

SEVENTH STREET CHURCH

By M. S. Lindsay

Dr. Yorke Jones was our pulpit guest again Sunday morning, July 26. He brought to the congregation an inspiring message.

Miss Louise Small, of Edisto Island, S. C., was a pleasant visitor during our services Sunday morning. Miss Small is visiting Miss Blandina Hill.

Mrs. Maggie L. Brewington, of Maxton, was also a visitor during our morning services.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Yongue and Master Wm. Yongue are in Knoxville, Tenn., this week, visiting relatives and friends.

The Sunday school picnic will be held again this year at Kings Mountain, on August 13.

The young people of the church are having interesting programs every Sunday evening in the Sunday school auditorium, under the leadership of Mrs. Ida O. Henderson, Mr. Wm. Yongue, Miss Catherine Yongue and Mr. Edward Brown. The Little Missionaries met at the home of Miss Thelm Kearns, Thursday evening. Mrs. Lucile Lindsay is the leader of this group.

The Woman's Auxiliary met at the home of Mrs. Bernice Richardson, Friday evening. A large number was present. A number of the leaders are trying to raise their money for missions.

Mrs. Ruth Johnson arrived in the city last week and is now at her home, 630 East 8th St.

Through an error Miss Henrietta Dixon's name was omitted from the list of those serving on the committee for the selection of a pastor.

BROOKLYN CHURCH NOTES

By Mrs. D. W. McGill

Sunday morning, August 2. Rev. A. H. Prince spoke from the text, [Philippians 4:13, "I can do all things through Christ which strengtheneth me." The speaker said that we possessed many weaknesses and when one can see these weaknesses in himself then great things can be accomplished through Christ which strengtheneth us. Many beautiful thoughts were brought out in this message.

We were delighted to have Dr. B. R. Smith, of Crockett, Texas, worship with us at our services Sunday morning. At the close of the service Dr. Smith gave us some very helpful remarks touching the work of Mary Allen Junior College in Crockett.

At 4 P. M. a special service was had in the interest of one of the groups of the church. Rev. J. W. Pratt, pastor of the St. Marks Baptist church, gave the message.

"The Christian's Attitude Toward Amusements on the Sabbath" was the topic for discussion at the Young People's Forum.

Miss Silena Johnson, 700 E. Second Street, has undergone an operation at the Good Samaritan Hospital for appendicitis. She is doing fine.

Misses Myrtle and Helen Brodie have returned from Asheville after two weeks' vacation.

Mrs. A. H. Prince and children have returned from Wilson, N. C., where they spent two weeks visiting her mother.

Sunday morning, July 26. We were glad to have as visitors Mr. C. C. Addister and Rev. Richard Moore, of Huntsville, Ala. They were attending the National Primitive Baptist Convention.

The following persons professed Christ and united with the church recently: Misses Jeanette Reed, Mildred Ross, Mary Knox, Effie B. Gossett, Fannie Rhyne and Rosalea Wallace.

TO MAKE INSPIRATIONAL ADDRESSES

President H. L. McCrorey, of Johnson C. Smith University, has been invited to deliver an inspirational address at the Catawba Synodical Summer Conference at Oxford during the week of August 24-30.

It is interesting to note in this connection that the Rev. H. L. McCrorey, Jr., of Macon, is to deliver an address of similar nature at the Atlantic Summer Conference at Anniston, Ala., during the week of August 10-16.

ST. JAMES CHURCH GREENSBORO

By Mrs. E. O. Favess

Sunday morning, August 2nd, Dr. H. C. Miller brought to his congregation an inspiring message from Acts 11:26, "And the disciples were called Christians first at Antioch."

Dr. Miller said in part: "Things laughed at turned out to be mankind's greatest blessings, namely: Noah's ark, Fulton's steamboat, etc. So it was with Christianity, man's greatest blessing."

What is it to be a Christian? It is not baptism, although that is a blessed ordinance. Not alone the belief that Jesus is divine; not sinlessness, nor morality makes one a Christian, but a firm belief in Jesus Christ and an acceptance of Him as a personal Saviour, together with forgiveness, because heaven is built upon forgiveness. Therefore, the hope of the world can only be found in this Christianity that people once laughed at."

Among the visitors at the morning service were Mrs. John Ferguson, of Tabor Presbyterian church, Washington, D. C. and Mr. Humphrey, of the city.

The Christian Endeavor met Sunday evening at seven o'clock with a large number in attendance. After Scripture reading by Margaret Clark and Charlie Gore the topic, "What will Daily Practice of Meditation and Prayer Mean to Us," was discussed. Visitors were Misses Tate, McKee and Cross.

On Friday night, August 7 a Mystery Pocket-Book Social will be held at the home of Mrs. Sarah Barber on Benbow Road. The Sarah E. Preyer Circle sponsored a hay ride to Brooklyn Inn, Tuesday night, August 4th.

We were glad to see Miss Miriam Clement out again after being on the sick list for some time.

The Sunday school will go on the annual picnic, Tuesday, August 11. This year they will go to Watkins Park, a new amusement park several miles from the city.

We are very sorry to state at this writing that Mr. Daniel Miller, an up-and-doing member of our Junior Circle, met with a slight accident. We hope for him a speedy recovery.

YADKIN WESTERN DISTRICT LEAGUE

The Young People's League of the Western District of Yadkin Presbytery held its third quarterly meeting at Logan church, Scotts, Friday, July 24, 1936. This was the picnic meeting and was enjoyed by every one. The churches were well represented.

The discussion on the "Youth Budget Plan" was enjoyed by all. Many points were given on the plan and much was learned about it.

Call to Worship
Music: "O Zion, Haste."

Mr. J. H. Smith led us in prayer, after which the Scripture was read from the 24th Psalm 1-10. Then a poem, "Myself," was read by the Tradd St. delegate.

The message was given by Rev. J. H. Ward, which was very helpful to all.

Music: "We Give Thee But Thine Own."
Dinner was enjoyed by every one; also games and yells.

The next meeting will be Second Presbyterian church, Mocksville, North Carolina.

BEAUFORT WOOD. CAPE FEAR THIRD DISTRICT CONVENTION

Cape Fear Third District Sunday School and Christian Endeavor Convention convenes August 13-15, 1936, with Haymount Presbyterian church, Fayetteville, N. C.

Those planning to attend should notify Mr. Joseph C. McGill, Route 3, Box 58.

The Convention last year at Wilson Chapel was very good; let us not forget that we are looking forward to a better Convention at Haymount this year, and so it will be if each Sunday school and Christian Endeavor Society will endeavor to send a delegate, a good report of your year's work and your per capita tax.

RICHARD C. SCRIVEN, Cor. Sec.

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August 10-16, Anniston, Ala., Barber Seminary
August 17-23, Augusta, Ga., Haines School
August 24-30, Oxford, N. C., Mary Potter School
REGISTRARS:
(Canadian) Rev. C. N. Shropshire, Texarkana, Ark.
(Atlantic) Rev. G. W. Long, D. D., Cheraw, S. C.
(Blue Ridge) Rev. Vanhorn Murray, West Point, Miss. (Catawba)
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A. B. McCoy, Atlanta, Ga., Director of Conferences

CHAPEL HILL CHURCH, LAURINBURG
Hello, everybody. This is the A.-A. P. Broadcasting System, Station C. H. C., Mrs. C. A. P. F. at the mike.
We have been off the air for eight weeks because the writer was attending North Carolina College Summer School at Durham. Nevertheless our church has been doing fine work under the leadership of her pastor and members.
July 19—Men's Day
Rev. Walker preached as he has never preached before. His text was I Kings 2:2. It reads as follows: "I go the way of all the earth; be thou strong, therefore, and show thyself a man."
In our pastor's discourse he urged the men to be strong in the Lord and to show to the world that they are men after God's own heart. The amount collected Men's Day was \$22.
Our pastor preached a soul-stirring sermon that held his audience in rapt attention. II Kings 4:1-2 was the text. These are its words: "Now there cried a certain woman of the wives of the sons of the prophets unto Elisha, saying, Thy servant, my husband, is dead; and thou knowest that thy servant did fear the Lord; and the creditor is come to take unto him my two sons to be bondmen. And Elisha said unto her, What shall I do for thee? tell me, what hast thou in the house? And she said, unto him, Thine handmaid hath not anything in the house, save a pot of oil."
The third verse tells us that Elisha told this poor woman to go borrow vessels abroad of all her neighbors and to shut the door and pour out into all these vessels the oil that she had.
Rev. Walker said that no doubt this woman could not understand how, with so little oil, she was going to pour it into all the vessels she had, but she was willing to obey because she had faith in Elisha. The trouble with us today is that our faith is weak because the oil in our vessels is low.
If the present day women keep spiritual oil in their vessels, the world can not do them any harm. And when the oil becomes low, let us turn to Christ and ask him what to do. He will make us a way where there is no way.
The amount collected Women's Day was \$26.77. The total amount collected July 19 and August 2 was \$48.77.
Social and Personal News
Chapel Hill lost by death one of her loyal young women during the month of July in the person of Miss Sadie McMillan. She was the youngest daughter of Mrs. Mary McMillan. "Sadie" leaves a mother, three brothers, four sisters and a host of relatives and friends to mourn her loss.
Mrs. Laura McMillan, daughter-in-law of Mrs. Mary A. McMillan, was funeralized during July also. She leaves four children and many relatives and friends.
Mesdames Minnie Lane, Maudie and Louise Buckner, of Ambler, Pa., spent last week visiting Mrs. Hannah McLaughlin, a Chapel Hill member, and her daughter, Mrs. W. P. McEachin, in the city.
Mrs. Mary A. Jones, of Ambler, Pa., could not visit us this summer, but her dollar helped to make Women's Day a success.

Mrs. Janie Malloy, of Durham, also sent her dollar for Women's Day.
The following were visitors at Chapel Hill, July 19:
Mesdames Janie Malloy, Evelyn Mason and Mr. James McMillan, of Durham; Mrs. H. O. Walker, of Mt. Airy, and Mrs. Nanabelle Robinson, of New York City.
Mr. and Mrs. Nathaniel Rice of Newark, N. J., are visiting the latter's uncle, Mr. W. M. Strother. Mrs. Rice was before her marriage, Miss Doris Brown, of good old Chapel Hill community.
Mrs. Jessie Strother, of Newark, N. J., came home to attend her sister's funeral.
The Sunday school gave a delightful lawn party for the scholars and the Junior choir. Prizes were given those who had brought in the largest number of new members. A delicious luncheon and iced drink were served.
The Junior choir, under Mr. Dewey Dockery's leadership has caused our Sunday school to grow wonderfully. Our Supt., Mr. R. Dockery, is still doing his work well.
The third Sunday in this month will find the church services conducted by the young people entirely. Revival also begins.
So, until then, the A.-A. P. Broadcasting System," and I will say, "Cheerio."

THE WORK AT BETHEL CHURCH, NEAR WAXHAW, N. C.
By Miss O. Z. McWhirter
The work at Bethel is still progressing. We are few in number, but by the help of the Lord we are still trying to carry on.
June 14th was Children's Day with us. This was a day to be remembered as one of the best that we have ever had. During the Sunday school hour there was a lively discussion on the lesson for the day. We had a splendid school. From the many visitors present remarks were made by Elder E. B. Hegins, of Shiloh, and Mrs. Hassie Hood of Black's Memorial, a former member of this church.
At 11 o'clock the program began according to the mission leaflets sent to us by the Board. Our pastor, Rev. S. L. Fulwood, delightfully explained and outlined the work that is being carried on by our missionaries. This was very interesting. The Rev. Fulwood was at his best. Unity and Silver Run choirs sang beautifully.
At 2 o'clock the program was continued. Welcome addresses were made by Miss Euphemie Hood and Miss Clarena McCain. The following choirs rendered sweet music: Silver Run, Unity, New Hope, Mt. Tabor and Big Zion, of Lancaster S. C. We highly appreciate their good friends and their lovely songs. The children played well their parts in the program. We were indeed glad to have the Rev. Mr. Bittle, pastor of the Mt. Tabor church, present. It was a pleasure to listen to his timely remarks. The weather was fine, the program good and everyone seemed to have enjoyed the day.
Dinner was spread at noon and iced refreshments were served throughout the day. The amount raised during the day was \$14. A large crowd was present all day and filled the church to overflowing.
June 21st our choir and Sunday school visited Unity church. June 28th our pastor and choir visited Mt. Tabor in the afternoon. July 5th our choir and Sunday school visited Mt. Nebo. July 12th we visited Silver Run in the afternoon. July 19th our choir and Sunday school visited Jackson Grove in the afternoon. We have enjoyed being with these neighboring churches and we hope to continue cooperating.
Elder J. W. Hood is still shut in and would appreciate a line from you.
We are planning to entertain the Young People's League. A most cordial welcome is extended to all.
Among out-of-town friends who attended the marriage of Miss Luvenia Lucille Douglass and the Rev. Robert L. Jeans, Wednesday evening were Mr. and Mrs. Joseph T. Jones, of Chester, and the Rev. and Mrs. Joseph T. Jones, of Chester and Rev. and Mrs. H. L. Counts, of Cheraw, S. C.

OLIVET, WALLINGFORD AND ZION CHURCHES.
Our annual Daily Vacation Bible School began June 22nd and closed July 14th. The school was under the auspices of the three above named churches. Taking everything into consideration, we had a fine session. There was a splendid group of children and good attendance.
The daily session began at 8:00 A. M. and closed at 11:30—three full hours of hard work. The teachers showed great interest, and enthusiasm throughout the term, thus making the school a marked success.
The faculty was composed of the following:
Miss Jessie Pearson, Principal;
Miss Lilie Pearson, Registrar and Treasurer;
Miss Ella Pearson and Miss Coaxum, Directresses of Music; Revs. J. R. Pearson and S. H. Scott, managers.
Miss S. Gillis taught the Beginners' class;
Miss H. LaPrince, the Primary class;
Miss Alma Frasier, the Junior girls;
Mrs. Mary V. Frasier, the Junior boys;
Mrs. Jessie Pearson, Intermediates;
Rev. S. H. Scott, Seniors.
The school continued in session for three weeks with an enrollment of 159 scholars. Our course of study consisted of the Bible and handicraft work. The pupils committed the books of the Bible in order as written, and the life and work of the authors and the outstanding characters of the Bible were carefully taught. The Bible was taught in its simplicity.
The children showed great interest in the handicraft work. Many beautiful and useful pieces were made by them and put on exhibition in the closing exercises.
The school was divided into two parts: Red and White. A club was organized, known as the Doublers' Club. The purpose of this club was to increase the membership. Every pupil who brought in a new member was enrolled as a member of the club and the one that brought in the largest number of pupils became the chief doubler. Mrs. Jessie Pearson offered two prizes to the ones who showed the largest number at the end of the term. The record showed Master Simpson LaPrince for the Whites and Miss Olivia Scott for the Reds, winners of the prizes.
This Doublers' Club not only doubled the attendance each week, but it aroused great enthusiasm and a spirit of rivalry among the pupils of the divisions.
It has always been our custom to open our doors to whoever will come. All of the denominations usually take advantage of the opportunity. This term we enrolled among the attendance 72 Presbyterians; 44 A. M. E.'s; 14 M. E.'s; 18 Baptists; 2 Catholics and 6 Reformed Episcopalians.
Monday night, July 13th, we had our closing exercises. On account of the inclement weather the attendance was small. However, we carried the program through. The program consisted of an exhibition of work done in the class rooms during the term. Each teacher conducted his or her own program, and Miss Jessie Pearson, our principal, presided with dignity while Miss Ella Pearson performed at the piano. The program as a whole was unique and informing, showing painstaking on the part of the teachers.
We wish to make special mention of Misses Jessie, Ella, and Lilie Pearson and Alma Frasier for their faithful service. And, too, we are obligated to the Rev. O. J. McLeod, pastor of the St. Stephen's Protestant Episcopal Church, for his series of lectures. The messages were rich and instructive.
Tuesday, July 14th, we had our annual picnic at Grant's Park—the best we have had for some time.
S. H. SCOTT.

Little Evangeline Jefferson, niece of Rev. C. P. Pitchford visited him and Mrs. Pitchford recently, but had to return to her home in Cape Charles, Va., before she had completed her stay, on account of her grandfather's death.