

Church News Briefs

C.N. Jenkins Gospel Choir Gospelrams To Honor Ms. Annie Rose Poole

By Teresa Simmons
Post Managing Editor
Sunday, January 22, the C. N. Jenkins Gospel Choir will present its Third Annual Gospelrama honoring Charlotte native Annie Rose Poole. This services begins at 5 p.m.

The choir, under the leadership of Geraldine Dykes Daniel, will have an unveiling and dedication of a plaque commemorating the induction of the Gospel-Spiritual Hall of Fame Artists including Annie Rose Poole and many local musicians.

The Hall of Fame was established in 1981 to show appreciation for the musicians in the Charlotte area who have demonstrated exceptional dedication to Gospel and Spiritual music. At the annual concert in 1983, disc jockey Robert Harris of radio station WPEG and Bill Johnson of The Charlotte Post were honored for their loyalty and support for Gospel and Spiritual music in the Charlotte area.

Choir members were inspired to honor Mrs. Poole by John Yorl of the Charlotte Observer and Grace Stevenson, former Charlotte-Mecklenburg school teacher and a member of C. N. Jenkins Memorial Presbyterian Church.

Mrs. Poole, often referred to as Charlotte's Mahalia Jackson, has served the community for 40 years. She was the first soloist to sing weekly on radio station WGIV in 1948. She was the official song leader for the N.C. State NAACP for six years. She organized the Spiritual Choir at St. Paul Baptist Church where she is now assistant music director under the leadership of pastor Dr. Paul W. Drummond.

Former baseball player Jackie Robinson was so taken by Mrs. Poole that he arranged for her to appear at the Apollo Theatre and Carnegie Hall in New York City. It was fulfilled through Kelly Alexander, Sr., chairman of the National NAACP.

Mrs. Poole has starred in various plays and film productions at Central Piedmont Community College and the Little Theatre in Charlotte. She received a degree in Religion from Teamer's School of Religion, an associate degree in Applied Science from Central Piedmont and is presently working on a Bachelor's degree in Human Services at the University of North Carolina at Charlotte.

The public is cordially invited to share in this appreciation program for Mrs. Poole. C. N. Jenkins' choir president is Sylvia Bowens, Publicity Chairman is Mary Cherry. C. N. Jenkins Memorial Presbyterian Church is pastored by Rev. George C. Goodman. The church is located at 1421 Statesville Ave.

MYERS TABERNACLE
Myers Tabernacle AME Zion Church, located at 509 Cherry Street, will have an evening service every fourth Sunday night at 7 p.m. Everyone is welcome. Choirs and groups will be present. Speaker for January 22 will be Rev. Linda M. Brown. Rev. C. C. Thompson is pastor.

FIRST MAYFIELD
The Deacons and Deaconesses will sponsor their annual program at 3 p.m., January 22 at First Mayfield Memorial Baptist Church, 901 Oaklawn Ave.

Rev. W. T. Richardson, pastor of the Mt. Pisgah Baptist Church in Waxhaw, will be the guest speaker. You are invited to come out in support of this effort.

Rev. Jeremiah Robinson is pastor.

MEMORIAL
The position of organist-choir director for the Chancel Choir of Memorial Presbyterian Church, is open for applicants. All inquiries and applications are to be sent to William Blakeney, 2600 Beatties Ford Rd., Charlotte, N.C. 28216. Memorial is located at 2600 Beatties Ford Road.

Memorial Presbyterian Church (USA) will hold its Evangelism Service Sunday, February 22, at 11 a.m.

Rev. St. Paul Epps will be the guest speaker. Rev. Epps has worked for the



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Department of Evangelism of the Presbyterian Churches and was the Executive Director for the Self-Development of People.

The public is cordially invited to attend this joyous service. Rev. E. D. Newberry is pastor.

ST. JOHN
Sunday morning pastor Robert Leak's message will be centered around "Leaders That Lead" at New St. John Baptist Church.

At 3 p.m. Rev. Leak, choir and congregation of St. John Baptist will be special guests at Providence Baptist Church in Mt. Holly. This program will be the 1984 installation of Providence officers.

Rev. Leak will deliver the evening message. Rev. Burrell Brooks is pastor of Providence.

On the fifth Sunday at 11 a.m., Rev. Melvin McCullough, pastor of Womble AME Zion Church, choir and congregation will be guests during the installation service of St. John Baptist. At 2:30 p.m., the Mecklenburg General Baptist Association Sunday School and Baptist Training Union will convene at New St. John. Classes will be taught for all phases of church work. Cedric Jones is president. The public is cordially invited.

St. John Baptist is located at 2000 St. John Rd. in Newell.

MYERS TABERNACLE
Beginning Sunday, January 29, Myers Tabernacle AME Zion Church will be holding evening services each fourth Sunday night at 7 p.m.

Speakers for these services will be associate

ministers of Myers Tabernacle.

The speaker for January 29 is the Rev. Linda Brown. Music for the evening services will be provided by the sanctuary choir of Myers.

Rev. Cornell C. Thompson is the pastor of Myers Tabernacle, located at 509 Cherry Street in the Cherry community of Charlotte. Please come and help uplift the name of God in these services.

Rev. Terry McCaskill.

GREATHER BETHEL
The Annual Women's Day Observance will be held at Greater AME Church Sunday, January 22. Guest speaker at this 11 a.m. worship service will be Audrey Barnes, television news reporter with station WSOC in Charlotte.

The theme for this year's observance is "Women, Light Up Your Lives and the Lives of Others."

The theme will also be highlighted during the 9 p.m. evening creative worship hour when women of the church and other church members will display their musical and dramatic talents.

Everyone is cordially invited to participate in both services.

Rev. Levi Brown, Jr. is pastor.

Greater Bethel is located at 201 Grandin Road.

CHAPPELL MEMORIAL
Missions Day will be held Sunday, January 22, at Chappell Memorial Baptist Church, 412 S. Hoskins Avenue.

The theme is "Missions Reaching Out."

Teresa Cureton will be the 11 a.m. speaker. She is a young adult member of Chappell Memorial. The

afternoon program will consist of a presentation from each missionary department. This will begin at 4 p.m. The public is cordially invited to attend.

Rev. Wilson Mitchell is pastor.

STATESVILLE AVE.
Statesville Avenue Presbyterian Church will celebrate its 32nd anniversary Sunday, January 22 during the 11 a.m. worship service.

Rev. Thomas Jenkins, pastor emeritus, will deliver a special anniversary message.

The public is cordially invited to attend.

Statesville Avenue will have prayer meeting each Wednesday in January at 7 p.m. The Church-Support Community will lead the prayer meetings. Statesville Avenue Presbyterian Church, located at 2608 Statesville Ave., is pastored by Rev. Wilburn Sanders.

SALEM BAPTIST
The Deacons of Salem Baptist Church will sponsor an Old Time Twelve Tribes Program Sunday, January 22, at 7 p.m.

Chairman Deacon John A. McCullough, Sr. states, "You will miss a treat if you are not present. The program promises to be spirit-filled and you will be blessed through song."

Proceeds from the program will go towards the building of the new church edifice.

The Fifth Sunday Night of January, the Prayer Meeting Choir of Livingstone College, Salisbury, will perform in concert beginning at 7 p.m.

The program is being sponsored by the Pastor's Aid of the church. Betty



Rev. Jeremiah Robinson
...First Mayfield pastor

Anderson is president. You are invited to attend. The choir is under the direction of S. Washington. Advisor is Rev. Mrs. Willie Aldrich and the chaplain is

SHILOH INSTITUTIONAL
"Hotel Heaven," a Christian play, will be presented at the Shiloh Institutional Baptist Church Sunday, January 22, at 7 p.m.

The play was written by a member of the Saint Paul Baptist Church, and its cast of characters are all members of that church. Saint Paul's pastor, Dr. Paul W. Drummond, also has a role in the play.

This play has been performed by this drama group at several local churches and it has received high praises for being a fine dramatic presentation.

Sponsored by the Pastor's Aid of Shiloh Institutional Baptist Church, "Hotel Heaven" is one of several programs they have planned for 1984. There is no admission and the public is cordially invited to attend.

Shiloh Institutional Baptist Church is located at 2400 Greenland Avenue, where Rev. T. G. Davis serves as pastor.



Rev. Anthony Jiwright
...Salem Baptist pastor

TORRENCE CHAPEL
The Spiritualaires of Torrence Chapel AME Zion Church in Davidson will present the Children of Sun Gospel Choir from the University of North Carolina at Charlotte in concert Sunday, January 22, at 3 p.m.

Also featured will be the L.D. Parker Mass Choir of

St. Luke Baptist Church. Both choirs are well known for their fine singing and performing abilities. You are invited to this gospel music program. Tony Howard is president of the sponsoring group, Eudean Knox is program chairman and Rev. G.S. Waddell is minister.

Torrence Chapel AME Zion is located on Torrence Chapel Rd. in Davidson.

NCCJ
The National Conference of Christians and Jews invites all citizens to participate in a community dialogue Wednesday, January 25, at noon at the Trade Street YWCA. The subject will be the South African Black-White issue and how it affects us.

Dr. Bob Mundt of the Political Science Department at UNCC; Kelly Alexander, Jr., of the NAACP and South African John

Lewis are among six panelists who will be discussing the issue of human rights. WBT's Henry Boggan will moderate. For reservations and more information, call NCCJ at 332-4420.

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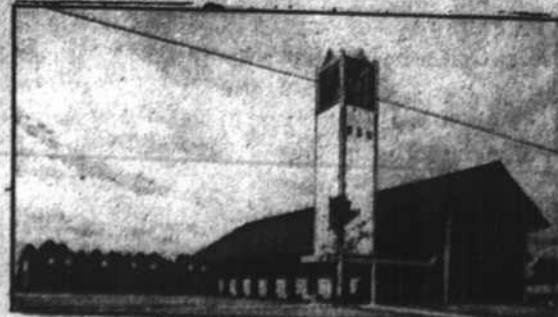
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