Mayfield Memorial Church To Present Johnson C. Smith University Choir

The Mayfield Mermorial Baptist Church will present the Johnson C. Smith University Choir in a concert of sacred and secular music on Sunday, January 26, at 6 o'clock. This concert will climax "Music Appreciation" Sunday which will be observed by the Mayfield Memorial Church located at 700 Sugar Creek Road West.

The University choir is composed of students drawn from all departments of the school, and numbers approximately 50 persons. The choir studies and performs both a capella and accompanied music. The concert is composed generally of a capella choral literature, Because of the choir's close association with the church, an important part of it's repertoire is sacred music, but seclar compositions are included.

The choir has been enthusiastically received at concerts in North Carolina, South Carolina, Virginia, Tennessee, Ohio, Illinois, Michigan, Minnesota, Iowa, Pennsylvania, Missouri, New York, New Jersey, and Massachusetts.

Under the direction of Christopher Kemp, who has been. with Johnson C. Smith since 1948, the choir has generally been know for its fine tone

Education Board

To Meet At

Myers Park High of Music for the Mayfield

The Charlotte-Mecklenburg Board of Education on Tuesday, January 27, will hold its fourth-Tuesday-ofthe-month meeting at Myers Park High School.

Part of the Charlotte-Mecklenburg Schools' "Year of the Community" activities, a regular board meeting is being held in each of the system's 10 feeder areas during the 1975-76 school year. This is the fifth of the planned meetings.

The meeting will begin at 7 p.m. with an informal get-together of board members. school committee members, principals, and teachers from the schools in the Myers Park Feeder Area. In the school cafeteria, there will be displays and materials from the 11 schools in the area.

The public is invited to attend the meeting in the Myers Park High auditorium, beginning at 8 p.m. with a report to the board from Myers Park Feeder Area representatives.

Myers Park High is located at 2400 Colony Rd., near

SouthPark Shopping Center.
The schools in the feeder area in addition to Myers Park High are Collinswood, Dilworth, Hidden Valley, Park Road, Sedgefield, Selwyn and Sharon elementaries; Alexander Graham and Sedgefield Junior Highs; and the Street Academy.

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Dr. W. J. Whitfield ...Accepts Mayfield's call quality, diction and sensitiveness that makes it an exciting group. In 1964, it was the official broadcasting choir of the the United Presbyterian Church U.S.A.

The Music Department of Mayfield Memorial Baptist Church is proud to present the Johnson C. Smith University Choir, In past years, the chur-

ch has presented other College groups from Friendship College of Rock Hill, South Carolina and Shaw University of Raleigh, N.C.

The Mayfield Church's Music department is headed by Miss Barbara Alexander who holds a B.S. Degree in Music from Johnson C. Smith Uni-

versity, and who studied under Mr. Kemp and participated in the Concert Choir. Miss Alexander serves as Minister



REV. MORGAN TANN ... Clinton Chapel's Pastor

Rev. H.S. Diggs, pastor of the church, is proud of the Mayfield Memorial Baptist Church's Music Department whose 5 choirs sing a variety of music ranging from old

fashioned Meter Hyms, Gospel, Negro Spirituals, Anthems, and Hyms sung to the accompaniament of organ and

A capacity crowd is expected for the concert and everyone is invited to attend

Clinton Chapel A.M.E. Zion

.The congregation, the church choir, and minister, Rev. Morgan Tann invites everyone to join them as they participate in the congregational ceremonies of Mount Calvary A.M.E. Zion Church Sunday, January 25th at 11 a.m. Clinton Chapel has been invited as the church's guests.

Rev. Norman E. Kerry ...Greater Mount Sinai Pastor

Mt. Sinai

The Greater Mount Sinai Baptist Church of 1243 West Boulevard will host the Rev. L. L. Swinson, pastor of the New Metropolitan Baptist Church of Baltimore, Maryland and the Swinson Singers on Sunday, January 25th.

Rev. Swinson will deliver the morning message and the Swinson Singers will be presented in concert at 3:00 p.m. sponsored by the Youth Department of the church. Ms. Gloria Thompson, outstanding organist will accompany the group. The public is cordially invited to attend. Rev. N. E. Kerry is the pastor.

Amay James The women of Amay James Presbyterian Church on West Boulevard will present their annual Fashion Show Sunday at 5 p.m. at the Greenville

Emphasis for this year's

Preview Of The Sunday School Lesson For Sunday

By Rev. Waylon Wallace Post Church Editor

Our exciting lesson for Sunday is located in the 9th and 10th chapters of Matthew. The subject is "The Mission Of The Twelve.

Jesus came into the world, so he said, "... not to do mine own will, but the will of him that sent me." Jesus came into the world on a God-revealing, man-redeeming mission, representing God the Father. While here He selected, He called twelve men to be His special disciples - men who would be His pupils and followers. Jesus called them to Himself. We also can only learn of Christ by coming to Him personally. Jesus gave them power to perform the task of spreading the good news that would be declared, first to the Jews and then to

the Gentiles. Jesus still calls us to various

people today who are spiritually deaf by choice they say God does not call. But, not only does God call, he also enpowers us to perform the tasks that he assigns to us. In fact,

God does not call us to do awork that can be done in our own strength. Jesus sent out the twelve to declare good news concerning the savior of mankind and the

Kingdom of God. Isaiah said

that even the feet of someone.

carrying God's good news of

peace are beautiful. These men were sent first to the Jews and then to the Gentiles. They were told to do this in fulfillment of prophecy.

It is clear that the ministry of the twelve was more than a verbal one. They did more than just talk, they served. Too many of us today want to be served that call ourselves works today. There are many followers of Christ

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Jesus warns them of danger in serving him - the sure danger of persecution. Yet, Jesus would not have them fear, so he instructs them to flee the town, where persecutions prevents them from preaching the Gospel, and go to another. They can expect

petrayal from those nearest to their hearts. The followers of Christ cannot expect to be treated better than his savior Jesus lets his disciples of

every age know that when they take a stand for him, they automatically take a stand against someone and that

someone may share the same roof with us The message to us for today is that we can all be disciples

of Christ, if we would only respond to his call and except the challenges of discipleship.

REV. H.S. DIGGS .. Mayfield Memorial Pastor

show will be placed on a theme related to the Bicentennial year. Oriental, African and models from Belk, Ivey's and Franklin department stores

will take part in the show. Mrs. Ella Ray is president of the women's group sponsoring the show

First Mayfield

Ffrst Mayfield Memorial Missionary Baptist Church, of Charlotte, called as their pastor Dr. J. G. Whitfield. Formerly pastored of the Emmanuel Missionary Baptist Church, of Gastonia.

Dr. Whitfield received his elementary and High School education at Ft. Smith, Arkansas. He is a graduate of The Chicago Baptist Institute-Chicago, Illinois and has a B.T.H. degree from Liberty Baptist College at Muskogee. Oklahoma. He recently received his diploma as Doctor of Divinity from Liberty Baptist College. Dr. Whitfield has completed a course in church administration, from Moody Bible Institute Chicago, and also took Prophetic history at the American Baptist Theological Seminary-Nashivlle, Dr. Whitfield holds two degrees in Evangelism one from The Oklahoma State Evangelistic Conference, and The National Baptist Convention Evangelistic Board. He is

Mae Boone. First Mayfield Memorial Missionary Baptist Church is presently meeting in the Oaklawn elementary school, located at 1810 Oaklawn Ave..

married to the former Dessie

Important People And **Dates In Black History**

JANUARY

22, 1952. Lawrence Winters 1st Black Baritone to sing a white role with a major opera company "Rigolette"

23. 1875. Civil Rights Law, prohibiting discrimination in hotels, theaters and on public carriers. signed by President Grant.

24. 1817. Richmond, Virginia Blacks opposed U.S. colonization plans to Liberia.

25. 1863. First Negro Regiment of the U.S. Army was organized. It was named the 45th Regiment.

26. 1921. Henry Lowry was lynched by being burned alive in Nodena, Arkansas.

27. 1918. George Henry White died in Philadelphia. Pathe last Black Reconstruction Congressman from South Carolina.

28. 1901. Richamond Barthe' who was rated among the best contemporary sculptors, was born in Bay St. Louis, Miss.

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