

RELIGION

CALENDAR

Beginning Sept. 19

Women's ministry events
On Friday, Sept. 19 and Saturday, Sept. 20, The United by the Blood Women's Ministry of the Calvary Hill Church of Greater Deliverance, 4951 Manning St., will host its 9th Annual Conference. There will be a women's ministry lock in on Friday from 6:30 p.m. - midnight. On Saturday at 6 p.m., there will be a Rainbow Tea at the Delta Fine Arts Center, 2611 New Walkertown Rd. There is a \$5 fee for Saturday's dress casual event.
The chair of the women's ministry is Evangelist Rosetta Dennis. The pastor is Bishop Claude C. Turner. For questions, call 336-995-8714.

Sept. 20

Couples workshop
Holy Trinity Full Gospel Baptist Church and the Rich CDC will sponsor a program for married couples on Saturday, Sept. 20 at 6 p.m. The free program is designed to empower and strengthen marriages with positive support and encouragement. The church is at 651 Akron Dr.
For more information, call 336-744-9293.

Men in the Kitchen
Hickory Grove A.M.E. Zion Church will present "Men in the Kitchen" on Saturday, Sept. 20 from 1:30 - 4 p.m. The event will feature "good food and good fellowship." Donations will be appreciated. The Rev. Alvin E. Damon is pastor of the church, which is located in Clemmons at 3791 Harper Rd.

Scholarship Sunday
The Scholarship Committee of Union Chapel Missionary Baptist Church at 300 W. 25th St., where Pastor Konnie Robinson is the pastor, will sponsor their annual Scholarship Sunday on Sept. 21 during the 11 a.m. worship service. The guest speaker will be Mr. Henry J. Pankey, an assistant principal at Parkland High School in Winston-Salem.
This event is the church's annual scholarship program and donations will be welcomed and appreciated. For further information, contact the church at 336-748-8644.

Park celebration
The Outreach Ministry of Providence Baptist Church of Kernersville will present "The Gospel of Jesus Christ In Song 2008" on Saturday, Sept. 20 from 2 - 6 p.m. at Civitan Park in Kernersville, 309 Nelson St. Attendees will be treated to an afternoon of praise and fellowship in the park featuring live music, games and refreshments. The event is free and open to the public. For more information, go to <http://home.triad.rr.com/pbcgojc>.

Cemetery planning tips
Shiloh Baptist Church will sponsor a free seminar on "Planning Your Cemetery Arrangements In Advance" on Sept. 20 at 1:30 p.m. RSVP with Arnice Wall at 336-577-7123. The church is at 916 E. 12th St.

Birthday Tea
The Women's Home and Overseas Missionary Society of Goler Metropolitan A.M.E. Zion Church, 1435 E. 4th St., will sponsor a Birthday Tea on Saturday, Sept. 20 at 3:30 p.m. The public is invited for a program featuring a unique celebration of birthdays.
Dr. Roy A. Swann is the pastor. For additional information, contact the church at 336-723-2325.

SAFE Zone
Mount Calvary Holy Church is inviting all parents to bring children between the ages of 5 and 12 to its SAFE Zone Outreach (Saturday Afternoon Fun & Education) on Saturday, Sept. 20 from 12 - 2 p.m. Children will engage in fun and educational activities and receive a nutritious meal. The program is free and open to the public. For more information, call 336-722-3734.
Mount Calvary Holy Church is located at 930 E. 14th St., where the Rev. Tejado W. Hanchell is the senior pastor.

Sept. 21

Choir anniversary
Mars Hill Missionary Baptist Church will celebrate its Senior Choir 71st Anniversary at 4 p.m. on Sunday, Sept. 21 with Pastor Leonzo Lynch and his congregation from Charlotte's Ebenezer Missionary Baptist Church as the special guests.

Pastor's Aide Anniversary
New Light Missionary Baptist Church, 1535 E. 15th St., where the pastor is the Rev. Sam P. L. Hickerson, will hold its Pastor's Aide Anniversary on

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History-making bishop will speak

SPECIAL TO THE CHRONICLE

Dr. Mildred "Bonnie" Hines will be the guest preacher for the 11 a.m. Service on Sunday, Sept. 21 at Hickory Grove A.M.E. Zion Church.

Hines made history when she became the first female Bishop elected and the 98th Bishop in succession to serve in the African Methodist Episcopal Zion Church and the first Bishop elected from the West Coast. The historic election took place during the 48th Quadrennial Session in Atlanta in July.

Hines has serviced as pastor of four A.M.E. Zion



Bishop Hines

churches: Waddell in Shelby; St. Peter's Tabernacle in Gastonia; Walls Memorial in Charlotte; and most recently

at First A.M.E. Zion in Los Angeles, Calif.

She holds a B.A. from Mars Hill College; a Master of Psychology from the University of North Carolina at Greensboro; and a Master of Divinity as well as a Doctor of Ministry from the Interdenominational Theological Center in Atlanta.

"My personal passion is the people of God. My theme throughout my ministry has been so that none would be lost. God's desire is that nobody be lost and He calls us into our personal ministry to do our personal part to make sure that no one is

lost," Hines says. "There are so many out there that are lost that we, as one person are called to see to it that those around us are not lost. I've been doing this on the level as pastor, now my responsibilities will be to work with pastors, shepherd pastors in coming to an awareness and realization that God wants us to do our part to make sure that none are lost."

Hickory Grove A.M.E. Zion is located at 3791 Harper Road, exit #182, I-40, in Clemmons. Pastor Alvin E. Damon and the members of Hickory Grove are inviting the public to attend.



Rev. Horton

Horton to give initial sermon

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Rev. Carolyn Dianne Jenkins Horton will give her initial sermon during morning worship services on Sunday at New Bethel Baptist Church, where the Rev. Dr. Kendall D. Jones Sr. is senior pastor. She is a native of Augusta, Ga., but has resided in Winston-Salem for the past 20 years.

Horton earned an Associate's Degree in Early Childhood Education from Forsyth Technical Community College in 2005, where she was inducted into the Phi Theta Kappa International Honor Society. She earned the Bachelor's of Arts Degree from Salem College in 2007, where she majored in sociology and minored in religion. At Salem she was nominated as an Oxford Scholar and was elected to Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges. She was on the Dean's List each semester of her enrollment. She is currently pursuing a Master of Divinity Degree at Wake Forest University Divinity School.

This past summer she completed Clinical Pastoral Education at Wake Forest University Baptist Medical Center where she served as a Chaplain Intern.

Horton has been a member of New Bethel for many years, first under the pastorate of the Rev. Dr. Jerry Drayton. She announced her call to the ministry on Sunday, May 11. Beginning this fall, Rev. Horton will begin working on the start-up of a Seniors Ministry at New Bethel for all members 65 and older. She is married to George Horton. They have two children, Jamaal and Escada.

New Bethel Baptist Church is located at 1016 North Trade St. For more information, call the church office at 336-724-1824.

'ANOINTED' MEN TO SING AND PONDER WORLD'S PROBLEMS

SPECIAL TO THE CHRONICLE

The Adult Department Board of Christian Education and the Male Chorus of St. John Christian Methodist Episcopal (CME) Church will host the Fifth Annual Anointed Men Singing to the Glory of God on Sunday, Sept. 21 at 4 p.m.

Each participating male chorus will address an assigned topic, such as Ebonics, sagging pants worn by youth and gangs. Choir members will give statistics about their topics and devise solutions to address them that can be implemented by churches and the community.

At the conclusion of the program, all the men will join together to sing "Someone Needs You More Than I."

In addition to the St. John Choir, the Hanes CME, St. Paul United Methodist Church, Galilee Baptist Church and First Calvary Baptist Church choirs will take part. Refreshment will be served following the program.

The program is open to the public. The pastor at St. John is the Rev. Dr. Moses V. Goldman. For more information, contact the church at 336-725-3968.



The Male Chorus of St. John Christian Methodist Episcopal (CME) Church.

Heaven and Earth Convocation starts Sunday

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The family of Greater Higher Ground Ministries Worldwide, Inc., and the Board of Presbyters, along with the founder and Presiding Prelate Bishop Dr. John H. Heath and Pastor Janice O. Heath, will host the 14th Annual Heaven on Earth Convocation, Sept. 21 - 28. This year's theme is "Shifting into our Apostolic Destiny" taken from Ephesians 4:11-14.

Apostle S. D. Johnson of Macedonia Worship Center will open the event on Sept. 21 at 6 p.m. On Sept. 24 and Sept. 25 at 7 p.m., Apostle Tonyan Hunter, of One Sent Ministries International located of Burlington, will bring



The church's Board of Presbyters.

forth the Word. On Sept. 26 at 7 p.m., the celebration continues with Bishop Freddie B. Marshall of Greater Church of Deliverance. A series of workshops will be held on Sept. 27 from 10

a.m. - 2 p.m. A consecration service will be held on Sept. 28 at 10 a.m., where faithful men and women of Greater Higher Ground Ministries Worldwide will be ordained in their respected ministries.

Sept. 28 is Founders Day. Bishop Heath will deliver the Apostolic Address at the 11 a.m. service. Choirs and motivational speakers are also scheduled throughout the week.

The convocation will close with a Bishop's Dinner on Sunday afternoon.

Greater Higher Ground Ministries Worldwide is at 406 Northwest Boulevard. Call 336-725-1125 for more information or to attend the Bishop's Dinner.

Varied Women's Day events planned at United Metropolitan

SPECIAL TO THE CHRONICLE

The ladies of United Metropolitan Missionary Baptist Church will kick off their Women's Week celebration on Wednesday, Sept. 24 at 6:30 p.m. with a one-hour Bible Study with teachers Elder Brenda McEachern and her husband, D. Hector McEachern, of Sanctuary Deliverance Church in Greensboro.

Elder McEachern, who was an educator for 34 years before retiring, serves in many roles at her church.

Hector McEachern serves as the chair of the Deacon Board, the director of the Christian Education Ministry and is in charge of church publicity. Employed since 1980 by Wachovia Corporation, McEachern is an executive vice president based in Charlotte.

United Metropolitan will host a ladies-only luncheon on Thursday, Sept. 25 at 12 noon, where all the "Golden Ager" ladies, those over 75, will be honored. Minister, actress, a comedienne, producer and educator Debra Terry will perform.

Terry recently appeared in the season

premiere episode of "One Tree Hill." She is also part of a new, exciting comedy tour - The Laughalajah Gurlfrienzy Comedy Tour (www.gurlfrienzy.com), featuring Christian women who bring laughter and healing to their audiences.

On Friday, September 26, 2007, beginning at 6:30 p.m., a dinner presentation will be held featuring "Lord Why Don't You Use Me?" by Laura Hamilton.

On Saturday, Sept. 27, beginning at 8 a.m., Jessica I. Faulk, a nutritionist for the Alamance Health Department, will discuss how to eat smarter. Then there will be a Bible study led by the Rev. Dr. Diane Givens-Moffett, a guest preacher and Senior Pastor at St. James Presbyterian Church of Greensboro, and the Rev. Cheryl Ivey Green, who is the minister of discipleship at the First Baptist Church of South Richmond.

The Rev. Cheryl Ivey Green will speak on Sunday, Sept. 28 at the 8 a.m. and 11 a.m. worship services. The Sunday School lesson will be taught at 9:30 a.m. by Mildred Strickland Peppers, a retired teacher and The Chronicle's weekly Sunday School Lesson writer.

United Metropolitan is located at 450 Metropolitan Drive. Those interested in attending are asked to register ASAP by calling 336-761-1358.

Zion Memorial to honor first lady

SPECIAL TO THE CHRONICLE

Zion Memorial Baptist Church will honor Dr. Althea Taylor-Jones during a Women's Day Celebration Luncheon on Saturday, Sept. 20 at 11 a.m. and on Sunday during the 11 morning Worship Service.

Known as the "First Lady" at Zion Memorial, Taylor-Jones has been a member since 1981. She has been instrumental in assisting with and developing a variety of ministries at the church.

Dr. Taylor-Jones is currently associate professor and Gerontology Program coordinator in the Department of Behavioral Sciences and Social Work at Winston-Salem State University.

She has co-conducted retreats on relationship enrichment, leadership and other topics with her husband, the Rev.

Dr. Joseph Jones.

Sunday's speaker will be Cynthia Cain, the daughter of Deacon Harvey and Geraldine Rorie. Cain, who is a native of Winston-Salem, was baptized and grew up in Zion Memorial Baptist Church. She graduated from Carver High School in 1986 and in 1990 received a Bachelor of Science Degree in Management Information Systems from UNC Greensboro. Cain and her husband, the Rev. Randall A. Cain Jr., have five children, Hamilton, Grant, Olivia, Victoria and Preston.

The public is invited to worship with the women of Zion Memorial Baptist Church, 101 N. Dunleith Ave. For additional information, please call the church office at (336) 725-7390.



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