

I Was Glad When They Said Unto Me, "Let Us Go Into The House Of The Lord!"

CHURCH OF THE WEEK

Anvil Knitwear
Management and Employees

Floating Affections
Teresa Champion
739-5514

McGill Exxon Servicenter
100 E. King Street

Jones Intercable
Management and Employees

Kings Mountain Florist
739-7331

Peggy's Restaurant
Management and Employees

Childers Heating and Cooling, Inc.
Bill Childers and Employees

Depot Stop and Go, Inc.
Ken Roberts and Employees

Bridges TV Service
Joe Bridges and Employees

Amity Finance of
Kings Mountain, Inc.
739-1311

Dr. James R. Mason
Optometrist

Mac's Grocery
739-3391

Love's Fish Box
1104 Shelby Road

Winn Dixie Stores
And Employees

Parkdale Mills, Inc.
Management and Employees

J and S Pantry
Main Street, Grover, N.C.

Dellinger's Jewel Shop
Better Diamonds at a Better Price

Bridges Textiles
Management and Employees

Sadie Mills, Inc.
Management and Employees

Champion Contracting Company
And Employees

Community Grocery
Jim, Glenn and Chrystine Carroll

Harris Teeter Supermarket
And Employees

Video Junction
And Employees

Phifer Hardware
Management and Employees

New Image Hair Styling Salon
Yee Kam Heumayer
739-8242

Keeter Furniture
Tommy Keeter and Employees

Ben T. Goforth Plumbing
Management and Employees

Dilling Heating
And Employees

Kerns Trucking, Inc.
"You Call - We Haul"
739-8126

Falls Superette
Mrs. Craig Falls

Kings Mountain Hospital
739-3601

Shelby Mazda
Highway 74 West

Barrett's Floor Covering and Paint
739-2770 - 739-4581

Tultex Yarns
And Employees

Rick's Ole Country Store
Cherryville Highway

Warlick and Hamrick
Associates
Insurance - Real Estate

Plonk Tire
Ray and David Plonk

Neisler Brothers, Inc.

Sun Belt Textiles, Inc.
And Employees

First Union National Bank
of North Carolina
P.O. Box 352

BB&T

Allens Flower Shop, Inc.
Management and Staff

Harris Funeral Home, Inc.
Ollie Harris and Staff

Grover Industries
Where Friendly People Work

Setzer's Discount Auto Parts
1301 Grover Road
734-0121

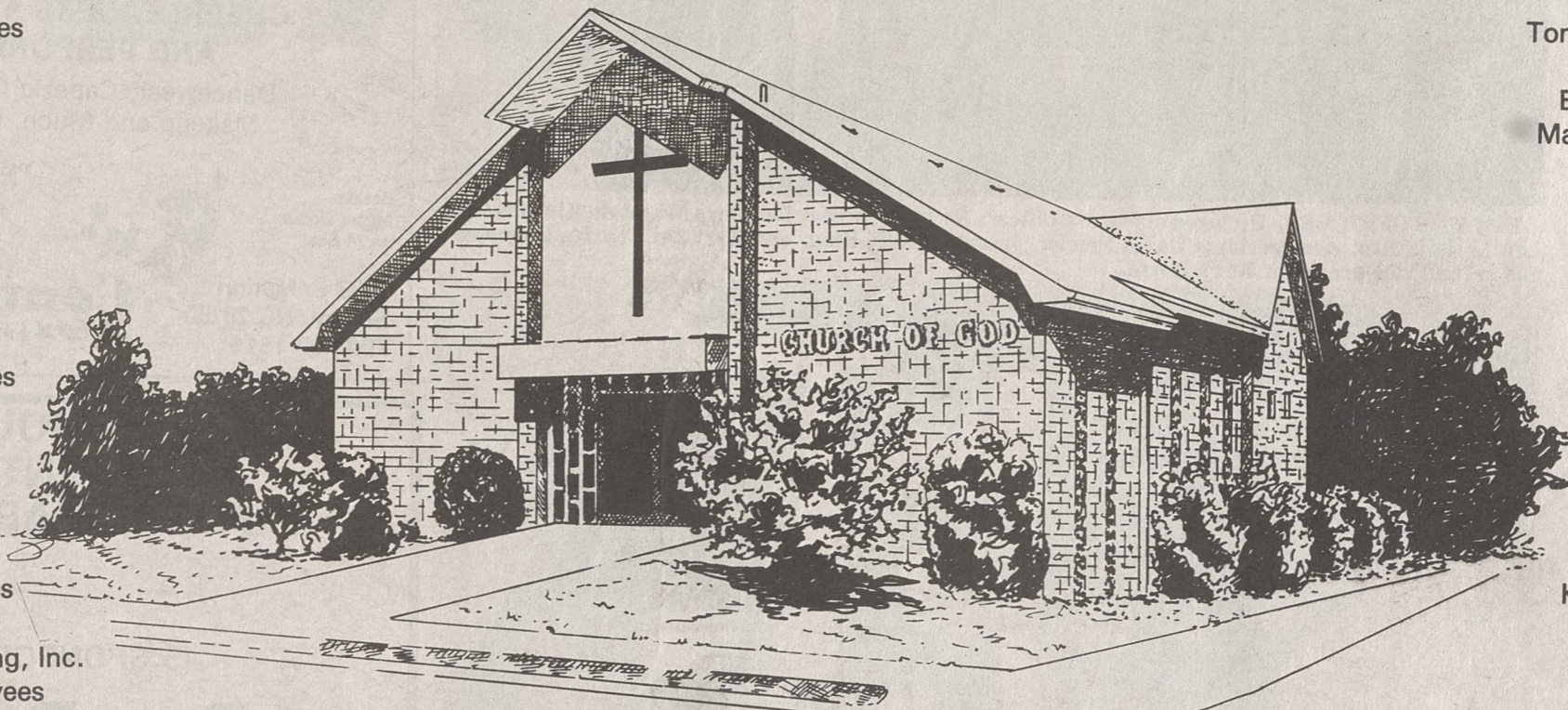
Kings Mountain Truck Plaza
And Employees

Cloninger and Neisler
Attorneys at Law

The Printin' Press, Inc.
Management and Employees

Martin Marietta
Management and Employees

Butler Air Conditioning
and Heating
David Butler and Employees



Church of God

111 East Parker Street
Kings Mountain, North Carolina

Past Present And Future Highlights Of The Kings Mountain Church Of God

The Kings Mountain Church of God, at its present location at 111 East Parker Street was constructed under the leadership of its pastor Rev. Frank Tedder during 1945-1946. Prior to the construction of the church the property had been purchased by Rev. S.T. Lukes, from Mr. Hinkle McGinnis. The first congregation worshipped in an older house and under a tent before the church was completed.

Rev. Frank Petrucilli came as pastor in 1948. Under his leadership the church began to expand and a parsonage was built on the additional property. The church continued to progress under his leadership.

The church had a major expansion during the pastorate of Rev. S.W. Avery in the early 1970's. Rev. Avery was pastor for approximately eight years, and during this time he led the congregation to completely remodel the exterior of the church, and added additional Sunday School space. Also a modern educational-fellowship building and parsonage was built.

The church experienced steady growth and three young men accepted the call into the ministry during the years Rev. Avery was pastor. Two of these men are in pastoral work at the present. One is Rev. John Heath pastor of East Kings Mountain Church of God.

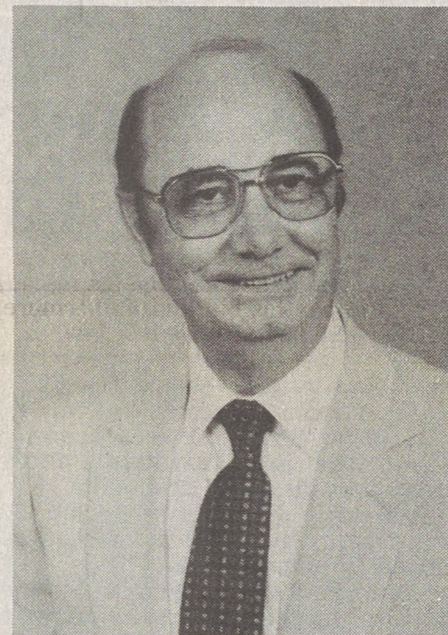
Another period of expansion was during the late 1970's and early 1980's under the leadership of Rev. Jerry Smith. The interior of the church was completely renovated adding new carpet, padded pews, lowered ceiling, new lighting and a new sound system that enables the church to record all church services on cassette tape, therefore allowing the services to be taken to our sick and "shut-in", or anyone wanting these for future enjoyment or inspiration. After the renovations were completed a special "note-burning" service was conducted denoting that all church property was completely debt-free.

Rev. Jerry Smith resigned during the spring of 1981 to accept the position of Superintendent of the Church of God Home For Children in Kannapolis, North Carolina, a position he still holds at the present.

Rev. James Allen, the present pastor came in November 1986, the church has experienced growth in membership during the time Rev. Allen has been here. More importantly, the church has experienced growth in the knowledge and understanding of the Bible, under the teaching ministry of Rev. Allen, he is a very gifted and talented minister as he is directed by the Holy Spirit. Rev. Allen has been very interested in the spiritual growth of the church. At the present time under his direction the church has two young men, Greg Smith and Naldo Lugo, ministerial students at East Coast Bible College in Charlotte, North Carolina.

Before coming to Kings Mountain, Rev. Allen served as pastor in North and South Carolina. He served as Superintendent of the Virgin and Leeward Islands in the West Indies. Also he pastored Faith Temple Church of God in Nassau Bahamas for four years.

In 1982 the church purchased thirteen acres of property on Highway West 74 across from the new suburban Country Creek residential development. Rev. Allen conducted a special "note-burning" service on October 18, 1987 liquidating the indebtedness of this property. Shortly afterwards Rev. Allen engaged the church in a building fund and is very enthusiastic about the future plans for the church at the new location.



Rev. James Allen

Present Church Ministries and Schedule of Services

Rev. James Allen Pastor
Greg Smith Minister of Youth and Christian Education
Rev. Frank Petrucelli Director of Senior Ministries
Steve and Angela Holladay Directors of Music
Jack Dover Sunday School Coordinator
Shirley Mayes Children's Church Co-ordinator

Sunday School 9:45 A.M.
Worship Service 11:00 A.M.
Children's Church 11:00 A.M.
Sunday Night Service 6:00 P.M.
Wednesday Family Training Hour 7:00 P.M.
(Nursery Provided)



**Our Houses Of Worship Are God's Institutions For Reforming
Human Lives. Area Pastors And These Sponsoring Firms Invite
You To Attend One Of Your Choice Regularly.**