

RELIGION

CALENDAR

Through Oct. 21

Board of Presbyters Revival
The Greater Higher Ground Ministries, 4175 Moat Dr., Board of Presbyters and Senior Pastor Janice O. Heath are holding the 2016 Board of Presbyters Revival through Oct. 21. The services will start at 7 p.m. The anointed man of God, Apostle Ronnie Moore of Carthage, will speak on Thursday and Friday. For more information, call the church administration office at 336-725-1125.

Oct. 20

Local musician/storyteller performance
Barrie Howard, local musician and storyteller, will present his one-man show, "The Wit, Wisdom and Wisecracks of Mark Twain," on Thursday, Oct. 20 at 7 p.m. The performance will be held at the Unitarian Universalist Fellowship, 4055 Robinhood Road. Howard portrays Twain as a religious iconoclast, writer and humorist. Humanism With Heart program of the Fellowship is sponsoring the performance. For more information, email humanism@uufws.org.

Oct. 20

Praise On Concert
The artist Canton Junction will perform music at Oaklawn Baptist Church, 3500 Kernersville Road, from their "Get Your Praise On" tour on Oct. 20 at 7 p.m. Gordon Mote, ACM award-winner will be joining them as a special guest. There will be a "Meet & Eat" food truck at 5:30 p.m. to allow individuals to purchase food and share a meal with the artists before the concert. The concert is free, with donations accepted for Sanctuary of Hope, an outreach of John Hagee Ministries for unwed mothers and orphaned children. For further information, visit differencemedia.org or turningpointpr.com.

Oct. 21

Poverty Workshop
Workshop centered on the book "Bridges Out of Poverty" will be held at The Windsor Room at the LJV Coliseum, 2825 University Parkway, on Oct. 21 at 8:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. The workshop is for non-profit employees, social workers, pastors, teachers or anyone who wants a better understanding of the issues surrounding poverty. There is no cost for the workshop. Please RSVP by Oct. 14 to deniseirclesws@gmail.com. For more information, about the Circles program and The Shalom Project, visit www.theshalomprojectnc.org.

Oct. 21-22

Women Conference
The Women of New Jerusalem Missionary Baptist Church, 1212 N. Dunleith Ave., will hold a two-day Women In Pursuit of Purpose Conference. There will be tag-team preaching on Friday, Oct. 21 at 7 p.m., and various workshops on Saturday Oct. 22 at 8 a.m. Registration begins at 8 a.m. and is free and open to the public. All ages are welcome to the conference. Rev. Ronald E. Speas is the host pastor. For online registration, visit www.newjerusalemmissionarybaptistchurch.com or call 336-724-9743.

Oct. 22

Gospel stage play
The play "Church Folk" written by Jermaine Cherry and presented by Dream Cast productions will be performed at Winston-Salem State University's KR Williams auditorium, 601 S. Martin Luther King Jr. Dr., on Oct. 22 at 7 p.m. The play confronts church traditions and knowing when it's time to make a shift. Church Folk sheds light on power struggles, pride, church legacy, judgmental attitudes that hold too tightly to the past while resisting the change that could lead to a stronger church family. Tickets can be purchased by calling the auditorium at 336-750-3220, or ordering online at www.wssu.edu/tickets. For general admission tickets are \$30, WSSU students are \$15.

Oct. 21, 22 & 23

Fall Revival
Bishop Marvin Cremedy & Vessels of Honor Church Ministries, 3608 Ogburn Ave, will host their Fall Revival on Friday, Oct. 21 at 7 p.m. The special guest will be Bishop Scottie White and the congregation of Abba Father Ministry. On Saturday, Oct. 22 from 12 - 2 p.m. the church will sponsor a coat give away at the Greenway Apts. On Sunday, Oct. 23 at 11 a.m. morning worship service, Pastor Clara Cremedy will be the speaker. The congregation will conclude its Fall Revival at 3 p.m. with guest speaker Prophet Johnny Scott and the congregation of Pleasant Grove Baptist Church, Yadkinville N.C. The public is invited to attend. Bishop Marvin and Elder Clara Cremedy are the host pastors. For more information or transportation, contact the church at 336-624-9351 or by email at clara Cremedy@yahoo.com

Oct. 20 and 22

Church Anniversary celebration
St. Benedict the Moor Catholic church will continue to celebrate its 75th anniversary. On Thursday, Oct. 20, there will be a presentation on Historical Awareness of Winston-Salem as it relates to the legacy of African-Americans & St. Benedict the Moor from 6 to 7:30 p.m. On Saturday, Oct. 22, 1-3 p.m., there will be an anniversary luncheon. Tickets: \$25 per person or \$200 for a table of eight. To purchase tickets, please call Gloria King at the church office at 336-413-6798.

Oct. 23

Election candidate meet and greet
The Morning Star Missionary Baptist Church, 1400 Fitch St., will host a 2016 election candidate meet and greet for the church and community in the Fellowship Hall on Sunday, Oct. 23 at 1 p.m. Every state, district and local candidates have all been invited.

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Church honors Men's and Women's Day after hiatus

BY TIMOTHY RAMSEY
THE CHRONICLE

The congregation of Mt. Glory Missionary Baptist Church has not held a Men's and Women's day celebration in years. This past Sunday, the church brought the tradition back.

Mt. Glory, located at 214 N. Dunleith Ave., is actually a converted fire station. The building formerly housed the first



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black fire station in Winston-Salem. The church held separate services for the men and women. The women's service was first at 11 a.m.

And the men's service started at 2:15 p.m. There was a luncheon held in between the services to feed those who were attending both. The guest messengers for the services were Anita Dean-Arnette aka "The Boss Lady" of 103.5/96.3 FM The Light gospel radio station and her husband, Minister Jerry Arnette.

Church pastor, Bishop

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Black Catholic church celebrates 75th anniversary



Photos by Timothy Ramsey

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An anniversary luncheon also is planned for Saturday, Oct. 22 from 1-3 p.m.

St. Benedict was established in 1940 to serve African-American Catholics living in the Winston-Salem/East Winston community. The church was named in honor of St. Benedict the Moor, a Franciscan Friar who lived a holy life of prayer and charity. He is the patron saint of African-Americans.

The church was founded by Bishop Eugene McGuinness, bishop of the diocese of Raleigh. The church established two schools, St. Anne's Academy and St.

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Mount Zion Baptist Church celebrates Mount Zion Day

SPECIAL TO THE CHRONICLE

Mount Zion Baptist Church, 950 File Street, will celebrate Mount Zion Day on Sunday, Oct. 23, during the 11 a.m. morning worship service. The event is a blending of Men's and Women's Day which was combined into Mount Zion Day several years ago.

The theme of Mount Zion Day this year is "The Church That Prays Together Stays Together." This title is fitting because Mount Zion has never in its 126th church anniversary of five pastors experienced any church split.

Various programs and highlights are held at the church to increase monetary giving, but the main event is the worship service that will be held this Sunday.

This year the worship service will be especially exciting because the

guest preacher is a daughter of Mount Zion, Dr. Telika McCoy who served under the tutelage of Mount Zion senior pastor, Dr. Serenus T. Churn Sr. and was subsequently ordained by him.



McCoy

high demand as the keynote preacher or speaker at many churches and conventions.

She is a video presenter, worship leader, and motivational speaker at the General Baptist State Convention of North Carolina, which is the oldest African-American Baptist association in North Carolina and has more than 500,000 members.

Dr. McCoy recently published and released her first book, "THAT CHILD: Preparing for Challenging Moments with Youths."

Dr. McCoy's background as a clinical chaplain, Exceptional Children's professional, school teacher, and at-risk youth advocate have prepared her to share her knowledge and experience to help parents and other adults work effectively with young people. "That Child," according to Zulon Press, "intends to teach adults how to pull together current realities and past experiences in order to build meaningful relationships with youth."

Contact the church office at 336-722-2325 for more information. If you are not able to attend, please go to mtzionthejoy.org and look at the live service on UStream.

The High Priest Forever

Lesson Scripture:
Hebrews 7:1-3, 19b-28

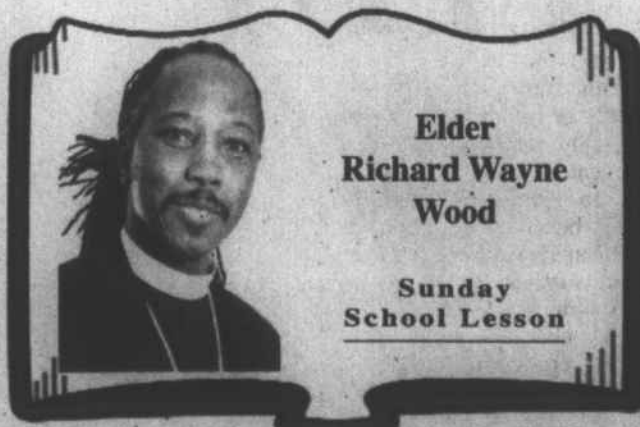
By the end of this lesson, we will

• Compare Melchisedec with Jesus

• Appreciate that people have someone who intercedes for them to God

• Find comfort knowing that Jesus will always be our ultimate spiritual leader

Background: The time of Hebrews is A.D. 67 the place is listed as unknown. "Christ is supreme over all" is the leading message in Hebrews. "God is faithful and keeps His promises" is another emphasis in this book, but knowing the concern of the people for forgiveness of sin and the role of the priest in that leads Paul to dig into the



Elder
Richard Wayne
Wood

Sunday
School Lesson

history of Melchizedec, whose name by the way means "King of Righteousness and King of Peace."

Lesson: We start with a recount of Melchisedec and Abraham and the fact that Melchisedec's name means King of Righteousness and King of Peace and is a king and priest as Christ is (verses 1-2) (see also Gen 14:18-20). A stark difference here is that Melchizedec

has no genealogy and no mention of his death, whereas Christ has an extensive genealogy and His death is meticulously recounted more than once in the New Testament and referred to by Isaiah in Old Testament (verse 3). They both are listed however, as living forever. "The law made

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