

CHURCH NEWS



DEDICATION OF FIRST LEDGE ROCK IS PLANNED

A week of Dedicatory Services will be observed at First Ledge Rock Baptist Church on Redwood Road April 9-13. Local and area ministers, choirs and congregation will be responsible for nightly services beginning at 7 p.m.

Monday, Rev. D. H. Bell, Bell-Yeager Freewill Baptist, assisted by Rev. Edward Bell; Tuesday, Rev. W.R. McNeal, Greenfield and Mt. Vernon Baptist Churches, Creedmoor; Wednesday, Rev. P.R. Jones, Rogers Grove Baptist, assisted

TO PRESENT CONCERT
The Mount Zion Gospel Chorus will present a concert on Sunday, April 1, at 4 p.m., at the church, 2315 Fayetteville Street. The public is invited. Rev. Donald O. Fozard is the pastor.

Cornerstone Service, Anniversary To Be Held at Bell-Yeager Church

Cornerstone Services will be held on Saturday, March 31 at 1 p.m. at Bell Yeager Freewill Baptist Church. Rev. W.E. Daye, Pastor of Peace Missionary Baptist Church, and Congregation will render service for the occasion.

The Cornerstone Laying Ceremony will be performed jointly by the Prince Hall Masonic Lodges of Durham; Doric Lodge 28, Dorcas Lodge No. 460, A.S. Hunger Lodge No. 825 and Shepard Memorial Lodge No. 849 with representatives of Eastern Stars from Drucilla, Prospect, and Non-Pariell Chapters, and also Past-Masters from the Fourteenth District Past-Masters Council of North Carolina. Otis M. Thorpe Jr., P.R.W.M. of the Past-Masters Council, has been appointed to conduct



REV. DAYE

the ceremony. Sunday, April 1st will mark the Fifth Anniversary of Bell-Yeager Freewill Baptist Church. Anniversary Day will begin with Sunday School at 9:30 a.m., 11 a.m. Worship Service with Dr. David H. Bell, Pastor, Fellowship Dinner to be served at 2 O'Clock and followed by an Anni-



OTIS THORPE, JR.

versary Message to be delivered by Rev. Thurman Hariston, Pastor of Ebenezer Baptist Church. Rev. Hariston will be accompanied by his Congregation.

Bell-Yeager Freewill Baptist Church was organized March 26th 1974. The Church's name was derived from a combination of its pastor, David H. Bell, D.D. and C. R. Yeager, Philanthropist of Attleboro, Mass. First worship services were held at Arney's Funeral Chapel. Since the date of organizing, Bell-Yeager has made many great ac-

complishments. According to Public Relations Director, Floyd E. Leonard, Bell-Yeager has achieved an enrollment of approx. 275; groundbreaking, June 14, 1974; friends, churches and other establishments, who opened their doors to allow us a place to worship; and completion and occupancy of its edifice located 128 E. Cornwallis Rd. August 13, 1978.

Colfax Street. Guest speaker for this occasion will be the Reverend B.A. Mack, pastor of the Morehead Avenue Baptist Church, along with his choir and congregation. The public is cordially invited.

MONTHLY MEETING HELD

The Floral Board of the Oak Grove Freewill Baptist Church held its monthly meeting Sunday, March 25, at the home of Mrs. Ezebell Green, 1610 Green Street.

Devotion was conducted by Mrs. Cora Office with Mrs. Willie McKeithan presiding as president.

Delicious refreshments were served by the hostess to: Mmes. Pattie Dodson, Maude James, Jessie McCrae, Cora Office Ovella Lumpkin, Maude McCollum, Essie Whitley, Mary Cates, Willie McKeithan, Virginia Stone, Carrie McCrae, Dillie Judkins, Helen Solomon, Bluford Myles, Florence Boyd, and Josanne Fryar

The next meeting will be held on April 22, at the home of Mrs. Josanne Fryar.

RENDER SERVICE IN SOUTH CAROLINA

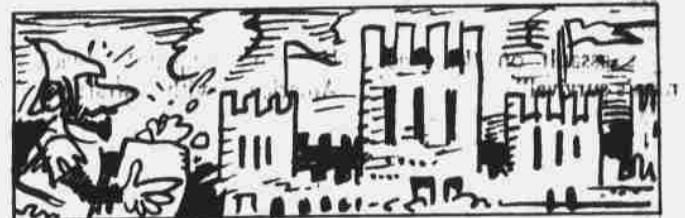
The pastor, Bishop John Russell, Jr., and members of Bible Way Church, Durham, went by chartered bus to Columbia, S.C., March 17-18, to participate in the Eleventh Anniversary celebration of Bishop Frank Brooks of the Hephzibah Apostolic Holiness Church.

Overseer and Mrs. Meadows will sponsor a building fund program on Sunday night, April 1 at 7:30 at Bible Way Apostolic Temple. On Tuesday night, regular Bible teaching will be held and on Friday night, Tarry Service is scheduled.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to extend sincere thanks and appreciation for the many acts of kindness during our recent illness and bereavement. Your visits, messages, flowers and other acts of thoughtfulness was a great source of consolation.

THE FAMILY OF HAYWOOD ROYSTER



To preserve food, French kings used to import ice from Norway and put it in specially built rooms in castle cellars.

BLACK CAMPUS MINISTRY TO SPONSOR SPRING REVIVAL

The Duke University Black Campus Ministry will sponsor a Spring Revival April 2, 3, and 4th. The theme of the revival will be "The Passion of Christ and the Liberation of the Spirit".

Among the speakers for the revival will be the Reverend Ben Chavis, for the Wednesday night services at the Duke Chapel, Rev. Donald Fozard, and the Mount Zion Youth Choir, Monday night 7-8:30 p.m. The Rev. Jerry Saunders and the Voices of Peace Missionary Baptist Choir.

Wednesday night services will be in tribute to the Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. The Rev. Ben Chavis will speak and music will be provided by the Modern Black Mass Choir of Duke University.

All citizens are cordially invited to share in the revival.

CLASS OBSERVES 40TH ANNIVERSARY

The Kingdom Seekers Bible Class of Mount Vernon Baptist Church observed its fortieth anniversary recently at the Church with Dr. W.T. Biglow, his choirs, ushers and congregation as special guests.

Other Bible classes and clubs of the city were in attendance. Mrs. E.H. Fogle, teacher of the class, gave the welcome. Mrs. Georgia Thompson presented the speaker.

Financial reports from captains and offering were taken. Dr. Percy L. High, pastor of Mount Vernon, presented a plaque from the class commemorating 37 years of dedicated service, to Mrs. Thompson, president of the class. Mrs. Ollie White, first vice president, presided over the service.

REV. NANCY GRADY TO PREACH AT WHITE ROCK

The Rev. Nancy R. Grady, Associate Minister of Lakeview Baptist Church, Durham, will preach at White Rock Baptist Church, Sunday, April 1, 6 p.m., in the last Series of Women Preaching.

The Rev. Grady is a native of Columbus, Ohio, where she attended Franklin University and Ohio State University. She was a member of Maynard Avenue Baptist Church where her father, the Rev. Robert L. Clark, serves as pastor. At Maynard, she served on the Deacons Board and as President of the Young Adult Outreach Group. In community service in Columbus, she was a member of the League of Women Voters, President of Concerned Citizens, Liaison for Lincoln County School Board, and Recording Treasurer of the Child Guidance League. She has lived and traveled in Europe and the Orient.

She is employed in the Technical Support Division of Northern Telecom, Inc., Creedmoor; and serves in the Durham community as a member of S.C.L.C. and the Durham Interdenominational Ministerial Alliance.

The Rev. Grady is married to Ronald H. Grady, a building contractor in Durham; and they are the parents of two daughters, Victoria and Tandra.

The Gospel Choir of Lakeview Baptist Church will lead the singing. The public is invited.

BIBLE CLASSES TO CELEBRATE

The Turner Bible Class and the Nannie Jones Bible Class of Fisher Memorial United Holy Church will jointly celebrate their anniversaries on Sunday, April 1 at 6:30 p.m.

Rev. W.M. Freeman, minister of Kyles Temple AME Zion Church will be the speaker. His choir and congregation will also participate. The public is invited to attend.



REV. HAIRSTON



REV. NANCY GRADY

EBENEZER JUNIOR USHERS CELEBRATE ANNIVERSARY

The Junior Ushers of Ebenezer Baptist Church celebrated their Anniversary on Sunday, March 25, with Miss Darlene Wall serving as Mistress of Ceremony.

Scripture was by Miss Kristi Smith; Miss Arlene Daye, the prayer; Tracy McNeil welcomed the visiting minister and his congregation and friends; and Miss Wanda Williams read the history and names of the group - ages seven to seventeen. Miss Denise Williams introduced the speaker, Rev. D. J. Squires, of the Zion Temple United Church of Christ.

Over 100 church members and friends attended this service and contributed \$200 for the building fund and other special church projects. Refreshments were served. Advisors are Mrs. Alice Davis, Mrs. Geraldine Upchurch and Miss Cynthia Williams.

On Tuesday, April 3 at 2 p.m., the Senior Mission will meet at the home of Mrs. Marina Fisher, 11-G Sima Street. New Members are welcome.

On Sunday, April 1, Deacon Charles Durham will serve as master of ceremony for Baptism at 10:15 a.m. The Senior Choir will render the music. Mrs. Louise Gooch and Thomas Vanhook will serve as musicians. Rev. Thurman Hairston is pastor.

MISSION DAY SERVICES

Mission Day Services will be held Sunday, April 1 at 6 p.m., at the Oak Grove UAFree Will Baptist Church, 801

LOCAL DEATHS AND FUNERAL SERVICES

W. A. AMEY'S FUNERAL SERVICE & FLORIST

SMITH
Funeral services for Mrs. Maggie Smith of 509 Oakwood Ave., were held Saturday, March 24 at Mount Vernon Baptist Church by Rev. Percy L. High. Burial was in Clarkton.

DURDEN
Funeral services for Mrs. Dorothy G. Durden, 53, of 1506 Glenwood Avenue, who died Saturday, March 24 at Duke Medical Center, were held Wednesday, March 28 at Russell Memorial CME Church by Rev. L. H. Whelchel, Jr. Burial was in Beechwood Cemetery.

Surviving are her husband, Dr. John L. Durden, Sr.; three daughters, Mrs. Charlotte M. Barrier, Mrs. Margaret D. Brannon of Charleston, S. C. and Ms. Doris Evette Durden; one son, 2nd Lt. John L. Durden, Jr. of Fort Campbell, Kentucky.

FOSTER
Funeral services for Mrs. Hattie B. Foster of 410 Cotton St., Chapel Hill, were held Wednesday, March 28 at Second Baptist Church in Chapel Hill by Rev. J. A. Brown. Burial was in Chapel Hill Memorial Cemetery.

MARTIN
Funeral services for James Ray Martin, 67, of 503-D Liberty St., were held Sunday, March 18 at the House of Reeves by Dr. W. A. Reeves. Cremation was held Monday, March 19.

Surviving are a brother, William Ray; a sister, Mrs. Margaret Pringle of Flint, Michigan.

WEAVER
Funeral services for Billy Weaver, who died Wednesday, March 21 at Durham County General Hospital, were held Monday, March 26 at Scarborough & Hargett Memorial Chapel.



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Burial was in Glennview Memorial Park.
Surviving are a son, Bobby Lee Weaver; a daughter, Mrs. Betty Dees of New York; three sisters, Mrs. Lillie Pratt of New York City, Mrs. Mattie Burton and Mrs. Rella M. Jones of Pittsburgh, Pa.; three grandchildren.

Courtesy of Scarborough & Hargett Memorial Chapels and Gardens.

McBROOM
Funeral services for James George McBroom, 63, of 112 Jordan St., who died Sunday, March 25 at

home, were held Wednesday, March 28 at New Bethel Baptist Church by Dr. L. W. Reid. Burial was in Glennview Memorial Park.

Surviving are three sons, James McBroom, Jr., Kenneth McBroom and Ronnie McBroom, all of Brooklyn, N. Y.; one daughter, Ms. Bonnie McBroom of Brooklyn, N. Y.; his mother, Mrs. Ella B. McBroom; four sisters, Mrs. Julia McKoy, Mrs. Osie Johnson and Ms. Edna Horton and Mrs. Lena Ruth Darrisa of Albezel, Ala.; two brothers, Howard McBroom and Thassolina McBroom.

MASON
Funeral services for Morris Jackson Mason, 28, of 214 Infinity Road, who died Sunday, March 25, were held Wednesday,

March 28 at Red Mountain Baptist Church by Rev. Nealie Harvey. Burial was in the church cemetery.

Surviving are his mother, Mrs. Emma P. Mason; two sisters, Mrs. Nancy M. Cole of Hempstead, N. Y. and Ms. Veronic Mason; three brothers, James Mason, Paul Mason and Randy Mason.

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SHAW
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HARRIS
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Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Catherine Harris; two daughters, Ms. Larussia Harris and Ms. Ayanne Harris;

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Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Lottie Hazel Gladden and two sisters, Mrs. Alease Gladden Hart and Mrs. Betty Jean Gladden of Rock Hill, S. C.

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White Rock Baptist Church

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3400 FAYETTEVILLE STREET
DURHAM, NORTH CAROLINA 27707
LORENZO A. LYNCH, PASTOR
SUNDAY, APRIL 1, 1979

9:30 A.M. Church School
10:50 A.M. Worship and Holy Communion
Sermon: "ON THE FOURTH LAST WORLD OF CHRIST ON THE CROSS - MY GOD WHY...?" (Mark 15:34)
The Pastor

The Senior Choir leading the singing
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Mr. John H. Gattis, Director
The Senior Ushers ushering

6:00 P.M. Series on Women Preaching featuring the Rev. Nancy R. Grady, Associate Pastor, Lakeview Baptist Church with the Gospel Choir from Lakeview.



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