

CHURCHES

Christ Church Rev. Geo. F. Hill, rector. Thirtieth Sunday after Trinity. Sunday school and adult Bible classes, 9:45 a. m. Morning prayer and sermon 11 a. m. Evening prayer and sermon 7:30 p. m. You are invited to worship here Sunday.

METHODIST

Rev. N. H. D. Wilson, D. D., pastor. You are cordially invited to all services. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m. Worship with sermon by the pastor, 11 a. m. Subject: "Worship." At 7:30 "Peace Through Faith." This musical program for the day follows: Morning—Prelude (organ), Largo—Handel. Anthem, Gird on Thy Sword—Hayser.

Evening—Prelude (organ) Selah—Lemare. Anthem, A Song of Praise—Ashford. Offertory (organ) Offertory in B Flat—Read. Anthem, Go Ye, Therefore—Hayser.

City Road Methodist Episcopal Rev. Daniel Lane, pastor. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m. George F. Seyffert, superintendent.—At 11 a. m. worship with sermon, by the pastor, "Speak to the Children of Israel that They Go Forward." Epworth League at 6:45 and 7. Sermon at 7:30. "The Lord is My Strength and My Song and Has Become My Salvation." Following is the musical program: Morning—Prelude, Salut D'Amour—Elzars. Voluntary, The Mighty God—Adams.

Evening—Prelude, An Autumn Evening—C. C. Crammond. Voluntary, Breathe An Evening Blessing—Wilson. Offertory, The Last Rose of Summer—C. Gounod. Ladies' Quartet, Let The Lower Lights be Burning—Bliss.

First Baptist S. H. Templeman, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. C. H. Twiddy, superintendent. Preaching by the pastor at 11 a. m. Subject: "Are We an Honest People?" At 7:30 p. m., subject: "Near-Sighted Preaching."

Blackwell Memorial Dr. J. H. Thayer, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.; E. F. Adlett, superintendent. At 11 a. m. preaching by the pastor, "The Work of the Holy Spirit in Conversion." At 7:30, Judge John Warren Davis will preach.

Calvary Baptist Rev. R. F. Hall, pastor. Sunday school 3 p. m. St. Davis, superintendent. Evening service at 7:30. Preaching by pastor.

Corinth Baptist Rev. R. F. Hall, pastor. Sunday school each Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. W. F. Pritchard, Sr., superintendent. Sunday school address by Judge Davis, Senior and Junior B. Y. P. T. each Sunday night. The public is cordially invited.

Hercia Baptist Rev. R. F. Hall, pastor. Sunday school Sunday morning at 10 o'clock. Ben Frank Pritchard, superintendent. Preaching at 11 a. m. by Rev. Q. C. Davis. The public is cordially invited.

Presbyterian Rev. Frank H. Scattergood, minister. Sabbath school, 9:45 a. m. Lesson: "Building The Temple." Divine worship, 11 a. m. Theme: "God's Specifications." Evening service 7:30 o'clock. Theme: "Building." Mid-week service, Wednesday 7:30 p. m. Prayer and Bible study. Women's Auxiliary will meet Monday afternoon, 4 o'clock at the home of Mrs. L. S. Bladen. All the women of the church are invited to attend this meeting. A cordial invitation is extended to all to attend these services.

Other Denominations First Christian Church Rev. Hilary T. Bowen, pastor. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Morning theme: "Watching the Cross." Text, Matt. 27:36. They sat and watched Him there. Evening theme: "The One Thing Lacking." Text, Matt. 19:23. But when the young man heard the saying he went away sorrowful; for he was one that had great possessions. Sunday school at 2:30. E. L. Silverthorn, superintendent. Christian Endeavor meets at 6:30 p. m. Mid-week prayer meeting Wednesday at 7:30 p. m.

Free Will Baptist Rev. Leroy Harris, pastor. Preaching every first Sunday. Sunday school each Sunday morning at 10:30. Prayer meeting each Wednesday night.

Pentecostal Holiness Sunday school at 9:45. J. H. Baker, superintendent. Preaching at 11 and 7:30 o'clock by Rev. W. J. Noble.

St. Elizabeth's Services will be held in the Catholic Chapel, Hinton Building, at 10:30 Sunday morning by Father Doherty. Visitors are always welcome.

Revival Next Week Revival services at Halls Creek Methodist Church in this county will begin Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock and continue throughout the week at 3 p. m. and at 7:30 p. m. With preaching by the pastor.

Convicts Were Ready Die For Pitcher Prison Nine

Twirler for San Quentin Sentenced to Hang Pitching Such Good Ball that Three Fellow Prisoners Offered Take His Place at Gallows

By L. C. OWEN (Copyright, 1924, By The Advance)

San Rafael, Calif., Sept. 13.—The strange spectacle of three hardened criminals vying in an offer to let themselves be hanged in order that the baseball team of their iron barred "alma mater" might acquire an unbeatable baseball pitcher, is presented at San Quentin prison here.

The baseball pitcher in whose stead they offer to suffer death is Clarence "Tuffy" Reid, 39-year-old former newboy of Los Angeles, manager, and convicted murderer. Two of the convict trio who are willing to go to the gallows in his stead are members of the prison baseball team, to which Reid is a recent recruit.

The other is just a rabid convict fan, who, literally speaking, would rather give his life than see the "home team" beaten. Reid, under sentence of death and less than two weeks ago snatched back from the hangman's noose by an eleven hour court reprieve as the gallows was being made ready for him, today is the pride of San Quentin. Were he not a felon with less than one chance in a thousand for his life, and none whatever for his liberty, it is probable the big league scouts would be interested in his pitching ability.

Twice within ten days now the condemned youth, with the shadow of death constantly lurking before his eyes, has pitched the prison team to sensational victory. In the first game, on Labor Day, against a strong nine from the Bank of California, San Francisco, he scored a one to nothing victory, striking out 12 batsmen and allowing but three hits.

Again on Tuesday, in a prison game celebrating California's admission to the union, he pitched his fellow convicts to a win over the fast Mercantile Trust team of San Francisco. He pitched a one to nothing victory, striking out 12 batsmen and allowing but three hits.

Reid, under sentence of death for the murder of Charles Weingarten in an attempted holdup of a gambling house in Los Angeles a year ago last January. His defense was that he was under the influence of drugs at the time the murder was committed. Two weeks ago the presiding judge in the case, after the governor had refused to heed his recommendation for a reprieve until a new appeal could be made on the ground that new evidence had been found, personally helped to prepare papers which resulted in a temporary stay of the execution. At the time the court writ was granted, the time of the execution was less than twelve hours away.

her home on Body Road. After a watermelon feast the party motored to Chantilly and enjoyed a delicious picnic supper and on their return from Chantilly they went on a hay ride. Those enjoying Miss Sample's hospitality were: Misses Edith Hall Brock, Emily Davis, Katherine Mann, Lily Melick, Shirley Haran of Baltimore, Levlina Jones, Helen Gaithor, Elizabeth Creevy, Eleanor Lane, Ruth Harris, Vivian Turner, Elizabeth Chappell, Helen W.

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Miss Margaret Fearing, Mabel Green and Isabel Munden.

C. D. C. Will Meet The D. H. Hill chapter of the U. D. C. will hold its first meeting of the fall Tuesday afternoon at four o'clock at the home of Mrs. Mollie Fearing on South Road street. A full attendance is desired.

Attend Conference Among those attending the Elizabeth City District Methodist Missionary Conference at New-born Methodist Church Thursday from City Road Church were: Mrs. W. W. Sawyer, delegate of the Women's Missionary Society, Miss Sarah Williams, delegate of the Bright-Jewels. Mrs. P. H. Williams, Mrs. Daniel Lane, Mrs. C. B. Calbreth, Mrs. Sam Overman, Mrs. G. F. Seyffert, Mrs. Daisy Payne, Mrs. L. S. Hooper, Mrs. E. J. Hooper, Mrs. P. E. Dozier, Mrs. Fred Hayes, Mrs. W. Davis, Mrs. W. S. Riggs, Mrs. W. Woodley, Sr., Mrs. Brandon George Smith, and Miss Helen Williams.

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been visiting Mrs. Houtz's sister, Mrs. E. C. Earhart. Mrs. J. N. Whitehurst and daughter, Miss Louise White returned Thursday from a trip to Baltimore and Atlanta where they visited relatives and friends. Miss Mary Owens North Road street left Wednesday for Plymouth where she will spend a few days. Sam Woolford of Plymouth who has been the guest of his aunt, Mrs. M. Owens on North Road street, has returned home. Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Harris and child, Minnie Bray and C. F. Jr., returned Wednesday from an automobile trip to Greensboro.

Mr. and Mrs. Mathias Owens have returned from Nags Head where they have been for the summer. Mrs. A. B. Houtz and daughter, Miss Jeanne Houtz, have returned from Ames, Iowa, where they have been visiting.

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