security facility outside Lumberton. The volunteer prison visitation program is a Yokefellow Ministry and part of a nation-wide effort to meet with inmates in the spirit of friendship and support. Local volunteers go to the prison every Wednesday night from 6:45-8:15. Besides the need for volunteers, the groups need churches, civic organizations, and individuals to help prepared refreshments, support the *Robeson Reporter*, a newspaper begun by inmates, and assist in helping to find jobs for inmates upon release. For more information on how churches, civic groups, and individuals can help, contact Ann and Jack Crain at 738-3345.

The Committee also decided to sponsor a Multi-County Meeting on the possibility of setting up a Food Bank in this area of N.C. With all the federal cutbacks and the rise of unemployment, the need for food has reached higher levels. A Food Bank is similar to a regular bank except the basic item of exchange is food, not money. A Food Bank is a center for surplus food provided by industries who wish to prevent usable food

from being wasted and desire a tax write off for their donated products. In turn, the food is distributed to any non profit organization serving the needy, ill, elderly, and children.

Churches, civic groups and community organizations that are non profit are eligible to purchase any products from the Food Bank for 10 cents per pound of food. The meeting on Food Banks is scheduled for Tuesday, April 6 at 1:00 p.m. at the House, the Home of the Baptist Student Organization across from the PSU Performing Arts Center. Ms. Barbara Oats, the Director of the Food Banks in N.C. will be present to speak and show a film on Food Banks. Concerned citizens, churches, community agencies, industries, and civic groups are invited to have representatives attend the meeting. This multi-county meeting is open to representatives from Robeson, Bladen, Hoke and Columbus Counties. For more information, contact Rev. Mac Legerton at 521-3269 or Rev. Ray Jones at 628-6346.

In other business, Rev. Jones reported on his trip to a training center in Louisiana and the Committee received staff reports on activities during February.

Separation of church and state is still the foundation of religious political freedom.

How would you feel if everyone in town knew how much you put in the collection plate at church last Sunday?

HOME BUYER CLINIC

By Thomas S. McDonald
President-Elect
American Land Title Association

Retained Rights

Before buying a home, remember that previous owners can retain rights in real estate after it is sold.

The buyer of a home in the midwest was abruptly reminded of this fact when a neighbor unexpectedly demanded removal of a fence just erected on his newly acquired property. As it turned out, the neighbor was a previous owner of the buyer's real estate and had reserved an easement across the property before selling.

Although the buyer was unaware of it at time of purchase, the easement allowed the neighbor to plant and maintain trees, shrubs, foliage and ground cover on the land he formerly owned. When the buyer erected a fence that interfered with this planned use, the neighbor objected.

Under coverage of the buyer's policy of owner's title insurance obtained when he purchased the property, the title company resolved the problem and paid for removing the fence to protect him against financial loss.

Owner's title insurance safeguards against problems including those a search of public records may not disclose, such as previously undetected easement. Coverage includes payment for defending against an attack on title as insured and either clearing up title problems or payment of valid claims as the policy provides.

For free information on home buying precautions, write American Land Title Association, Box 566, Washington, D.C. 20044.

SPELLING BEE WINNERS

In preparation for the state level competition spelling bee Pembroke Elementary School held its annual spell-down for the winners of the fourth, fifth, and sixth grades Feb. 19, 1982.

Competing for the fourth grade was Nanci Paige Locklear, Jermerv Park Bullard,

for the fifth grade and Kimberly Rayas for the sixth. After a challenging confrontation, Nansi emerged as the school winner. She will now face the county school winners. Congratulations to Nansi and her parents, Mr. Chris Locklear and Dr. Cheryl Ransom Locklear.



Shown left to right are Nanci Paige Locklear (Ms. Shirley Locklear homeroom teacher); Jeremy Park Bullard (Ms. Cathy Chavis homeroom teacher); and Kimberly Rayas (Ms. Ella Jacobs homeroom teacher).

NASHVILLE MUSIC CLUB

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Mt. Airy News

by Violet Locklear

As I have been sick a lot here lately, I find love is not gone. Many things came my way, so I thought about this little poem that has always dwelled with me alot in the past five years. Give me a friend always, instead of money.

SOMEONE CARES

Thank you, God, for little things that often come our way. The things we take for granted but don't mention when we pray.

The unexpected courtesy, the thoughtful kindly deed—a hand reached out to help us in the time of sudden need—Oh make us more aware, Dear God, of little daily graces, That comes to us with "sweet surprises" from never dream ed of places. If a person gives you his time, he can give you no more precious gift.

Don't forget our singing the second Sunday night, March 14. Rev. Ken Simmons and the Simmons Family of Clinton, NC will be with us all day with Ken bringing the morning message. They will all join in for the singing that night starting at 6 p.m. This is the pastor's wife's family. All choirs are invited to attend. If you haven't heard the Simmons family, make it a point to come. They can really thrill your heart.

Neither wealth nor position makes a man a gentleman; neither does poverty prevent a man from being a gentleman.

Those who have been waiting for cooler weather will soon get it, and pay for it in the form of heating bills.

The man who tried to work all day and night, too, isn't always the fellow who gets the most work done.

Adults who fail to take care of their children are the ones who complain later that the young people have little respect for their elders.

Revival begins March 21-28. Assisting our pastor will be Rev. James Dial, pastor of South Broadway Baptist Church from Baltimore, Md. Sure hope we have one of remembrance. I am looking forward to being able to attend. I have heard Rev. Dial some two years ago. He is a wonderful speaker.

Miss Trudie Locklear who had been a patient some three weeks in Southeastern General Hospital, was moved to McCain Hospital Tuesday. She is the daughter of Rev. Sanford Locklear. Her condition remains unsatisfactory.

Mrs. Loraine Sampson returned home Tuesday from Southeastern General Hospital. Her condition is improving.

We still have many sick ones in our community. Please remember them all in your prayers.

BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. Terry Locklear are the proud parents of a baby daughter, Terri Lynn, weight 7 lb. 15 oz. Born Feb. 16 at Southeastern General Hospital. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Hosie Locklear of Lumberton. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Bill Buck Locklear. This is the Locklears' third daughter.

DEEPEST SYMPATHY

To the family of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Locklear in the loss of their son Geno. Dear ones, I have a peace of mind concerning you all for I know that you are not alone in meeting your problems. God is with you. His spirit in you is your light, your guide, your ever present help.

In any adversity, God's presence sustains you. His love enfolds you. His power protects you. Parting from our loved ones is something we cannot escape. But yet we are never prepared for it. May God be with you all and especially his dear wife. Read Psalms 107:28.

IN MEMORY

In memory of Mr. Rudolph Sampson who departed this life March 9, 1981. There is an open gate at the end of road, through which each must go alone. And there is a light we cannot see. Our father claims his own. Beyond the gate our loved ones find happiness and rest. And there is comfort in the thought that a loving God knows best. Rudolph, you will always be remembered because you were loved so much by us all. Sleep on and take your rest for you deserve the best.

Violet and Family
and Friends

Pharmacist
Howard Brooks
Pembroke Drug Center
Odum and W. 3rd, Pembroke, NC



Bathroom no place for drugs

As popular and traditional as it is, the bathroom cabinet is by no means the best place to store medicines. In fact, it can be a "booby trap." Drugs kept in bathrooms become over-exposed to light, heat, and dampness and deteriorate quickly. They're also too accessible to young children. My advice is to keep medicines in a lockable container or closet, out of a youngster's reach, in a cool, dark, dry location. At today's prices, when every penny counts, bathroom storage of drugs can be both risky and expensive.

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BACKACHE.

The little pain that lasts and lasts.

Back pain often starts small. Sometimes it disappears; usually it returns; often it gets worse. If left untreated, back pain can linger for years as a nagging reminder that all is not well.

Your job may be the culprit; you may sit all day hunched over a desk; you may lift heavy objects; you may be constantly bending over, caring for children. These are common causes of misaligned vertebrae of the spine and may be good reasons why you have back pain.

And because the spine is a complex system which is connected to other areas of your body, misaligned vertebrae in the spine can also be the reason for tension, stiffness, fatigue and more specifically, constipation and headaches.

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Woodell entertains Kiwanians

Pembroke Kiwanis met at the Town and Country Restaurant Tuesday evening. Adolph Dial, Program Chairman for the meeting, introduced Braddy Woodell, guitarist, who presented a program of religious and folk music.

Mr. Woodell is a veteran musician, now 82 years young! He is a native of Pembroke now residing at Russell Street. During his many years on the road he played with the Seminole Indians of Florida, in Sioux City, Iowa and St. Louis among many others. He plays both the guitar and the harmonica and interspersed his music with comments on his travels over the years.

Presiding at the meeting was Club President John L. Carter. The invocation was given by Ed Teets and singing was led by Lankford Godwin with Ira Pate Lowry, accompanist.

Earl Hawley, Morris Wade, Cecil Register, and Marvin Marshall of the Dunn Kiwanis Club were guests at the meeting.

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