

RELIGION

CHURCH CALENDAR

April 25 - 28

Vision 2007 Conference

Bishop James C. and Mrs. Joyce Hush, Sr., of St. Peter's Church & World Outreach Center are hosting the Vision 2007 Conference from April 25 - 28 on the campus of St. Peter's located at 3683 Old Lexington Rd. There will be international and national speakers and night sessions are free and open to the public. Come and receive valuable information on church growth. Learn how to fulfill the great commission of winning souls and making disciples. For more information, call 336-650-0200 or visit the website at spwoc.com.

April 26 - 29

House of Faith World Outreach Center Annual women Conference

The House of Faith will be having their 4th Annual Women's Conference "Women of Noble Character" April 26 - 29. Four great anointed women of God will be guest speakers. The theme is Rejecting Rejection.

The speakers are as follows: April 26 at 7 p.m. - Pastor Florence Bryant of Macedonia Christian Center, Elkin, N.C.; April 27 at 7 p.m. - Prophetess Tyreese Horton of Macedonia Christian Center, Elkin, N.C.; April 28 at 9 a.m. - Prayer Breakfast - First Lady Linda Walker of Lie of Christ Church; April 29 at 6 p.m. - Pastor Pamela Phillips of Word of Truth International Ministries. There will be door prizes and gift bags for the women.

Minister Pamela Jordan will be hosting this year. The public is invited to attend. For more information, contact First Lady Minister Pamela Jordan at 336-784-8683. House of Faith World Outreach Center is at 1384 W. Sedgefield Dr. in the Morningside community.

April 27

TGIF

The Youth Department of Ambassador Cathedral is sponsoring TGIF, (Thank God it's Friday!) on Friday, April 27, at 9 p.m. There will be mimes, dance ministries, step teams and more. For more information contact Davida Allen at 407-2305.

April 28

Dreamland Park Women's Conference

Dreamland Park Baptist Church is sponsoring a one day Women's Conference with the theme, "Women Putting On the Whole Armor of God." The session is scheduled for April 28 from 8 a.m. - 2 p.m. Three dynamic speakers will bring messages including Minister Alexis Isaiah from Morning Star Baptist Church; Minister Vicki Henry from Christian View Baptist Church, Spencer, Va.; and Minister Cynthia Wooten from Wadsworth Congregational Church, Sedalia, N.C.

The conference schedule is as follows: 8 - 9 a.m., registration/continental breakfast; 9 - 9:30 a.m., devotion; 9:30 a.m. - 12 noon, first workshop session with facilitator; 12 noon - 1 p.m. lunch; 1 p.m. - 2 p.m. second workshop session. Closing remarks will be given by Chairperson Yetta J. Cain. The conference is free and the public is invited. The church is at 2340 Dunbar St. Rev. Ronald Fisher, Sr. is the pastor.

Ring Theater

Over the past several years the Divinity School has focused attention and energy in developing an arts program that complements the goals of the Master of Divinity program. The third year of study offers the students a chance to examine aspects of the arts and how they relate to theology, spiritual formation, and how art is used in the church. The Arts Day event features presentations from four graduating M.Div. students as they explore intersections of art and spirituality. The event to be held at Scales Fine Arts Center at Wake Forest University includes music, dance, word, and theater. For more information, please contact Dr. Craig Atwood at atowdcd@wfu.edu

April 29

New Birth anniversary

New Birth Worship Center Church family will celebrate their 11th. year church anniversary Sunday, April 29. The service will begin at 11 a.m. The associate ministers will carry out the morning service. Lunch will be served. Everyone is invited to attend. Please come with the expectation of receiving a blessing! The pastor is Dr. James (Jim) L.E. Hunt. The church address is 1033 Newbirth Dr. East Bend. For additional information, please call 336-699-3583.

Weapons of Warfare

The ministerial staff of the Calvary Hill Church of Greater Deliverance will present a program about the Armour of Christ, called W.O.W., Weapons of Warfare April 29, at 4 p.m.

The speakers will be Minister Kevin Gary, Evangelist Regina Archia, Evangelist Rosetta Dennis, Minister Christopher Gary, Elder Rodrick Little, Minister Renita James, Elder Thaddeus Stewart and Elder Marilyn Little. The church is at 4951 Manning St. Bishop Claude C. Turner is the pastor. For more information contact Ernestine Fletcher at 336-896-0336.

Mission Sunday

The Sheepfold Ministry of Shiloh Baptist Church will sponsor "What's happened to our forgotten family in Africa" on Mission Sunday, April 29 at 5 p.m. in the Annie M. Chapman Fellowship Hall. Dr. Anne Jenkins will share her experiences and adventures from the recent trip to Africa. Join them for this powerful and insightful discussion about the people and some of the missionary efforts going on in Africa. Come dressed in your favorite African attire. Light refreshments will be served.

For more information, contact Paulette Worthy or Elmerette Irby at 724-9263. Dr. Paul A. Lowe, Jr. is the pastor. The church is at 916 E. 12th St.

Youth Praise Attack

God's Chosen Generation Youth Ministry of Beulah Baptist Church invites everyone to attend their Youth Praise Attack on Sunday April 29 at 4 p.m. The youth will perform and Beulah's own Minister Kimberly Miller will bring forth the message. Beulah Baptist Church is located at 1352 N. Trade St. and the Pastor is Rev. L. Bruce Ford. Please contact the church for more information at 336-722-2907.

Bullock will keynote missionary program

SPECIAL TO THE CHRONICLE

United[©] Cornerstone Missionary Baptist church will hold its quarterly 5th Sunday missionary program on Sunday, April 29, at 11 a.m. The guest speaker will be Shirley W. Bullock, a native of Oxford who currently resides in Raleigh.

Bullock is a very active member of Martin Street Baptist Church in Raleigh. She is a graduate of North Carolina Central University, where she earned a B.S. degree. She received a master of education degree from East Carolina University and an administrative certification from North Carolina State University. She holds a Doctor

of Humane Letters from Shaw University.

Bullock was named Teacher of the Year when she was a high school teacher for the Rocky Mount City Schools. She is also a former vocational administrator for the Department of Public Instruction.

Bullock is a recipient of the Governor's Long Leaf Pine Award. Governor Easley, in 2004, also appointed her a member of the North Carolina Internship Council. Bullock has served as chief precinct

judge for the Wake County Board of Elections. She also served as mission

instructor for the Woman's Baptist Home and Foreign Missionary Convention of North Carolina and the Lott Carey Baptist Foreign Mission Convention, USA, Inc. Bullock is a past president of the Woman's Baptist Home and Foreign Missionary Convention of North

Carolina. Bullock's world travels include stops in Alaska, Canada, Ghana, Ivory Coast, West Africa, Argentina, Chili, Brazil, South Africa,

Switzerland, Austria, London, Bahamas, Greece, Turkey, Germany and Israel.

She is married to Dr. Charles T. Bullock, pastor of Martin Street Baptist Church and former president of the General Baptist State Convention of North Carolina, Inc. She is the mother of four children, Eric, Charles, Cedric and Melanie, and the grandmother of Jamila.

Rev. C. Anthony Jones, Jr. is supply pastor of United Cornerstone Missionary Baptist. Hilda C. Smith is the president of the Joint Missionary Ministry. The public is invited to attend. The church is located at 2745 Patria Street.



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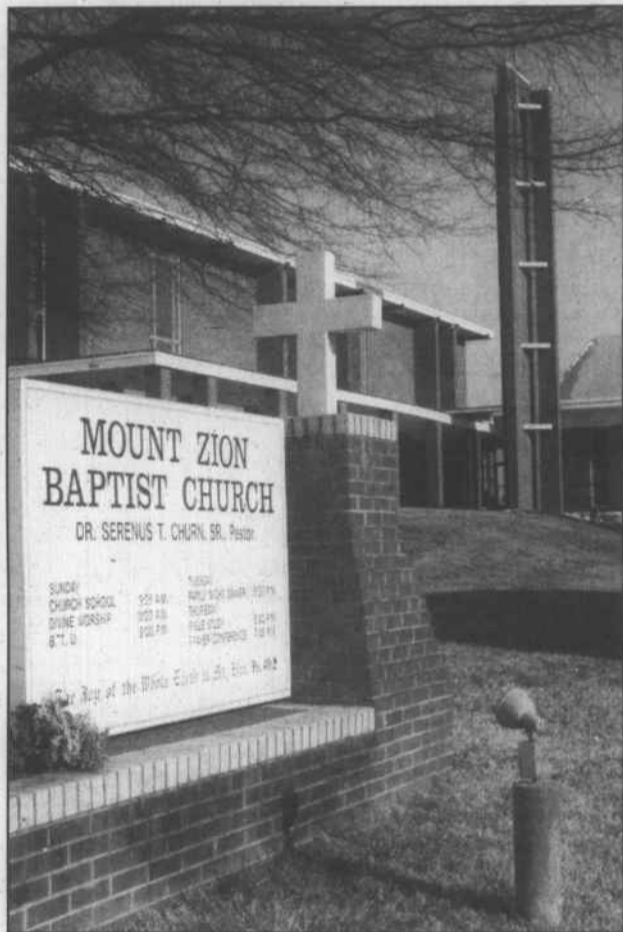
Church's Spring Bazaar will be May 19

SPECIAL TO THE CHRONICLE

Mount Zion Baptist Church is celebrating its 118th Anniversary. As they mark this notable time in the history of their church, Mount Zion recognizes the faithfulness of God in providing for and protecting His people. They are extending an open invitation to other churches and the community at-large to join them during this time of jubilee.

Along with recalling and remembering what the Lord has done in the life of the church, the Chancel Choir is sponsoring a Spring Bazaar and Outdoor Flea Market on May 19. Activities are being planned, which will offer fun and entertainment for everyone to enjoy, including food and an open vendor's market. You and your church or organization are invited to join and rejoice with them.

If you are a vendor, your participation with your time, talent or trade is welcome. A minimal rental fee of \$25 will reserve one table space for display of your goods or services. All other proceeds belong to you. Rental fees must be paid by May 10 and checks should be made payable to Mount Zion Baptist Church. The church is at 950 File St. Dr. Serenus T. Churn is pastor. For more information, call 336-722-2325.



Author to keynote Wentz Women's Day

SPECIAL TO THE CHRONICLE

Jackie Stanley, a noted motivational speaker and author, will deliver the keynote address for the 2007 Women's Day Service at 11 a.m. at Wentz Memorial Congregational Church (UCC) at 3435 Carver School Road on Sunday on April 29.

Under the theme, "God is Still Speaking: Women are Still Listening and Responding" the service will focus on the attributes of women. The celebration of womanhood, in addition to the address by Stanley, will also include music by women of the church's combined choirs under the direction of Simona Allen and Constance McKoy.



Jackie Stanley

Stanley is a passionate, energetic speaker on women's issues including personal development, weight loss and

wellness. She writes a monthly series of motivational weight loss journals titled "Lettuce Is Not Enough."

She is a Wake Forest University School of Law graduate and has authored eight books geared toward personal empowerment. Her books have been highlighted in Essence magazine, Publisher's Weekly and USA Today.

The Rev. Renée Griffin, pastor of Wentz Memorial, cordially invites the public to attend this unique event.

For more information call Lois Allen, president of the Wentz Women's Fellowship, at 336-722-0430.

United Churches in Unity Fellowship Holy Convocation set

SPECIAL TO THE CHRONICLE

The United Churches in Unity Fellowship will sponsor their 2nd Annual Holy Convocation Thursday, April 26 through Saturday, April 28.

Services will begin on Thursday night at 7:30 p.m. with Pastor Brenda McCloud of Tabernacle of Faith Church as the guest speaker. Services will continue on Friday at 7:30 p.m. with Pastor Darryl Napper of New Calvary Missionary Baptist Church in Greensboro as the guest speaker. These services will be held in the New Generation



Bishop Melvin Wilkins Jr.

Sanctuary located at 1850 Gyro Rd. (off Old Salisbury Road).

Services will conclude on Saturday at 5 p.m. at the Dillard Auditorium on the WSSU campus. The guest speaker will be Apostle Garland Wallace, Jr. of Spencer Memorial Christian Church.

Bishop Melvin Wilkins Jr. is the presiding prelate of the United Churches in Unity Fellowship.

For more information call the church at 771-2710.

Countywide Baptist Training Institute is taking place now

SPECIAL TO THE CHRONICLE

The 54th Annual Forsyth Countywide Baptist Training Institute Sessions are being held April 23 - 27 from 7 p.m. - 9 p.m. nightly at St. Stephen Missionary Baptist Church. The theme is "To Convince the Unconvinced to Be Convinced - Through Education, Mission and Fellowship: Stand in Faith." Matthew 28:19-20, 1 Corinthians 16:13 and Philippians 1:27.

The study book for the adults and young adults will be "Breaking Strongholds in the African American Family" by Dr. Clarence Walker. The study books for youth ages 0-8 will be "My Bible Heroes and He's Risen! He's Alive". Ages 9-12 will study the "Ten Commandments", and ages 13-20 "Soul Break."

On Friday night, April 27, the Forsyth County Missionary Union Adult Mass Choir will render a selection. The week's activities will climax with old time gospel singing.

Sponsors and instructors are: Forsyth County Mission Union, Alma Barber, president;

Senior Missionary class instructor, Elizabeth (Liz) Young. The Young Adult department, Sylvia Squire, director; Rev. Timothy Day, instructor. The youth department, Sylvia Gwyn, supervisor and instructor for ages 13-20. Other instructors: 0-8 Gloria Brown; 9-12 Charlene Roseboro and Victoria Roseboro.

The Baptist Training Union; Charles Robinson, president/instructor. The Sunday School Union; Rev. Ric Wood, president, Minister Velma McCloud, instructor. The Deacon's Union; Cary McMillan, president, Rev. D.L. Salley, instructor. The Usher's Union; Richard Smith, president, Rev. James M. Lewis, instructor. The Baptist Minister's Conference; Rev. Reuban Gilliam, president, Rev. Dr. Serenus T. Churn, instructor.

Everyone is encouraged to attend as many nights as possible. Alma Barber is the Missionary Union President. St. Stephen is located at 500 Noble St.

