

**Calendar**

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person. Call 336-744-4414 for more information.

**March 20**

*UUF services*

The Unitarian Universalist Fellowship of Winston-Salem, 4055 Robinhood Road, will hear a presentation at 10:30 a.m. Sunday service by the Rev. Jacqueline Luck, who is assisting the Fellowship as it begins a search for a permanent minister. At the 9 a.m. pre-service forum, Brenda Humphrey and the Rev. Carlton Eversley will discuss "Civil Rights Unionism: Tobacco Workers and the Struggle for Democracy in the Mid-Twentieth Century" by Robert R. Korstad. For more information, see [uufws.org](http://uufws.org).

*Women's Day*

The Women's Day Observance at Hickory Grove AME Zion Church, 3791 Harper Road in Clemmons, will be on Sunday, March 20 at 3:30 p.m. Rev. Edna Dalton and the congregation of The True Light Christian Ministry of Mocksville will be the guests. The public is welcome to attend. Rev. Michael Gaddy is the host pastor. For more information, contact Ms. Wilson at 336-724-7731.

*Pastor Rally*

The Zion Tabernacle FBH Church, 425 Buick St., will honor Pastor James H. Neely Sr. and First Lady Margaret Neely during a Pastor Rally service on Sunday, March 20 at 4 p.m. Evangelist Gloria Sanders of St James FBH Church of God of The America of Gastonia will speak. The program's sponsor is Minister Brenda Reid, president of Pastor's Aide.

*New Hope anniversary*

New Hope AME Zion Church, 7000 Shallowford Rd. in Lewisville, will celebrate its 127th church anniversary on Sunday, March 20 at 3 p.m. with guest speaker Rev. Donald Albert Hill of Freedom Tabernacle Church in Lexington. The Rev. Clay V. Fulton is the pastor. For more information, call 336-945-9083 or 336-945-5618.

*Inner Rhythm Choir to perform*

The Pilgrim Rest Missionary Baptist Church will welcome the Inner Rhythm Choir on Sunday, March 20 at the 11 a.m. service as its special musical guests. The morning message will be preached by Pastor Paul Hart. The church is at 1905 N. Jackson Ave.

*Celebration of hats*

The Missionary Ministry of the Zion Memorial Missionary Baptist Church, 101 North Dunleith Ave., will present the program "Dressing to Celebrate God's Love and Blessings" on Sunday, March 20 at 4 p.m. The program will include a short history on why women cover their heads in church, personal stories from local church women known for wearing hats and a hat fashion show that is open to the public. First, second and third place prizes will be given. Dr. Joseph Jones is the pastor of Zion Memorial. For more information, call Doris Adams at 336-287-2050.

**Anniversary program**  
The Nurses' Ministry of Solid Rock Missionary Baptist Church, 3010 Carver School Road, will celebrate its anniversary at 11 a.m. on Sunday, March 20.

**Beginning March 22**

*Revival*

Mount Calvary Holy Church, 930 E. 14th St., will have its March Gladness Revival each Tuesday in March at 7 p.m. Guest speaker on March 22 will be Apostle Brenda McCloud of Tabernacle of Faith. Pastor Tiff McCarter of Greater Joy International Ministries will speak on March 29.

**March 23**

*Lunch and learn*

Goler Metropolitan AME Zion Church, 1435 East Fourth St., will host its next Lunch and Learn seminar on Wednesday, March 23, from 1-2 p.m. The topic is "Living Healthy-Feeling Better" and Alexis Rejeski Gabard of the Northwest Piedmont Area Agency on Aging will be the speaker. The event is free and attendees will be fed a hot and nourishing meal. Contact Mertice Williams at 336-993-2237 for more information. Rev. Johnny L. Ruff is the pastor of the church.

**Beginning March 26**

*Yard sale, School of Ministry*

Holy Trinity FGBC, 651 Akron Drive, will hold a yard sale fundraiser on Saturday, March 26 from 7 a.m. - until. For more information, call the church office at 336-744-9293. On Sunday, March 27, the church will hold its next School of Ministry program at 4 p.m. Pastor Richard C. Miller Sr. will lead the session.

**March 26**

*Prayer breakfast*

The Prayer Ministry of Vessels Of Honor Church Ministry, 3608 Ogburn Ave., will have its Annual Spring 2011 Prayer Breakfast on Saturday, March 26 at 8 a.m. with speakers Elder Lynn Roseboro of Vessels Of Honor Church Ministry and Overseer Tassa Cremedy-Rice of Temple Of Glory Ministries. The service is free and everyone is invited to attend. Bishop Marvin and Elder Clara Cremedy are the host pastors. For more information, call Elder Lynn Roseboro at 336-423-6903.

**March 27**

*Family and Friends Day*

The Zion Tabernacle FBH Church, 425 Buick St., will have Family and Friends Day on Sunday, March 27 at 4 p.m. Rev. Clara Goode, a member of Morning Star Baptist Church, will speak. The program sponsor is Annie Redd, the church secretary.

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**Application:** Leadership in the church does not follow the standards of the world. To lead God's people, she/he has to have character and sound knowledge. After one is called, preparation is the next step. Some will be trained like Timothy (in the heat of the battle) or elsewhere. It is vital that leaders stay in the Word and live it. They shouldn't rely on folklore or personal ambition. To be an effective leader, praying, studying, teaching and living the doctrine goes a long way to guide others. Our mission is to point others to Jesus; if anything else is taking place, there is an error. While we examine leadership, what standard do you live by as a believer? Are you not a leader?

# WSSU's Jones crowned Mr. HBCU

SPECIAL TO THE CHRONICLE

Cornell W. Jones, Mr. Winston-Salem State University (WSSU), has won the 7th Annual Mr. Historically Black College and University (HBCU) title, marking two consecutive years that WSSU contestants have won.

Jones, a senior mass communication major from Manassas, Va., and WSSU's Mr. Ram 2010-2011, won out among a field of 12 contestants for the Mr. HBCU 2011-2012 crown. He succeeds Davril T. Massey, an exercise science major and recent WSSU graduate from Waxhaw who was WSSU's Mr. Ram 2009-2010.



Jones

Jones, a member of WSSU's Honors College, has been on the Dean's List for seven consecutive semesters.

He is the veteran leader of WSSU's 2010 CIAA Champion Cross Country team and the WSSU Track & Field team. He also contributed to WSSU's second place finish in the 2011 CIAA Men's Indoor Track & Field Championships.

He is a member of Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Inc. Jones will graduate in May.

The 7th Annual Mr. HBCU King's Leadership Conference and Competition was held recently at Lincoln University in Jefferson City, Mo.

Jones competed against campus kings from HBCUs located around the country. The competition included oratory, talent, ease of manner and projection,

as well as a question and answer session. In addition to taking the overall title, Jones was awarded Mr. Talent for having the highest score in that particular competition.

Jones will receive a \$1,500 scholarship and will make special appearances and presentations on behalf of HBCUs during his reign as Mr. HBCU 2011-2012.

The mission of the Mr. HBCU Leadership Conference and Competition is to enhance leadership skills for HBCU Kings by creating an infrastructure that enables them to develop as spokespersons, role models and leaders in their communities.

**Lawyers**

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Mitchell, a general practitioner who helped to launch a similar mentoring program for young black males at his son's alma mater, West Forsyth, a few years earlier. Students in the program showed significant improvements in test scores during the two years he worked with the program, Mitchell said.

"A lot of bright, brilliant young boys are just lacking opportunity," commented the Southern University at Baton Rouge alumnus. "My son did well and I wanted others to do well, too."

Hartsfield said she and her colleagues had grown tired of encountering young African Americans in the courtrooms day after day.

"We had decided to adopt a school and start working with a school because high school crime was just so ridiculous and it was escalating," she declared.

Hartsfield, who is known for her creativity in the courtroom, says she often requires young people who come before her to write book reports or essays on the ramifications of whatever action landed them in her courtroom. It is one of the most despised punishments she hands down, she said.

"The beginning of the year, I had five people in a row who did not know how to sign their name," related the judge, who said she was told the students had never learned to write in cursive. "...I said, 'Anytime I can, I'm going to make children write.'"

Senior David Bishop said mentors



Photo by Layla Farmer

Judge Hartsfield presents Jasmine Robbison with a cash prize on behalf of Clerk of Court Susan Frye.

are an important component in many young people's lives.

"Many African Americans need assistance from people to guide them to success," wrote the 17 year-old. "If mentoring programs and positive role models are provided to students who are struggling in or out of their home, they can see that there is hope for the future."

Hartsfield heaped praise on Bishop, the only male winner this year.

"I am so proud to see borthers who write and articulate and are on the right track like you," she said.

Fifteen year-old Rajil Patel said her role model was God, whom she credits with getting her through some tough times, including the death of her grandmother. Though difficult, that experi-

ence taught her some valuable lessons, Rajil said.

"It doesn't matter if you're rich materialistically," she wrote. "Being rich spiritually is all that matters."

For Frederick Adams II, president of the WSBA, the event was a breath of fresh air, a welcome distraction from the many sad statistics about young people of color that play out daily in the courthouse. Winston-Salem is home to a proud tradition of black judiciaries and litigators who have mentored current members of the Association, he said.

"It has to be important for us to give back, the same way people gave back to (us)," he related. "We owe it to the people coming up to continue that legacy."

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**Peppers**

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training for godliness which benefits now and in eternity. Seeing godliness also helps others on their journey. What can the elders say? Paul points out that all who believe will labour and suffer because they trust in God who saves all if they come to Him. Some in the Ephesus church may reject Timothy because of his youth. The preacher is told to be an example in word, thought, deed and faith. This can be accomplished by public reading, teaching, and preaching. He shouldn't ignore his calling but meditate upon sound doctrine. As he does these things not for a few days but a lifetime, others will see the true doctrine and heed it. Total commitment is

