

Harvest Of Songs Feature At Church Sunday Afternoon

BY BARBARA T. HEWETT

Those of us at Cedar Grove Missionary Baptist Church are describing Sunday as the Harvest of Songs, for this is truly what it will be at 4 p.m.

We are expecting a messenger from South Carolina, Rev. McGill. New Hanover County will send us the Lowery Family with the boy wonder singer, Derrick, ten years old and already a prize-winning vocalist.

Coming from Brooklyn, N.Y. are Ethel Mae and Loretta Vines. The public has a cordial invitation.

Providing music for Sunday School on Sunday were the following youth: Shanna Gause, Stacy Hill, Jennifer and Alonza Hewett, Rodric Gause, Lamont Bernard, Calvin and Jerry Reaves and Rick Bernard. The musician was Jackie D. Fullwood.

Our 11 o'clock service brought in many worshippers for the baptismal service. One of our sister churches, St. James, joined us with their candidate for baptism, the granddaughter of Ralph Bernard. She was accompanied by her pastor, Rev. Raymond Smith, Rev. Felix Simmons, Rev. Carl Bernard and many other members and friends of her church community. Rev. Simmons was the evangelist for their revival.

Correction
The moderator for the Sunday School Convention is Rev. Samuel Stanley. He presided over Saturday and Sunday's session, assisted by Rev. M. C. Herring, who brought the Sunday morning worship sermon. Sunday school was taught by Deacon Raphael Frink of Little Prong, Ash.

The Saturday session consisted of individual workshops for superintendents and teachers, with instructors Joseph Butler, Mrs. Louise Gause and others. The theme address was explained by Irene B. Hankins, retired counselor of the Brunswick County School System. The Rev. Dennis Graham was the messenger for the day.

Next Major Event
The next major event for the 15 churches of the Ocean View Association will be its convening of the union which will be in session on the fifth Saturday and Sunday of this month. Look for the time and place in next week's column.

Banquet Speaker
Aaron Johnson of the N.C. State Penal System will be the banquet speaker for the Southport Chapter of the NAACP at the Brunswick County complex on Oct. 17 at 7 p.m. Mr. Johnson is the only black appointee in Gov. Martin's cabinet.

Florida Visitor
Visiting his parents and relatives as well as worshipping with us Sunday was Percy Hewett of Florida. He thanked everyone for prayers for him during a recent illness. He had been where he couldn't walk but he seemed to be doing a perfect job of it on Sunday.

Birthday Greetings
Happy birthday to everyone, and especially to Arvela Marlowe, Elliot Bryant, Rosa Lee Hewett, Samera Hewett, Thomas Galloway, Uzena Bernard, Jasper Stanley, Jackie Gore, Sonia Williams, Cicily Williams, Iris Hewett Jr., Nadia Bryant, Marvin Bryant, Cleve Bryant, Emma Allene Hankins, Sharon Bernard, Yvonne Fullwood, Steve Gause, Patricia Johnson, Earlene Williams, Sandra Robinson and Fred Hewett Jr.



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It's A September Treasure Hunt

Finding the September Yard of the Month chosen by the Long Bay Garden Club, the home of Eunice Russ, offers a treasure hunt for those unfamiliar with the Ocean Isle Beach area. The neat white stucco house with well-maintained yard and colorful planting beds is on Tallman Street. From N.C. 179 at Ocean Isle Beach,

motorists would take a left at Hale Beach Road, a right at Hemingway Street and another right onto Tallman Street. Mrs. Russ said she and her late husband, Ebrun, built the retirement home several years ago with the help of friends and family.

Programs On Sexual Abuse, Crime Prevention Offered

A number of new 16mm and slide programs on child abuse/sexual molestation and crime prevention are available to civic, school and church groups without charge through the Brunswick County Sheriff's Department.

There are programs suited to all age groups from grammar school to adult, indicated Nancy Simpson, detective, and Don Gates, crime prevention officer.

Four films deal with child abuse and sexual molestation, including two designed for adults, Mrs. Simpson said. "America's Heartache" informs parents about how and what to teach their children on the problem, while the slide presentation "Child Abuse—The Silent Epidemic" graphically portrays how some children are abused and the changes this experience can effect in their character, appearance and behavior.

"Power Time Kids," aimed at youngsters of grammar school age, discusses sexual abuse in a way children can understand and also lets them know they also have legal

rights. "Speaking Out," for middle and high school age groups, discusses the help available to victims of sexual abuse.

Three presentations are geared to community watch-type groups. "Every Eight Seconds" tells how to secure a home and a convicted burglar describes what he looked for before breaking into a house. "America's Toughest Gang" is useful in establishing a new watch group, explaining the duties of various group members, while "On The Lookout" follows up with the basics of how and what to watch.

For more information on any of

these programs, contact the Brunswick County Sheriff's Department, 253-4321.

Club Tours WWAY Television Studio

A tour of the WWAY-TV3 studios in Wilmington gave Boiling Spring Lakes Homemakers "a different perspective of TV activity and was very educational," secretary Mary Richardson reports.

WWAY employee Kathy Powell guided club members through the facility on Sept. 10, introducing them to on-camera personalities Art Bannion and Steve Beverly.

Participants included Helen and John Wheelton, Gladys Jacobs, Martha Bullard, Regma Taylor, Cindy Parker, Thelma and Bill Dunn, Bill and Mabel Koehler, and Mary and Frank Richardson.

Club members also dined at a German restaurant.

Participation In Parade Invited

The Holden Beach Merchants' Association is soliciting participation in the annual N.C. Festival by the Sea parade Oct. 26.

Any member or non-member business in the Holden Beach area that would like to enter are asked to contact Becky Robertson, 842-2381.

Leland Ole Time Festival Promises Fun On Saturday

Saturday from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Brunswick County Parks and Recreation and the Leland Community Action Group will sponsor the Leland Ole Time Festival in Leland Park.

The festival will feature arts and crafts exhibits, foods, live entertainment all day, free games, and pony and cart rides for children.

The festival will also have display

shows by the New Hanover Antique Car Club, Eastcoast 4-Wheel Drive Club, and the Corvette Club.

A special feature of the festival promises to be the old timers' reminiscence tent, where the older members of the community can sit in the shade with a cool drink and discuss times gone by.

Special appearances will be made by Belinda Jacobs, Miss Brunswick County; Renee Young, Miss North Carolina Christmas; Crystal Williams, and Young Miss North Carolina Christmas. Storyteller Joyce Greer, mime artist Nathan Freeman, country singer Jimmy Gatlin, ventriloquist Lori Harris, singer Veronica Phelps, the New Hope Senior Choir, the Leland Baptist Church puppeteers, the Cape Fear Cloggers, the Stage Door Troopers, the Kendall Choir and the Leland Senior Choir will also perform.

The grand finale of the festival will be a colonial baby pageant featuring children ages newborn to four.

Ultra Suede Sewing Taught

A workshop on ultra suede fabric construction will be offered in October by the Brunswick County Agricultural Extension Service in Bolivia, said Pearl W. Stanley, home economics extension agent.

Workshop dates are Oct. 25, 26, 28 and 29, with an Oct. 4 deadline for pre-registration by calling the extension office, 253-4425. Information on the registration fee and supplies will be available then. Space is limited.

Mrs. Joe Peters of Clinton, whom Mrs. Stanley described as "an ultra suede construction expert," will teach the workshop.

Oyster Festival Plans Dog Show

The South Brunswick Islands Chamber of Commerce, in conjunction with the N.C. Oyster Festival, will hold a dog show Saturday, Oct. 12, at the Ocean Isle Beach Airport.

Anyone may enter their dog in the contest regardless of breed, special training, or whether the pet is pedigreed. The only requirement is that dogs be at least six months old.

Dogs will be judged in six categories, plus a best of show winner. Judging classifications are best trick dog, smallest dog, largest dog, best looking dog, best costumed dog, and best behaved dog. First, second and third place ribbons will be awarded in each category.

The best of show winner will be selected from among the first place winners.

Local dog experts will be on hand to discuss subjects such as grooming, obedience, responsibilities of pet ownership and other topics of importance to pet owners.

Entry blanks may be obtained by calling the chamber office or Chairperson Elaine Wright at 754-8701.

Dogs may be entered in the competition up to 30 minutes before showtime.

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