

**First Baptist Church**  
HAZELWOOD, N. C.  
Rev. John Ivan Kizer, Pastor  
School—9:45 a.m., Tal-  
Woodard, Superintendent.  
is a welcome here for all  
ing Worship—11:00 a.m.  
"Faithful Promises" by  
tor.  
ing Union—7:00 p.m.,  
Saunders, Director.  
ch Conference—8:00 p.m.

**Announcements and Activities**  
aining Union officers and  
quarterly meeting will be  
the Green Valley Baptist  
Monday evening at 7:30.  
Officers and leaders of the  
Union are urged to at-

**Hazelwood Baptist Church**  
Rev. Avery Peek, Pastor  
Springs Road and Fair-  
view Road  
AY—  
—Sunday School.  
—Morning Worship. Ser-  
the pastor.  
—Training Union.

**Fairview Baptist Church**  
PLOTS CREEK  
Rev. Carl Cook, Pastor  
AY—  
ay School—10 a.m. Claude  
n, Superintendent.  
on by the pastor—2nd and  
day mornings and 1st and  
day nights.

**Salvation Army**  
MOUNTAIN MISSION DISTRICT  
Max Patch Road  
Drawer 629 Tel. GL 6-6718  
Major Cecil Brown, District Of-  
ficer.  
Liet. Glenna West, Assistant.  
Lela Presnell, Assistant.  
Blanche Lowe, Secretary.  
Jean Freese, Children's Worker.  
ACTIVITIES: Preaching services,  
Sunday Schools, Y. P. Legion,  
Bible Classes, Ladies' Home  
League, Home visitation in all  
Centers.  
CHURCHES: Max Patch —  
Headquarters. Shelton Laurel, Lit-  
tle Creek, Bonnie Hill, Sleepy Val-  
ley, and Timber Ridge.

**Peachtree Missionary Baptist Church**  
MAGGIE VALLEY  
The Rev. John R. Willis, Jr., Pastor  
SUNDAY—  
7:30 p.m. — The Gospel Light  
Hour over Radio Station WWIT—  
Canton—970 on your dial.  
9:45 a. m. — Sunday School.  
Claude Trantham, Supt., 1st and  
3rd Sundays.  
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School—2nd,  
4th and 5th Sundays.  
9:45 a.m.—Worship Service. Ser-  
mon by the pastor, 2nd, 4th and  
5th Sundays.  
7:30 p.m.—Prayer Services con-  
ducted by Rev. Rufe Finger.  
WEDNESDAY—  
7:30 p.m.—Prayer Service.  
FRIDAY—  
7:30 p.m.—Bible study.  
SATURDAY—  
7:30 p.m.—Prayer services in a  
home.

**St. John's Church**  
WAYNESVILLE  
The Rev. Lawrence Newman,  
Pastor.  
Schedule of Catholic Masses for  
Western North Carolina  
Waynesville—8:00 and 11:00 —  
St. John's Church.  
Canton—9:15—Immaculate Con-  
ception Chapel.  
Cherokee — 10:00 — Artist  
Craft Bldg. (Summer only).  
Bryson City—8:00—St. Joseph's  
Church.  
Murphy—8:00 — St. William's  
Church.  
Fontana—11:00 — Our Lady of  
the Lake.  
Franklin — 10:00 — St. Francis  
Church.

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# Sunday School Lesson

## Joash Repairs the Temple

REVIVAL IS INSPIRED BY THE PRIEST JEHOIADA

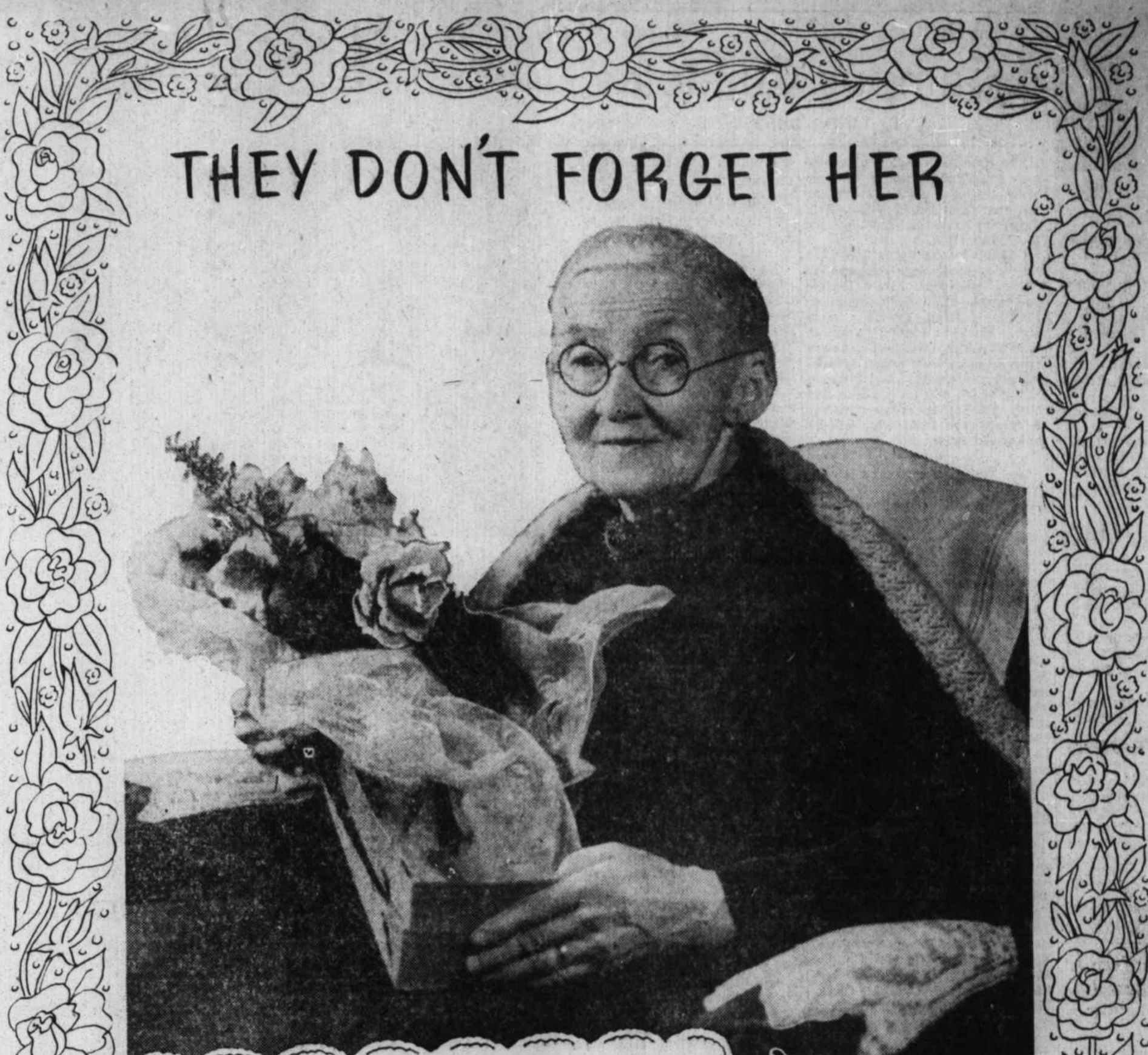
Scripture—II Chronicles 21—24.

**NEWMAN CAMPBELL**  
THERE are so many charac-  
ters in today's lesson, that we  
try to treat most of them  
and concentrate on Joash  
the events of his reign, as  
he heads the lesson. The  
covered was approximate-  
years, from the reign of  
to the death of Joash.  
Joash was the oldest son of  
Amaziah and, according to  
21 of II Chronicles, his  
father after becoming king was  
all his brothers. His wife  
was wicked woman, daughter  
of Jezebel. He died of  
incurable disease after reign-  
ing years.  
Joash's son, Ahaziah, succeeded  
him and reigned less than a  
year, having joined the king of  
Syria to fight the Syrians. He  
was wounded in battle and died  
there. He, like his father  
before, was evil. His mother,  
Athaliah, succeeded  
Joash and reigned from 842 to 837  
and we know little about  
her except that she tried  
to destroy every male member of  
the house of Judah. She al-  
so succeeded. The little baby,  
Joash, was spared only because

**MEMORY VERSE**  
Bring sacrifices and thank offerings into the house of the Lord.—II Chronicles 29:31.

Joash's mother, Athaliah, secreted the child in a chamber of the palace, and he was hidden there until he was seven years old.  
There was in Judah a priest named Jehoiada, and his wife was the same Jehoiada who rescued Joash. Thus he was the grandfather of Joash. He was able to bring about the restoration of the kingdom of Judah, and the strengthening of the country, the Lord's princes, and all came to him and planned how they would raise the descendant of David to the throne.  
Joash was divided into three parts, one placed at the doors of the temple (we imagine), one at the king's palace, and one at the gate of the palace. Jehoiada trained his followers that no one was to be allowed to enter the temple of the Lord except the priests.  
The weapons from David's time were issued, and then they put the little boy, Joash, on a throne and placed the crown upon his head, and all cried, "God has made Joash king."  
Athaliah must have been shocked and alarmed when she saw the child alive when she had eliminated all the other children of the house of David. She cried, "Treason,"

and with the money left over from the sale of gold and silver vessels fashioned to minister in the temple. Then they offered burnt offerings in the house of the Lord.  
The good priest grew old and died at the age of 130 years, and was buried in Jerusalem among the kings, because he "had done good in Israel, both toward God, and toward his house."  
Sad to relate, after the death of Jehoiada, Joash was persuaded to depart from the faith of his fathers and to serve idols. Zechariah, son of the saintly Jehoiada, came to the king asking him why he had thus transgressed the Lord's commandments? warning him that he could not prosper if he forsook the Lord. Joash, forgetting all the kindness of his uncle, father of Zechariah, commanded his court to stone the priest.  
The Syrians came up against Judah "and the Lord delivered a very great host into their hand." Joash was ill. His own servants conspired against him and killed him on his sick bed.  
Such was the tragic end of a man who, had he been true to his God, might have been a happy, successful king beloved by all his people.



# THEY DON'T FORGET HER

How dear she is to her sons and daughters and her grandchildren. On this, her birthday, they don't forget her. These flowers are just a token, but in each blossom there is love.

She it was who taught them their first words . . . and their first prayers. She it was to whom they came with their childhood hurts. She it was who stood ready to console them when everything had gone wrong. She it was who taught them how essential religion is to a happy life—how vital it is that they belong to and take part in the activities of a church. On her birthday they remember all of this anew. Men and women now, they are living their own lives and accomplishing their own successes. But the great truths she taught them about faith, hope, gratitude, love and fortitude will remain with them forever.

Grandmother has indeed made a great contribution to their lives. Little wonder each week in church they say a special prayer in her memory.

**THE CHURCH FOR ALL . . . ALL FOR THE CHURCH**

The Church is the greatest factor on earth for the building of character and good citizenship. It is a storehouse of spiritual values. Without a strong Church, neither democracy nor civilization can survive. There are four sound reasons why every person should attend services regularly and support the Church. They are: (1) For his own sake. (2) For his children's sake. (3) For the sake of his community and nation. (4) For the sake of the Church itself, which needs his moral and material support. Plan to go to church regularly and read your Bible daily.

Day	Book	Chapter	Verses
Sunday	Proverbs	31	10-31
Monday	Luke	14	1-11
Tuesday	Romans	12	1-8
Wednesday	I Corinthians	7	1-7
Thursday	Ephesians	6	1-9
Friday	I Timothy	5	1-16
Saturday	James	1	19-27

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