## United Cornerstone will hold Holy Week Revival

#### SPECIAL TO THE CHRONICLE

United Cornerstone Missionary Baptist Church will hold its annual Holy Week Revival, beginning Sunday, March 10, at 4 p.m. and continting through Thursday, March . The guest speaker will be J.R. Freeman, pastor of United Institutional Baptist Church in Greensboro.

Freeman is a native of Raleigh. He accepted Christ at the age of 7, and was baptized at the Fayetteville Street Baptist Church (now First Cosmopolitan Baptist Church) of Raleigh, where he served as a Sunday school superintendent and a junior deacon

Freeman \_\_acknowledged God's call at an early age and preached his initial sermon in 1981 while a student at N.C. Agricultural and Technical State University (A&T) of Greensboro, where he earned a bachelor of science degree in counseling and social work. Continuing his studies, he received a master of divinity degree from Virginia Union University in Richmond, Va., and in 1995 he graduated from Howard University School of



in denominational as well as civic and community work. He serves on the Ministers Council of the General Baptist State Convention of North Carolina and as vice moderator and chairman of the Ordination Council for the Rowan Baptist Association. He organized the Underground Railroads to the Polls voter registration and transportation to the polls project. He has served on the board of directors for the East Market Street Redevelopment Corp., Family Advocacy Council and the United Community Develop-ment Corp., a 501C3 initiative organized through United Institutional Baptist Church.

Freeman also organized a fund-raiser for the United Negro College Fund through



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won honors as "Church of the Year" for its continued support of the Greensboro NAACP. Freeman is married to the former Felicia McGhee of

Clinton, N.C., an attorney, and they have two sons, Brandon Rayjon and Desmond Jarrell

"Rescue the Perishing" is the theme for Dr. J. Ray Butler, host pastor, and congregation of United Cornerstone Missionary Baptist Church for this Holy Week Revival. To all believers, come and be revived. and bring someone else to Christ.

Services will begin at 7 p.m. The church is at 2745 Patria Street at Wright Street. For more information or directions to the church, call (336) 785-1268

# Dr. Harold L. Martin will speak for Emmanuel Scholarship Fund Service

#### SPECIAL TO THE CHRONICLE

Emmanuel Baptist Church will celebrate its annual S.W. Mack Sr. Memorial Scholarship Fund Service on Sunday March 10. The 11 a.m. speaker will be Dr. Harold L. Martin Sr. Martin is the 11th chief

administrator and the seventh chancellor of Winston-Salem State University. Before his appointment as chancellor, Martin served in several administrative positions at N.C. A&T State University, including vice chancellor for academic affairs, dean of the College of Engineering, and chair of electrical engineering, having risen in faculty rank from assistant to full professor.

Martin has written or coauthored numerous articles. made numerous presentations at national and international conferences, and has been recognized as The Chronicle's "Man of the Year," and the Winston-Salem Business Journal's "10 to Watch." He has an



e duca-tion administration, strategic planning, curriculum design, funded research and fund-raising, and business and industry consulting.

A native of Winston-Salem, Martin, was educated in the public schools of Winston-Salem/Forsyth County and obtained a bachelor of science degree in electrical engineering and a master of science degree in electrical engineering from N.C. A&T State University. He earned a Ph.D. degree in electrical engineering at Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University. He is married to Davida Wagner Martin and they have two sons, Harold Jr. and Walter.

Emmanuel Baptist Church established its Scholarship Fund Service as

xten - a "living memorial" to late pastor Dr. Sir Walter Mack Sr. Mack served Emmanuel as pastor for 32 years before his death. He was widely known as a dynamic preacher, an evangelist, a humanitarian and an advocate for youths. The initial goal of the scholarship fund was to provide college tuition assistance to Mack's two sons, S.W. Mack Jr. and Christopher. After his sons completed their undergraduate educations, the congregation focused the fund on providing support and motivation for Emmanuel youths in the pursuit of college degrees.

> This scholarship fund is one of many Emmanuel education ministries that have expanded under the leadership of Rev. Dr. John pastor Mendez, of Emmanuel. We invite everyone to join us in this worship and celebration! The church is at 1075 Shalimar Drive. For more information, contact Dr. Elva Jones at 764-2550.

## New Bethel Youth Choir will celebrate its 28th anniversary

SPECIAL TO THE CHRONICLE

The Youth Choir of New Bethel Baptist Church will celebrate its 28th anniversary on Sunday, March 10, at 4 p.m. in the sanctuary. The choir is under new direction.



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choir has sen to celebrate its anniverany by first performing a mini-concert. John Heath will accomthe choir on the organ. Paula Imes is an assistant to Gemster, Guest musicians will rein them as well. Chris Farabee will perform on the keyboard and Isaac LeSaine will play the

Guest artists will fill a second portion of the anniversary program. The Keynote Ensemble of Carver High School, under the direction of Madeline Gerald,

will stir souls with powerful renditions. These students become members of the group through an auditioning process and they are also honor students. The ensemble has performed all around Winston-Salem and the surrounding area, for example, at the Police Department's graduation and the art unveiling for Project

HOPE The gospel choir of Reynolds High School, which is called The

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Voices of Truth, also will grace the choir stand with its talents. Ahmad Johnson is the director. The choir performs at school functions and around the city by invitation. The choir will depart from

robes and the members will be dressed in dark skirts and pants and white blouses and shirts. The afternoon promises to

provide soul-stirring renditions of praises to God. Plan to attend.



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