

Church News Briefs

# Top African Officials To Address 79th Lot Carey Baptist Convention

High African officials are scheduled to address the 79th annual session of the Lot Carey Baptist Foreign Mission Convention meeting in Richmond at the Fifth Street Baptist Church, 2800 Third Avenue, August 30-September 3, with the Rev. Roscoe D. Cooper Jr. acting as host pastor.

Honorable George Udolpho, Assistant Ambassador of Nigeria, and Regional Kamma of Liberia where the convention's chief foreign mission station is located, will bring reports of the work that is being done in their respective countries. Delegates from America, Africa and India along with more than 2,000 messengers from the United States will make plans to extend the convention's objectives that is being led by the Rev. C.R. Edwards of Fayetteville, N.C., president. Mr. Edwards will be making his third annual address to the convention and his term will expire according to a tenure rule that has been adopted by the organization.

Dr. W.C. Sommerville of Washington, D.C., the convention's executive secretary, reports that this year's receipts are the highest in the convention's history with more than one hundred and seventy churches reporting One Thousand Dollars each making a total of better than a Half Million Dollars for the convention's objectives in Africa and India. Mr. Sommerville's annual report to the assembly will include a recent visit to Africa where new buildings for the organization have been constructed.

Opening here with a pre-convention musical directed by Mrs. Juanita David, New York, a history of Lot Carey by a 500 voice choir will be presented with talent from local churches being heard. Mrs. David is associated with the City School System of New York and the music department of Convent Baptist Church of that city which has contributed more than Five Thousand Dollars to Lot Carey. The Rev. M.L. Wilson is pastor of Convent.

Meeting in conjunction with the parent body will be the Women's Auxiliary, Mrs. Nettie Gaither, McKeesport, Pa., President, with headquarters



Rev. Wilburn Sanders  
...Statesville Ave. pastor at Howard Johnson's Motor Lodge, 3207 North Boulevard. The Laymen's League, directed by Lloyd G. Bussey of Columbus, Ohio, and the Youth Department supervised by Mrs. Louise Slater of Philadelphia, Pa., will also be in session during the week at Fifth Street Baptist Church.

Dr. C.H. Jordan, chairman of the organization's executive board, will preside over the group Tuesday afternoon at 3 in the assembly hall at Fifth Street. Mr. Jordan succeeds the late Dr. W.L. Ransome of this city who served in this capacity for more than 50 years. Assisting the host pastor will be the Rev. Isaac James who is scheduled to preside over the Welcome Program. Mr. James is a member of the executive board and a local pastor, also an officer of the General Baptist State Convention in Virginia.

During the week, the Rev. M.G. Wood from Baltimore, Md. who recently conducted the convention's Christian Youth Seminar at Shaw University, Raleigh, N.C., which was attended by several hundred young people from several states, will report on their objectives. This is an annual project of the parent body that is sponsored by the Women's Department.

The Rev. Noel C. Taylor, first elected black Mayor of Roanoke, Va., - pastor of the High Street Baptist Church and President of the Virginia Baptist State Convention, will speak to the messengers on Wednesday morning. Reports will also be made by the Rev. E.D. Kent, secretary of the executive board, and Mrs. Jennie H. Hall, Washington D.



Rev. J.C. Robinson  
...Guest speaker

C., editor of the Herald, the convention's organ. Howard Parker, president of the Young People's Department, from Winston-Salem, N.C. will bring his annual address and will be assisted by several other young people from Ohio, N.C., the District of Columbia and other places.

This year's theme, "Ministering To The Least Of These," will be discussed by the Rev. Ben A. Beamer, Portsmouth, Va., the Rev. M.L. Dillingham, Wilmington, N.C., the Rev. John J. Misholas, Jr., Wheaton, Md., the Rev. J.R. Person, Farmville, N.C., and the Rev. Melvin Wilson, Clarksville, Pa.

This year's Family of the Year is the Weddie L. Gabriel Family of Sherrill's Ford, N.C. who will be presented during the week in a special ceremony. A certificate is to be given which is an annual award for the family making the most outstanding contribution to Lot Carey during the year.

A workshop that will be led by David E. Jackson, Sr., Fayetteville, N.C., Walter Nance, Washington, D.C., Earl Trent, Orange, N.J., and Joseph O. Maker, Pittsburgh, Pa., is listed to be a highlight of the laymen's Department. Dr. E.A. Parham from Columbus, Ohio will direct the Charles E. Royals Memorial Bible Classes daily and Mrs. J.A. Wright, Philadelphia, Pa. will lead the women in daily class studies in missions. Mrs. Wright is a former president of the Women's Division.

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Rev. Andrew Cuthbertson  
...Delivers timely sermon

**GREATER PROVIDENCE**  
The Brotherhood Club of the Greater Providence Baptist Church, 1829 Cleveland Avenue, will sponsor their annual "PO' BOY'S DINNER" Saturday, September 11, from 11 a.m. to 8 p.m.

The PO' BOY'S MENU includes: Baked Beans, Macaroni, Jumbo Franks, Greens, Cornbread and Iced Tea. Plate donations are \$1. For orders to be delivered phone 334-5112 on Saturday, Sept. 11. The public is invited.

**MAYFIELD'S SENIOR MISSIONARIES**  
The Senior Missionary Department of the Mayfield Memorial Baptist Church, located at 700 Sugar Creek Road West, observed their Annual Celebration on Sunday, August 22, at 6 p.m.

Various churches sent representatives from their Missionary Circles and each brought greetings.

The Missionary Department of the Mayfield church consists of 4 Senior Groups, a Young Adult Group, and a Junior Department having 4 different groups.

The President of the Mayfield Missionary Department is Mrs. Amy Crosby with Mrs. Ellen Johnson serving as President of the Young Adults and Mrs. Hannah Crowe serving as Supervisor of the Juniors.

Mrs. Margie Squash, program Chairperson for the Seniors, was pleased that Rev. Andrew Cuthbertson, his choir and congregation from Pleasant Hill Baptist were special guests. Rev. Cuthbertson delivered a timely sermon using the Subject "Mission Impossible."

Rev. H.S. Diggs, Pastor of the Mayfield Church, expressed

ed appreciation and delight at the service.

**MT. MORIAH BAPTIST**  
Missionary Day will be observed Sunday, August 29, at Mt. Moriah Baptist Church in Matthews.

Pastor J.C. Robinson will conduct the 11 a.m. services. There will also be a report from the delegates to attend the Women's Auxiliary Convention in Winston-Salem, August 2-4.

**STATESVILLE AVENUE**  
The annual picnic of Statesville Avenue United Presbyterian Church will be held Sunday, August 29, at the lake Norman home of Mr. and Mrs. Romeo Alexander.

Rev. Wilburn Sanders will conduct the regular 11 a.m. worship service preceding the picnic.

**FIRST BAPTIST**  
"State Missions Day" will be observed at First Baptist Church, 1020 South Church Street, Sunday, August 29.

Church officials are urging members to share liberally in the offering this Sunday because State Convention financial books will close as of August 31.

Several church events are forthcoming.

Following morning services on Sunday, August 29, hosts and hostesses, and the Adult Committee will meet. Plans will be made for a membership, horseshoe, birthday and get-acquainted affair to be held at Greenville Community Center, 1330 Spring Street, on Sunday, September 26, at 5 p.m.

Saturday, September 11 is the day of the church's Annual Barbecue Dinner. Tickets cost \$2.75 and are available to church members and friends.

The church will observe Christian Education Day Sunday, September 12.

Revival services will be held at the church Sunday through Thursday, September 19-23. Evening services start at 7 p.m. Family night is scheduled for Wednesday, September 22.

Also, the Lott Carey Foreign Missionary Convention will

convene with the Third Baptist Church in Richmond, Virginia, August 30-September 3. The National Baptist Convention will meet in Dallas, Texas, September 7-12.

**HOOD MEMORIAL**  
The Pastor and members of Hood Memorial A.M.E. Zion Church located on the corner of Sacco and Todd Streets, Belmont, N.C. will sponsor

their annual revival services starting August 30 - September 3, 1976. The guest evangelist will be the Rev. John Bennett, pastor of Steele Creek A.M.E. Zion Church, Charlotte.

Music will be rendered by various choirs of Gaston and Mecklenburg counties.

Each and everyone is extended a cordial invitation to attend these services. The prayer service will start at 7:30 p.m. and services at 8 p.m.

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Mr. Worth Williams, Minister of Music  
Mrs. Bobbie Parks, Assistant Minister of Music  
Gospel Choir - Tuesday, 8 p.m.  
Vocal Choir - Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.  
Senior Choir - Thursday, 7:30 p.m.  
J.T. White Singers - Thursday 6 p.m.

**Mt. Zion Holiness Church**  
2800 Tuckaseegee Road  
BISHOP W. J. DAVIS-PASTOR  
Sunday School-10 a.m.  
Morning Worship-11:15 a.m.  
Young People Willing Workers-6 p.m.  
Evening Service-7:30 p.m.  
Monday-Bible Study-8 p.m.  
Sister of Charity-Wednesday-Mid Week Service 7:30 p.m.

**Friendship Baptist Church**  
3301 Beatties Ford Road  
392-0391  
Coleman W. Kerry, Pastor  
Sunday Schedule  
9:45 a.m. Sunday School  
11:00 a.m. Morning Worship  
6:00 p.m. Bible Study  
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Please know that I will need your vote again on Tuesday, November 2, to be elected to serve you on the Mecklenburg County Commission.

Persons who have not registered to vote can do so by October 4th to be able to vote in November. Please register so you can vote for me. You can register at any public library, the Mobile City Hall, or at the Board of Elections Office, 710 East Fourth Street.

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