

Church News Briefs

Ben Salem United Presbyterian Church Will Celebrate Homecoming

By Teresa Simmons
Post Staff Writer
Ben Salem United Presbyterian Church, 2414 North Sharon Amity Road, will celebrate its annual Homecoming weekend beginning Sunday, November 7, during the 11 a.m. service.

The Annual Celebration will be featured the entire day. Rev. Ray A. Booton, pastor of the church, will deliver the morning message.

Dinner will be served at 1:30 p.m. to all church guests.

During the Homecoming afternoon program, chaired by Marverine Cauten, Rev. Robert L. Walton, pastor of St. Paul United Presbyterian Church, will be the special guest speaker. This service begins at 2:30 p.m.

Rev. Walton will be accompanied by his choir and congregation. They are also the specially invited guests for this occasion.

The Ben Salem Family cordially invites the public to attend these special services of Homecoming to praise and glorify our Lord.

FAITH CME CHURCH

The Fall Revival will commence at Faith Christian Methodist Episcopal Church, 457 Wellingford St. in the Hidden Valley section, Sunday, November 7 and continuing through Friday, November 12th.

Guest evangelist will be Rafael Green. This anointed man of God is a graduate of Oral Roberts University. He preaches the uncompromised Gospel of Jesus Christ with power and sings following. He will also bless the ministry with music. He has recorded several albums.

Services will begin nightly at 7:30 p.m. If you would like transportation to the church call 597-8675. Everyone is invited to attend. Rev. A. Leonard Williams is the pastor.

MT. MORIAH BAPTIST

The pastor, officers and members of Mt. Moriah Baptist Church in Matthews, will observe their Annual Homecoming Sunday, November 7, at 3 p.m. Rev. J. H. Ferguson, pastor of Elizabeth Baptist Church, Monroe, will be the guest speaker. Dinner will be served in the lower auditorium immediately following the 3 p.m. worship service.

All former members and friends are invited to attend.

Thanksgiving worship services will be held 11 a.m. on Thanksgiving day, Thursday, November 25, at the church.

Mt. Moriah, 391 Crestdale Rd. Matthews, is pastored by Rev. J. C. Robinson.

NEW ST. JOHN'S

Rev. Robert Leak, pastor of St. John's Baptist Church, will deliver the sermon, "Truth Verses a Lie...Christ Verses Satan," at the 11 a.m. service, Sunday, November 7th.

Regular Communion Service will also be held Sunday.

At 5 p.m. classes in new membership and leadership will be held. The class will be taught by Rev. Leak and Nettie Caldwell.

Regular Wednesday night Prayer Meeting will be held from 7-8 p.m. Following the meeting will be another class on new membership and training from 8-9 p.m., taught by Nettie Caldwell.

The public is cordially



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



Rev. Ray A. Booton
...Ben Salem pastor



Rev. Ell Price
Clement Memorial pastor

invited to attend these and all services at New St. John's Baptist Church, 2000 St. John Road.

CLEMENT MEMORIAL

The Deaconess Board of Clement Memorial A.M.E. Zion Church will present a Gospel-Rama November 14th.

An evening of good Gospel music has been planned.

The Mt. Carmel Male Chorus will be presented in concert at this time. There will also be the Combined Choir of Clement Memorial.

You are invited to come out and enjoy and share with the Clement Memorial Church family. The church is located at 2207 Newland Rd. This program cannot be a success without you. Rev. Ell Price is pastor.

ST. LUKE

The Missionaries of St. Luke Baptist Church will sponsor the Charlotte Community Chorale in concert Sunday, November 14 at 5 p.m.

The public is cordially invited to fellowship with the Missionary and enjoy the many talents of the chorale.

St. Luke Baptist Church, pastored by Rev. L. D. Parker, is located at 1109 Roddey Avenue.

ST. MARTIN'S

Petrona Zapon will be the speaker Wednesday, November 10, at 8 p.m. at St. Martin's Episcopal Church, 1510 East 7th Street.

A Guatemala Mayan Indian, refugee and member of the opposition to the Guatemalan military regime of General Rios Montt, Ms. Zapon will be in Charlotte to tell of the many mass executions and report information not currently reported in most U.S. newspapers.

For instance, on October 11 Amnesty International released a report which documented the murders of 2,600 Indians and peasants, many of them women and children since Rios Montt came to power. General Montt, as of March of this year has emerged as the strong man.

Ms. Zapon will be traveling in the Southern part of the U.S. until November 11 in hopes of raising the awareness of Americans about the plight of the Mayan people and in the hope of soliciting the support of Americans to put pressure on our govern-

ment to withhold all aid to the Guatemala government until it ends the killing, the massacres of its people.

With 7.7 million people, Guatemala has two percent of wealthy individuals who own over 64 percent of the cultivable land.

For more information call Betsy Levitas at 375-4070 or Art Kortheuer at 376-8441.

FIRST UNITED PRES.

Revival Services, sponsored by the Deacons of First United Presbyterian Church, will feature husband and wife minister-team Reverends Larry and Cassandra Hill.

Rev. Mr. Hill will speak Wednesday, November 10. Rev. Mrs. Hill will speak Thursday, November 11.

Rev. Mrs. Hill is pastor of Catawba United Presbyterian Church in Mecklenburg County. Rev. Mrs. Hill is a housewife and former Case Manager for the Social Services Department of Sumter County, S.C.

Rev. Mr. Hill is a graduate of Johnson C. Smith University and the Interdenominational Theological Center in Atlanta. He is also a student in the Doctor of Ministry Program at McCormick Theological Seminary in Chicago.

Rev. Mrs. Hill is a graduate of Morris Brown College, the Interdenominational Theological Center. She has done further study at Emory University School of Medicine and the University of South Carolina.

The Hills have one son. You are cordially invited to hear both of these great speakers. First United is located at 201 E. 7th Street and is pastored by Rev. Raymond Worsley.

HOPEWELL A.M.E. ZION

The Senior Choir of Hopewell A.M.E. Zion Church, located off Beatties Ford Rd. next to Beatties Ford Park Memorial Gardens in Huntersville, will present "The Voices of Hope Choir" of East Stonewall A.M.E. Zion Church in concert Sunday, November 7, at 6 p.m.

The choir is under the direction of Joseph H. Walker. A cordial invitation is extended to the public.

A joint Fellowship Service will be held Sunday afternoon, November 14, 2:30 p.m. The Missionary Society will be in charge.

Rev. Charles Carelock, pastor of Haywood Chapel and Pineville A.M.E. Zion Churches (Statesville), will be the guest speaker. He will be accompanied by his choir and congregation.

Mrs. Bessie Howard is president of the Parent Body.

Rev. Walter Huggins Jr. is the pastor of Hopewell A.M.E. Zion Church.

GETHSEMANE A.M.E.

Revival Services at Gethsemane A.M.E. Zion Church will be held November 8-12 beginning each evening at 7:30.

Evangelist for the week will be Rev. Arthur Walls, known throughout Zion as an articulate and dynamic Gospel preacher.

He is pastor of Brighton A.M.E. Zion Church in Portsmouth, VA.

Various choirs throughout the city are scheduled to provide music for this great Gospel experience. The entire population of Charlotte is issued a cordial invitation to come out and hear this great preacher.

Rev. Dr. George E. Battle Jr. is pastor of Gethsemane A.M.E. Zion Church, 501 Campus Street. Prayer services will be held each evening prior to the message.

Also at Gethsemane the Deaconess Board will present their eighth Annual Gospel Singing Sunday, November 7 at 6 p.m.

James Maxwell--Napolean Brown--the Southern Sisters and special guest Dr. Roy Anderson and the Young Adult Choir of First Baptist Church in Concord will be present. Also Gloria Singleton will render music.

MYERS PARK BAPTIST

The Hyacinth Series of the Myers Park Baptist Church will feature Mr. Doug James playing the Classical Guitar on Sunday afternoon November 14, at 4 p.m. in the Great Hall.

The concert is free and open to the general public. If there are any questions please call the church office at 334-7232, during the week.

ST. ANDREW'S

"If something is worth doing, it's worth doing right!" How many times did Mom or Dad tell you that when you were growing up? But how much did they tell you about marriage: the hard work and determination it takes to make a relationship work?

-and keep on working?

Learn about a Close Encounter of the Best Kind!

The Episcopal Expression will hold a public information night at St. Andrew's Episcopal Church, 3601 Central Ave., Charlotte, at 7:30 p.m. on Friday, November 5.

Couples who have been on a Marriage Encounter Weekend will explain the weekend and answer questions. A fellowship time with refreshments will follow.

The weekend is open to any married couple of any faith (or none), age, or length of marriage. The cost is nominal and baby-sitting or pet sitting may be arranged free.

Plan to attend - or call Tom & Evelyn Hendrickson, 597-0768.

MT. MORIAH PB

Six students from Mt. Moriah Primitive Baptist Church have recently been selected as members for the Society of Distinguished American High School Students.

Wanda Moore, Barbara Lowery, Felicia Harris, Ingrid Love, Valarie Little and Vance O'Rear III were all sponsored by pastor T. W. Samuels who received a National Appreciation Award from the Society.

Those students chosen represent the upper echelon of their class excelling in academics, extra-curricular or civic activities.

A unique program, the

Society combines the honor of membership with its National Awards Program which awards college scholarships for Society members.

EAST STONEWALL

The James E. McCoy Singers and the Deaconess Board of East Stonewall A.M.E. Zion Church, 1729 Griers Grove Road, will sponsor an Old Fashioned Musical Program November 14, 4 p.m.

This program will feature hymn and Gospel choirs from the city. Frank Johnson will be in charge of the devotional part of the service. The public is cordially invited to attend. Rev. Bernard Sullivan is pastor.

MECK GENERAL BAPTIST ASSOC.

The Ushers Auxiliary of the Mecklenburg General Baptist Association will hold its Annual Meeting at the First Baptist Church-West, 1801 Oaklawn Ave. Rev. Dr. J. B. Humphrey is the pastor.

The meeting will be held Saturday, November 13, at 5 p.m.

HICKORY GROVE U.M.

For 16 years the men of Hickory Grove United Methodist Church have been hosting the annual Chicken 'n Dumplin' dinner. Delicious, mouth-watering dishes no one can refuse and all proceeds go toward the Methodist Men's Club charities.

You can pick up your dinner at the church. Adult

dinners cost \$3.25 and children under 12 can eat for \$1.50.

Dinners will be served November 6 from 4-8 p.m.

The men of the church profess that their chicken 'n dumplin' aren't just good - they are made the old way and they are so delicious they practically slide down.

EASTERN HILLS

"J 'n J", a ministry which combines the musical talents, the message of the Gospel, and the effect of the Holy Spirit in the lives of Jimi Ray and Jonathan Scott will be presented at Eastern Hills Baptist Church Saturday, November 13, at 7:30 p.m. Ray and Scott are students at Gardner-Webb

College. This special happening is an extension of Joy Explosion, a regular ministry of Eastern Hills to young people in Charlotte.

Eastern Hills Baptist Church is located at 1212 Pierson Dr. Rev. M. Frank Marks is pastor.

AMAY JAMES

Revival begins Sunday, November 7 at Amay James Presbyterian Church, 2400 West Blvd. You are cordially invited to take part in all services. Rev. Dr. Frank duCille is pastor.

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I raise my eyes toward the hills. Whence shall my help come?
My help comes from the Lord who made heaven and earth.
Psalms 121:1-2

<p>Friendship Baptist Church 3301 Beatties Ford Rd. 392-0391</p>  <p>Cooperative Ministries Staff</p> <p>Sunday Schedule 9:45 a.m. Sunday School 11 a.m. Morning Worship</p> <p>Graded Day Care Center Mon.-Fri. 7 a.m.-6 p.m. (Ages 4 Months-5 Years)</p>	<p>FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH - WEST 1801 Oaklawn Ave.</p> <p>-Sunday School 9:30 a.m. -Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.</p> <p>Baptist Training Union 5 p.m. Each Third Sunday Church Group Meetings Each Fourth Sunday Afternoon</p> <p>Wednesday Prayer Meeting 7:30 P.M.</p>  <p>Rev. Dr. J. B. Humphrey</p> <p>372-1075 372-0950</p>
<p>Greater Mount Moriah 714 W. Trade St. 376-8806</p> <p>Thomas W. Samuels - Pastor</p> <p>Church School - 9:45 p.m. Morning Worship - 11:00 a.m. Evening Services - 6:00 p.m.</p> <p><i>We are laborers together with God.</i></p>	<p>Greater Mt. Sinai Baptist Church</p>  <p>Rev. Norman E. Kerry Pastor</p> <p>1243 West Blvd. 332-2163 Sun. School 9:45 Worship Service 11:00 a.m.</p> <p>"WHERE CHRIST IS PREACHED, AS HE IS, TO MEN AS THEY ARE"</p>

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