

Calendar of Church Events

Homecoming At Ponders' Chapel

Homecoming services will be held on Sept. 16 at the Ponder's Chapel Baptist Church in Marshall. Dinner will be served following the morning worship service.

The Rev. Joe Smith of the Mt. Olive Baptist Church will deliver the afternoon message. Pastor D.E. Lytle invites everyone to attend.

The Walnut Cemetery in Walnut is funded entirely by donations from businesses and individuals. Those with family members buried in the cemetery are asked to make their donations to Valerie Guthrie, 41 Academy Rd., Marshall, N.C.

Mars Hill Receives Donations

MARS HILL- Mars Hill College has received \$45,000 from several foundations, plus a new scoreboard for the athletic field and a new car, according to Dr. Fred B. Bentley, college president.

Three foundations have contributed to the college recently. \$10,000 has been received from the Love Foundation to endow and Educational Assistance Fund. This fund will help needy students with special incidental expenses such as the purchase of books, music, laboratory materials, and emergency travel in case of illness. The fund will be administered by the Director of Financial Aid. The Love Foundation is a family foundation begun by Martha and Spencer Love in 1947. It supports a broad range of activities in N. C. with emphasis on education, the arts, medicine and Protestant churches.

The Stonecutter Foundation contributed \$5,000 to the college for the purchase of micro-computers for student use in Mars Hill's new computer information science major. This foundation is company-sponsored and was incorporated in 1944. It was established for broad support of local projects with an emphasis on education and medicine.

The Taylor Foundation has made an unrestricted \$30,000 gift to the college also. Founded by family members in 1950, the Denver, Colorado foundation supports a broad range of activities with emphasis on education, youth agencies and hospitals.

The Coca-Cola Bottling Company of Asheville has contributed a new scoreboard for the college's Meares Athletic Field. The new scoreboard, which will be installed within the next two weeks, will have the facility to keep score for the college's soccer team as well as the football team.

A new automobile has been received by the college, donated by a member of the school's Board of Trustees, who wished to remain anonymous. The car will be used by the Office of Admissions in student recruitment.

"Mars Hill College is exceptionally fortunate to have friends as generous as these foundations, companies, and individuals," stated Dr. Bentley. "It is with their help that we are able to continue to meet the high standards we have established for the college, its students, and the community."

River Friends Dinner

The Land of the Sky Regional Council will sponsor a 'Friends of the River' dinner on Thursday at Mama T's in the Asheville Recreation Center at 6:30 p.m.

The Montford Park Players will stage 'The Ballad of Mountain Lily' as part of the dinner program. The play relates an experiment conducted approximately 100 years ago to transport a steamboat on the French Broad River. Written by Sarah Upchurch, the 20-minute play is directed by Greg Ramsey.

The dinner will also recognize individuals and organizations for their river conservation efforts. Ball tickets are \$10. The dinner will begin at 6:30 p.m. and end at 9:00 p.m.

Jefferson Pilot Endows Seat At MHC

MARS HILL- The Jefferson Pilot Corporation of Greensboro has awarded Mars Hill College \$25,000 which will be added to an endowed professorship established by a similar grant last April.

"The continuing support of the Jefferson Pilot Corporation is a tribute to Mars Hill's academic program," stated College President, Dr. Fred B. Bentley, "and a recognition of the high standards we are continuing to set and meet."

Proceeds from the endowment are awarded to a faculty member chosen by the college's president in recognition of his or her outstanding contributions and is not restricted to any particular discipline. The award is in addition to the recipient's salary.

The first, and current, Jefferson Pilot Professor is Dr. Jack N. Grose, chairman of the Department of Business Administration and Economics. A Mars Hill alumnus, Dr. Grose holds an undergraduate degree from Wake Forest University, a M.B.A. degree from the University of South Carolina, and received his doctorate from Mississippi State University. He has been a member of the college's faculty since 1964, and was named chairman of the department in 1972.

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By Michael A. Guido, Metter, Georgia

A boy said to his buddies, "Come on! Let's play ball in the street."

"I can't," protested one. "Why can't you?" came the question.

"My father won't let me," he said. "There's a lot of traffic. It's too dangerous."

"Ask him again," said another. "He might change his mind."

"No use," replied the boy. "I know my father."

What was the proof of knowing his father? His observation of him? Oh, no. His obedience to him.

In the same way, you should say you know God. The proof is not in your language, but in your life: not in your profession, but in your practice.

This obedience is not that which is casual, but that which is continual. It is not a single, big act of obedience; but a continuous activity of everyday obedience.

St. John said, "Hereby we do know that we know Him, if we keep His commandments." Do you know Him?

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