

Faculty-Staff Conference On Sept. 8-9 Opens St. Aug. Yr.

St. Augustine's College will open its 1966-67 academic year with a faculty-staff Orientation and Planning Conference on September 8-9. Having as its theme, "Trends in Liberal Arts Education," the conference will feature four outstanding educators.

Thursday, September 8, Dr.

Marvin Josephson, Director of the American Church Institute and Dr. Paul I. Clifford, Registrar and Professor of Educational Psychology at Atlanta University will speak. Friday morning, Dr. Gordon McAndrew, Director of the N. C. Advancement School will speak in the Emery Health and Fine Arts

Building. The banquet speaker Friday night will feature Dr. William J. Holloway, Director, Special Training, Office of Education, Washington, D. C.

Dr. Prezell R. Robinson, Acting president of St. Augustine's College and Dr. Joseph Jones, Jr., Acting Dean will also speak during the sessions. A panel discussion by members of the faculty will discuss "New Trends in Student Guidance and Evaluation at the College Level."

On September 12, divisional chairman will meet to plan for the new school year. Orientation for freshmen and new students will begin September 14. Registration begins Monday, September 19.



THE APOSTLE OF GRACE
Did you know that Saint Paul was chosen by God as the apostle of grace?

He was God's great example of grace, the "chief of sinners" SAVED by grace (I Tim. 1:12-16).

To him was committed "THE DISPENSATION OF THE GRACE OF GOD" (Eph. 3:2).

He was sent forth to proclaim "THE GOSPEL OF THE GRACE OF GOD" (Acts 20:24).

He wrote FAR MORE about grace than any other Bible writer.

All his epistles open or close (or both) with the salutation "GRACE BE TO YOU."

He declares: "We have redemption through Christ's blood, THE FORGIVENESS OF SINS ACCORDING TO THE RICHES OF HIS GRACE" (Eph. 1:7).

He shows how this grace was planned for believers in ages past: "Who hath saved us and called us with a holy calling, not according to our works, but according to HIS OWN PURPOSE AND GRACE which was given us in Christ Jesus before the world began" (II Tim. 1:9).

He shows how this grace will be ours in ages to come: "That in THE AGES TO COME, He

might show THE EXCEEDING RICHES OF HIS GRACE in His kindness toward us through Christ Jesus" (Eph. 2:7).

He shows how this grace is greater than all our sins: "WHERE SIN ABOUNDED GRACE DID MUCH MORE ABOUND" (Rom. 5:24).

He shows how grace gives us a righteous standing before God: "Being JUSTIFIED FREELY BY HIS GRACE, through the redemption that is in Christ Jesus" (Rom. 3:24).

He shows how God's grace has given believers a position in Heaven "(He) hath made us to sit together in places in Christ Jesus . . . for by grace are ye saved, through faith . . ." (Eph. 2:6,8).

He shows how God's grace is sufficient for our difficulties and can help us to live consistent Christian lives: "MY GRACE IS SUFFICIENT FOR THEE" (II Cor. 12:9). "AND GOD IS ABLE TO MAKE ALL GRACE ABOUND TOWARD YOU, THAT YE, ALWAYS HAVING ALL SUFFICIENCY IN ALL THINGS, MAY ABOUND TO EVERY GOOD WORK" (II Cor. 9:8). Accept salvation "by grace, through faith" as "THE GIFT OF GOD" (Eph. 2:8, 9).

Red Cross Fetes 147 Volunteers

One hundred and forty-seven Red Cross Volunteers were honored last week for the 10,398 hours of service they had given this summer in Wake County Hospitals, Institutions and Agencies at the Wake County Chapter, American Red Cross, 301 N. Blount Street, Raleigh. Mrs. Carey Robertson, Knightdale, Chairman of Red Cross Youth Committee presided.

W. F. Godwin, Southern Bell Telephone and Telegraph Company, Raleigh gave an informative, as well as entertaining speech on "Service to Others." Short talks were made by representatives from each of the service areas. The representatives were Hospital Aides, Miss Stannie Farris, chairman Wake Forest Volunteers; Operation Head Start Aides, Marie McCall; Recreation Aides, Wanda Tucker; Teacher Aide, Carolyn Snow; Water Safety Aide, Judi Moses; Staff Aide, Susan Wellons.

Each Volunteer was presented a certificate of Thanks for their service. Those having served 40 hours or over, received service bars. Recognition was made of the ones that had 100 or more and 200 or more hours.

Aaron Fussell, member of Youth Committee, presented an Award to Sylvia Bowen for having served the most hours. She has been a Hospital Aide at the Apex Branch of Wake Memorial Hospital.

MEDITATION

A SERMONETTE BY COLIN DOUGLAS

"This is the day which Jehovah hath made; we will rejoice and be glad in it." --Psalms 118:24.

Some of the most unhappy people in the world are those who are filled with self-blame. Many of these persons seem to have everything to make them happy, but they are not able to enjoy it because their minds and hearts are filled with feelings of guilt and regret.

No matter what our past, no matter what has gone on before, we should not look back with shame or regret upon the paths by which we have come into our present place in life. You are what you are TODAY - not what you were YESTERDAY! Learn to live in the present! Enjoy the place where you are now! Of course, we all should make good use of the knowledge we have gained through past experiences -- but we need also to forget the pain of the past, we need to refuse to relive in our minds any unhappy experiences or mistakes.

God is a forgiving God, and He is always giving us new opportunities to learn and to grow. We are God's beloved children and we shall always be beloved of Him. It is for us to accept His love, to look forward with faith in ourselves and in the goodness of the Life He has given us. Every day can be an adventure; every day can be a day of rejoicing. Every day can add to the development of our innate God qualities; every day can increase our understanding of Him and His blessings; every day can bring us new and enriching experiences. All we have to do is release from our minds all broodings and regrets over the past, live in the present, and accept the blessings God is giving us today and every day.

"Who forgiveth all thine iniquities; who healeth all thy diseases." --Psalms 103:4.

The use of psychic energizers and tranquilizers in Veterans Administration hospitals has permitted the treatment of twice as many psychiatric patients with no increase in hospital beds.

Psychiatrists at the Coatesville, Pa., VA Hospital have successfully motivated older, long term patients in group sessions.

President Johnson Meets Delta Sigma Theta Board

Washington, D. C. - The importance of women's organizations in improving the nation's educational, health, and welfare services was highlighted by President Lyndon B. Johnson last week when he met with the executive board of Delta Sigma Theta, a national interracial public service sorority.

At the conclusion of the one-hour conference in the cabinet room of the White House, Dr. Geraldine P. Woods, of Los Angeles, national president of the 40,000 member women's group, said that the President "expressed appreciation for what we have done in the areas of educational projects, social action seminars, projects in foreign countries to promote international understanding, and activities in our local communities such as the Headstart program, tutorial programs, and careers clinics."

She added that "He charged us to exert increased efforts in the future and we are happy to do so."

The meeting with the President was one of a series of action-packed events which took place during the annual meeting of the 302 chapter organization's governing body in Washington.

The surprise invitation to meet with the President came as the 21 board members were being briefed on national problems by members of the White House and State Department staffs in the historic Indian Treaty Room of the Executive Office Building. The briefing, arranged by Clifford L. Alexander, Jr., Associate Special Counsel to the President, was concerned with social welfare, education, employment, poverty, and foreign affairs policies.

The Delta Executive Board also conferred with Vice President Hubert H. Humphrey on urban problems, the experiences of the Vice President's Youth Employment Program, and the pending Civil Rights Bill of 1966.

They were present at the Capitol the day the Civil Rights legislation passed the House of Representatives and received a special briefing on the Bill in a meeting in the Speaker's Dining Room, chaired by Rep. Charles C. Diggs, Jr., of Michigan. Congressmen from the districts represented by executive board members took part in the briefing. It was followed by a luncheon at the Capitol with Rep. Edith Green of Oregon, who is a member of Delta Sigma Theta.

During its annual meeting, the Executive Board honored the role of women as volunteer workers in the battle to open the gates of opportunity for the less privileged at an awards reception at the Shoreham Hotel.

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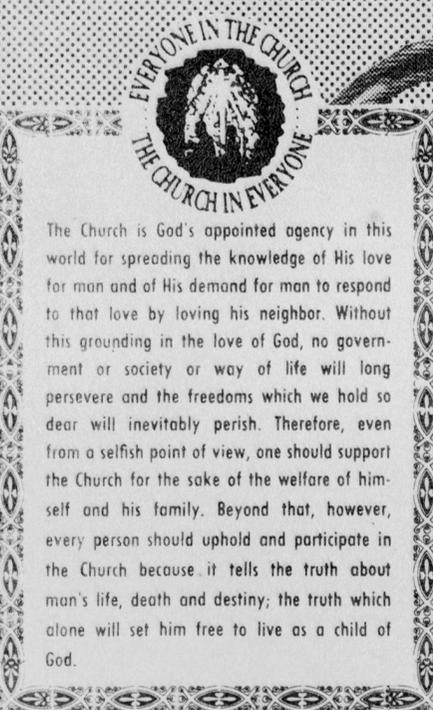
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"And God blessed the seventh day, and sanctified it, because that in it He had rested from all His work which God created and made."



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The Church is God's appointed agency in this world for spreading the knowledge of His love for man and of His demand for man to respond to that love by loving his neighbor. Without this grounding in the love of God, no government or society or way of life will long persevere and the freedoms which we hold so dear will inevitably perish. Therefore, even from a selfish point of view, one should support the Church for the sake of the welfare of himself and his family. Beyond that, however, every person should uphold and participate in the Church because it tells the truth about man's life, death and destiny; the truth which alone will set him free to live as a child of God.

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