

**Church News Briefs**

**Word Of Faith Seminar Will Converge In Charlotte In Early June**

By Lori Grier  
Post Staff Writer  
On June 8-10, the Word of Faith Seminar with Frederick K. C. Price will converge in Charlotte. During the three days of service the teaching of the word of faith will be heard. Each night starting at 7:30 and 10 a.m. on Thursday and Friday, Dr. Price will speak. Services will be held at Owens Auditorium, 2700 E. Independence Blvd.

Dr. Price is the founder and pastor of Crenshaw Christian Center in Inglewood, California. The church has a large membership of over 10,000 people which has necessitated the purchase of 32 acres of land in the heart of Los Angeles. The construction of a 10,000-seat church is under construction to accommodate the rapidly growing membership of Crenshaw.

The "Ever Increasing Faith Ministry of Dr. Price involves a daily radio broadcast and a one hour television program viewed on over 37 television stations throughout the U.S., West Indies, Australia and South Africa.

Six books have been authored by Dr. Price including a Spanish version of his most popular book, "How Faith Works."

Married to Betty Price the couple has four children. His family also extends within the church and he travels extensively throughout the world teaching the word of faith. The public is invited to attend and come early to secure a good seat.

**HOOD MEMORIAL**  
The Hood Memorial AME Zion Church Youth Department and "Y" Society are planning special services on the 26, 27 and 28 of May.

On Thursday, May 26, 7 p.m., a Youth Rap Session and Prayer Service will be held at Hood Memorial. This service will be led by Rev. Earle Johnson, pastor of Hood Memorial, and Rev. Charles Reid, assisting minister of Hood. The Rap Sessions-Prayer Service is for youth only.

On Friday, May 27, 7 p.m., there will be a one night Youth Revival. The guest minister is Rev. Burrell Brooks, pastor of the New Providence Baptist Church located in Mt. Holly, N.C.

Continuing on Saturday, May 28, at 7 p.m., a Youth Recognition Banquet will be held in the Fellowship Hall of Hood Memorial.

Hood Memorial AME Zion Church is located at the corner of Sacco and Todd Streets in Belmont, N.C.

**FAITH CME**  
Pastor and Mrs. A. L. Williams will celebrate their 3rd Anniversary during the week of May 29-June 5. Services will be held nightly at 7:30 p.m. at the Faith CME Church, located at 457 Wellingford Street.

**GRIER HEIGHTS**  
The Finance Committee of Grier Heights United Presbyterian Church is sponsoring an Attic Sale Saturday, May 28, at 11 a.m.

Members and friends of the church are asked to donate clothes, toys, or any other items for this project. Items may be delivered to the church or you may contact Vivian Mathewson, J.B. Henderson, Melton Graddy, Obie Blackwell, Vera Lewers, Camilla Clark, Flossie Gatewood and Theima Miller.

The Men's Council of Grier Heights United Presbyterian Church will sell plate lunches, fish, chicken and hot dogs at the church also on Saturday, May 28. The church is located at 525 Skyland Avenue in Charlotte. Rev. Lloyd B. Morris is the pastor.

The Gospel Choir of Grier Heights United Presbyterian Church will sponsor a concert Sunday, May 29, at 6 p.m. Charles Redfern is the director. The public is invited to attend.

**STEELE CREEK**  
The Steele Creek Young Adult Choir will have their annual Spring Concert Sunday, May 29, at the church, 6414 York Road. The theme is "Oh Lord Move In This Place." The pastor is Rev. Fred McCullough, and the choir



Rev. Earle Johnson  
.....Plans youth service director is William McCullough.



Rev. Lloyd Morris  
.....Hosts attic sale



Rev. Sheldon Shipman  
.....Reeves Temple pastor

**FIRST MAYFIELD**  
On Sunday, May 29, at First Mayfield Memorial Baptist Church, the Hospitality Committee will sponsor their program at 3 p.m. The guest speaker will be Rev. M. N. Carolton. All are asked to come out to help them celebrate the 4th Anniversary of the Hospitality Committee. Rev. Jeremiah Robinson is the pastor. The church is located at 901 Oaklawn Avenue.

**GRACE AME ZION**  
Woman's Day will be observed on Sunday, May 29, at 11 a.m. Mrs. Lucille C. Turner will be the guest speaker.

Mrs. Turner is the wife of presiding Elder Smith Turner III of the Charlotte District. She is a member of Grace AME Zion and a teacher in the Charlotte-Mecklenburg School System.

Mrs. Malissa Byrd is chairperson, and Mrs. Delores Swain is co-chairperson of the Woman's Day Committee.

The Parent's Body Missionary will sell dinners Sunday following the program. The donation is \$3. The public is cordially invited to attend.

Rev. Marion B. Jones is the minister of Grace AME Zion, located at 219 South Brevard Street.

**WEEPING WILLOW**  
The members of Weeping Willow believe in the phrase: "Give Them Their Flowers While They Are Alive." Therefore, on Sunday, May 29, their pastor, Rev. J. Wardell Henderson, will be giving his flowers in an appreciation program to be held at 6:30 p.m.

Rev. Henderson has been minister for 11 years where he has led the members into becoming one Christian Family.

The public is cordially invited to share with them in their heart-warming program. Rev. L. C. Clark will be the guest speaker.

**METROPOLITAN AME**  
The church family of Metropolitan AME Church, under the guidance of Rev. M. L. Rich, extends a cordial invitation to everyone to worship, praise, pray and give thanks to Almighty God on Sunday, May 29, at 11 a.m. at the YWCA located on 418 East Trade Street.

Brother Ron Doll Harrell, an officer and member of the ministerial staff, will be the guest speaker of the hour. Sister Faye C. Watkins is the choir director. All are welcome.

**NEW LIFE BAPTIST**  
The Youth Department of New Life Baptist Church, 3030 Allen Rd. - South of North Graham St., will be having their first Youth Revival starting May 30 - June 3 at 7:30 p.m.

Rev. Phillip Davis of Galilean Baptist Church will be the speaker. Miss Dorothy Spring is the coordinator, and Miss Tonya Bolton is the president. Rev. Danny K. Martin is the pastor. The public is cordially invited to attend.

**GRACE LUTHERAN**  
Grace Lutheran Church proudly presents the 1983 Gospel Jazz Festival to celebrate their Centennial Year on June 4, at 11 a.m. - 6 p.m. at the Robert Bailey Stadium in Concord, N.C.

Adults pay \$2 and children pay \$1 for tickets available at the gate and from church members.

**REEVES TEMPLE**  
Davidson - The members, pastor and choir of Reeves Temple AME Zion family cordially invite you to the annual "Twelve Tribe of Israel Program."

Guest include over 20 choirs who will out and participate in this singing celebration. The program will be held May 29 at 7 p.m.

Rev. Sheldon Shipman is pastor.

**ST. JOHN'S**  
"Don't Stop Here, Go Forward," will be the theme of the morning message to be delivered by Rev. Robert H. Leak at St. John's Baptist Church.

At 4 p.m., the Paradise Voices will celebrate their first anniversary. They will be directed by Ronald Gilham. Other well-known choirs have been invited to participate on the program.

**UNITED PRESBYTERIAN MEN**  
The Catawba Unit of United Presbyterian Men, which is comprised of Yadkin, Cape Fear, Southern Virginia and Catawba areas will hold their annual meeting in Charlotte June 4 beginning at 9 a.m. The Men of Catawba Presbytery will meet at the Memorial United Presby-

terian Church on Beatties Ford Road.

The theme will be "Strength for Tough Times." Rev. Ralph Ross of North Carolina A&T and Rev. Edward Newberry of St. James United Presbyterian Church will be the guest speakers. Other highlights include workshops, committee reports, luncheon, discussion of national church meeting, music, communion, and election of officers.

The fee for registration, luncheon and membership dues total \$6.50.

**ST. JAMES**  
The Male Choir of St. James United Presbyterian Church, Greensboro, NC will appear in concert at Memorial United Presbyterian Church June 5 at 6 p.m. Margaret B. Gill will direct the guest choir, which is being sponsored by the Men's Council of Memorial Church. A delightful evening of music is in store for all who attend the concert. A donation of \$2 is requested. Rev. Edwin P. Newberry is the pastor of the church, located at 2600 Beatties Ford Road.

**GETHSEMANE BAPTIST**  
On May 29 at 7 p.m., the church fellowship program will be held. Rev. Diggs, pastor of Mayfield Memorial Baptist Church, will be the guest speaker.

Rev. C. E. Dewberry is pastor of Gethsemane Baptist Church, located at 2670 Dr. Carver Rd.

The public is cordially invited.

**STEELE CREEK AME**  
The Pastor's Aide Society of Steele Creek AME Zion Church, 6414 York Road, cordially invite you to help celebrate their Pastor's Appreciation Day June 2, with a special service beginning at 7:30 p.m. Three other services on June 3-5 will be held in honor of the strength God has given Rev. Fred McCullough, pastor of Steele Creek AME for five years. The public is cordially invited.

**PEACE SABBATH**  
Twenty churches and synagogues in the Charlotte area will witness to the national "Peace Sabbath-Peace Sunday" (May 27-30) at worship services this weekend.

Baptist, Catholic, Episcopal, Friends, Jewish,

Lutheran, Methodist, Presbyterian and Unitarian congregation in greater Charlotte will join more than 10,000 churches and synagogues nationwide in the 5th annual interfaith commitment to world peace in concern over the international arms race and the threat of a nuclear holocaust.

On May 27 a "Peace Vigil" will be held at the Park Road YWCA from 4-11 p.m. in the chapel. A team of volunteers will witness for 15 minute intervals in that period in their commitment to the cause of worldwide peace.

Dr. Helmut Domke, an East German physicist, will speak Tuesday, May 31, 7:30 p.m., at Myers Park Baptist Church, 1900

Queens Road on the European peace movement. Dr. Domke represents the Federation of Protestant Churches in the German Democratic Republic (a non-government body of Lutheran, Reformed and Moravian churches) and is one of a dozen religious and disarmament leaders from Europe currently touring the United States to express concern particularly over the planned deployment of Pershing II and cruise missiles in several countries on the continent.

For details on "Peace Sabbath-Peace Sunday" events, please call Rev. Art Forthuer at 376-8441 or 34-5029. For information on the "Peace Vigil" please call Dottie Cowan at 8479565.



The Charlotte District Board of Ushers of the Western North Carolina Conference of the AME Zion Church recently hosted "Vice Presidents" Day. During this special event Dorothy Brooks (c), a member of Gethsemane AME Zion Church, was honored as "Usher of the Month" and received the V. P. Award. The award was presented by the president of Mrs.

Brook's local church usher board, Verona Vaughn. Mrs. Brooks was honored for having the highest number of persons to attend from the eleven churches represented, the district ushers meeting held at East Stonewall AME Zion Church. The "Vice Presidents" Day effort was nurtured by the district president, Margaret Carothers. (Photo by Peeler)

**Skin Cancer Screening Set**

A free Skin Cancer Awareness Program sponsored by the American Cancer Society will be Friday and Saturday, June 3-4, at Park Road Shopping Center. Volunteer physicians will be checking suspicious moles and sores from noon to 6 p.m. on Friday and 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. on Saturday. They will also answer questions on exposure to the sun and suntan lotions.

Approximately 400,000 Americans will get skin cancer this year. With the exception of malignant melanoma, about 95 percent of them can be cured through early detection and prompt treatment.

Individuals with fair complexions and red or blonde hair run a greater risk of developing skin cancer from repeated over-exposure to the sun. In summer, when more people are out in the sun through work or leisure activities, everyone should wear protective clothing.

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Ms. Polly A. Cuthbertson is employed with Long & Son Mortuary Service as an Attendant and Assistant to the Secretary. Ms. Cuthbertson is responsible for the printing of funerals programs, floral placement in the chapel, as well as typing and filing. She has been employed with Long & Son since 1976 on a part-time basis.

Ms. Cuthbertson has also been employed by the AME Zion Church for 11 years and is presently an Executive Secretary with the Department of Church Extensions.

"Polly Cuthbertson - giving of herself for the service of others."

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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

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**Greater Mt. Sinai Baptist Church**  
1243 W. Blvd. 332-2163  
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. Worship Service: 11:00 a.m.  
Rev. Norman E. Kerry, Pastor  
"WHERE CHRIST IS PREACHED, AS HE IS, TO MEN AS THEY ARE"

**Friendship Baptist Church**  
Dr. Clifford A. Jones, Sr. - Pastor

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH-WEST**  
1801 Oaklawn Ave.  
Wednesday Prayer Meeting 7:30 P.M.  
Sunday School 9:30 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.  
Rev. Dr. J.B. Humphrey

**3301 Beatties Ford Rd. 392-0391**

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**THE BAHAI' COMMUNITY OF CHARLOTTE AND ITS SPIRITUAL ASSEMBLY EXTENDS THEIR CONGRATULATIONS AND BEST WISHES TO MR. GLENFORD E. MITCHELL ON HIS ELECTION TO THE UNIVERSAL HOUSE OF JUSTICE, THE SUPREME OF THE BAHAI FAITH INSTITUTION, WHICH TOOK PLACE DURING THE INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION AT HAIFA, ISRAEL, IN LATE APRIL, 1983.**