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Preparing For Fair

November's months away, but the women of St. James the Fisherman Episcopal Church in Shallotte are busily preparing for the church's Nov. 16 Holiday Craft Fair with twice-monthly arts and crafts workshops. Pictured above at a recent workshop are leaders (from left) Cookie Minton and Lorraine Babcock and one of the participants (foreground), Janet Leigh.

Interchurch Council Plans First Hunger Relief Walk

Local volunteers will walk to raise money to relieve world hunger Sunday, May 5, in the first CROP Walk sponsored by the South Brunswick Interchurch Council.

CROP is the acronym for Christian Rural Overseas Program, part of the education and fund raising outreach of Church World Service, the disaster relief and development division of the National Council of Churches of Christ in the U.S.A.

Coordinator Don Eggert, of Camp United Methodist Church in Shallotte, said the CROP Walk is an excellent opportunity for people of all ages to participate in an event to help fight hunger.

Approximately local seven churches are already committed to participating in the walk, he said, and others are welcome to join in.

Last year 75 CROP events across North Carolina raised \$1.4 million for hunger relief, including \$1,700 raised by the county's only other CROP event, the annual walk sponsored by the Interfaith Council serving the Southport-Oak Island area.

Most of the funds raised will be used by Church World Service for overseas relief and development work, including hunger relief work under way in Ethiopa and Sudan, and in the Middle East, where the Red Crescent (similar to the Red Cross) is helping countries cope with the thousands of refugees from the Persian Gulf War.

However, up to 25 percent of the funds raised can be designated to aid hunger relief efforts in Brunswick County,

Eggert said coordinators within various local churches will be distributing CROP information and walk registration forms in the near

Walkers seek and collect pledges of donations based on the number of miles walked.

More information on the walk or CROP is available from Eggert at 754-5082, evenings.

CEDAR GROVE AREA NEWS Church Celebrates 119th

BY BARBARA T. HEWETT



Church is celebrating its 119th anniversary this week with a series of special worship pro-

Tonight (Thursday) the Rev. Leo Stevenson will min-

ister the word, with his church choir to minister in music.

On Friday, the service is sponsored by the captains of November and December, with a program of gospel music planned.

The celebration closes Sunday with the Rev. Freeman Gause and the combined choir in charge of the 11 a.m. service. A fellowship luncheon will be served in the church dining hall, followed by the evening service at 3 p.m. The Rev. David Flowers will preach.

There will be a birthday rally, with each months' participants reporting their offerings.

The public is invited.

Choir To Rehearse The Ocean View Mass Senior Choir will rehearse Monday, March 18, at 7:30 p.m. at Pleasant View Baptist Church at Grissettown.

Director Elizabeth Jenrette and pianist Vicki Jenrette ask that all members be present and on time.

Anniversary Set youth choir of Pleasant Grove Missionary Baptist Church will hold its anniversary program, Sunday March 17, at 4 p.m.

Several local choirs have been invited to participate, and the public is welcome also.

Workshop Planned A workshop for leaders and po-

tential officers of the Ocean View Union will be held Saturday, March 16, at Mt. Zion Missionary Baptist Church in Longwood, starting at 9:30 a.m.

Instructors will be Mazie Stanley, seniors; Louise Gause, young adults; Elizabeth Jenrette, supervisors; Felicia Stanley, ushers.

Program Enjoyed A program of music was enjoyed by attendees of the annual October in March program held March 3 at Cedar Grove Missionary Baptist

Church. Featured was Pleasant View, with Pamela Hankins and Sandy Brown

as musician and lead vocalist. Other groups included the Mt. Zion and Cedar Grove young adult choirs, The McCloud Singers, Zion Hill Choir and soloists Ola Frink and Arvella Marlowe.

Makes Debut

Jasmine Harrison, recently crowned Little Miss Dynamics for the Ocean View Woman's Home and Foreign Mission Union, made her first official appearance March 1. She sang a solo at the youth talent display at Union Missionary Baptist Church in Tabor City. She is the daughter of Wndy Harrison of Little Prong Missionary Baptist Church,

Birthday Greetings

Happy birthday to Remontia Hewett Greene, Jackie Dale Fullwood, Ella Vania Hewett, Penny Hill, Nick Green, Derrick Gregory Hewett, Eddie Shannon, Nicole Nance, Mary Lee Bryant, James P. Hewett, Marsha Bryant, Marva Moss, Wayne Bryant, Evelyn Hewett, Alma Hewett and Ethel Mae Bryant.

Tune In Be sure to listen to WVCB (1410 AM) in Shallotte for the Cedar Grove Area News Thursdays at 3 p.m. and Saturdays at 10:15 a.m. On Sunday evenings listen for the Moments of Inspiration gospel mu-

Weekly Scripture

The Scripture for the week comes from Isaiah 58, "Is it not to deal they bread to the hungry and that thou bring the poor that are cast out to they house?...Then shall they light break forth as the morning ... '

Deaths And Funerals

RALEIGH C. DIXON SR. Raleigh Clyde Dixon Sr., 87, of Varnamtown, died March 6 in The Brunswick Hospital. He was a re-

tired fisherman. The funeral was March 9 at Chapel United Methodist Church, Varnamtown, with the Rev. Robert Hargrove and the Rev. Bobby Norton officiating. Burial was in the church cemetery.

Dixon was born in Supply on May 15, 1903, the son of the late Albert and Cornealia Robinson Dixon. He was a member of Dixon Chapel United Methodist Church, where he taught the adult Sunday school class for many years.

Survivors include two sons, R.C. Dixon and Tommy Dixon, both of Supply; a daughter, Mary Lou Edwards of Humble, Texas; five grandchildren; and six great-grand-

JAMES FOREST JONES

James Forest (Jimmy) Jones of Bolivia, died March 4 at his residence. He was 62.

The funeral was March 7 at Antioch Baptist Church, with the Rev. Paul Davis Early officiating. Burial was in the church cemetery.

Jones was born in Bolivia on March 6, 1928, to the late Arthur and Geneva Cox Jones. He was a member of Antioch Baptist Church and was employed for 30 years with Babcock and Wilcox of Wilmington. He was a member of the Bolivia Volunteer Fire Department for 32 years.

Survivors include his wife, Vera M. Jones of the home; a son, Gary Jones of Bolivia; a daughter, Charlene Beauchamp of Indianapolis, Ind.; and four grandchildren, Robert Edwards II, James Edwards, P.J. Jones and Nichole Jones.

LENNON M. McLAMB Lennon M. McLamb of Route 4, Shallotte, died March 6 in The Brunswick Hospital at Supply.

The funeral was March 8 at Bethel Primitive Baptist Church, Hickman's Crossroads, with Elder W.D. Mintz and Elder Armon Ritch officiating. Burial was in the church cemetery.

McLamb was born in Brunswick County on May 2, 1920, a son of the late Polly Benton and Lewis Allen McLamb. For 30 years prior to his retirement he was the owner of L. McLamb Construction Com-

pany Inc. Survivors include his wife, Myrtle Gore McLamb of the home; a son, Jimmy McLamb of Shallotte: two brothers, Aaron McLamb of Shallotte and E.L. McLamb of Little River, S.C.; two sisters, Lessie M. Hardee of Shallotte and Shellie M. Somersett of Calabash; three grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

CURTIS ED STEELE

Ocean Isle Beach restauranteur Curtis Ed Steele, 72, died March 7 Columbus County Hospital, Whiteville. Prior to retirement he was owner of The Islander and The Island House restaurants.

The funeral was March 9 in the chapel of Brunswick Funeral Service, Shallotte, conducted by the Rev. Lawrence Funderburke and the Rev. Bobby Causey. Entombment was in Brunswick Memorial Gardens Mausoleum.

He was a former member of Ocean Isle Beach Board of Commissioners.

Survivors include his wife, Pearl S. Steele of the home; a son, Joe Edward Steele of Ocean Isle Beach; four brothers, Cecil Steele of Weddington, George S. Steele, Paul Steele and Franklin Steele, all of Charlotte; three sisters, Nealy Reid Nance of Charlotte, Myrtle Hartis of Matthews and Josephine Williams of Monroe; four grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.

The family asked that memorials be made to the Shallotte Volunteer Rescue Squad, Calabash Voiunteer Emergency Medical Service and Brunswick County Animal Welfare League.

GRACE NICHOLS MAGGARD

Grace Nichols Maggard, 90, of Route 1, Bolivia, died March 8 in J.A. Dosher Memorial Hospital, Southport.

The funeral was March 10 at Coble Ward-Smith Funeral Service Chapel, Supply with the Rev. Lewis Wescott Jr. officiating. Burial was in the Bowling Family Cemetery.

Mrs. Maggard was born in Duffield, Va., on Feb. 17, 1902, to the late Granvill and Farah Depp Nichols.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Robert Maggard; two

daughters, Vernie Bowling and Iris Patti; A son, Donald Maggard; and five brothers and two sisters.

Survivors include six sons, Elmo Maggard of Sneedsville, Tenn., Wendell Maggard of Knoxville, Tenn., Jimmy Maggard of Boiling Spring Lakes, Eligah Maggard and Alfred Maggard of Bolivia and Jerry Maggard of Charleston, S.C.; three daughters, Juanita Caudill and Martha Wescott of Bolivia and Judy Caison of Supply; 43 grandchildren; 62 great-grandchildren; and eight great-grandchildren.

RUSSELL HAVENS PERKIS

Russell Havens Perkis, 71, of Boiling Spring Lakes, died March 2 in Dosher Memorial Hospital, Southport.

The funeral was March 7 at Bartlett Funeral Chapel, St. Albans, W.Va., with burial in Cunningham Memorial Park.

HOWARD E. ROBERTSON

Howard E. (Robbie) Robertson, 69, of Calabash, died March 11 at Grand Strand Hospital in Myrtle Beach, S.C., after an illness.

A memorial service will be held March 16 at 10 a.m. at Ocean Drive Presbyterian Church, with Dr. Robert Kantner officiating.

Robertson was born in West Lafayette, Ind., the son of the late Lynn S. and Adella Pettersen Robertson. He was a graduate of Purdue University, a World War II veteran and a member of Ocean Drive Presbyterian Church.

He retired from AT&T after 38 years of employment and moved to Calabash in 1984 from Chappaqua,

Survivors include his wife, C. May Alexander Robertson of Calabash; two sons, Robert E. Roberston of Huntingtown, Md., and Douglas Robertson of Owings, Md.; two daughters, Carolyn Clouser of Pittsford, N.Y., and Jane Kelsey of Suffolk, Va.; two brothers, Lynn S. Robertson Jr. of Lansing, Mich., and John Robertson of Knoxville, Tenn.; a sister, Eva Paarlberg of West Lafayette, Ind.; and six grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by a son, Gregory Alexander Robertson in June 1990.

In lieu of flowers the family

asked that memorials be made to Ocean Drive Presbyterian Church, P.O. Box 15, North Myrtle Beach, S.C. 29597. KATIE MAE LOWRY

Katie Mae Lowry, 95, of Supply, died March 8 in Autumn Care Nursing Center, Shallotte.

The funeral was March 11 in the chapel of Vogler's Funeral Service. Winston-Salem. Mrs. Lowry was born in Forsyth

County on Aug. 11, 1895. She was

a retired merchant. Survivors include a son, William (Bill) Agee of Supply; a sister, Nellie Hauser of Winston-Salem; and a granddaughter, Katie Diane Wooten

of Supply. THADDEUS L. EVERETT Thaddeus L. "Spanky" Everett, formerly of Navassa, died March 3

in Queens, N.Y. The funeral was March 9 in Davis Chapel at Navassa, with buri-

al in Masonboro Cemetery. LEVANDER C. PIGOTTE Levander C. Pigotte, 85, of Shal-

lotte, died March 7 in Autumn Care Nursing Center. The funeral was March 10 at Pleasant Hill Baptist Church, Burial was

in Angela Faye Memorial Cemetery. GLENNIE ALINE PRICE Glennie Aline Price, 82, of Southport, died March 9 at Aluchua

General Hospital, Gainesville, Fla. The funeral was to be held at 3 p.m. Wednesday, March 13, at Southport Baptist Church, where she was a member. The Rev. Wayne Trexler and the Rev. William Rice were to officiate, with burial in

Northwood Cemetery. Mrs. Price was born in Brunswick County on April 28, 1908, a daughter of the late D. Sam and Emma Robbins Rich. She was the widow of Carlton Price.

Survivors include four daughters, Glennie P. Simmons and Joyce P. Splawn of Southport, Dorothy P. Freeman of Gainesville, Fla., and Cheryl P. Miller of Bolivia; a brother, Thomas Rich of Texas; three sisters, Vernie Hufham of Roxboro, Margaret Pitts of Coral Gables, Fla., and Eloise Sidberry of High Point; 15 grandchildren; and 16 greatgrandchildren.

Memorial contributions may be made to the organization of the donor's choice.

Moore, Dept. of Church Life, at the

convention office, 1-800-395-5102.

Musical Slated Sunday

will present the Easter musical

Behold The Empty Tomb Sunday,

in the musical written by Joe Parks.

Branch Church is located on N.C.

Revival Scheduled

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Jennies Branch Baptist Church

RELIGIOUS ACTIVITIES

Baptists Across County Slate Youth Night Saturday

Youths from Baptist churches across Brunswick County gather Saturday, March 16, at First Baptist Church of Oak Island at Long Beach for the Brunswick Baptist Association's Youth Night.

Mark Howell of Winston-Salem will be the youth speaker for the 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. program.

Music will be provided by indifrom churches in the association.

Methodists from multi-county area

gather Sunday, March 17, from 3

p.m. to 5 :30 p.m. at Kenan

Auditorium on the campus of the

University of North Carolina for

their annual Wilmington District

ed his master of theology degree in

1958 from Union Theological Sem-

inary in Richmond, Va. He served

as a pastor as a district superinten-

dent in Virginia before his election

Presently he serves on the Execu-

tive Committee of the Council of

Bishops and the World Methodist

Council; as a member of the Gen-

eral Board of Global Ministries of

The United Methodist Church and

president of its Committee on Relief

Department; and as a member of the

Governing Board, National Council

The purpose of the rally is to cel-

St. Luke

ebrate the ministry of the churches,

said the Rev. George Speake, pastor

68 Lutheran Church

Worship Service Sunday, 10:00 A.M.

Sunday School at 9:00 a.m.

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Students To Lead On Sunday, March 17, a group

from the Baptist Student Union of Eastern Kentucky University in Richmond, Ky., will lead the 11 a.m. worship service at First Baptist Church of Boiling Spring Lakes.

A variety of elements, including worship, singing and clowning, will vidual church youth or youth choirs be incorporated into the service. Rick Trexler, Baptist campus minis-

ter at Eastern Kentucky, will direct the program. The church is located at 45 Boiling Spring Road. The Rev. Avery

ten study sponsored by Calabash Presbyterian Church will make bread as part of their study of the use of bread as a symbol for both

The session is the last in a series of six studies open to all interested persons. Participants will meet at 10 a.m. Tuesday in the church office

behind Calabash Barber Shop.

The Rev. Lewis W. Fowler, representing the Association for Church Development of the Coastal Carolina Presbytery, will be the guest speaker at the March 17 worship service of Calabash Presbyterian

The service begins at 9:30 a.m. in the Calabash VFW Hall, Traders

Dr. Francis M. Womack Jr. is the host minister.

Seminar For Singles

A seminar for single adults will be held April 26-28 at the N.C. Baptist Assembly at Fort Caswell, Oak Island, by the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina.

The three-day event is open to both those who have never married or are formerly married. Cost is \$58.75 per person, double occupan-

More information is available from local Baptist pastors or from David

Calabash Presbyterian Church

Worship Services Sunday 9:30 AM VFW COMMUNITY HALL TRADERS' VILLAGE, CALABASH

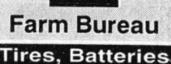
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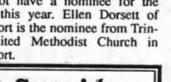
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United Methodists Gathering Sunday To Celebrate Ministry

Approximately 1,000 United of Camp United Methodist Church in Shallotte. Participating in the rally will be members of churches from Brunswick, New Hanover, Columbus and Bladen counties.

> In keeping with that theme, churches will respond to the roll call by telling what in its ministry their church is celebrating.

The rally will be punctuated by a series of 30-second "commercial breaks" promoting the work of the church in various areas.

During the program, a number of individuals and churches will be recognized. Among those to be honored are the top five high school seniors in the district; churches with outstanding evangelism programs; churches that have participated in rainbow covenant ministries, giving to five different areas of ministry at the world, national, conference and local level; and churches that have supported United Methodist outreach ministries.

One of the highlights of the rally is the naming of the Wilmington District's Lay Person of the Year, an individual honored for his or her service to the church.

Camp United Methodist Church does not have a nominee for the award this year. Ellen Dorsett of Southport is the nominee from Trinity United Methodist Church in

Seaside United Methodist Church

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Lumsden is pastor. Study Continues Participants in the March 19 Len- March 17, at 7 p.m.

spiritual and physical nourishment.

Fowler To Speak

cy, with meals included.

April 1 is the last day to register.