

**Church News Briefs**

# Jesus Is Lord Evangelistic Association Is Newly Formed Group Of Christians

The Jesus Is Lord Evangelistic Association, 1616 Cliftwood Place, is a newly formed organization of Christians.

Evangelist Dennis L. Johnson is president of the association, which meets on Wednesday and Friday nights from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. Praise services are held from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. each Sunday.

Johnson said the association started as a weekly neighborhood Bible study group.

"Their study was so successful," said Johnson, "that the Holy Spirit compelled us to reach more souls for the Lord Jesus. We met so many people who were not receiving the spiritual guidance needed for their lives."

Shirley Wilson, one of the members, says that since she started meeting with the group she has found the study of the Bible more applicable to her life.

"I had been a good church member all of my life but I was not saved. When I did accept Christ I was so thankful that I wanted to learn all I could about Him and His Holy Word. Sunday morning service was inspiring, but when I attended our weekly Bible study it was as if the minister did not really believe what he had preached. I would leave doubting whether God's word was true. Most of the members did not question what the minister said because he had been to seminary. In my heart there was a yearning to know the Lord more closely, to really feel His power in my life. Although I was being told that I had received everything from the Lord when I was saved I continued to earnestly seek the Lord. Soon, He blessed me with His Baptism of the Holy Spirit, which as His word promised, has edified my Christian Life. If it had not been for the love and encouragement of the Members of J.I.L. I probably would have believed my minister instead of God's Word. Now I am growing and learning how to live for the Lord."

Members of the Jesus Is Lord Evangelistic Association are caught up in love. James Clinton, another active mem-



**DENNIS AND JANE JOHNSON**  
...New organization leaders

ber, says that is what attracted him to the organization.

"Everyone had a genuine smile, and I wanted what they had. They shared Christ with me in such a beautiful way that I wanted to do the same for others. Our Bible studies are Spirit led and the scriptures are regarded as the inspired word of God," said Clinton.

Johnson's wife, Jane, says that J.I.L. has had a tremendous impact on her Christian life.

"I gave my life to the Lord when I was sixteen," she said, "but I was not taught how to live, so I backslid. The next eight years were really bad for me. I was still active in my church yet I was not living for the Lord. I had a desire to return to Jesus but no one showed me how. I had no confidence in myself so Satan continued to be the victor in my life. Through the love and encouragement of my hus-

band and the members of J.I.L., I came to realize how forgiving Jesus is. I was also made aware of the power we have through Him. As I began to realize the depth of God's love, I began to gain victory."

Mrs. Johnson says that the Lord has blessed her with a wonderful husband and with the gift of faith.

"Now all I want to do is please Him. Dennis and I are being obedient and serving the Lord with all we have."

**GETHEMANE AME ZION**  
Clothing and toys are being collected for needy families by the members of Gethsemane AME Zion Church, 531 Campus St.

Names of needy families are also being submitted to the Good Samaritan Club of the Church for its annual Christ-

Such items are being placed in the basement of the church until November 28, said a recent announcement.



**Rev. Norman E. Kerry**  
...Plans for concert



**Dr. R.B. Phifer**  
...Walls Memorial Speaker

mas Shopping Tour. The church is also planning an attic sale. A meeting on this event was held Tuesday, November 9.

**WALLS MEMORIAL**  
Dr. R.B. Phifer will be the guest speaker for a program at Walls Memorial AME Zion Church, Sunday, November 14, at 3 p.m. The Youth Adult Choir of Greenville Memorial AME Zion Church, will accompany Dr. Phifer.

**NAZARETH PB**  
Rev. J.T. White of Walls Memorial AME Zion Church will speak at a 4 p.m. program, Sunday November 14, at Nazareth Primitive Baptist Church.

The speaker will be accompanied by the choirs of Walls Memorial, said a recent announcement.

**CLINTON CHAPEL**

The R.W. Johnson Choir of Johnson C. Smith University will appear on a program at 3 p.m., Sunday November 14, at Clinton Chapel AME Zion Church, 1901 Rozzells Ferry Road.

The Young Women's Missionary Society of the church is sponsoring the program.

Following the program, a six night revival meeting will begin at 7 p.m.

Rev. George C. Tharrington, pastor of John Wesley AME Zion Church in Winston-Salem, will lead the revival.

Morgan W. Tann is pastor of the church.

**GREATER BETHEL**

A former member of Greater Bethel AME Church will return to preach at Homecoming observances Sunday, November 14.

Rev. Clarence T. Lowman, now the assistant pastor of Zion AME Church in Philadelphia, Pa., will preach at 11

a.m. and 3 p.m. Rev. Leon S. Penn, pastor of Greater Bethel, said out-of-town former members and friends are invited to join these services.

**MT. SINAI**

A variety of religious music including hymns, anthems and gospels will be featured in the annual concert of the Voices of Sinai Sunday, November 21 at 4 p.m.

The 55 member choir of Mt. Sinai Baptist Church will be accompanied by organist Gloria Thompson of Baltimore, Maryland.

Several recordings have been made by the choir over the past six years. Mrs. N.E. Kerry directs the choir.

**ANTIOCH**

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Bible Study - Tues. 8:00 p.m.  
Choir Rehearsal - Wed. 8:00 p.m.  
Prayer Meeting - Thur. 8:00 p.m.

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Morning Worship - 11:00 a.m.  
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Wednesday - 7:30 p.m.  
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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  
Graded Day Care Center  
Mon-Fri 7:00 a.m.-6 p.m.  
(ages 4 mos.-5 yrs.)

**Homecoming**

**Greater Bethel A.M.E. Church**

201 Grandin Road

Sunday, November 14, 1976

The Reverend Clarence T. Lowman, a former member of Bethel, and now is the Assistant Pastor at Zion A.M.E. Church in Philadelphia, Pa., will preach at 11 a.m. and 3 p.m.

All out of town former Members and Friends are invited!

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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.

**New Hope Apostolic Church Of Lord Jesus Christ**

3000 Melita Ave.  
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P.O. Box 10493

Bishop W.C. Miller  
523-7516

Pastor C. Connor  
392-0498

Sunday School 11 a.m.  
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