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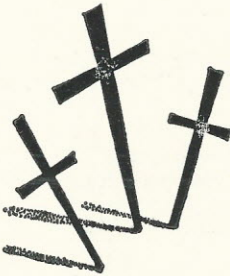
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TELL THE WHOLE WORLD

HE IS RISEN

The Lord indeed is risen
From out his earthly prison,
And now, all kings above,
He reigns forevermore—
The Lord of Life, the King of Love,
Life's loving Conqueror.

John Oxenham



He is not here.
HE IS RISEN!

Pastor's Paragraphs

God gave us a wonderful revival in First Church, Selma, Alabama. It was a pleasure to work with their fine young



pastor, Brother Roland Jarrard, who was ordained by this church several years ago. I sincerely pray that God will bless our church in the same way that He blessed the church in Selma last week.

All of us should be much in prayer for our revival effort. We have two fine young men coming to lead us in our revival, but their efforts will be in vain unless we saturate this meeting with prayer and are willing for God to use us as witnesses. **THERE IS SOMEONE IN THIS CITY THAT YOU CAN WIN TO CHRIST IF YOU WILL REALLY TRY.**

The choir did a wonderful job last Sunday night. The truth of the atoning death of Jesus was never presented in a more beautiful way. Truly "by His stripes we are healed."

Sunday is the day that we commemorate in a special way the resurrection of our Lord and Saviour. I'll be looking for you and your family in God's house then.

Faithfully in Christ,

James L. Pleitz

SOFTBALL PRACTICE

Our church Softball Team will practice Saturday, April 13, at 3 p.m. at Exchange Park, West Jackson at "J" St. If you are interested in playing we urge you to be there.

SEE YOU IN SUNDAY SCHOOL AND WORSHIP SUNDAY

SERMON TOPICS

11:00 A.M.

"The Empty Tomb"

John 20:1-18

7:15 P.M.

"The Road to Emmaus"

Luke 24:13

EXTENSION MEMBERS OF THE WEEK

For week beginning April 14

Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Herron
205 Lakewood Drive

OUR CHURCH FAMILY

Sympathy To:

Mr. E. J. Buchanan and Major Ulmer L. Buchanan in the loss of their wife and mother.

Mrs. George Smith in the loss of her sister.

Mrs. W. R. Parks in the loss of her sister.

Mrs. Mary Frances Harrison in the loss of her father.

Congratulations To:

Mr. and Mrs. Henry E. Chiles upon the birth of a boy, Douglas Lee, on April 8.

Baptist Hospital:

Mrs. F. M. Grimwood; Mrs. Henry W. Smith, Jr.; Mrs. Henry Chiles.

Sacred Heart Hospital:

Mr. H. C. Dove; Mr. L. W. Bell; Mrs. W. K. Davis.

Escambia General Hospital:

Mrs. W. R. Parks.

Home from Hospital:

Mrs. Jerry Truss; Mrs. W. H. Ferry; Mr. Harold C. Stokes.

REVIVAL Days



APRIL 15 - 21



IN MEMORIAM

MRS. EARL J. BUCHANAN
Route 9, Box 360

Joined our church by letter,
October 21, 1934

Deceased April 6, 1963

NEXT WEEK IS

REVIVAL WEEK

TUESDAY THROUGH FRIDAY, 10:00 A.M.
MONDAY THROUGH SATURDAY, 7:30 P.M.

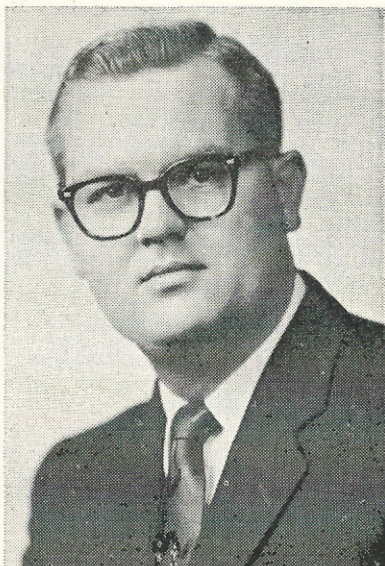
(Revival Choir Will Rehearse Each Evening At 6:45)

EVANGELIST



DR. ROBERT L. SMITH
Pastor, First Baptist Church
Pine Bluff, Arkansas

SINGER



MR. LeROY McCLARD
State Music Secretary
Arkansas Baptist Convention

THURSDAY: PROSPECT SUPPER — 6:30 P.M.

Your prospect is your admission. We are asking that you invite one or more prospects as your guest. The prospect may be one who is not a professing Christian or a Christian who is not affiliated with a local church. If you do not know a prospect the church office will be happy to provide you with some names. You will need to turn in a reservation by Wednesday night.



Library Notes

"Man of Sorrows" by A. T. Steinhaeuser is a book of devotions on the Passion of our Lord. From the wealth of Christian literature on this subject, Dr. Steinhaeuser has selected prayers, poems, litanies that inspire the reader to adoration, thanksgiving and worship.

"The Meaning of Christ to Me" by R. Speer has chapters titled "What the earthly life of Christ means to me."

"What the death of Christ means to me," "What the resurrection of Christ means to me," "What the Lordship of Christ means to Me," "What the second coming of Christ means to Me."

"We Saw His Glory" by Ester Steen is an illuminating portrait, beautifully and reverently written in verse and prose.

These and other books in our library make inspiring reading for this season. May we all experience a meaningful Easter. LTS.



COME TO THE REVIVAL

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 to Honduras.

All material to be included in The Builder
 should be in the office, preferably in writ-
 ing, not later than 9:00 A.M. Mondays.



LOOKING AT LAST SUNDAY

Sunday School Attendance.....	1235
Members Present.....	1192
New Members.....	4
Visitors.....	39
Training Union Attendance.....	292
Members Present.....	273
New Members.....	5
Visitors.....	14
Additions to church membership.....	6
Tithes and Offerings:	
Budget.....	\$6,480.96
Specials.....	467.32
Building Fund.....	9.61
TOTAL OFFERING.....	\$6,957.89

NEW MEMBERS

FOR BAPTISM:

29. Mr. David Jones, 402 Alba Plena Ave.
 30. Mr. Richard Jones

BY LETTER:

125. Ensign Arthur C. Chapman, BOQ 674,
 Room 232, NAS. From: First Baptist
 Church, Oxford, Miss.
 126. Mr. Bob Grant, U. S. Naval Hospital,
 NAS. From: Mountain View Baptist
 Church, Atlanta, Ga.
 127. Mr. Samuel R. Moates, 3460 Newton
 Drive, Mallory Hts. From: First Bap-
 tist Church, Ft. Lauderdale, Fla.
 128. Mrs. Samuel R. Moates (Shirley)

LAST MINUTE REMINDER

**ATTEND A
 COTTAGE PRAYER SERVICE
 FRIDAY, APRIL 12
 7:30 P.M.**

MEMORIAL FLOWERS

The flowers in the sanctuary on
 Sunday will be in memory of Mrs.
 J. Tom Hurst, a former member
 with us. They are being given by
 her nieces and nephew, Mrs. P. C.
 Sorenson, Mrs. Mary Collins and
 Mr. Bill Strickland.



SUNDAY, APRIL 14

- 7:30 a.m.—Baptist Hour over WCOA
 Subject: "Is Your Faith Up to
 Date?"
 9:30 a.m.—Sunday School for all ages.
 Theron Guthrie, Supt.
 11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship Pastor
 Broadcast over WCOA
 NO YOUTH CHOIR REHEARSAL
 6:00 p.m.—Training Union for all ages.
 R. F. "Bob" Jernigan, Director
 7:15 p.m.—Evening Worship. Pastor
 Ordinance of Baptism
 NO INTERMEDIATE OR SENIOR
 TEEN TIME

MONDAY, APRIL 15

- 7:30 p.m.—REVIVAL SERVICE

TUESDAY, APRIL 16

- 10:00 a.m.—REVIVAL SERVICE
 7:30 p.m.—REVIVAL SERVICE

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 17

- 10:00 a.m.—REVIVAL SERVICE
 5:00 p.m.—Children's Choirs
 5:50 p.m.—Fellowship Dinner
 6:30 p.m.—Teachers' & Officers' Meeting
 Sunbeams, G.A.'s, R.A.'s, YWA's
 Study of "The Bible and Prayer"
 7:30 p.m.—REVIVAL SERVICE

THURSDAY, APRIL 18

- 9:00 a.m.—Associational Vacation Bible
 School Clinic. Myrtle Grove
 Baptist Church
 10:00 a.m.—REVIVAL SERVICE
 6:30 p.m.—Prospect Supper
 7:30 p.m.—REVIVAL SERVICE

FRIDAY, APRIL 19

- 10:00 a.m.—REVIVAL SERVICE
 7:30 p.m.—REVIVAL SERVICE

SATURDAY, APRIL 20

- 7:30 p.m.—REVIVAL SERVICE

YOUNG PEOPLE "A" BEACH PARTY

SATURDAY, APRIL 13

Meet at Fire House on the Beach At

11:00 A.M.

Will Leave at 11:15 A.M.

Each person or couple is responsible
 for own food. Drinks furnished.

SEE YOU THERE!