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RELIGION

Cantata to honor memory of Smith SPECIAL TO THE CHRONICLE The Sanctuary Choir of Greater First United Baptist Church, along CALENDAR

Ongoing

Financial fitness classes Recover All Christian Temple is present its annual Easter Cantata, sponsoring a six- session financial fitness course. Sessions will be held every other Monday starting March 12 from 6:30 - 8:30 p.m. Registration is free, however participants will be asked to purchase the book, "Total Money Makeover" by Dave Ramsey. Register by calling 336-993-3812 before classes start. The church is located at 4281 Thomasville Road. The pastor is Rev. Eunice Woods. The instructor is Bonny Cannon.

Happening Now

Violin recital

St. Peter's Church and World Ministry will present a violin con- clude organist Marion "Pete" Thomas cert by Tina Culver, a post-graduate student at the UNC School of Arts. Robert Rocco will accompany her on piano. It will be held today (March 22) in the Administration Building at 7 p.m. St. Peter's Church is located at 3683 Old Lexington Road. For more information, call 336-650-0200.

Seminar for parents

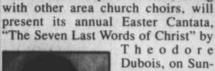
Kimberly Park Elementary School will host a personal development seminar for parents today, March 22, from 5:30 - 6:30 p.m.



Dr. Francene Hash will host the semi-"Dr. nar. Fran" has written more than 100 books and has created hundreds of thought provoking

charts graphs, and other tools that span the genres of personal development, entrepreneur success and spiritual leadership.

HOF Women's Conference House of Faith World Outreach Worship Center, 1384 W Sedgefield Drive, is holding its annual Women's Conference. First Lady Pamela Jordan of House of raith will speak this evening (March 22); First Lady Tahita Williams of Miracle Temple Deliverance Church will speak on March 23, followed by Pastor Kellie Campbell of To Live in Christ Ministries on Saturday, March 24 and Evangelist Christine Howard of Damacus Missionary Baptist Church on Sunday, March 25. All programs start at 7 p.m. Apostle Stephan Jordan is the host pastor.

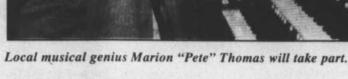


day, March 25 at 6 p.m. This year, the Cantata is presented in fond memory of the Sanctuary Choir's former director James D. Smith, who passed away last

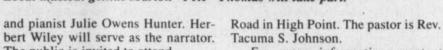
June. The choir is now under the direction of Madeline S. McKoy.

Smith

Guest performers will include soloists Kathy W. Anderson, soprano; Albert Palmer, tenor; and Eddie Bines Outreach Center Music & Arts Jr., baritone. Instrumentalists will in-



bert Wiley will serve as the narrator. The public is invited to attend.



For more information, contact The church is at 1409 Deep River Stephanie Evans at 336-882-6211.



The musical trio Brother Sun. Popular gospel group to perform

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guitar and piano. According to Charts in July 2011 and has

Chicago radio personality Rich remained on the charts for six of the The harmony trio Brother Sun Warren, the group's sound is irre- last seven months. It made the "Best will perform at the Unitarian sistable. of 2011" list for over a dozen radio



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Wake Forest Baptist Medical Center has appointed the Rev. Dr. Gary R. Gunderson vice president of Faith and Health Ministries, effective July 1.

Gunderson, a 1973 gradu-Wake ate of Forest University, is currently senior vice president for faith and health at Methodist Le Bonheur Healthcare in Memphis, Tenn. and director of its Center of Excellence in Faith and Health.

"Gary's work, particularly his ability to understand a



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nationally and internationalsaid 'Dr. John D. McConnell, chief executive officer of Wake Forest Baptist. "His model, which brings together patient need with services within the community, coincides with Wake Forest Baptist's mission to provide a full range of caring and healing to those that we serve.'

As head of the Division of Faith and Health Ministries at Wake Forest Baptist, Gunderson will oversee the division's four departments (CareNet Counseling, the Department of Chaplaincy and Pastoral Education, the Center for Congregational Health and the Department of Church and Community Relations) that provide spiritual care services to patients, families and medical center employees as well as manage mar-

Beginning March 22

Women of the Word Fresh Fire Worship Center, 4306-A Kernersville Road, will host Women of the Word from

March 22-Co-25. Pastor Rita Wilson of Cathedral of Refuge will speak on the first evening 7:30; at Pastor Marilyn Gool of

Charlotte's Victory Christian Center will speak on March 23 at 7:30 p.m.; and Pastor Susan Baker of Concord's Tabernacle of Judah will speak at 4 p.m. on March 25. Pastor Cassandra Elliott of Greensboro's

McCloud

World Vision International is the conference worship leader and Fresh Fire First Lady Michelle McCloud is the conference's host.

March 23

Concert

Freedom Baptist Church, 1222 East 14th St., will host a musical concert featuring acts like Jeremiah Salter & Nupraize and Anthony Douglas & Zeal. It will be held on Friday, March 23 at 10 p.m. Admission is free. Call 336-517-8084 for more information.

Beginning March 24

Production

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Universalist Fellowship, 4055 Robinhood Road, at 7:30 p.m. on March 24. The concert is open to the public. A donation of \$15 is requested.

The trio, comprised of Joe Jencks, Greg Greenway and Pat Wictor, combines musical skills and the best of male singing traditions on a wellcrafted foundation of guitar, slide

Lesson Scripture: John 3:11-21

Lesson Aims: To explain why

Background: Jesus, His mother

Jesus came to Earth; to appreciate

God's love for humanity; and to

and brothers, along with the five dis-

ciples left the wedding in Cana and

headed for Capernaum. They were

there for only a few days, they then

journeyed to Jerusalem for Passover.

Jesus saw selling and money

erent! He cleared the Temple. This type of activity was to

deepen our faith in Him.

Background Reading: Numbers 21; 4-9

"What happens when you unite

three of the best male singers in the folk realm who already revel in harmony singing? Brother Sun!," says Warren. "Added to great voices, energy and sincerity are worthy compositions in three distinct styles that bring to mind a modern day gospel."

Brother Sun's self-titled album debuted at No. 2 on the Folk DJ

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stations in the U.S. The trio is currently on a national tour and working on their next album.

For more information about Brother Sun, visit their web site at www.brothersunmusic.com. For more information about the Winston-Salem Unitarian Universalist Fellowship. visit www.uufws.org.

Jerusalem saw the miraculous signs

that Jesus performed and believed.

Nicodemus, a Pharisee, a member of

the Sanhedrin (Jewish civil court) and

one of Israel's teachers, approached

Jesus at night to question Him. Henry

Ossawa Tanner's painting Nicodemus

Visiting Christ (1899) depicts the

solemn encounter. There are several

perspectives as to "why" at night. Jesus

simply told him that he must be born

again. Taking His words literally,

Nicodemus didn't understand. Jesus

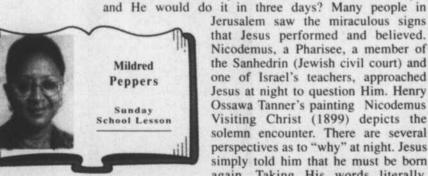
tioned His authority. His response in 2:19 completely baf-

fled them. It took 46 years to rebuild the current Temple

keting and public relations services to more than 4,200 Baptist congregations.

Gunderson's care model in Memphis extended broadly into the full range of faith traditions and he believes the opportunity at Wake Forest Baptist is substantial. The academic strengths of the Wake Forest School of Divinity and the Division of Public Health with the leading-edge clinical strengths of the system can be aligned with the rich diversity of faith in the state of North Carolina to make a profound and lasting difference to the health of the whole community.

In addition to his bachelor's degree from Wake Forest, Gunderson holds a Master of Divinity from Emory University in Atlanta, a Doctor of Ministry from the Interdenominational Theological Center in Atlanta and an honorary Doctor of Divinity from the Chicago Theological See Peppers on B5 Seminary.



exchanging in the outside court of the Temple. How irrev- explained that there are two births, one natural and the

be done before entering. Jews, probably Pharisees, ques-Your Big Break? A&T to host music industry workshop, gospel showcase

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The North Carolina A&T State University School of Business and Economics has partnered with the broadcast voice of N.C. A&T - WNAA-FM to present a one-day workshop about the music business. The event will take place in the Memorial Union - Stalling Ballroom on Saturday, March 24 from 9 a.m. - 8 p.m.

Workshop attendees will have the opportunity to learn about starting their own music business, protecting their product, branding and opportunities in the gospel music industry. The workshop is designed for current and aspiring music entrepreneurs such as songwriters, producers, musicians, promotion specialists, gospel music artists, DJs and others.

The workshop will also feature the Rejoice Gospel Showcase, where attendees can receive some music training and experience, showcase their talent, develop industry networks, receive feedback from industry professionals and have a chance to win a consultation with industry professionals, studio time, professional imaging package and exposure.

Tickets for the event are available at A&T's ticket office. Tickets are \$30 for the public, \$10 for non-A&T students and free to A&T students.

For more information on the showcase, contact Linda Greenwood at 336-324-8045 or ucontalen@gmail.com.

