

'For Such a Time as This: A Call to End Racism' sponsored by Church Women United

SPECIAL TO THE CHRONICLE

On Friday, May 4, out of their concern about the pervasiveness of racism, Christian women in Winston-Salem will gather to worship, pray and call for an end to racism as part of the annual observance of May Friendship Day. Church Women United has a long history of working to bring about justice for all persons. Nearly 50 years after the Civil Rights Movement, racism remains a pervasive moral issue in American society. Church Women United sponsors this ecumenical worship service.

Lois Dauway, who works with the women's division of the global ministries board of the United Methodist church, wrote this service. In her position, she works for women's concerns, family advocacy program, racial justice and public policy. She was recently elected to the central committee of the World Council of Churches. In the past, Dauway, a lay woman, was the associate for inclusiveness and justice for the National Council of Churches

of Christ in the USA (NCC).

The service at the YWCA on Glade Street will feature diverse women of our community. The gathering will begin at noon and end at 2. This is our annual salad luncheon. Please bring a salad to share and \$3 to cover other luncheon costs.

Offerings received on May Friendship Day support the local unit of Church Women United in ecumenical work toward strengthening families worldwide in the 21st

century. Fellowship of the Least Coin offerings, which will also be received at the service, help support global projects benefiting women and children.

Additional materials and background information on May Friendship Day 2001 may be obtained from Rev. Lynn Rhoades or by contacting the national offices of Church Women United at 475 Riverside Drive, Suite 500, New York, NY 10115, 800/CWU-5551.

Mitchell to speak at service at Beulah Baptist

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Beulah Baptist Church's Women of Virtue Ministry will sponsor a power-packed, burden-lifting, yoke-destroying deliverance service on May 4 at 7 p.m. Guest speaker will be Evangelist Alice F. Mitchell of Ambassador Cathedral, Winston-Salem.

Come and help us lift up the

name of Jesus in praise. The church is at 1352 N. Trade Street in the city. L.B. Ford is the pastor.



Mitchell

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A New Beginning Ministries

A New Beginning Ministries, 2900 Lomond Street, Winston-Salem: Deliverance and Inner Healing Class, Tuesdays, 10:30 a.m.; Ministering Spiritual Gifts Class, Wednesdays, 10:30 a.m. Want to spend lunchtime increasing your learning? Can't get to evening services because of work? Call 785-2722 for directions. Come and receive dynamic teachings.

It's Friday and you need a fresh drink of the Holy Spirit. It's cool and refreshing. Come and drink fresh water from heaven. Hear the present truth of God. Our School of the Holy Spirit has changed to every Friday at 7:30 p.m. Apostle Theophilus Jones and Prophetess Valarie Jones.

Shepherd's Center of Greater

Winston-Salem

The Shepherd's Center of Greater Winston-Salem announces its full-time operation at Westview Baptist Church, 1700 Ebert Street. The center is open Monday-Friday, 9 a.m. - 5 p.m., and is accepting used books and rummage sale items during business hours. This will go to support the center's annual used book sale and annual rummage sale. The proceeds support the programs and services at the Shepherd's Center, which promotes successful aging through educational, service, support and volunteer opportunities for adults over age 50 living in Forsyth County.

Invitation to services

Pastor Halbert Richardson and Restoration Christian Fellowship Church of God in Christ invite you to attend our services at 3088 High Point Road, Winston-Salem, Sundays,

8-10 a.m., and Tuesdays, 7-9 p.m. For more information about our church or our services, call Rochelle Richardson at (336) 771-2299.

Clothing drive

Goler Memorial AME Zion Church invites the Winston-Salem community to join with them in a clothing drive for children in Africa. The church is collecting clothing in good condition for children (newborn to 12 years old).

In addition to clothes, tax-deductible donations are being accepted. Checks should be made to Goler Memorial AME Zion Church.

The church is at 630 N. Patterson Ave. Call the church office at 724-9411 for additional information. The contact persons are Jacqueline Williams-Lartey and Claudette Gethers-Boyd. Rev. Dr. Seth O. Lartey is the pastor.

Two more to 'stand on the wall' at Grace

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Grace United Community Church is once again increasing its ministerial circle with the addition of two sons of the church. Having demonstrated a commitment to ministry, these men of God are in preparation for the next stage of their ministry.

Minister G.L. Brown will preach his affirmation sermon on Friday, May 4, at 7 p.m. at Grace. The affirmation service is a standard procedure of Grace United Community Church for ministers who are joining the church and who have already been licensed and/or ordained.

Brown is a former member of Calvary Baptist Church of Winston-Salem, where he was ordained under the pastorate of Dr. Mark Cortis. He received his undergraduate degree in religion and psychology from Gardner Webb College and has studied at Wake Forest University and Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary. He received his early religious nurturing at Crestwood Baptist Church and has served as an assistant pastor and associate pastor at congregations in Winter Park, Fla., and Sanlan-



Goodman



Brown

series of Bible study sessions titled "Alpha," which is an entry-level introduction to Jesus Christ and Christianity. The course will seek to answer questions and address concerns mainly for persons who have limited or no Christian background or for persons who want to get a fundamental understanding of their faith. Brown will also assume

leadership of the Home Mission and Foreign Mission Evangelism Team, which will include working with Grace's plant church in Mbotho, South Africa.

Dr. Joseph B. Parks, the pastor of Grace Church, said, "We are taking our salvation seriously and our Christianity to a new level, and the addition of Minister Brown will only increase our efforts to our commitment of sharing the Good News."

From the experienced to the first-timer, Grace is committed to providing a place where persons are free to develop and enhance their spiritual calling by working the vineyard. On April 27, Brother Charles Edward Goodman preached his initial sermon in preparation for his licensure in the ministry. Goodman is a current student at Wake Forest University and has plans to further his education in law and ministry. Following his sermon, Pastor Parks conducted the licensure service, which will enable Goodman to perfect his spiritual calling and perform the duties of a licensed minister. The license will be renewed annually until such time as ministerial ordination is achieved.

Prodigals Community to honor program graduate

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The public is invited to the Prodigals Community Spring Step-Up service on Monday, May 7, at 7 p.m. in the Prodigals Community Sanctuary, 1024 Woughtown Street. Mt. Tabor United Methodist Church and First Presbyterian Church will host a reception afterward in the fellowship hall.

The Step-Up service recognizes and celebrates the achievements of those residents who have completed the rigorous 15-month New Salem substance abuse recovery program. This spring, Prodigals Community will honor one man for completing the program and recognize several current residents for outstanding achievements. Rev. Jeff Coppage, former pastor/director of Prodigals community, will give the address.

Prodigals Community offers the highly-structured job train-

ing and personal responsibility New Salem program to men and women with histories of chronic substance abuse relapse. Residents follow a 78-hour schedule of planned activities per week, including job-training, computer and GED classes; voluntary worship services; therapy groups; household chores and recreational and cultural activities. Minimum commitment for program completion is 15 months.

Residents work off nearly 40 percent of their program costs through their full-time participation in Prodigals Property Services, the community's job training painting, car care and commercial janitorial services. Prodigals Community is supported by more than 70 area churches. Other revenue comes from individual gifts, foundation grants and support from the local business community.



Pastor & First Lady Samuels

"A full service ministry Meeting the Needs of the People, Spirit, Soul & Body."

Goodwill Baptist Church

548 Goodwill Rd., Clemmons, NC

Arcadia Community

764-3930 Phone

764-3975 Pastor's Office

764-5658 Fax

Transportation Available.

NOTICE MINORITY AND WOMEN-OWNED FIRMS

The North Carolina Department of Transportation (NCDOT) is seeking minority and women-owned firms (M/WBE) to bid on upcoming highway projects throughout the State. The Locations of the projects are:

Project No.	County/Route	Type	Location	Metric/English	GOALS BY PERCENT		
					DBE	MB	WB
8.1221104 HP-STP-13 (9)	Pitt-Edgecombe R-218B C200156	Grading, drainage, paving and structure.	US-13 and NC-11 (Bethel Bypass) from NC-30 in Pitt County to US-64 bypass in Edgecombe County. 5.891 kilometers.	Metric			
8.1251401 IMS-40-5 (38) 420	New Hanover-Pender I-4408 C200171	Resurfacing, shoulder reconstruction and pavement markings.	6 sections along I-40 in New Hanover and Pender County. 61.4 miles.	English			
8.2290701 MABRZ-1226 (1)	Edgecombe B-2965 C200159	Grading, drainage, paving and culvert.	Culvert on Buck Swamp and approaches on SR-1226 .123 miles.	English			
6.451010	Harnett R-2230D C200167	Widening, grading, drainage and paving.	NC-210 from SR-2045 to US-401 at Lillington. 6.454 miles.	English			
8.2700301 BRZ-1308 (2)	Ashe-Alleghany B-2906 C200136	Grading, drainage, paving and structure.	Bridge over South Fork New River and approaches on SR-1308.	English			
8.2770601 BRZ-1107 (5)	Avery B-2915 C200140	Grading, drainage, paving and structure.	Bridge over North Toe River and approaches on SR-1107 .218 miles.	English			
8.2770901	Surry-Yadkin	Grading, drainage, paving and structure.	Bridge over Yadkin River and approaches on SR-1527 in Yadkin County and SR-2221 in Surry County. 430 miles.	English			
8.1611601	Iredell-Davie-Forsyth	Median guardrail and cable guardrail installation.	I-40 from SR-2163 in Iredell County to SR-1101 in Forsyth County. 22.870 miles.	English			
8.2843101	Buncombe	Grading, drainage, paving and structure.	Bridge over Swannanga River and approaches on SR-2435 .229 miles.	English			
7.0811407	Hyde	Milling, resurfacing, hot in-place recycling and pavement markings.	3 sections of US-264 17.4 miles.	English			

*** MONDAY, May 14, 2001 6 PM - MIDNIGHT ***

North Raleigh Hilton - 3415 Wake Forest Road - Raleigh, N.C.

LETTING DATE: May 15, 2001

Prime contractors will be available to receive quotes for trucking, sub-contracting and materials. M/WBE's needing more information and/or technical assistance may come to Room 522 to meet with representatives from the Bennington Corp., NCDOT's Supportive Provider. (919)832-6027

NCDOT Office of Civil Rights & Business Development 1-800-522-0453

Certification of highway contracting firms: Richard Chrisawn
 Certification of supply/service/engineering firms: Robert Mathes
 Comments or concerns: Delano Rackard: Director



FAMILIES FOR KIDS RALLY

A Call to the Community for Adoptive and Foster Families

Saturday, May 5

3:00 - 4:00 pm

First Assembly of God

3730 University Parkway, Winston-Salem



These children found love. More than 80 children in Forsyth County are still waiting.

We urgently need families and friends for our kids living in foster care in Forsyth County. Join Austin Caviness of WXII News Channel 12 at the first-ever Families for Kids Rally.

More than 400 children in Forsyth County are living in foster care and nearly 80 are waiting now for families to adopt them. Some children are separated from their brothers and sisters. We need more foster and adoptive families for each of our children and to keep brothers and sisters together.

Come to the Rally and find out how you can help - there's something everyone can do. Talk with foster and adoptive families and children who went from foster care to being adopted. See the faces of those children still waiting. Adopt, foster, or volunteer as a special friend to a child in foster care. Call 727-2023 or 727-2446 for more information.

FORSYTH COUNTY Families for Kids

Department of Social Services

PO Box 999, Winston-Salem, NC 27102

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