

# Religion

## Church to Hold Men's and Women's Day

Reynolds Temple C.M.E. Church will observe its annual Men's and Women's Day at 11 a.m. this Sunday. Vivian Burke will be the speaker.

Burke is the wife of Logan Burke. Her son is in private law practice. She is a member of Grace United Presbyterian Church.

She serves on the Winston-Salem Board of Aldermen, where she has served the Northeast Ward since 1977. She is also mayor pro tempore, chairman of the Public Safety Committee, and a member

of the Public Works Committee.

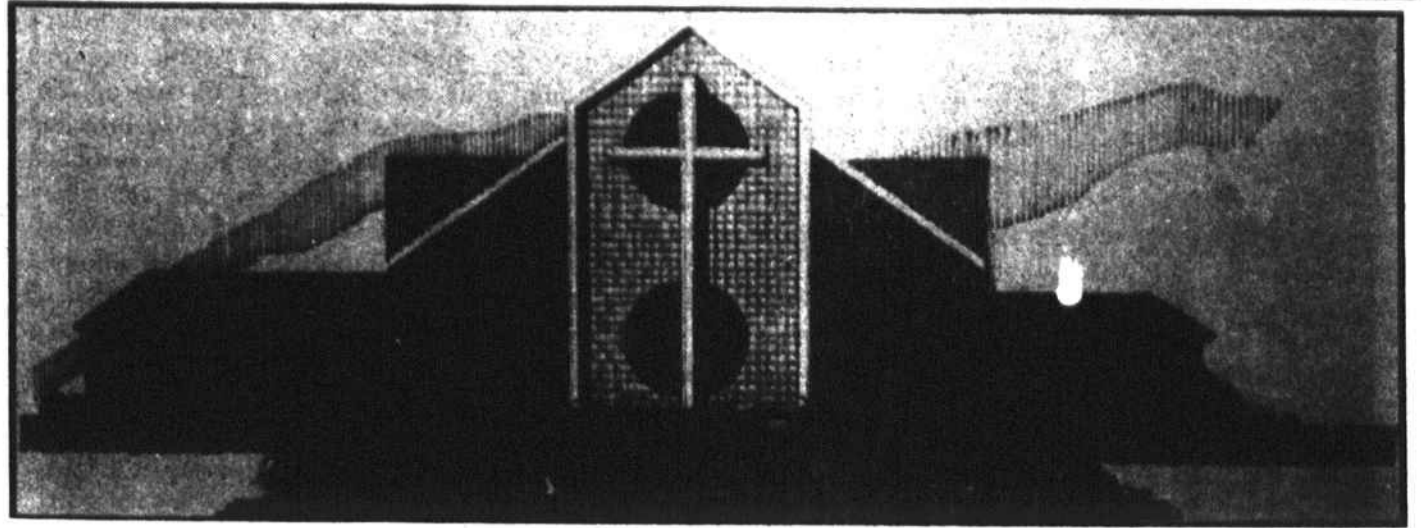
Burke has received many honors, including the Outstanding Woman of the Year and Most Distinguished Political Award. She is involved in a number of community organizations.

The church is located at 2935 N. Glenn Ave. The public is invited.

The pastor is the Rev. Doreatha Baldwin.



Vivian Burke



A drawing of the planned new building for Friendship Baptist Church.

## Friendship Baptist to Build New Church

The pastor, officials and members of Friendship Baptist Church are constructing a new sanctuary and educational complex. The new church and complex are being constructed on the present site, just east of the present church, located at 13th and Cherry streets.

Ground-breaking ceremonies

were held April 20. Approximately 350 people were present for the service.

The church will be constructed with bricks of two different textures with eight large laminated arches. The seating capacity of the sanctuary will be adequate for the present congregation with consideration for

future growth.

The wings of the new structure will include a total educational facility, library, trophy room and rooms for officials and other personnel. It will have a completed ground level with a multi-purpose room for 450 and complete kitchen facilities.

## Goler Metropolitan to Hold Bible School

Goler Metropolitan A.M.E. Zion Church will hold Vacation Bible School June 21-25.

The theme is "Of All God's Creatures, Great and Small, Jesus

Loves You Most of All."

Preschool and adult classes will be held. Adult classes are scheduled for 7-8 p.m. nightly. All other classes will be held from 6-8:30 p.m.

The church is located at Fourth

Street and Dunleith Avenue.

The Rev. J.M. Sloan is pastor.

For information call Portia McDougal at 764-4893.

## Spencer Memorial Christian Church to Observe Youth Day

Spencer Memorial Christian Church (Disciples of Christ) will hold its annual Youth Day services this Sunday during the 11 a.m. service. Tracey Carlette Kennedy will be the speaker.

Kennedy is graduated magna cum laude from Winston-Salem State University in 1992, where she

received a bachelor of science degree in molecular biology. She attends Wright State University in Dayton, Ohio, where she is pursuing a Ph.D. in biomedical science.

Kennedy is a member of the church and the Sunday School Department, where she volunteered as a teacher for a number of sum-

mers during the church's Vacation Bible School program. She is also a member of the James A. Brown Celestial choir.

She is the daughter of Stella Kennedy and the Rev. Charles W. Kennedy. She has a sister, Twanda.

Closing youth services, featur-

ing the Baileytown Christian Church Junior Choir and the Children's Choir of the Church of God First Born (7th Day), will be held at 4 p.m.

The church is located at 1410 Douglas Ave. Sandy S. Witherpoon Jr. is pastor.

## New Bethel Celebrates Church and Pastor Anniversaries

New Bethel Baptist Church will observe the 103rd anniversary of the church and the 49th anniversary of the pastor, the Rev. Jerry Drayton this Sunday at 11 a.m.

The Rev. Chancy R. Edwards, North Carolina state senator from Fayetteville, will be the guest speaker. Music will be rendered by a mass choir directed by Dollye Mack.

Edwards is a native of Nash County, where he attended the public schools. He has lived in Fayetteville since 1953. He is a graduate of Shaw University and Shaw Divinity School.

Edwards is pastor emeritus of First Baptist Church in Fayetteville.



Rev. Chancy R. Edwards

He retired in 1990 after 37 years as pastor.

He has served as president of the General Baptist State Convention of North Carolina and president of the Lott Carey Baptist Foreign



Rev. Jerry Drayton

Mission Convention, U.S.A. He was a member of the Executive Committee of the Baptist World Alliance. He currently serves as the special assistant to the Rev. Wendell C. Somerville, executive secre-

tary/treasurer of Lott Carey.

Edwards has served on the local and state boards of education and is a former member of the North Carolina House of Representatives.

He is married and the father of a daughter and two grandchildren.

Others appearing on the program are: David Thompkins, presiding; Doris Gray, scripture; Sinclair Crowder, invocation; Martha Riley, reflections; Jamaal Mack, announcements; Tonya Ford, youth emphasis; Shirley Willis and Trustee Jerry Gilmore, recognitions; Deacon Cleveland Griffin, offertory prayer; Cynthia Curtis, introduction of speaker; Katie Riley, recognition of visitors and presentations. Dollye Mack will direct the anniversary mass choir.

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Delores "Dee" Smith

## Missionary Group to Celebrate Anniversary

The Missionary Group of Marsh Hill Baptist Church will observe its 56th anniversary Sunday with an 11 a.m. service and a 5 p.m. program.

The morning speaker will be Delores "Dee" Smith of the Winston-Salem Urban League.

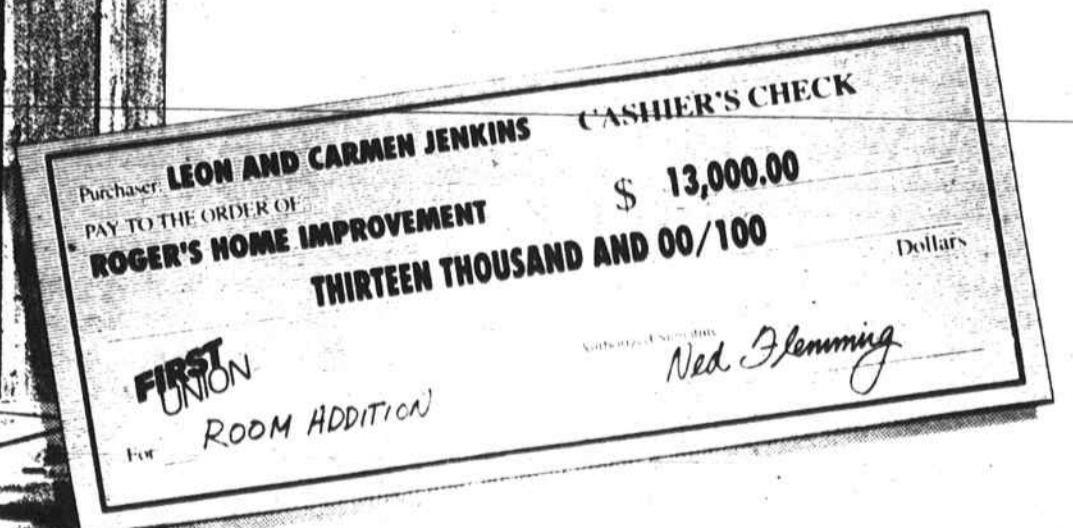
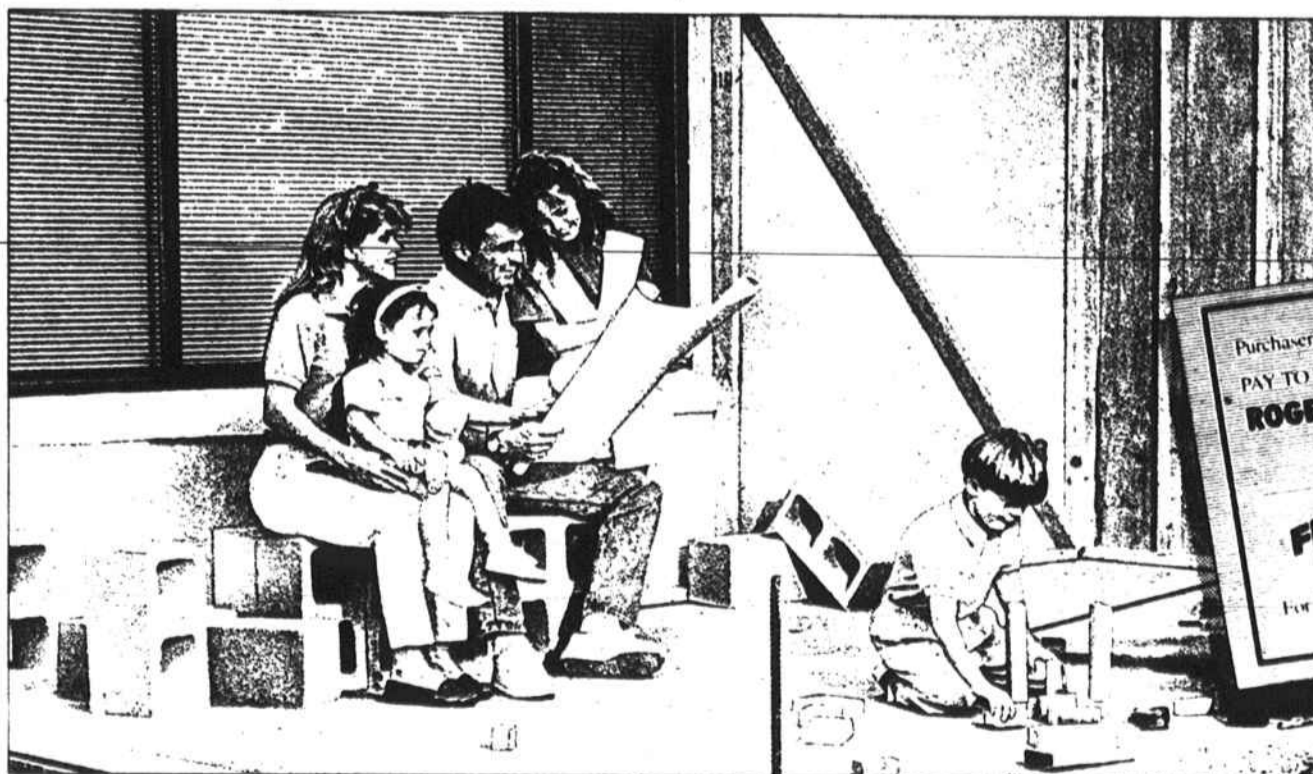
The afternoon program will be an African Festival, featuring African attire and dishes.

The public is invited.

Lois Quinn is Missionary president.

The Rev. K.E. Lilly Sr. is pastor.

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