

Church News

Ponder's Chapel Plans Revival

Revival services will be held at Ponder's Chapel Monday through July 17 beginning at 7:30 p.m.

Henderson Decoration Day Set

Decoration services will be held at the J. Lee Henderson cemetery July 12 beginning at 2 p.m.

Alexander Baptist To Hold Singing

Alexander Baptist Church will hold its second Sunday night singing at 7 p.m. on Sunday.

Shoal Hill Plans Homecoming

Shoal Hill Freewill Baptist Church will hold homecoming and decoration services on July 19 beginning at 11 a.m. A covered dish dinner and singing will follow.

Grapevine Homecoming Sunday

Grapevine Baptist Church will hold its annual homecoming celebration at noon Sunday. Activities will include a special singing and covered dish dinner on the grounds.

Easter Gap Plans Benefit Singing

Easter Gap Church will hold a benefit singing at 7 p.m. Friday to help with hospital expenses for Maynard Arrington. The Principals will perform, and refreshments will be available.

Church Of God Homecoming Set

Memorial Church of God in Cutshalltown will hold homecoming activities and a covered dish dinner at noon Sunday. The Rev. James Lovingood will be the guest speaker.

Big Pine Schedules Revival

Lower Big Pine Baptist Church will hold a week of revival services beginning Sunday. Services begin nightly at 7:30 p.m. The Rev. Gary Rogers will be the visiting pastor.

Massey Decoration Day Set

Decoration day will be held at 11 a.m. Sunday at the grave site of Tommy Richard Massey in the Massey Family Cemetery on Lower Big Pine.

Perry Burrell

Perry Jerome Burrell, 101, of 741 Bull Creek Road, Marshall, died June 29 in a Madison County nursing center.

A native of Buncombe County, he had lived in Madison County for the past four years. He was the son of the late Perry Duncan and Mollie Cole Burrell and the husband of Emma Jean Messer Burrell, who died in 1965. He retired from Asheville Cotton Mill.

Surviving are two daughters, Eula Mae Capps of Marshall and Irma Jean Pack of Swannanoa; two sons, Aaron O. Burrell of Chester, S.C., and Jesse B. Burrell of Swannanoa; 11 grandchildren; 12 great-grandchildren; and, four great-great-grandchildren.

Services were held last Thursday in Bull Creek Baptist Church cemetery. The Rev. Leonard Cole officiated.

Rosa Brown

Rosa Alice Smith Brown, 88, of Route 2 Holcombe Branch Road, Weaverville, died July 1 in an Asheville hospital.

A native of Madison County, she had lived in Buncombe County for the past 53 years. She was a member of Pleasant Gap United Methodist Church.

Surviving are her husband, George M. Brown; a daughter, Madeline Black of Weaverville; four sons, Herbert E., Johnny B. and Paul C. Brown, all of Weaverville and William C. Brown of Chicago, Ill.; 10 grandchildren; and, seven great-grandchildren.

Services were held Friday in the chapel of Capps Funeral Home. The Revs. Sammy Martin and Worth Emory officiated. Burial was in Ashelawn Gardens of Memory.

Thomas Martin

Thomas L. Martin, 79, of 44101 Lathern St., Sterling Heights, Mich., formerly of Marshall, died June 28 at his residence.

A native of Madison County, he had lived in Michigan for the past 62 years. He was a retired clerk from Chrysler Corp. He was the son of the late Rev. Jacob and Mary Plemmons Martin and the husband of Jessie Martin, who died in 1978.

Surviving are a daughter, Nancy Spence of New York; two brothers, Jack Martin of Myrtle Beach, S.C., and Clyde Martin of Charlotte; and, four sisters, Bennie Miller of Warren, Mich., Pearl Adams of Columbia, S.C., Vesta Huitt of Myrtle Beach and Maude Metcalf of Asheville.

Services were held Friday in Oak Hill Baptist church. The Rev. Roger

Single officiated. Burial was in the church cemetery.

Spurgeon Bullman

Spurgeon Bullman, 80, of 1234 Jupiter Road, Weaverville, died July 1 in a Buncombe County health care center.

A native of Madison County, he had lived in Buncombe County for the past 42 years. He was a member of Dry Branch Free Will Baptist Church and a retired farmer. He was a son of the late Scottie and Elsie Gosnell Bullman.

Surviving are his wife, Dinah Norton Bullman; three sons, Van Bullman of Asheville, the Rev. Arlan and the Rev. Arnold Bullman of Weaverville; a brother, Willis Bullman of Weaverville; a sister, Sophie Norton of Alexander; 13 grandchildren; and, 10 great-grandchildren.

Services were held Friday in the chapel of Bowman Funeral Home. The Revs. Ralph Roberts and Radford Wilson officiated. Burial was in Spurgeon Bullman Cemetery, Weaverville.

Rex Shelton

Rex Shelton, 69, of Route 1, Flag Pond, Tenn., died last Thursday in Asheville VA Medical Center.

A native of Madison County and resident of Flag Pond for four years, he was a son of the late Coatney and Zenobia Franklin Shelton. He served in the Army during World War II.

Surviving are his wife, Sylvia Johnson Shelton; a son, Donald Shelton of Flag Pond; two brothers, Max and Tom Shelton, both of Marshall; three sisters, Effie Worley and Grace Hensley, both of Marshall, and Bethel Shelton of Prospect, Va.; and, three grandchildren.

Services were held Saturday in Culvin Creek Baptist Church. The Revs. Winfred Shelton and Linnie Metcalf officiated. Burial was in Hensley Cemetery.

James Allen

James Edward Allen, 51, of Route 2, Case Cove Road, Candler, died last Thursday in an Asheville hospital.

A native of Madison County, he had formerly lived in Haywood County and was a self-employed carpenter. He was a son of the late Weldon H. and Pansy Metcalf Allen and a former employee of Champion Papers.

Surviving are a daughter, Wanda Hawkins of Brevard; two sons, Mark and Jimmy Allen of Canton; a sister, Imogene Allison of Etowah; two brothers, Porter Allen of Candler and Eugene Allen of Tignall, Ga.; and, two grandchildren.

Memorial services were held Saturday in the Canton chapel of Wells Funeral Home. The Rev. Edward Worley officiated.

Card Of Thanks

The family of Dedrick Arrington would like to thank everyone for the many acts of kindness shown during the loss of our loved one. All the prayers, flowers and food was appreciated. A special thank you to the staff of Bowman Funeral Home.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Arrington and Family

Card Of Thanks

The family of Carolyn Goforth would like to express their deepest and most sincere appreciation during their time of grief, for all who came with food, flowers, etc., and words of inspiration and condolence. A special thanks to Bowman Funeral Home. Thank you and may God bless you.

W.H. Goforth and Family

Peace Gathering Continues

The Baptist Peace Gathering of North Carolina is in the midst of its second annual conference at Mars Hill College, through Saturday.

The conference has taken John 16:33 as its theme: "In the world you will have tribulation, but be of good cheer, for I have overcome the world."

The conference features several speakers including Joseph Roberts, pastor of Ebenezer Baptist Church in Atlanta, Ga.; Douglas John Hall, professor of Christian Theology at McGill University, Montreal, Canada; Montalepila Chabaku, native South African living in exile and serving as a Methodist minister in Asheville; C.T. Vivian, chairman of the board of the Center for Democratic Renewal, Atlanta; Yamina Apolinaris, former pastor

and president of the Baptist Churches of Puerto Rico; Paul Dekar, professor of Church History at McMaster Divinity College in Canada; and, Jane Medema, lay Bible teacher and lecturer.

Music is featured as well, with singer Ken Medema and Darrell Adams, songwriter and performer, who has had several appearances on television shows including "Prairie Home Companion."

A spokesman for the conference said there will be "daily group sessions, lots of music and singing, free time to enjoy the mountains and a special children's program for children ages 6-13."

Additional information is available through the Center for Continuing Education, Mars Hill College, Mars Hill, NC 28754, telephone 689-1166.

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Building a Family

You don't need a beach to build a family! Vacations are fun—and they provide essential rest and relaxation. But building a family happens mostly at home—and at church.

In God's design for life, a family isn't just folk living under the same roof. It is the basic unit in a reverent and responsible society.

At home the family finds its identity in shared faith, hope and love. At church we all express our oneness as God's Family.

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Sunday	Exodus 34:1-17
Monday	Deuteronomy 8:1-10
Tuesday	Deuteronomy 26:1-19
Wednesday	1 Chronicles 29:10-20
Thursday	Psalms 24:1-10
Friday	Psalms 88:1-17
Saturday	Psalms 98:1-9

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