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PALAFOX AND LA RUA STREETS
PENSACOLA, FLORIDA

JAMES L. PLEITZ
PASTOR



PRAYER

Father, I scarcely dare to pray,
So clear I see, now it is done,
That I have wasted half my day,
And left my work but just begun.

So clear I see that things I thought
Were right or harmless were a sin;
So clear I see that I have sought,
Unconscious, selfish aims to win.

So clear I see that I have hurt
The souls I might have helped to save;
That I have slothful been, inert,
Deaf to calls Thy leaders gave.

In outskirts of Thy kingdom vast,
Father, the humblest spot give me;
Set me the lowliest task Thou hast;
Let me, repentant, work for Thee!

—Helen Hunt Jackson



Mrs. Charlie Dean Rector
requests the honour of your presence
at the marriage of her daughter

Charlene Ann
to

Mr. George Harold Forsberg
Saturday, the twenty-second of August
at seven o'clock
First Baptist Church
Pensacola, Florida

LIBRARY NOTES

We would like to recommend some excellent books for our young people in general, and some especially for those who have recently dedicated their lives to Christian service.

YOUR NEXT STEP — Keegan
YOU HAVE A TALENT . . . DON'T BURY IT — Bailey

I FIND MY VOCATION — Kitson
IF I WERE YOUNG — Chappell
CHRIST IN MY CAREER — Graves
PLANNING A LIFE — Watters
GOD CALLS ME — Pearce
CAREERS FOR CHRISTIANS YOUTH —
Sigsworth

THIS IS MY LIFE — Treadway
WHAT DO MISSIONARIES DO? —
Johnson

APPOINTMENT FOR ANDY — Bishop
MISSIONS AND ME — Bishop
GOD'S WILL AND YOUR LIFE —
Maston

DOES GOD WANT YOU AS A MINISTER OF EDUCATION? — Edge

THE CHURCH SECRETARY — Ely

YOUNG ONLY ONCE — Narramore
(Has a good chapter on "Your Life's Work")

We are anxious to have you make use of these good books which will give you guidance, inspiration and information. May God bless and guide you each step of the way.

L. T. STOESSEN

BIBLE READINGS FOR THE
WEEK OF AUGUST 16-21
Reading through the New Testament
in 1964
ROMANS 6:1 to 10:21

PROCEDURE FOR NOMINATING DEACONS

The Committee for the Nomination of Deacons requests that every member of the church suggest men who should be considered by the committee for nomination as deacons. You may suggest as many as you think



This ballot will be on Sunday morning, September 6, when 11 men will be selected to serve on the active board of deacons,
DEACON'S NOMINATING COMMITTEE

JOE B. LADNER, Chairman
BORIS MITCHELL, Vice-Chairman
JUDSON GILLESPIE
DAVID L. RALEY



The rosebud on the pulpit Sunday was placed there in honor of
MASTER FRANK LEE ANDREWS
Son of
Lieutenant and Mrs. Bobbie Andrews
Born July 30, 1964



ROYAL AMBASSADOR CAMPOUT

Our Royal Ambassador Leader, Mr. J. F. Boykin, announces that a Campout for all Royal Ambassadors, Ages 9-17, is scheduled for next weekend August 21-22. Boys may secure additional information from your Counselor or from Mr. Boykin at Telephone GL 5-7925.



NEW MEMBERS

ON PROFESSION OF FAITH IN CHRIST:

54. Mrs. Wilma Kaoma Carr, 1666 West
Intendencia

COMMITMENT FOR CHRISTIAN

SERVICE:
Mr. Elva Dotson
BAPTIZED:
Mrs. Wilma K. Carr
Miss Deborah Trusler
Mr. George Forsberg
Mrs. Larry Foxworth

SERMON TOPICS

11:00 A.M.

"Philip—The Man and His
Message"

(Acts 8:1-8, 26-40)

7:15 P.M.

"The Bitter Made Sweet"

(Exodus 15:20)

FOR YOUR INFORMATION

The following men are now serving on the active Board of Deacons:

Term Ending September 30, 1965

*HENRY L. ASHMORE
J. NORWOOD COBB
B. T. DEAN
ERNEST GENTRY
LEE HARDY
*Moved from city

S. G. KENNEDY, JR.
BO MITCHELL
C. H. OVERMAN, JR.
HOMER D. REED
T. A. SHELL

Term Ending September 30, 1966

E. L. BARRINEAU
PAUL W. CARO
CLARENCE DANNELLY
S. L. DAVIS
JAMES L. DREXLER

ROBERT D. HINSON
SAM JORDAN
BILLY RENFROE
MILTON RICHARDSON
TOM WASH

Deacons Emeritus

F. G. ALMON
EARL R. GASTON
MOSE PENTON

The following men who retire this year will not be eligible for nomination for a period of one year.

J. F. BOYKIN, SR.
W. T. CREEL
J. NIXON DANIEL, JR.
ADOLPH FIELDS
JUDSON GILLESPIE

JOE B. LADNER
GLENN McDONALD
R. N. PYLE
H. O. WILLIAMS

FORM TO BE USED IN SUBMITTING SUGGESTIONS

I suggest to the Nominating Committee that the following men be considered as nominees for deacons:

NAME

NAME

NAME

NAME

NAME

NAME

Recommended by
(Your Signature)

NOTE: Every member of the congregation may suggest as many names as he wishes. This form must be signed to be accepted.

These suggestions must reach the committee by noon, Monday, August 17, 1964. They may be given to any member of the committee, mailed to the church office in care of the committee, or dropped in the offering plate.

Additional copies of this form may be obtained from the church.

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CHURCH STAFF Residence Phones

James L. Pleitz, Pastor.....HE 3-1502
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 Jerry Howell, Minister of Music
 Director of Youth Activities.....438-9798
 Mrs. W. H. Adams, Organist.....GL 6-4681
 Mrs. J. C. Rountree, Fin. Sec'y.....HE 2-1326

Mrs. Arthur Haylock, Our Missionary
 to Honduras



LOOKING AT LAST SUNDAY

Sunday School Attendance	864
Members Present	807
New Members	3
Visitors	54
Training Union Attendance	242
Members Present	222
New Members	1
Visitors	19
Additions to church membership	1
Baptized	4
Tithes and Offerings:	
Budget	\$5,257.89
Specials	415.70
Youth Choir Tour Fund	25.06
Building Fund	20.00
TOTAL OFFERING	\$5,718.65



WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 19th. Chemstrand Recreation Area

4:00 P.M.—Recreation Area Open to Us
 6:30 P.M.—Supper
 7:30 P.M.—Prayer Service

Each family attending will bring a picnic basket (enough for your family, your guests, and Yogi Bear). Drinks, plates, forks, napkins will be furnished.

The Nursery will be open at the church from 4:00 on to care for pre-school children. Children left in the nursery will need to be fed at home.

IN CASE OF RAIN

We will have the Picnic in the Church Dining Room.



SUNDAY, AUGUST 16

*9:30 A.M.—Sunday School for all ages.
 Theron Guthrie, Supt.
 *11:00 A.M.—Morning Worship Service. Pastor Broadcast over WCOA
 4:30 P.M.—Youth Choir Rehearsal
 *6:00 P.M.—Training Union for all ages.
 Homer Reed, Director
 *7:15 P.M.—Evening Worship, Pastor
 8:30 P.M.—Senior Teen Time will be held at the home of Allen McDonald, 2860 Blackshear
 8:30 P.M.—Intermediate Teen Time will be held in the Church Recreation Center

MONDAY, AUGUST 17

7:30 P.M.—Associational Sunday School Meeting, East Hill Baptist Church

TUESDAY, AUGUST 18

WMS GENERAL MEETING

*10:00 A.M.—Executive Committee Meeting
 10:30 A.M.—Business Meeting
 11:15 A.M.—Missionary Program
 11:45 A.M.—Bible Study
 12:30 P.M.—Lunch
 1:00 P.M.—Mamie Lou Posey Circle will meet
 Bernice Neel Circle will meet
 6:00 P.M.—Robert Goldie Circle Mission Study with Mrs. H. C. Dove, 1100 E. Lakeview
 7:30 P.M.—Boy Scout Court of Honor

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 19

*4:00 P.M.—CHURCH PICNIC

THURSDAY, AUGUST 20

7:00 P.M.—Young People "B" Covered Dish Supper, Fellowship Hall

*Indicates nursery will be open 15 minutes prior to the time indicated above.



OUR CHURCH FAMILY

Baptist Hospital:

Mrs. Curtis Brown, Mr. Charles Danforth, Mrs. David C. Johnson, Mr. William Ray, Mr. Fred Avant

Sacred Heart Hospital:

Mr. Charles Leaman

Out of City Hospital:

Mr. J. L. Hackett, Frisco Hospital, St. Louis, Missouri

Home From Hospital:

Mr. A. D. Livingston, Mrs. Hugh Reeves, Mr. Billy Roberts, Miss Elizabeth Ann Shirey, Mrs. W. O. Taylor, Mrs. Warren W. Sears, Mr. James O. Veach, Mrs. Curtis Brown, Mr. William Ray, Mr. W. P. Mooty

Our Sympathy To:

Mr. M. B. Dawson in the loss of his father