

NOBC Twelve Annual Afro-American Culture Workshop To Be Held

WASHINGTON — Afro-American Culture and Worship will be held at Daemen College, Amherst, N.Y., August 15-20. Interaction between choir, congregation and pastor in the planning and performance of liturgies to achieve seasonal Masses expressive of black culture will be the focus of NOBC's national liturgy workshop. The program will include sessions by liturgical composer/musicians Eddie Bonnemere, Ron Harbor and Roger Holliman. Other presenters include choreographer Sylvia Bryant, catechist Sister Thea Bowman O.S.P., noted preacher Father Thaddeus Boucree, S.V.D. and psychologist Dr. Alfred Pasteur.

Drawing upon their own compositions for the various liturgical seasons, workshop musicians will not only demonstrate ways in which the liturgy may be infused with black culture, but also how the choir can increase congregational participation. Since NOBC initiated its liturgy workshops, increasing numbers of choirs adapting music from the black tradition have been formed, offering quality Masses.

"However, it is not the intention of our high Masses to reduce the congregation in the pews to an audience," said Ronald Sharps, director of NOBC's Department of Culture and Worship and coordinator for the workshop. "We want the choirs to fully service the spiritual needs of the congregations of which they are a part and of the church as a whole by providing leadership in communal worship through song and by encouraging active participation by the church community."

Each of the choir directors have had extensive parish experience. In addition, Bonnemere

teaches music at a New York city school and directs jazz vespers each month at St. Peter's Lutheran Church also in New York. Holliman is choral and drama director for Baltimore City Public Schools while Harbor serves as Catholic music minister at Fort Belvoir, a Virginia military parish. Music will range from gospel and spiritual to jazz and other contemporary styles.

Ms. Sylvia Bryant will demonstrate movements and gestures for congregation and choir as well as lead sessions in liturgical dance. She is director of Dance Programs and chairman of the Health, Physical Education, Recreation and Dance Dept. at Philandra Smith College, Little Rock, Ark.

Using black folk traditions, Sister Thea Bowman will examine the enhancement of worship through music, sermon, prayer and poetry. Sister Bowman serves as director of Intercultural Affairs, Evangelization Dept. of the Jackson Diocese.

Father Thaddeus Boucree is pastor of St. Augustine Church and is

known for his use of a distinctively black preaching style. He will instruct participants in approaches to prayer and lecturing techniques and address the role of lay Eucharistic ministry and social justice from the pulpit.

Dr. Alfred Pasteur, co-author of *Roots of Soul: Psychology of Black Expressiveness* and full professor in the guidance and counseling graduate program at Hunter College, will keynote the event and present a session on the psychology of black expression.

Each day of this summer's program will have a different seasonal focus: Monday, Advent and Christmas; Tuesday, Lent; Wednesday, Holy Week; Thursday, Easter; and, Friday, Ordinary Time.

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CHURCH NOTES

Rev. Lennon at Oak Grove

Rev. Floyd Lennon, Associate Minister, at Bell-Yeager Free Will Baptist Church, will preach at Oak Grove Free Will Baptist Church, Sunday, June 6 at 7 p.m. The occasion will be the Senior Ushers Annual Program. The Joy Bells of Hamlet Chapel will render the music.

Vacation Bible School at First

CHAPEL HILL — The First Baptist Church, North Roberson and West Rosemary Sts., will host its Annual Vacation Bible School, Monday, June 14 through Sunday, June 27 from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. All persons ages two and up are invited to attend. There will be indepth Bible instruction, Arts and Crafts and refreshments each evening.

Bible School will climax with an open house, a picnic on Thursday, June 24 and closing program on Sunday, June 27.

Parents are urged to enroll their children for two weeks of enriching experiences. Registration will continue through Monday, June 14 by calling Mrs. Doris Wilson, Director, at 942-2509 after 1:15 p.m. for further information.

Rev. Huey Preaching at West Durham

Rev. Albert Huey, Assistant Minister, will preach at West Durham Baptist Church, Sunday, June 6 at 8:30 a.m. and 11 a.m. Rev. Huey is director of the Durham City Schools Community Education Program.

He is a 33rd Mason and Commander-in-Chief of Carpenter's Consistory 164, Maxton. He is president of Delchester Court Community Club.

Rev. Huey and his wife, Dorothy, are the parents of two children, Michael and Michelle.

Annual Bus Trip to Orlando

Oak Grove Free Will Baptist Church, 801 Colfax St., will make its annual Bus Trip to the Orlando area June 14-17. Attractions to be visited include: Cypress Gardens, Stars Hall of Fame, Walt Disney World, and Silver Springs. The trip will be four days/3 nights.

Interested persons may contact: Rev. Theresa Hodges at 682-3862 or Mrs. Josanne Fryar at 596-5089 for more details.

Gospel Choirs at Convention Home

The Gospel Choirs of Mount Olive AME Zion Church and Mount Zion Baptist Church, will be in concert at the Convention Home site on Guess and St. Mary's Roads, Sunday, June 6 at 6:30 p.m. This program is for the Orange Grove Baptist Church Usher Board and Pastor's Aid, Roxboro Highway.

Dr. Avery Post at Mt. Calvary

Dr. Avery Post, president, United Church of Christ, will preach at Mount Calvary United Church of Christ, 1715 Athens St., Sunday, June 6 at 11 a.m. He will also preach at Pilgrim United Church of Christ, Highway 751 for the 25th Celebration of the union of the various churches which now comprise the United Church of Christ of the Durham and surrounding area.

News of Bible Way

The Senior Male Chorus will sing for the Morning Worship for Sunday, June 6 at Bible Way Apostolic Temple, Dark Circle. Men's Day will be observed at 3 p.m. Elder William Bunch will speak.



REV. HUEY

194th United Presbyterian General Assembly June 22-30

HARTFORD, CONN. — A musical program celebrating black history, the commissioning of mission personnel, the organizing of a new local church, and a series of mealtime programs all are on schedule this month during the 194th United Presbyterian

General Assembly here. The General Assembly is chiefly legislative and as a the highest policy-setting body of the 2.4 million-member denomination will have a full agenda of business to transact. Even so, non-business program throughout the June 22-30 meeting are expected to attract large audiences of commissioners (voting delegates) and guests. Some of the events are staged under official sponsorship of the General Assembly and others are arranged by special interest groups of Presbyterians.

One of the highlights (Continued on Page 11)



WORDS FOR THE WORLD
A MAN WHO DOES GOOD and talks not of it is on the way to perfection.
—BAHA'I WRITINGS
Information: 383-2306

DEATHS AND FUNERAL SERVICES

RIGEL

Funeral services for Mrs. Sarah Rigel of 1403 Fay St., who died Monday, May 24 at Durham County General Hospital, were held Saturday, May 29 at Greater St. Paul Baptist Church by Dr. W. T. Bigelow. Burial was in Glennview Memorial Park.

Surviving are one son, Lawrence Rigel Jr.; two daughters, Mrs. Catherine Harris and Mrs. Margaret Springs; one foster son, James Thompson; one foster daughter, Evangelist Deborah Hedgepeth; one sister, Mrs. Lilly Johnson; one brother, Johnny Johnson of Fayetteville; 23 grandchildren; 21 great-grandchildren.

Courtesy of Scarborough & Hargett Memorial Chapels and Gardens.

CLAY

Funeral services for Mrs. Betty Allen Clay, of 2316 Fitzgerald St., who died Friday, May 28 at home, were held Tuesday, June 1 at the Church of the Abiding Savior, Lutheran, by Rev. Michael D. Wendt. Burial was in Glennview Memorial Park.

She was a native of Rougemont and attended the Durham County Schools. She moved to Durham in 1953. She was a charter member of the Church of the Abiding Savior, Lutheran, and its

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Life and Growth Ministry. She was also a member of the United Campus Christian Ministry serving North Carolina Central University.

Surviving are two sons, Dwight Allen Clay and Eric Lee Clay of Detroit; Mich., one sister, Mrs. Jeanette Allen Lee of Lawrenceville, Va.; one brother, Arthur Allen of Westchester County, N. Y.; two grandchildren.

Courtesy of Scarborough & Hargett Memorial Chapels and Gardens.

MURPHY

Funeral services for Mrs. Ella Benjamin Murphy of A-1 Cornwallis Road, who died Saturday, May 29 at Durham County General Hospital, were held Thursday, June 3 at Oak Grove Free Will Baptist Church by Rev. Z. D. Harris and Rev. Henry A. King. Burial was in Glennview Memorial Park.

She was a member of Oak Grove Free Will Baptist Church and its Mother Board and Floral Board. She was also a member of the City Wide Helping Hand Club.

She was employed by Lignett Myers Tobacco Co. and Central Leaf Tobacco Factory.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Sadie M. Avery and Mrs. Ruth M. Pettigrew of East Orange, N. J.; one son, David Murphy; one foster son, Albert Ransom; one sister, Mrs. Jessie Mae McNeil of Wilmington; two brothers, Willie Benjamin of Hartsville, S. C. and Al C. Benjamin of New York; eight grandchildren; eight great-grandchildren; three great-great-grandchildren.

Courtesy of Scarborough & Hargett Memorial Chapels and Gardens.

Social Club and Registrar of Precinct 42 at Shepard Junior High School.

Surviving are her husband, Herbert E. Weaver; one sister, Mrs. Mary A. Johnson of Dayton, Ohio; one brother, Nathaniel Arnold of Washington.

Arrangements were by Fisher Funeral Parlor, Incorporated.

HICKSON

Funeral services for Connie Ray Hickson, of 608 N. Elm St., who died Wednesday, May 26, were held Wednesday, June 2 at Scarborough & Hargett Memorial Chapel by Brother Oscar Surrette. Burial was in Glennview Memorial Park.

Surviving are two sisters, Mrs. Clementine Blanding and Mrs. Rita F. Williams; two brothers, Leon Hickson and Thomas Edward Hickson.

Courtesy of Scarborough & Hargett Memorial Chapels and Gardens.

TAPP

Funeral services for Mrs. Fannie Stroud Tapp of 1033 Cornell St., who died Monday, May 31 at Durham County General Hospital, were held Thursday, June 3 at Russell Memorial CME Church by Rev. L. H. Welchel. Burial was in Glennview Memorial Park.

She was a native of Chatham County. She was a member of Russell Memorial CME Church and served as president of the Stewardess Board 1. She was an organizer of Lyon Park Rose Garden Club and honorary member of Wonderful Senior Citizens Club.

Surviving are one daughter, Mrs. Katie T. Ross of Washington, D. C.; one son, Thomas Tapp; one sister, Mrs. Louise Wooten; one brother

Wilbur Stroud. Courtesy of Scarborough & Hargett Memorial Chapels and Gardens.

BROWN

Memorial services for Mrs. Imdas Rogers Brown of 516 1/2 Cecil St., who died Saturday, May 29 at Durham County General Hospital, will be held Saturday, June 5 at 2 p.m. at Scarborough & Hargett Memorial Chapel by Rev. Percy L. High.

Courtesy of Scarborough & Hargett Memorial Chapels and Gardens.

LYONS

Funeral services for Floyd Lee Lyons of 1109 N. Roxboro St., were held Tuesday, June 2 at True Way Holiness Church by Rev. Ralph N. Holloway. Burial was in Glennview Memorial Park.

Surviving are two daughters, Ms. Dorothy Lyons of California and Ms. Carolyn Ruffin; two brothers, Freddie Lyons of California and McMillan Lyons; three sisters, Mrs. Catherine English, Mrs. Burma Hart and Mrs. Frances McNeal.

JOHNSON

Graveside rites for Mrs. Gertrude B. Johnson, 55 of 4318 Denfield St. who died Monday, May 31 at home, will be held Friday,

June 4 at 2 p.m. at Lipscomb Grove Baptist Church Cemetery by Rev. T. E. Taylor.

Surviving is her mother, Mrs. Gertrude Yancey. Arrangements were by Ellis D. Jones & Sons Funeral Home.



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10:55 A.M. Worship
Sermon The Pastor
On Where There Is No Temple!

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

Refreshments and Fellowship in the Fellowship Hall after 10:55 a.m. Worship by the J. G. Mason District. Sunday Nursery provided for children during the 10:55 a.m. Worship.

7:30 P.M. Steering Committee and Co-Sponsors of our Pastor's 16th Anniversary - Music Conference Room