

The Baptist Builder

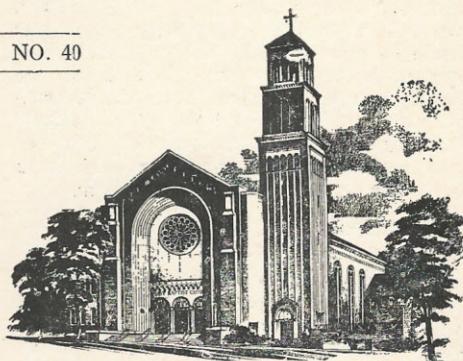
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OCTOBER 5, 1967

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FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
PALAFOX AND LA RUA STREETS
PENSACOLA, FLORIDA

JAMES L. PLEITZ
PASTOR



Answered Prayer

If you rise from prayer, forgiven and clean
inside, prayer has been answered.

If you rise, more conscious of His greatness
His goodness, mercy, His love, His
nearness, prayer has been answered.

If you rise with greater love and compassion for
your fellow-man, answered prayer is
transforming your selfish nature.

If you rise with an abiding sense of peace even
in the midst of great problems of sorrow,
God has answered by helping you meet them.

If you rise with clearer vision, greater purpose,
positive direction, renewed strength, fresh
inspiration, prayer has been answered.

(“And this is the confidence that we have in him, that, if we ask anything according to his will, he heareth us: And if we know that he hear us, whatsoever we ask, we know that we have petitions that we desired of him.”

I John 5:14-15)

— MY HEART KNEELS TOO
by Carolyn Rhea

As I See It!

BY CLYDE K. BIZZELL

A GOOD BEGINNING

Last Sunday was a good day. Our organizations are off to a good start. The saddest note of last Sunday was to say good-bye to our pastor for a whole month. We rejoice in this opportunity which has come to him to make this trip and shall remember to pray for him and for the Crusade in East Africa. You will remember, also, to write to him. (See Pastor's Paragraph in last week Builder). You will also remember to support the work here with your prayers and your presence.

PICTORIAL DIRECTORY TO BE PUBLISHED

Wouldn't you like to have a directory, complete with pictures, of the membership of our church? We've talked about such a publication, and now it is to be done. The Religious Pictorial Directory Company will work with us in making this directory possible. Photographs of family groups will be made November 3-11. You'll be hearing more about this in the days and weeks immediately ahead. We are anxious that every person represented in the membership of our church and the organizations appear in this directory. I am sure that we can count on your cooperation.



DAILY BIBLE READINGS

SUN., Oct. 8: "The Only Saving Name"—
Acts 4:1-12. Key Verse, 12.
MON., Oct. 9: "Our Supreme Loyalty"—
Acts 4:13-22. Key Verse, 19.
TUE., Oct. 10: "Prayer For Courage"—
Acts 4:23-31. Key Verse, 29.
WED., Oct. 11: "A Fellowship Of Love"—
Acts 4:32-37. Key Verse, 32.
THURS., Oct. 12: "A Sin Of Insincerity"—
Acts 5:1-11. Key Verse, 3.
FRI., Oct. 13: "In The Steps Of Jesus"—
Acts 5:12-16. Key Verse, 16.
SAT., Oct. 14: "The Joy Of Worship"—
Deuteronomy 12:10-12; Psalm 100,
I Thessalonians 5:16-18
Sunday School Lesson.

SERMON TOPICS

11:00 A.M.

"The Man Who Didn't Quit"
(II Timothy 4:7-8)

7:15 P.M.

"Impossible Demands?"

PROPOSED 1968 BUDGET

On pages 3 and 4 of this week's Builder, you will find the Proposed Budget for 1968. The Finance Committee and the Deacons join the Budget Planning Committee in recommending this budget to the church. On Wednesday night, October 11, the budget will be presented to the church for discussion. Then on Sunday, October 15, the congregation will be called upon to vote upon the adoption of this budget. Members of the congregation are urged to study the proposed budget carefully and to be present for the presentation and discussion next Wednesday evening.



OUR CHURCH FAMILY

IN THE HOSPITALS:

Baptist:

Mrs. Sadie Rester, Mrs. Mary Veach,
Mr. John Morton, Mrs. W. L. Patterson,
Mrs. W. T. Osborn.

Sacred Heart:

Miss Jan Boghich, Mrs. Henry Ates, Mrs.
E. C. Walker, Mrs. E. C. Austin.

HOME FROM HOSPITAL:

Mr. Harold Ackman, Mr. Don Schroeder,
Mr. Jean Hirsch, Mr. J. C. Cunningham,
Miss Elen Green, Mr. Byron Lane, Mrs.
James B. Ward, Mr. Woodrow Cushing,
Mrs. Mary Veach.

OUR SYMPATHY TO:

Mrs. George Rumble in the loss of a
sister.

Mrs. Marshall King and Mrs. Pearle
Zilonka in the loss of a brother.

Mrs. John Hennigan in the loss of her
father.



A recent bulletin of First Baptist
Church Gainesville, Florida had the
following article:

PROFESSIONAL LOYALTY

"I looked over the congregation Sunday morning and it looked like 1966 rather than 1967. There was Bill Carr in the place he usually sat last year. Bill, All-American center is currently on the taxi squad for the New Orleans professional football team. When Bill was here in college he could most always be counted on in the worship—no matter how late the team came in from a trip away. So, when he came to see his old team play its first game, what else would he do but come to church—professional loyalty I call it. This Christian young man will always be an example to young and old alike. Let's see who will copy him this year."

We concur in the sentiment expressed in the above article. He was here in church last Sunday.

PROPOSED 1968 BUDGET

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

PENSACOLA, FLORIDA

	1967 Budget	PROPOSED 1968 Budget
I. MISSIONS AND BENEVOLENCES:		
1. Cooperative Program	\$ 50,400.00	\$ 55,000.00*
2. Mission Fund	1,500.00	2,000.00*
3. Associational Missions	4,500.00	4,800.00*
4. Baptist Hospital Charity Work	1,500.00	1,500.00
5. Evangelistic Visitation	1,200.00	1,440.00*
6. Benevolence	1,600.00	1,600.00
7. Missionary on Foreign Field	2,000.00	2,000.00
8. Radio	3,900.00	5,300.00*
SUB TOTAL	66,600.00	73,640.00
**Goals for Designated Offering:		
Home Missions — Annie Armstrong.....	2,500.00	3,000.00*
Foreign Missions — Lottie Moon.....	8,500.00	12,500.00*
State Missions	800.00	1,000.00*
Special to Missions	700.00	700.00
Total Goals for Designated Offerings	12,500.00	17,200.00
TOTAL MISSIONS AND BENEVOLENCES	79,100.00	90,840.00
II. ADMINISTRATION:		
1. Pastor's Salary	\$ 11,800.00	\$ 12,800.00*
2. Pastor's Annuity and Health Benefit	1,500.00	2,300.00*
3. Asst. to Pastor's Salary	8,400.00	9,200.00*
4. Asst. to Pastor's Annuity and Health Benefit	1,000.00	1,000.00*
5. Secretarial Personnel	14,300.00	16,002.00*
6. Treasurer and Audit	1,500.00	1,620.00*
7. Pulpit Supply	400.00	400.00
8. Office Supplies and Postage	3,000.00	4,000.00*
9. Church Bulletins and Builder	3,800.00	4,000.00*
10. Retirement and Health Benefit	2,016.00	2,414.00*
11. Social Security	2,100.00	2,600.00*
12. Pastor's Convention Expense	500.00	500.00
13. Asst. Pastor's Convention Expense	200.00	200.00
14. Pastor's Car Expense	1,200.00	1,500.00*
15. Asst. Pastor's Car Expense	1,050.00	1,250.00*
16. Church Envelopes	500.00	500.00
17. Publicity	900.00	900.00
18. Banking Service	54.00	48.00.*
19. Revival Expense	200.00	200.00
20. Budget Promotion	800.00	800.00
21. Contingency	750.00	750.00
TOTAL ADMINISTRATION	55,970.00	62,984.00
III. EDUCATION AND PROMOTION:		
1. General		
(1) Library	600.00	600.00
(2) New Member Enlistment	150.00	200.00*
(3) Florida Baptist Witness	650.00	650.00
(4) Boy Scouts	120.00	180.00*
(5) Athletics	525.00	525.00
(6) Visual Aids	500.00	500.00
SUB TOTAL	2,545.00	2,655.00
2. Sunday School		
(1) Assemblies	150.00	150.00
(2) Literature	4,300.00	4,400.00*
(3) Supplies	800.00	1,300.00*
(4) Training Courses	1,300.00	1,000.00*
(5) Fellowship	300.00	450.00*
(6) Vacation Bible School	800.00	800.00
(7) Leadership Banquet	100.00	_____*
SUB TOTAL	7,750.00	8,100.00
3. Training Union		
(1) Assemblies	150.00	150.00
(2) Literature	750.00	600.00*
(3) Training Courses	150.00	150.00
(4) Fellowship	300.00	300.00
(5) Senior Adult Fellowship	_____	300.00*
(6) Banquet	50.00	_____*
(7) Supplies	150.00	150.00
SUB TOTAL	1,550.00	1,650.00

4. Music

(1) Minister of Music	8,100.00x	£,7,000.00*
(2) Minister of Music Car Allowance.....	600.00	800.00*
(3) Organist	1,320.00	1,500.00*
(4) Music and Supplies	800.00	1,050.00*
(5) Choir Activities	500.00	600.00*
(6) Clinic and Convention Expense	200.00	300.00*
(7) Promotion		250.00*
(8) Robes and Replacements	200.00	1,850.00*
(9) Festivals and Retreats	100.00	150.00*
(10) New Equipment	50.00	100.00
(11) Music Ministry Supply		50.00
SUB TOTAL	11,870.00	15,350.00

5. Brotherhood

(1) Baptist Men	125.00	125.00
(2) Royal Ambassadors	275.00	200.00*
	400.00	325.00
6. W. M. U.	2,000.00	2,000.00

7. Youth Education and Activities

(1) Director of Youth Education	5,700.00	6,100.00*
(2) Director of Youth Car Expense	500.00	600.00*
(3) Youth Activities	1,600.00	1,525.00*
(4) Camps	1,050.00	2,400.00*
(5) Church Picnic	50.00	50.00
(6) Clinic Expense		125.00*
(7) Recognition of Graduates	125.00	150.00*
(8) Refreshments—Get Togethers and Youth Choir....		1,200.00*
SUB TOTAL	9,025.00	12,150.00

8. Nursery

(1) Nursery Maids	4,200.00	4,620.00*
(2) Supplies	250.00	250.00
(3) Refreshments	275.00	250.00*
SUB TOTAL	4,725.00	5,120.00

9. Contingency

TOTAL EDUCATION AND PROMOTION	41,765.00	48,100.00
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IV. OPERATIONS:

1. Custodial Personnel	17,470.00	17,000.00*
2. Hostess	1,200.00	1,200.00
3. Kitchen Help	2,600.00	3,000.00*
4. Utilities (including pastorium)	16,300.00	17,500.00*
5. Supplies and Laundry	2,400.00	2,400.00
6. Insurance	2,600.00	3,000.00*
7. Organ and Piano Contract	815.00	815.00
8. Maintenance and Repairs	5,000.00	5,000.00
9. Flowers	680.00	680.00
10. New Equipment	1,000.00	1,700.00*
11. Contingency	500.00	500.00
TOTAL OPERATIONS	50,565.00	52,795.00

V. PROPERTY ACQUISITION FUND (HECHT).....

7,500.00	-----*
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VI. BUILDING FUND:

1. Mortgage Obligations	60,000.00	60,000.00
2. Building Debt Prepayment	25,000.00	25,000.00

TOTAL	85,000.00	85,000.00
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VII. RESERVE FOR BUILDING AND EQUIPMENT

12,500.00	12,500.00
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TOTAL	332,400.00	352,219.00
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**Goals for Designated Offerings

-12,500.00	-17,200.00*
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GRAND TOTAL OF CHURCH BUDGET

\$335,019.00

All monies received over and above the adopted budget to be divided:

50% to Building Fund (Debt Prepayment)

25% to Cooperative Program

25% to Property Acquisition and Missions

*INDICATES CHANGE FROM LAST YEAR

x For comparison purposes, this item reflects adjusted salary figure.

LIBRARY NOTES

DARE TO LIVE NOW! by Bruce Larsen answers some of the more basic questions such as "Who am I?", "Why do I do the things I do?", "Why do other people do what they do?", "Is God concerned about me and the trap I'm in? If He is, what can He do to help me?".

Since God has liberated all men through Jesus Christ, no one really has to be a prisoner of circumstances or environment. The good news is that we are already free! The only condition seems to be that we admit our status as prisoners and then risk leaving the security of old patterns and walk out in God's sunlight and freedom. It is not easy to live responsibly and in freedom. It is a challenge!

This book is written in the belief that Jesus Christ can change life now for any person, family, church or group who will care to discover how to appropriate the power and love which are His.

PEPPER AND SALT by Vance Havner has been culled from fifty years preaching and writing of one of America's most colorful and effective evangelists. These pointed stories, conversations, experiences, and thoughts, all have a strong evangelical flavor.

"Salvation is not a cafeteria where you take what you want and leave the rest."

"When the Lord's white sheep become dirty gray, all black sheep feel more comfortable."

"God called us to play the game, not to keep the score."

"There are too many people ready to assert their rights who are not ready to assume their responsibility."



Mr. and Mrs. James J. Yandle

request the honour of your presence
at the marriage of their daughter

Alice Ruth

to

Mr. Earl Lesley Jernigan

on Friday, the thirteenth day of October
Nineteen hundred and sixty-seven
at seven-thirty o'clock

First Baptist Church
Pensacola, Florida

Reception
following ceremony
at the Church

THE lisTEENING POST

These names were inadvertently omitted from our list of college students. If you know of others, please call the church office or Miss May.

Auburn

Lorraine White

Emory University

Jeanne DeMotte

Florida State University

Espin Bullock, Jr.

Claire Kiker

Larry Overton

Patsy Wash Phillips

James H. Sutton

Gulf Coast Junior College

John Markham

Marion Institute

Wilton Wiggins

Memphis State

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Holt
(Carol Rogers)

North Texas State College

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Garrett
(Marsha Brown)

Pensacola Junior College

Donna Garrett

University of Florida

Melody Crane
Charles H. Overman, III

University of Georgia

Becky Lindsey

University of Southern Mississippi

Joan Hernandez
Mr. and Mrs. Don McDowell
(Lynn Brantley)

University of West Florida

Frank Bratcher

Western Michigan University

Carlton Fendt, Jr.

Woodward Academy

E. Dixie Beggs, Jr.

These girls attended the YWA Retreat in Panama City last weekend:

Mary Lou Burks

Barbara Hughes

Triss Roberts

Libby Coker

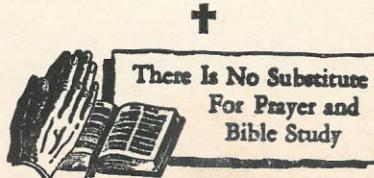
Mary Roth

Ann Fields

Mrs. Dan Ward

Mrs. Thomas McVoy

All girls 16-24 are invited to a YWA membership Tea, Saturday, October 14, 1967 from 3:00 - 5:00 p.m., 3031 North Magnolia Avenue.



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Mrs. Arthur Haylock,
Our Missionary to Honduras

All material to be included in The Builder
should be in the office, preferably in
writing, not later than 9:00 a.m. Mondays.



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LOOKING AT LAST SUNDAY

The Church in Study	1309
Main Sunday School	1289
Crippled Childrens Home	20
The Church in Training	302
Training Union	254
Weekday	47
Additions to church membership.....	6
Tithes and Offerings:	
Budget	\$6,525.94
Specials	295.34
Building Fund	25.00
TOTAL OFFERING	\$6,846.28



NEW MEMBERS

ON PROFESSION OF FAITH IN CHRIST:
1. Mr. Keith Rex McBryde, 918 Twinbrook
FOR BAPTISM FROM OTHER DENOMINA-
TION:

2. Mrs. Keith Rex McBryde (Syble)

BY LETTER:

1. Mr. Xenophone Gallos, Room 103,
31 Gamma, U. of W. F.
From: First Baptist, New Smyrna, Fla.
2. Mr. Carlton Keys, 6303 Appomattox
From: Moffett Rd. Baptist, Mobile, Ala.
3. Mrs. Carlton Keyes
4. Miss Karen Keys



CLASS OFFICERS CLINIC

The night of Monday, October 23, has
been set for our Adult Class Officers Clinic.
You'll keep that date in mind and keep
working toward it.



SUNDAY, OCTOBER 8

* 9:30 a.m.—Sunday School for all ages
M. A. H. Arnold, Supt.
* 11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship, Mr. Bizzell
Broadcast over Station WCOA
2:30 p.m.—Association G.A. Meeting
Brownsville Baptist Church
4:30 p.m.—Youth Choir Rehearsal
* 6:00 p.m.—Training Union
* 7:15 p.m.—Evening Worship
8:45 p.m.—Citywide Singspiration
at St. Mark Methodist Church,
2201 N. 12th Avenue.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 10

*10:00 a.m.—W.M.S. Circles
7:00 p.m.—Boy Scouts

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 11

* 4:45 p.m.—Children's Choirs
Junior High G.A.'s and R.A.'s.
* 5:50 p.m.—Fellowship Dinner:
* 6:30 p.m.—Teachers and Office's Meeting
Sunbeams, G.A.'s, R.A.'s, YWAs,
Junior High Choir
* 7:30 p.m.—Prayer Service—Business Meeting
* 8:15 p.m.—Adult Choir Rehearsal

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 12

9:30 a.m.—Associational W.M.U. Day
of Instruction — Woodlawn
7:00 p.m.—Adult D (SS Dept.)
Covered Dish Supper

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



W.M.S. CIRCLES

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 10

10:00 a.m.—T. N. CALLAWAY will meet with
Mrs. T. A. Shell, 4180 Fern Court
VIRGINIA COBB will meet with
Mrs. A. W. Butts, Jr.
3320 Timberlane Drive
STANLEY DAVIS will meet with
Mrs. Irvin Roberts,
2006 North Barcelona Street
MARTHA HAYLOCK will meet with
Mrs. John K. Edwards, Jr.
2405 North 18th Avenue
DONALD LANGFORD will meet with
Mrs. Norwood Cobb,
2775 North Escambia Avenue
DOTTSON MILLS will meet with
Mrs. J. T. Moynahan,
403 Sunset Drive, Gulf Breeze
R. C. MOORE will meet with
Mrs. James Nelson,
639 Copley Drive
BERNICE NEEL will meet with
Mrs. Ruth Adams,
1800 East Lloyd Street
MAMIE LOU POSEY will meet with
Mrs. E. F. Warren,
1905 North Baylen Street
LAURA FRANCES SNOW will meet with
Mrs. Robert D. Hinson,
2261 Pineneedle Circle

2:30 p.m.—HARVEY HEADRICK will meet with
Mrs. Myrlin Brooks,
2006 North Barcelona Street



SEE YOU IN SUNDAY SCHOOL