

Church News Briefs

Matthews-Murkland Presbyterian Church To Install New Officers

By Gardenia Dalton
Post Staff Writer

Newly elected officers of the Matthews-Murkland United Presbyterian Church will be installed on Sunday, January 9, during their morning worship service at 11 a.m.

Organizations of the church receiving new officers, elected for a 3-year term, will consist of the Elders or Sessions - the governing body of the church; The Deacons - the benevolent organization; and the Trustees. Those to be installed to serve on the Board of Elders will be: Walter J. Cuthbertson, Sam H. Boyd, and James C. Funderburke. The Deacons will receive the following new officers: Mrs. Lula Dunn, Mrs. Barbara Jones, and Mrs. Rena B. Boyd. Eugene Stitt, Elihue Stitt, and John Lawrence, newly elected officers of the Trustee Board, will also be installed during the service.

Ralph Alexander, chosen for a one year term, will be installed to serve as the Superintendent of the Sunday School Department of the church. The church has chosen Walter J. Cuthbertson as the Assistant Superintendent of the Sunday School Department.

Other major organizations receiving new officers will include the offices of: Church Treasurer - James C. Funderburk; Congregation Secretary - Miss Margaret Davis; Assistant Secretary - Mrs. Freddie Nelson; and Church Hostess - Mrs. Frances J. Funderburk. The Finance Committee will receive three new members: Mrs. Marie Miller, Mrs. Donna Morris, and Mrs. Bertha Kirkpatrick.

The Vocal and Youth Choirs of the church will provide music for the service and the Minister will deliver the Message of Challenge.

Matthews-Murkland United Presbyterian Church is located 6917 Old Providence Road. The Rev. Daniel O. Hennigan is the Minister.

GETHESEMANE A.M.E. ZION

The Sunday morning January 2nd Worship Service at Gethesmane A.M.E. Zion Church was greatly enhanced by the recognition and participation of our members, and some of their friends who are attending college.

The theme of this service was "The Challenge of a Christian Style of Life at College." Student speakers for the occasion were Brenda Byers and Wanda Davis. Both of these speakers emphasized the importance of being brought up in Christian homes, remembering and following the teachings and advice of their parents, being involved in church activities, and being given responsibilities in preparation for the time that they would leave home and have to make decisions and set priorities for themselves. These attributes enable them to continue to live Christian lives in spite of the numerous challenges that beset them on the college campus.

Elder L.C. Clark followed with a stirring message on the "Power and Motivation of Christian Life Styles."

Student participants in the morning service were: James Bennett, North Carolina State College; Cassandra Cunningham, Spelman; Sandra Asbury, Central Piedmont; Gail



COLLEGE STUDENT PARTICIPANTS

.....In Greater Gethesmane worship service

Dry, University of North Carolina, Charlotte; Jennifer McIlwain, North Carolina Central; Eddie B. Byers Jr., Johnson C. Smith; Brenda Byers, University of North Carolina, Greensboro; and Wanda Davis, University of North Carolina, Greensboro.

Other college students attending the service were as follows: Karen M. Byers, Barber Scotia College; Sidney Cunningham, Western Carolina; Stanley Cunningham, Appalachian; Gwendolyn Davis, North Carolina Central; Debra Dry, Susan Foster, and Robin Grier, Central Piedmont; Eugene Marsh, University of North Carolina, Charlotte; Wayne McLurkin, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill; and Roland Gabriel, Central Piedmont.

Following the service the congregation greeted the honorees and their parents in the Fellowship Hall.

Coordinator for this special service was Mrs. F.C. Jordan. The minister of the church is the Rev. George E. Battle Jr.

MAYFIELD MEMORIAL

The Day Care Center of Mayfield Memorial Baptist Church opened successfully on Monday, January 3rd. The church invites anyone who may be interested, to come out and look over the Day Care Center. The Director is continuously accepting applications for enrollment in the Center. The fee is as follows: \$20 for a single child; and \$18 for each child, providing there are two or more children enrolling from the same family. May-

field Memorial sincerely hopes that their Day Care Center proves to be an asset as well as a service to the community.

On Sunday, January 9, Mayfield Memorial Baptist will observe what is called "Memorial Sunday." This special service, observed annually, is in remembrance of those members and loved ones of Mayfield whom God has called home during the past year. The Spiritual Choir of the church will furnish music for the solemn service.

Mayfield Memorial Baptist Church is located at 700 Sugar Creek Road West and is pastored by Dr. H.S. Diggs.

FAITH COMMUNITY

The Happy Land Singers of the Faith Community Church will present a GOSPEL JAM-BOREE on January 9, at 2 p.m. Several Choirs will be featured on the program, including: The Black Mass United Choir - Fletcher, N.C.; the Carolina Singers - Asheville, N.C.; and Nathaniel Robinson and Singers - Asheville, N.C.

The public is cordially invited and encouraged to join with the Faith Community Church and share in their songs of praise and worship.

The Faith Community Church is located in Waxhaw, N.C.

WALLS MEMORIAL

The members of the Walls Memorial A.M.E. Zion Church held several "End of the Year" events last month.

Mrs. Lorene Richardson was named "Mother of the Year" in a rally culminating

on last December 6. Each of the participants and their families worked very intensely during the rally which began in October.

Those participating in the rally for Mother of the Year of Walls Memorial A.M.E. Zion Church were: Mrs. Rosa Campbell, Mrs. Della Curry, Mrs. Helen Gerald, Mrs. Ella Givens, Mrs. Eloise McCray, Miss Lydia Neal, Mrs. Josephine Morris, Mrs. Barbara Phifer, Mrs. Lorene Richardson, Mrs. Frankie White, and Mrs. Pearl Wylie. Funds collected, as a result of the rally, totaled more than \$10,000.

In addition to the rally, a concert presented by the "J.T. White Singers" was given at 6 p.m. on the same date. The concert, their first annual, proved to be excellent and successful. Musician for the choir is Worth Williams and Mrs. Cheryl Givens is president.

The Annual Christmas Program, sponsored by the Sunday School Department of Walls Memorial, was given on December 20. The Day Care Center of the church presented its Christmas Program also on that date.

On December 30, 1976, 17 Senior Citizens were honored with a dinner in appreciation of their many years of service and leadership. The dinner, sponsored by the Sunday School Department of the Church, entertained guests ranging in age from 60 to 83.

The Walls Memorial A.M.E. Zion Church is located at 2722 Bancroft Street. The Rev. J.T. White is minister.

NEW EMMANUEL

The New Emmanuel Christian United Church of Christ, located at 3540 Beatties Ford Road, will sponsor a "Spirit of '77 Concert" on Sunday, January 9.

Featured in the concert will be the Ambassadors of Taylorsville and North Wilkesboro, N.C., the Rev. Dr. Andre Cortez at the organ, and Miss Linda Millsaps, who is the daughter of the late Rev. A.B. Millsaps and the sister of Rev. Ervin Millsaps and Queen Estell Thompson.

Rev. N.C. Calhoun is the

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412 South Hoskin Ave.
394-6615
Rev. Wilson Mitchell, Pastor
Home 392-8808

Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship: 11:00 a.m.
Evening Service: 7 p.m.
Wed. Prayer Service: 7:30 p.m.

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Antioch Baptist Church

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232 Skyland Avenue
Charlotte, N.C. 28205

Dr. Preston Pendergrass, Pastor
Church Office Phone 332-4951;
Pastor's Res. Phone 364-6154



SUNDAY CHURCH SCHOOL.....9:45 A.M.
SUNDAY WORSHIP (Nursery Available).....10:45 A.M.
BAPTIST TRAINING UNION, SUNDAYS.....5:30 P.M.
TEACHER-PRAYER MEETING,
WEDNESDAY.....(7:00-8:30 P.M.)

Church of Open House of Deliverance Through Jesus Christ
Presently holding service at Fairview Homes Center
Earle and Oaklawn Avenue

Evangelist Letha M. Pratt, Pastor
Church 598-7692
Resident 597-9314

Sunday School: 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship: 11:00 a.m.
Bible Study - Tues. 8:00 p.m.
Choir Rehearsal - Wed. 8:00 p.m.
Prayer Meeting - Thur. 8:00 p.m.

(Prayer Meeting held every Thursday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Goines Walker - 3427 Crenshaw Ct.)
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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
Graded Day Care Center
Mon-Fri 7:00 a.m.-6 p.m.
(ages 4 mos.-5 yrs.)



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.

New Emmanuel Congregational United Church Of Christ

"Temple of the Holy Ghost"
3540 Beatties Ford Road
Charlotte, N.C. 28216
REV. DR. N.C. CALHOUN

Minister-Daily Counselor
9:45 a.m. Sunday School
11:00 a.m. Good Music
11:30 a.m. Gospel Preaching
Prayer Meeting 7:30 Wed.
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Brother Dan Caldwell
Deacon

Day Care Center 6 a.m. to 6 p.m. - 5 Days per Week
Phone 399-1249



ATTEND CHURCH

ON SUNDAY

St. Paul Community Missionary Baptist Church

REV. ROBERT M. YOUNG

MINISTER
2200 Julia Avenue
Charlotte, N.C.
334-3186 or 333-4970

SUNDAY SCHOOL - 9:45 a.m.
MORNING WORSHIP - 11 a.m.
EVENING WORSHIP - 6:30 p.m.

PRAYER MEETING & BIBLE STUDY - 7:30 p.m. Thursday



Cannon Cathedral Church Of God In Christ

200 Tuckaseegee Road
334-9917
Elder E.C. Cannon
Pastor and founder

Dial-A-Prayer-334-9917
Sunday School - 9:30 a.m.
Morning Worship - 11 a.m.
Y.P.W. - 6:30 p.m.
Evangelistic Sermon - 8 p.m.
Weekly Night Services
Tuesday & Thursday 7:30 p.m.
Healing & Deliverance Service
Thursday - 12 noon

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1234 W. Blvd. Charlotte, N.C.
332-2163 or 372-3420
REV. NORMAN E. KERRY
PASTOR

Sunday School - 9:30 a.m.
Morning Worship - 11:00 a.m.
Mid-Week Service - 7:30 p.m.
Tuesday - 7:00 p.m.
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Wednesday - 7:30 p.m.
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3000 Melita Ave.
Charlotte, N.C.
P.O. Box 10493

Bishop W.C. Miller
523-7516

Pastor C. Connor
362-0488

Sunday School 11 a.m.
Morning worship 12:00
Evening service 7:30 p.m.
Bible Class Tues. 7:30 p.m.
Tarrying service, Thurs. 7:30 p.m.
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1901 Rozzells Ferry Rd.
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Morning Worship - 11 a.m.
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