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TRAINING UNION "M" NIGHT

Monday, December 1
In Our Sanctuary



Speaker:

DR. JAMES L. SULLIVAN
Executive Secretary
Baptist Sunday School Board
Nashville, Tennessee

Every Training Union Member ought to attend this meeting. The Monthly Officers' Council Meeting will begin with supper at 6:00 (note change of time) and will conclude in time for all of us to attend "M" Night.

Every church member should avail himself of this opportunity to hear Dr. Sullivan. He is one of the finest leaders and a very effective speaker.



TO THE WOMEN OF MY CHURCH

We are fast approaching our Lottie Moon Season of Prayer, December 1-5.

Lottie Moon was born in December, she reached China in December, and she died on Christmas Eve. Miss Moon was known as the "Big Love Heart". Ask yourself, how big is your heart? Is it big enough to come to the church at 10:00 a.m. Monday, Thursday, and Friday a.m. to pray. Won't you give just three hours of your time, so little compared to "Big Love Heart."

Mrs. John Busey,
WMU President

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BROTHERHOOD EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETING

Tuesday, December 2
7:30 P.M.

Home of R. L. Kendrick

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ROYAL AMBASSADOR COUNSELOR'S MEETING

Thursday, December 4
7:30 P.M.

Union Hill

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VISUAL AIDS COMMITTEE

Mr. Dave Raley is calling for a meeting of the Visual Aids Committee Sunday, December 7, 5:00 p.m. in the Lower Auditorium of the Educational Building.

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SERVING DATES FOR WEDNESDAY NIGHT SUPPERS

December 3—Sun Rays Class, Adult C
10—Winsome Class, Adult C
17—Fidelis Class, Adult C
24—Bykota Class, Adult D
31—Ruth Class, Adult D

January 7—Mary Martha Class, Adult D

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Music Notes

By L. WENDELL CARPENTER

A word of thanks to the choirs for their fine participation in our Thanksgiving music last Sunday—a great job, choirs. Congratulations also to Kay Jernigan and Mrs. Curtis White for their leadership.

The combined Chapel and Church Choir will sing this coming Monday night for the Associational "M" Night Program here at First Baptist.

Music and Missions will be the theme for the Christmas program, December 14.

Our Children



December 7—4:00 P.M.

PRIMARY PARENT MEETING

If you are parents of a primary boy or girl we invite you to come on December 7 at 4:00 p.m. and visit your child's department, attend a general period which will help you understand how we as workers and you as parents can work together to help your child grow spiritually. We will also enjoy a period of refreshments and fellowship with other parents and workers. The nursery will be open for all children through five years of age. There will be special planned activities for your primary boys and girls.

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Training Union

MONTHLY OFFICERS COUNCIL MEETING

MONDAY, DECEMBER 1

6:00 p.m.—Supper (Adult E Serving)
6:25 p.m.—General Promotion around the tables
6:35 p.m.—Departments meet.
7:20 p.m.—Adjourn to Sanctuary for "M" Night

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MEMORIAL FLOWERS

The flowers will be placed in the Sanctuary Sunday in memory of Dickie Creel by the W. T. Creel Family. Dickie passed away November 30, 1956.

WATCH
"THE VESPER HOUR"
CHANNEL 10
SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 30

There is a strong possibility that the honored guest on the Vesper Hour Sunday will be a member of our church.

SUNDAY SERVICES: Sunday School, 9:30
 Morning Worship, 11:00
 Training Union, 6:10; Evening Worship, 7:30

DECEMBER, 1958

WEDNESDAY NIGHT ACTIVITIES: 6:00 Supper;
 6:25—Sunday School Officers' and Teachers' Meeting.
 6:40—Sunbeams, R. A.'s and G. A.'s.
 7:45—Praver Service.

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	1	2	3	4	5	6
	Week of Prayer	For Foreign	Missions	and	Lottie Moon	Offering
	10:00 a.m.—Prayer 6:00 p.m.—Officers' Council Supper 7:30 p.m.—"M" Night	Circles Meet 7:30 p.m.—Bro. Exec. Meeting R. L. Kendrick Home	6:40 p.m.—YWA Meeting	10:00 a.m.—Week of Prayer Service 7:30 p.m.—R.A. Counselors Meeting Union Hill	10:00 a.m.—Week of Prayer Service 7:00 p.m.—Adult "A" Party Lower Auditorium	
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
4:00 p.m.—Primary Parent Meeting 5:00 p.m.—Chapel Choir Rehearsal	7:15 p.m.—Deacons' Meeting	WMS Meeting 7:30 p.m.—BWC Circle 7:30—Teacher Trn. Class Banquet	Business Conf. 6:40—Ensemble Practice	7:00 p.m.—Adult "C" Dept. Party	MYP Dept. T. U. Party Jr. 9 S. S. Party	
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
Assoc. Carol Sing North Hill 5:00 p.m.—Chapel Choir Rehearsal	7:00 p.m.—MYP S.S. Dept. Party Assoc. S.S. Mtg. Ray's Chapel	6:30 p.m.—Bro. Supper Meeting		Jr. 9 and 10 T. U. Party		
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
5:00 p.m.—T. U. Exec. Comm. 5:30 p.m.—Dept. Exec. T. U. Com. 5:00 p.m.—Chapel Choir Rehearsal						
28	29	30	31			
5:00 p.m. Chapel Choir Rehearsal 7:30 p.m.—Student Night at Christmas		7:30 p.m.—Sun. School Supts. Meeting	Auxiliaries S.S. Meeting T. U. Monthly Officers' Council Watchnight			

CHOIRS

5:00 Sundays: Chapel Choir
 4:45—Wednesdays: Concord Choir
 7:30—Thursdays: Church Choir
 3:30—Mondays: Carol Choir
 3:30—Mondays: Cherub Choir
 10:30—Tuesdays: Celestial Choir

AUXILIARIES

6:40—Wednesdays: Jr. G.A., Int. and Sr. G.A.
 6:40—Wednesdays: Jr. and Int. R. A.
 6:40—Wednesdays: Sunbeams.

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LOOKING AT LAST SUNDAY

Sunday School Attendance.....	1173
Members Present	1111
New Members	9
Visitors	53
(Attendance one years ago 1065)	
Training Union Attendance.....	354
Members Present	328
New Members	3
Visitors	23
(Attendance one year ago.. 300)	
Additions to church membership.....	3
Tithes and Offerings:	
Budget	\$4,334.22
Specials	363.03
Building Fund, First Baptist.....	373.45
TOTAL OFFERING	\$5,070.70

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WELCOME, NEW MEMBERS

LETTER—

37. Mr. James W. Fields, 38 Audusson Ave.
38. Mrs. James W. Fields, 38 Audusson Av.
39. Mrs. Stanley Wiggins, Route 2, Box 88.

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OUR CHURCH FAMILY

OUR KNOWN SICK: Sacred Heart Hos-
pital—Mrs. W. B. Townley, Mr. Ed
Peake. Baptist Hospital—Mrs. C. T.
Davis.

SYMPATHY TO: Mr. Herschel Pierce in
the loss of his father.

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BUDGET PROMOTION REPORT TO DATE

Number Pledges	1537
Number Tithers	849
Total Amt. Pledged	\$218,016.76

W.M.U. CIRCLE MEETINGS FOR DECEMBER 1958

10:00 A.M. Dec. 2, 1958

T. N. Callaway Circle—Mrs. S. G. Kennedy,
2100 E. Mallory Street.
Virginia Cobb Circle—Mrs. H. G. Gray,
1709 E. Jackson Street.
Stanley Davis Circle—Mrs. Irvin Roberts,
1610 W. Chase St.
Mary S. Gullatt Circle—Mrs. J. C. Baldwin,
2013 E. Lakeview Ave.
Jane McRae Circle—Mrs. Elwood Burks,
3811 Menendez Drive.
Dotson Mills Circle—Mrs. E. F. Warren,
1985 N. Baylen Street.
R. C. Moores Circle—Mrs. W. A. Webb,
3820 Molaree Drive.
Bernice Neel Circle—Mrs. J. E. D. Yonge,
122 W. Lloyd Street.
Laura Francis Snow Circle—Mrs. J. T.
Murphy, 1711 N. Whaley Avenue.

3:00 P.M. December 2, 1958

Harvey Headrick Circle—Mrs. York Colson,
2720 Bayou Blvd.

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CLASS MEETINGS

Tuesday, December 2—

The Lydia Bible Class will have their
monthly meeting with Miss Montaree
Barrineau, 921 North 19th Ave., 7:30 p.m.

Friday, December 5—

The Willing Workers Class will have their
Class Christmas Meeting in the home of
Mrs. J. T. Mackey, 922 North 19th Ave.,
2:30 p.m.

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LIBRARY NOTES

The oldest book in the Library is titled
"A Brief History of the Baptists" by S. H.
Ford. This was a gift from Mrs. W. D.
Chipley in 1893. See is in the display
window.

One of the newest books is "Your God Is
Too Small" by J. B. Phillips. Read this
challenging book and evaluate your own
conception of God.

L. T. STOESSEN, Librarian

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MEETING OF CANVASSERS TUESDAY, DECEMBER 2 7:00 P.M.

SERMON TOPICS

11:00 A.M.

"How Much Will Your
Religion Bear?"

7:30 P.M.

"Prepare To Meet Thy God"