

# Church notes

Daniel E. LeRoy, pastor of the Bagley Swamp Wesleyan Church, is serving as the Prayer Center Coordinator for the International Wesleyan Youth Convention, December 28-31, on the University of Illinois campus in Urbana.

As a member of the 32-member steering committee for the convention, Pastor LeRoy will be responsible for the Prayer Center and Communion Chapel during the convention.

The convention, held every four years, is expected to attract over 6,500 youth and adults from throughout North America and several foreign countries. Sixteen youth and adults from the Bagley Swamp Wesleyan Church will be attending.

During the four-day convention, the youth will attend rallies, seminars and concerts featuring nationally-known Christian speakers and entertainers.

Parents, pastors and youth leaders will also be attending six other conventions on the campus.

The International Wesleyan Youth Convention is a ministry of the Wesleyan Church which has its world headquarters in Marion, Indiana.

Chappell Hill Baptist Church will

have their annual Watch-Night service on December 31. The service will begin at 9 p.m., and will consist of an old fashion song service with special music being provided by Calvary Pentecostal Church, Happy Home Pentecostal Church, Hunter's Fork Pentecostal church, Piney Woods Friends Meeting, Chappell Hill Baptist Church and the Baptist Four Quartet, followed by a time of fellowship among Christians in the fellowship hall.

The final feature for the night will be a full length film of the full life story of Chris Elkins. Elkins is a young man, who was a typical "All-American Boy" in college. He was on the Dean's List and President of his fraternity.

Although raised in a Christian family and regularly attending church, he never grew in his faith...Then, one day he met a man in college...someone who seemingly had all the answers concerning God and Chris was directed to the Church of Unification...Chris became a "Moonie".

But soon he sensed a deception among these people who claimed they were the true church and he sought help and escaped from this devilish cult...This is a true story and

one that every young person should see as well as any other person who is weak in their faith to God.

The public is invited to attend. Chappell Hill Baptist Church is located on State road 1002 between Belvidere and Center Hill.

The children and Youth Chorus of Providence Baptist Church will present a musical pageant entitled "The Stranger In The Straw" at Chappell Hill Baptist Church, Sunday night at 7:30 p.m. This is a unique version of the birth of Jesus Christ as seen through the eyes of the animals in the stable that night long ago.

This pageant was presented earlier at Providence Baptist Church in Shawboro and was such a success that this group has agreed to present it once again during this Christmas season.

The pageant is under the direction of Mrs. Elaine Roberts and Mr. Bill Dawson.

Rev. Billy Old, Pastor of Chappell Hill Baptist Church, Route 1, Tyner, invites the public to come and share in receiving the message of this outstanding presentation. Chappell Hill Baptist Church is located on State Road 1002 between Belvidere and Center Hill (Tyner).



Mrs. Winslow

## Riddick of Belvidere is engaged to Craven

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Craven of Burlington, announce the upcoming marriage of their daughter, Earline, to Marvin Glenn Riddick, son of Mr. Archie Riddick of Belvidere.

The wedding will take place on Sunday, January 17 at 3 p.m. at Up

## Harris-Winslow wed

Miss Lillian Dianne Harris and Thomas Brenton Winslow were married December 5, 1982 at 3 p.m. in Bethel Baptist Church by the Rev. Stanley E. Nixon.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas E. Harris of Route 1, Hertford.

The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold B. Winslow, Jr. of Route 2, Hertford.

Wedding music was provided by Karen Sundstrom, pianist, Teresa Ward, cousin of the groom, and Paul Copeland, both were soloists.

The bride was given in marriage by her father, Mr. Thomas E. Harris.

she wore an ivory gown of dacron organza with Victorian styling featuring leg-o-mutton sleeves, a Queen Anne neckline, beaded bodice and an attached chapel train. Her Chapel length headpiece was arranged from a Camelot cap.

Miss Peggy Harris, sister of the bride, was maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Miss Thomassa Winslow, sister of the groom of Hertford and Mrs. Joan Rudd of Edenton.

Mr. Winslow served as his son's best man. Ushers were Mr. Bruce Winslow, uncle of the groom, Mr. Tommy Harris, brother of the bride, both of Hertford, Mrs. Jim Harris, brother of the bride, of Windsor, Va., and Mr. Jeffrey Chappell of Belvidere.

Miss Jennifer Phillips, of Hertford, was the flower girl and Denny Perry, cousin of the bride, of Hampton, Va., was the ring bearer.

A reception was held in the Fellowship Hall of the church.

After a wedding trip to Virginia, the couple will make their home in Hertford.

## Pasquotank plans for variety show in January

Plans are underway for a variety show sponsored by the Pasquotank Arts Council.

The show will feature area dan-

cers, singers, actors, and a blue grass group.

Soloists who will appear in the program include Marjalene Thomas,

Nancy Ferebee, Frances Gaither, Bill Thorn, Roy Askew, Holly Wright, Clif Harris, Judy Venters, Alice Sue Rousseau, Donna Seymour, and Terry Owens.

Among the drama groups will be Northeastern High School Drama Club, Currituck High School Drama Club, and the Albemarle Players.

The instrumental part of the performance will feature Blackwell Memorial Baptist Handbell Choir

The production is slated for January 21st at 8 p.m. in the Shep Auditorium. Proceeds from the event will go toward the building fund of the school.

## Morris-Siles to be wed

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas N. Morris, Sr. of Edenton announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Loretta Morris, to Joel A. Siles, son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Lyons Jr. of Elizabethtown.

ternoon at Warren Grove Baptist Church in Edenton.

Friends and relatives of the couple are invited to attend.

The bride elect is a 1976 graduate of Chowan High School and is presently employed with the Bank of North Carolina in Hertford.

The prospective bridegroom is a 1979 graduate of Shaw University in Raleigh and is presently employed with the N.C. State Highway Patrol.

The wedding is planned for January 22 at 1 o'clock in the af-



Siles & Morris

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Respectfully,

*Marian Swindell*

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## Cards of Thanks

We would like to thank our friends, relatives and neighbors for all the kindness during the death of our loved one, David M. Smith. Thank you for all the calls, cards, flowers, food, visits but most of all for your prayers and support during this sad time. The memory of your kindness will always remain with us. May God bless each one of you for your generosity.

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