

# Church

# Notices

**SECOND BAPTIST CHURCH MISSION**  
Corner of Dilling St. and Railroad Ave.  
E. C. WILSON, Supt.  
Sunday: 9:45 Sunday School, 11:00 Morning Service, 6:15 B. T. U., 7:30 Prayer Meeting  
Wednesday: 7:30 Prayer Meeting

**DAVID BAPTIST CHURCH**  
W. L. McSWAIN, Pastor  
Worship every first and third Sunday morning at 11:00 and every second and fourth Sunday evening at 7:30.  
Sunday School every Sunday morning at 9:30.  
Dale Vollbracht, Supt.  
B. T. U. every Sunday evening at 6:30.  
Mrs. Ava Grice, G. D.  
Church Family Night Wednesday evenings after each first and third Sunday.  
Choir practice each Wednesday night at 7:00.  
The Lord's Supper on each 5th Sunday.  
As Moses said to Hobab, "Come thou with us, and we will do thee good."  
SUNDAY SCHOOL  
SUNDAY MORNING 9:30  
YANNEY H. CARTER, MINISTER  
Sunday School 9:45  
Morning Worship 11:00  
W. T. P. 6:30  
Y. M. W. 6:30  
Evangelistic service 7:00.  
Prayer meeting Wednesday evening 7:00.

**CENTRAL METHODIST CHURCH**  
REV. F. L. SHORE, JR., Minister  
Sunday: 10:00 Sunday School, 11:00 Morning Worship, 6:30 Intermediate Youth Fellowship, 6:30 Senior Youth Fellowship, 7:30 Evening Worship.  
Wednesday: 7:30 Prayer Service, 8:00 Choir Rehearsal.

**KINGS MOUNTAIN TABERNACLE**  
J. WOOD FROM CORA MILL  
REV. JAMES W. SELBY, Pastor  
Sunday School — 10 a. m.  
Morning Service — 11 a. m.  
Night Service — 7:15 p. m.  
Thursday night prayer service — 7:15 p. m.  
Saturday Night Prayer Meeting — 7:15 p. m.

**GRACE METHODIST**  
C. L. GRANT, Pastor  
Morning Service: 11:00 a. m.  
Sunday School: 9:45 a. m.  
Evening Service: 7:30 p. m.  
Worship: 7:30 p. m.  
Prayer Service: 7:30 p. m.  
Thursday evening: 7:30 p. m.  
Choir Practice: 7:30 p. m.  
Friday evening: 7:30 p. m.  
Cottage Prayer Service: You are invited and we will be delighted.

**BOYCE MEMORIAL A. R. P. CHURCH**  
WILLIAM L. PRESSLY, Minister  
Church School 10:00 a. m.  
John A. Chesire, Supt.  
Morning Service 11 a. m.  
The subject for the Morning Hour is "The Wonder of Forgiveness."  
Meetings in the afternoon:  
Junior Societies at 2:30  
Intermediate Societies at 3:00  
Elders Meetings at 3:30  
Deacons Meeting  
Woman's Missionary Society 3:30  
Young People at 6:00  
Cub Scouts Monday at 3:00  
Brownie Scouts Friday at 3:00.

**FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**  
REV. F. D. PATRICK, Pastor  
SUNDAY: 9:45 a. m. Morning Worship 11:00 a. m. Sermon Topic: "JESUS STOOD STILL" Pioneer Fellowship 5:00 p. m. Evening Worship 7:30 p. m. Sermon Topic: "PSALM OF PSALMS".  
MONDAY: Cub Scouts 3:15 p. m. Circle V, Mrs. Sam Suber 3:00 p. m. Boy Scouts 7:30 p. m. Circle VI, Mrs. Austin Lacey 7:30 p. m. Circle III, Mrs. P. D. Patrick, 8:00 p. m. Circle IV, Mrs. C. D. Stanton, 8:00 p. m.  
TUESDAY: Junior Choir Practice 3:30 p. m. Women's Bible Class Supper for Men and Women of the Church, 7:00 p. m. Senior Choir Practice 7:00 p. m.  
WEDNESDAY: Senior Choir Practice 7:00 p. m. Brownie Scouts 3:15 p. m. Girl Scouts 3:30 p. m.  
WESTOVER BAPTIST CHURCH  
REV. M. S. HADDIN, Pastor  
9:45 Sunday School, 11:00 Morning Worship 2nd and 4th Sundays, 7:00 Evening Worship 1st and 3rd Sundays.  
EASTSIDE BAPTIST CHURCH  
REV. E. L. CHANEY, Pastor  
Sunday: 9:45 Sunday School, 11:00 Morning Worship, 7:30 Evening Worship  
Wednesday: 7:30 Prayer Service.

**LOVE VALLEY BAPTIST CHURCH**  
REV. EARL H. HEDDING, Pastor  
Sunday School — 9:45 a. m.  
Morning Worship — 10:45 a. m.  
Sunday night service — 7:00 p. m.  
Wednesday prayer service — 7:00 p. m.

**TRUE GOSPEL TABERNACLE**  
REV. G. C. McCURRY, Pastor  
Sunday School 10:00 a. m.  
Worship Service 11 a. m.  
Evening Service 7:15 p. m.  
Prayer Service Wednesday at 7:15 p. m. Every 3rd Saturday night.

**BETHLEHEM BAPTIST**  
REV. E. B. BOWEN, Pastor  
Morning Service 11:00 a. m.  
Sunday School each Sunday at 10 a. m.  
Bible Training School 7:00 p. m.  
Evening Service 8:00 p. m.  
Wednesday Night Prayer Service 8:00 p. m.

**PARK GRACE CHURCH OF THE ELIZABETH**  
REV. RAY CHILDERS, Pastor  
Sunday School 10:00.  
Supper and Grand Gregory Morning Worship 11:00.  
Young People's service 6:30.  
Herbert J. Hester, President  
Evangelistic Service 7:30.  
Midweek prayer service Wednesday evening at 7:30.  
Radio program: "Showers of Blessings" each Sunday morning at 9 a. m. over WGNC, Gastonia.

**MIDVIEW BAPTIST CHURCH**  
REV. JAMES (BUD) WILLIAMS, Pastor  
Sunday School 9:45  
Morning Worship 11:00  
Evangelist Service 7:00  
Saturday evening Service 7:30

**FIRST CHURCH OF THE WAREHIRE**  
REV. A. D. HOLE, Pastor  
Sunday School: 9:45 a. m.  
Morning Worship: 11:00 a. m.  
Young People's Society at 6:00 p. m.  
Gordon Whitesides, President.  
Evangelistic Service at 7:00 p. m.

**MOUNTAIN VIEW BAPTIST**  
REV. FLOYD HOLLER, Pastor  
Billy Carpenter, Supt.  
Crowders Mountain Community  
Sunday: 10:00 Sunday School, 11:00 Morning Service, 7:30 Evening Service.

**MISSIONARY METHODIST**  
Second Street, Cora Mill Services  
REV. CLYDE MAJORS, Pastor  
Kings Mountain, N. C.  
Sunday: Sunday School: 9:45 a. m.  
Jasper J. Stak, Supt.  
Arthur Carrigan, Asst. Supt.  
Morning Worship: 11:00 a. m.  
Thursday: Young People's Society: 6:30 p. m.

**CARSON MEMORIAL CHURCH**  
Crowders Mountain Community  
REV. W. WAYNE KIRK, Pastor  
Saturday: 8:00 p. m. "Hour of Power" Meeting.  
Sunday: 10:00 a. m. Sunday School, 11:00 a. m. Morning Worship Service, 6:00 p. m. Young People's meeting, 7:30 p. m. Evangelistic Service.

**OAK GROVE BAPTIST**  
REV. C. C. CROWE, Pastor  
Sunday: 10 a. m. Sunday School, 11 a. m. Morning service (first and third Sundays), 6:30 p. m. E. U., 7:30 p. m. Evening service (second and fourth Sundays).

**DIXON PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**  
REV. F. D. PATRICK, Pastor  
Sunday: 3:00 p. m. — Sunday School, Mr. J. G. Darracott, Supt., 8:45 p. m. — Evening worship.  
Tuesday: 7:15 p. m. — Presbyterian Youth Fellowship.

**Central Methodist CHURCH NEWS**  
By Mrs. Baxter Payseur

A spaghetti supper is being given tonight (Thursday) by the Sr. M. Y. F. in the church basement to raise funds for their Orphan Fund, at 7:30 o'clock. Tickets are \$1 for adults, 50c for children. Everyone is invited.

Sermon topics for the next three Sundays are:  
"Making Christmas Honest" — Dec. 6.  
"The Four Dimensions of Love" — Dec. 13.  
"Jesus of Nazareth" — Dec. 20.  
At the evening service on Dec. 13, the MYF will present a Christmas drama, under the direction of I. Ben Goforth, Jr.

The cast of the drama, "They Made a Path", presented last Sunday evening includes: Rev. Phil Shore, Jr., Wilbur Smith, Bob Nell, Paul Walker, Hoyle McDaniel, George Blalock, Hillard Black, Jay Patterson, Oren Fulton, Delbert Dixon, B. S. Peeler, Jr., J. C. McKinney, Baxter Payseur, E. E. Marlowe, Earl Marlowe, Miss Kittie Lou Sutton, and Miss Mozelle Masters.

A filmstrip, "Adventures in Service", was shown at the evening meeting of the Sr. MYF Sunday.

A study course, "Alcohol and the Christian Responsibility" was presented Wednesday evening at the church, beginning at 4 o'clock. The parsonage family recently received a surprise pounding. The children of the church will present a Christmas program Dec. 16.

On Dec. 20 at 4 p. m. the Choir will present a cantata, "The Story of Christmas", by Matthews.

**CORINTH PRIMITIVE CHURCH**  
REV. E. E. SIMPSON, Pastor  
Preaching Services:  
First Sunday 2 p. m.  
Third Sundays 11 a. m.  
Prayer meeting 7:30 p. m.

**SECOND BAPTIST CHURCH**  
REV. E. F. AUSTIN, Pastor  
Sunday: 9:45 Sunday School, 11:00 Morning Service, 6:15 B. T. U., 7:30 Prayer Meeting  
Wednesday: 7:30 Prayer meeting.

**FIRST WESLEYAN METHODIST**  
REV. A. J. ARGO, Pastor  
Sunday: 9:45 a. m. Sunday School, 11:00 a. m. Morning Worship Service, 6:15 p. m. B. T. U., 7:15 p. m. Evangelistic Service.  
Monday: 7:15 p. m. Boy Scouts, Troop 2.

**MACEDONIA BAPTIST**  
REV. ROBERT L. HADDIN, Pastor  
Sunday: 9:45 Sunday School, 11:00 Morning Service, 6:00 p. m. B. T. U., 7:30 p. m. Preaching service  
Wednesday: 7:00 Midweek prayer service.

**TEMPLE BAPTIST**  
DAVID N. MORRIS, Pastor  
Corner of Canler & Fulton  
Sunday School 9:45 a. m.  
B. T. U. 6:00 p. m.  
Midweek Prayers, Director, Evening Worship, 7:00 p. m.  
Midweek Prayer Service Wed. 6:45 p. m.

**CHURCH OF GOD**  
Corner of Perkes and Gaston  
REV. DOC BLANKS, Pastor  
Sunday School 10 a. m.  
Night Service 7:00 p. m.  
Saturday night 7:15 p. m.  
Everyone invited to attend.

**Packages Mailed By Dec. 5, Cards By Dec. 15 To Beat Old Saint Nick**

Christmas got its official welcome today, as Postmaster W. E. Blakely predicted the volume of holiday mail may exceed the all-time high of 182,935 cancellations recorded here in 1952.

Local residents and business firms alike were reminded by the postmaster, "Correct and careful mailing is just as important as early mailing. Perhaps more so. Any unnecessary delay may prevent delivery of your Christmas cards and gifts by December 25."

Postmaster Blakely lists haste and carelessness as chief troublemakers for postal employees, and quickly adds:

"There's no good reason for either. People still have a week or ten days for leisurely shopping. During that time give your Christmas card list a thorough going over. Be sure you have everyone's full name, street and number, city, zone and state."

"Estimate the number of stamps you'll need. Stock up on a supply of heavy wrapping paper, strong cord and parcel post labels. Then you'll be safely over the first hurdle in the race against time."

The important thing, of course, is to get started now. If all gift packages are mailed by December 5, and all Christmas cards by December 15, they'll arrive shortly before Santa.

Business firms can do their part by withholding all circular and catalogue mail during the critical period: December 15-25. It will also help avoid Post Office congestion if their regular correspondence is posted before 4:00 p. m. each day.

**KEETER'S PRE-CHRISTMAS Ready-to-Wear CLEARANCE Winter Coats**

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2 \$16.95 Suits, now	\$10.88

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**Penniless DP Makes Fortune**

CHICAGO, Ill. — Leon Jolson, president of the "Necchi" Sewing Machine Sales Corp., who arrived in this country a penniless displaced person (DP) only six years ago to build a \$25 million dollar business, was honored in Chicago by the Chicago Sales Executive Club which named him "The Outstanding New American Sales Executive of the Year".

Jolson, president of the company, which was started in 1947 with a loan of \$2,000 from the United Service for New Americans, made this statement in accepting the award, first of its kind presented: "I sometimes wonder if a native American can understand this country as well as a new American does. There is one sad fact about being a native American — he takes too much for granted. He is so accustomed to freedom that it no longer seems the wonderful thing it really is. But we who have known another kind of life — we look upon this nation with constant wonder and gratitude. We can never take this spirit of liberty for granted."

In the North Carolina mountains, debris burners, smokers, incendiaries, hunters and campers cause 83 per cent of the forest fires.

**FOLKS WED. NITE at 7:00 DEC. 9th WRAY'S WILL GIVE AWAY THE "Massey-Harris" FARMING TRACTOR FREE Without Cost**

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