

Church News Briefs

Little Rock AME Zion Will Observe Ground Breaking Services Sunday

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Post Staff Writer



Bishop W.M. Smith
...Little Rock speaker

Ground breaking services will be held at the Little Rock AME Zion Church building Sunday, May 4 at 4 p.m. at 403 North Myers St.

The new facility is located across from the present building. The guest speaker on this historical occasion will be the distinguished Bishop William Milton Smith, Senior Bishop of the AME Zion Church and Presiding Prelate of the Western, N.C. Conference. He will deliver his message at the 11 a.m. worship service. Also you can look forward to the Charlotte Contemporary Ensemble, directed by Frank Williams, later on in the evening. At 5 p.m. this enchanting group will perform a musical concert. The public is cordially invited by the church of Little Rock AME and their pastor, Rev. William M. White.

MOUNT MORIAH

Pastor, officers, and members of Mount Moriah Baptist Church, 381 Chestdale St. in Matthews, are happy to announce Dr. O. L. Sherill, the former executive secretary of the General Baptist State Convention, Inc. as their guest speaker at the 11 a.m. worship service May 4.

Dr. Sherill is one of the influential educators and gospel preachers of our time. Pastor Robinson, pastor of Mount Moriah, urges the church members to be in attendance and cordially invite all friends of Dr. Sherill to be present. Pastor Robinson feels that those who come will be blessed to hear this dynamic preacher.

Also at 3 p.m. Pastor Robinson and congregation will be the guest at Oak Grove Baptist Church in Harrisburg, N.C. Rev. Henry Johnson is the pastor of Oak Grove.

NEW EMMANUEL

Anniversary celebration is a big event for most organizations for it is a time for the beginning and



Rev. J.C. Robinson
...Moriah pastor

cordially invited. Rev. Robert M. Miller is pastor.

STONEWALL AME

The Parsonage Club of New East Stonewall AME Zion Church presents Jerusha McCoy Jefferson in concert Sunday, May 4 at 4 p.m.

Sister of New East Stonewall's pastor, Rev. James E. McCoy, Ms. Jefferson has been a guest soloist for various civic, church and community organizations. She is a graduate of Fayetteville State College where she majored in education and minored in music. She is now a junior high school teacher in Vass, N. C. She has two children, a son and a daughter.

STEELE CREEK AME

This isn't your regular type of church program but it will no doubt be fun. The Steele Creek Young Adult Choir will sponsor "The Gong Show" Saturday, May 3 at the Bethlehem Center on Baltimore Ave. The program begins at 7 p.m. and admission is .99.

The judges for the occasion will be Abigail Flanders of WBTV, Lionel Norman of Jefferson Productions and Skip Shipman of Big WAYS Radio News.

CENTRAL ORPHANAGE

The meeting of the Year Round Committee for Central Orphanage will be held at the Antioch Baptist Church, 232 Skyland Ave., Saturday, May 3 at 1 p.m. All members are expected to attend.

Business of importance will be discussed including plans for the annual Baptist Women's Convention.

BEATTIES FORD TRINITY

Beatties Ford Trinity Baptist will celebrate its 7th Annual Day Sunday, at 4 at 3 p.m. The special

guest will be Rev. Jeremiah Robinson, and congregation from First Mayfield Baptist. The public is

Ms. Kirkpatrick is chairperson.

FAITH CME

Nightly services for Faith CME Church began April 27 in celebration of their Fifth Anniversary. The services to be held until Saturday, May 3, begins each night at 7:30 p.m. A service will also be held Sunday, May 4 and will

start at 6 p.m. Different speakers will deliver inspirational messages each night.

The pastor of Faith CME is Rev. Robin Gool, Ms. Audrey is the chairperson of the Anniversary Committee. The public is warmly invited to attend these special services. Faith CME is located on Welling-

ford Dr. in the Hidden Valley section.

MORNING STAR

Spring Revival Services at Morning Star Baptist Church will commence May 5 and end the 9th. All services will start at 7:30 p.m. and will be held at the church, 5623 Phillip St. (Derita area).

The speaker, Rev. Ro-

Census Takers Fan Out To Count The Uncounted

More than 200,000 Americans, temporarily employed as census takers, started knocking on the doors of their countrymen last week in an effort to count those not yet enumerated in the 1980 census, the U.S. Bureau of the Census, Department of Commerce, announced Monday.

Nearly 87 percent of those households asked to mail back their questionnaires on or after April 1 had done so by April 14, according to the Bureau. The task now is to find the remainder and also to continue the traditional door-to-door census-taking that has been going on this month in parts of the West, Main and the northern tips of Wisconsin, Minnesota, and Michigan.

Sometimes reaching the door is the most difficult part of a census taker's duties.

On the island of Molokai, for example, a census taker must fly in from Honolulu and then ride a donkey to find some of the population. Some remote households in the Rocky Mountains are being reached by census takers on skis. Near Baton Rouge, Louisiana, census takers will pilot airboats on the bayous to call on those who have not mailed back their census forms.

On their appointed rounds, census takers are expected to visit pool halls, nudist camps, jails, all-night movie houses, mansions, and houses of prostitution (always seeing and hearing no evil, since a strict Federal law requires that personal information

collected in a census must be kept confidential).

Four-wheel-drive vehicles prove to be invaluable for census takers who must ascend snowy Mauna Kea on the island of Hawaii, traverse the rough tracks along California's Lower Klamath River, or scale the hills of West Virginia, where swinging rope bridges often must be crossed on foot.

In other rural areas of the South and Southeast and in much of Appalachia, jeeps and pickup trucks, and occasionally even horses, are essential to navigate the muddy roads and steep hilly country. A special challenge is provided by mountain moonshiners who often will not give information except to someone they thoroughly trust. Census takers must convince these people that they represent the Census Bureau, not the Treasury Department.

Some of the biggest chal-

lenges of all are in urban areas. Inner city ghettos, it goes without saying, have been found difficult to enumerate. It can be safely said that the Census Bureau's greatest expenditure of time and effort is made in these core city neighborhoods.

Interviewing can be dif-

bert Miller, is pastor of Beatties Ford Trinity Baptist Church. Different churches have been invited to participate in the revival each night.

Rev. A. Lockhart and the church of Morning Star cordially invite the public to worship and pray with them during this event.

Commissioner's Office Needs Its Power Restored

The insurance commissioner's office needs to have its power restored "so the commissioner can guard the public's interest in receiving fair insurance coverage for a fair rate," asserted Jim Long, a candidate for Insurance Commissioner.

Long served as Chief Deputy Commissioner of Insurance of North Carolina in 1975-76 under Commissioner John Ingram.

"I intend to be the consumer watchdog to see the public is paying the lowest rate for the insurance it buys," he said.

Long is a native of Burlington and a member of the Episcopal Church there.

RE-ELECT Ben Tison
for N.C. HOUSE of REPRESENTATIVES

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CHURCH DIRECTORY

GREATER BETHEL AME CHURCH

201 Grandin Rd.
376-4345

Rev. Frank M. Reid III

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9:45 a.m. Sunday School
11:00 a.m. Morning Worship
6:15 p.m. Evangelistic Service

Rev. Frank M. Reid, III

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2670 Dr. Carver Rd.
332-5658

Rev. C.E. Dewberry, Pastor

Sunday School - 9:30 a.m.
Morning Worship - 11 a.m.
Prayer Meeting 7:30 Wed. nite

Rev. Dewberry

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Walls Memorial
2227 Bancroft St. 28206
Rev. Jerry T. White
Pastor

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3301 Beatties Fprd 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. - 6p.m.
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Rev. Coleman W. Kerry

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332-2163

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Pastor

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376-8806

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Rev. Levi Wilson -
Pastor

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9:45 A.M.
Morning Worship -
11:00 A.M.

Rev. Levi Wilson

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