

Vacation Bible School to begin

Vacation Bible School will begin at Bethel Baptist Church, Monday June 12 and continue thru June 16.

Participants will meet daily from 8:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.

All children are urged to attend.

A picnic will be held for the children and workers on Friday June 16 immediately following the Bible School session. Commencement will also be held Friday beginning at 6:30 p.m. Parents and friends are invited.

For further information contact Nelda Perry, Director, at 426-7759.

Revival scheduled

Revival services will be held June 12-16 at the Emmanuel Pentecostal Church, located three miles south of Hertford on U.S. 17.

Guest speaker during the week will be the church pastor, Rev. Willie E. Vaughn of Hertford.

Services begin at 7:30 each evening.

People in the news

Mr. and Mrs. Hunter Spangler of Norfolk, Va. were guests of Mrs. Spangler's sister, Mrs. Cecil E. Winslow, on Sunday.

with relatives in Sanford. D.F. Reed has returned home from the Albemarle Hospital where he underwent surgery.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Edwards of Greenville were overnight guests of Mrs. H.A. Whitley and Mr. and Mrs. W.G. Edwards on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bradford of Norfolk, Va. and Mr. and Mrs. Delmas Price of Crisfield, Md. were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Ward and other relatives in the area on Monday.

Mrs. Ellie Vickers spent the weekend with her son, Royce Vickers, Jr., at Virginia Beach, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Fenton Britt of Hertford and Mrs. T.G. Inman of Chesapeake, Va. spent the weekend in Raleigh and Durham and attended the Stephens-Revelle Wedding in Durham.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Woodard spent last weekend at Virginia Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Lee Dail and family of Plymouth were guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Hurdle, in Belvidere and C.L. Dail, in Winfall on Sunday.

Mrs. H.C. Sullivan of Norfolk, Va. was a weekend guest of Mr. and Mrs. H.C. Sullivan.

Eugene Myers and son, Steve, of Chesapeake, Va. were guests of Mrs. L.D. Myers on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. S.M. Whedbee spent the weekend in Stovall with Mrs. Whedbee's sister, Miss Mary Taylor.

Dr. and Mrs. Jack Byrd of San Diego, Cal. were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. W.G. Edwards and Walter Edwards, Jr.

Mrs. J.E. Morris spent several days this week with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. George Clarke, in Petersburg, Va. and attended the High School graduation of her granddaughter, Miss Marian Clarke.

Mrs. Claude Brinn has returned from a visit with relatives in Johnson City, Tenn. and attended the wedding of her nephew.

Mrs. Virginia Anderson returned to her home in Santa Monica, Cal. on Saturday, after a visit with Miss Virginia Tucker and Miss Elizabeth Tucker.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Bass and family of Virginia Beach, Va. were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy White on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Terry Surtain and son of Raleigh were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Esley Cherrix.

Mrs. T.G. Inman of Chesapeake, Va. was a weekend guest of Mr. and Mrs. Fenton Britt.

Mrs. Cecil C. Winslow visited Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hoskins in Everts on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Elliott of Ahsokie were guests of relatives in Hertford on Sunday.

Wayne Tarkenton of Raleigh spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. W.F. Tarkenton.

Miss Virginia Tucker and Miss Elizabeth Tucker have returned home after spending several days last week at Nags Head with Mrs. Lloyd Horton.

Mr. and Mrs. Tim Gregory of Chesapeake, Va. were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Noah Gregory on Monday.

Mrs. Esther Cutler of Arlington, Va. has returned home after spending the weekend with her mother, Mrs. W.F. Edwards.

Mrs. Reba Owens spent the weekend in Elizabeth City with her mother, Mrs. Kenyon Bailey.

Mrs. W.F. Edwards and Mrs. Esther Cutler attended the Edwards-Warren Reunion on Sunday in Chocowinity, N.C.

Mrs. Shirley Edenfield is a patient in the Albemarle Hospital.

Mrs. F.T. Johnson has returned home after a visit

COOKOUT HELD

A cook-out was held Saturday after the Harris-Rogerson Wedding at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Beers.

Bethesda, Md., Mr. and Mrs. L. Clinton Winslow, Beth and Lyn of Belvidere, Mr. and Mrs. John Gillikin of Elizabeth City, Mrs. LaClaire Rogerson and Richard, Mr. and Mrs. Talmage Rose, Jr., Noel Rose, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Hurdle, Miss Mary Lindsey Beers and Mr. and Mrs. Beers, all of Hertford.

Those attending were: Mr. and Mrs. Dean Jordan, Jeff and Scott of Camden, S.C., Mr. and Mrs. George White of Greensboro, Mrs. Bob Hartley and Albert of

NOTICE

The proposed budget for fiscal year 1978-79 was filed with and tentatively accepted by the Town Council on June 5, 1978. A public hearing on the proposed budget will be held on June 19, 1978 at 7:00 P.M. at the Town of Hertford Municipal Building. A copy of the budget is available for public inspection at the town office.

A summary of the budget is as follows:

GENERAL FUND	\$ 420,655
ELECTRIC FUND	705,000
WATER & SEWER FUND	92,910
POWELL BILL FUND	20,000
GENERAL REVENUE SHARING	83,211
TOTAL	\$1,321,776

W.D. COX — MAYOR

CARD OF THANKS

I would like to take this opportunity to thank everyone for all the lovely cards, flowers, visits and other acts of kindness shown me and my family during this long illness and death of my brother. May God bless each of you.

Hurley C. Hofler

For Your Information

Dear friends,

When a woman is in travail she has sorrow, because her hour has come; but when she is delivered of the child, she no longer remembers the anguish, for joy that a child is born into the world.

So you have sorrow now, but I will see you again and your hearts will rejoice and no one will take your joy from you.

John 16: 20-22

Respectfully,

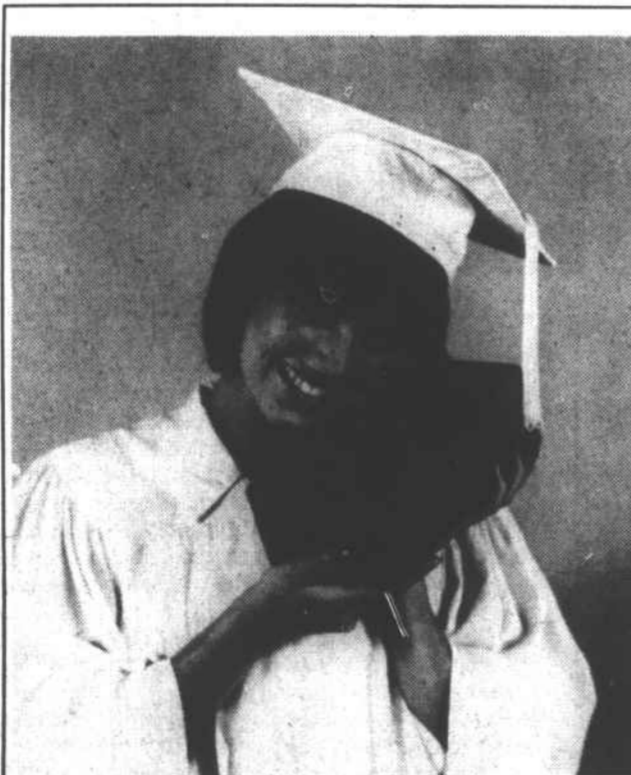


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Sunday school lesson

RESOLVING CONFLICT

When the gospel of Christ was first preached in Antioch, the people were assured that if they would repent toward God and believe on Christ they would be saved. Many did so, received salvation from Christ, and went on their way rejoicing.

The Controversy — Acts 15:1-2

When the gospel has been preached men have either proposed a substitute for it or they have sought to change it. To Antioch, where Paul and Barnabas had preached salvation by grace through faith in Christ, certain teachers had come from Judea and started a controversy. They bluntly denied the sufficiency of faith in Christ for salvation. Very emphatically they declared that male Gentile believers in Christ could not be saved unless they observed the Mosaic law by submitting to circumcision. In their contention that grace must be supplemented by works, they earnestly and boldly taught error as if it were truth. Their agitation caused confusion and a great controversy over the question, can Christ save or does salvation come through Christ plus something else? And this controversy has never ended.

Paul and Barnabas refuted the false teachings of these unnamed teachers. The thing that aroused the apostles was not the mere observance of the rite of circumcision itself, but their attempt to make it a condition of salvation. But these teachers could not be persuaded to give up the pernicious and erroneous teaching they were propagating. It was decided that the wise thing to do was to go to Jerusalem and consult with the apostles and elders about this important matter. They wanted this question settled once and for all, for the sake of the Christian movement. The church at Antioch selected Paul, Barnabas and Titus (Galatians 2:1), and perhaps others, for this mission.

The Conference

When the conference was convened formally in Jerusalem, the problem at Antioch was presented to the apostles, elders, and leaders with the hope of obtaining a ruling on the question of whether salvation was all of grace, or partly of grace and partly of works. After many had expressed their opinions, Peter delivered an extended discourse consisting of a statement of facts and an appeal. He made it clear that neither Jews nor Gentiles are saved by grace through faith plus works. Peter dealt the critics a severe blow with his masterful statement. It also brought silence within the crowd. The verdict of the council was that it was not necessary to keep the Mosaic law in order to be saved. Since both Jews and Gentiles are saved by grace through faith and not by works, there was no justification for the Jews attempting to require the Gentiles to be circumcised as a condition of salvation.

The Conclusion — Acts 15:22-31

James, the half-brother of our Lord and the president of the council, summarized what had been said, and concluded his address with a statement that the Jews and Gentiles are saved on exactly the same terms, by grace through faith in Christ. James suggested that a letter should be written setting forth instructions for the proper guidance of both the Jewish and the Gentile elements in the church, and that it be carried to the brethren in Antioch.

The Council wisely arranged to send their own representatives to Antioch bearing the written instructions, in order that there might not be any question as to the convictions and decisions of the apostles and elders. The communication, which was drafted under the immediate direction of James, was taken by Judas (surnamed Barsabas) and Silas, who were leaders in the church, stating the conclusion at which the Council had arrived. When the members of the church at Antioch received the epistle which the brethren in Jerusalem sent to them, and they heard the reaffirmation of the truth that justification is by grace through faith plus nothing, they rejoiced greatly because of the consolation which that message brought to them. Naturally, they were

interested in publishing the correct conclusion for the consolation of all others who might be concerned. They were anxious to share the good news with others who needed it as had been the case with them.

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Women's convention meets in Hertford

The 43rd Annual Women's Convention of the Apostolic Faith Churches of God and Christ met May 20-21 at the Bethelmen Apostolic Faith Church of God and Christ in Hertford.

welcome was given by Sister Sarah Brown from the Center Hill, Va. Mount Olive Apostolic Faith Church of God and Christ. The day's message was delivered by Field Worker Missionary Malissa Spain. During the evening session, those attending heard sermons by the missionaries from each church.

Presiding was General Mother Elizabeth Little of Friendship Falkland, N.C. Assisting her were: Assistant General Mother Ethel Harrell of the Hertford congregation; Northern General Mother Ray Alston of Little Bethlehem Apostolic Faith Church of God and Christ, Brooklyn, N.Y.; and Field Worker Missionary Malissa Spain of Browns Chapel Apostolic Faith Church of God and Christ, Greenville, N.C.

The highlight of the Sunday session came when Bishop R.A. Griswold ordained Elder James Leroy Snuggs of Falkland, N.C. and Missionary Eldress Christine Farmer of Greenville, N.C.

During the Saturday session, Sister Shirley Moore of Hertford gave the welcome. Response to the

Following the ceremony, Ethel Harrell from Bethlehem's in Hertford brought the annual message. Northern General Mother Ray Alston responded and the convention came to a close.

Men's Day planned

A special Men's Day Service will be held June 11 at Riddick Grove Baptist Church in Belvidere.

Gospel Chorus, Moses Temple Male Chorus, and Riddick's Grove Celestial Chorus.

Guest speaker for the program, beginning at 11:30 a.m., will be Gwayland McCleney, son of the late Nellie Burke.


He is employed by Winslow-Blanchard Motor Company.

McClaney is a 1972 graduate of Perquimans County High School and is married to the former Vanessa Skinner. They have one child, a daughter, Lakeisha Sharese.

Rev. W.A. Moore, pastor of Riddick Grove Baptist Church, invites the public to attend this special service.

He is a member of Bagley's Chapel Baptist Church and serves as organist for the church's Youth Choir, Harvey Point

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