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FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
PALAFOX AND LA RUA STREETS
PENSACOLA, FLORIDA

JAMES L. PLEITZ
PASTOR

DR. McCALL PREACHES SUNDAY



Dr. Duke K. McCall, President of Southern Baptist Theological Seminary, Louisville, Kentucky, will be our visiting preacher on next Sunday.

Dr. McCall was born in Meridian, Mississippi; he is a graduate of Furman University, Greenville, South Carolina and of Southern Baptist Theological Seminary.

He served as pastor of the Broadway Baptist Church, Louisville, Kentucky; as President of the New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary; and as Executive Secretary of the Executive Committee of the Southern Baptist Convention.

We look forward to Dr. McCall's Leadership on Sunday as he preaches on the following topics:

11:00 a.m.—"God's Mysterious Moves"

7:15 p.m.—"The Devil Is Alive"

Pastor's Paragraphs

MADRID CALLING

Several months ago, many of you brought clothing here to the church to be sent to Madrid. The response was truly outstanding. This letter arrived from the Charles Whittens yesterday.

"Dear Pastor and Friends:

"We want to inform you that the past month has been a time of receiving packages from you. These thirty large boxes of used clothing have come through in good condition and have been received with great rejoicing and thanksgiving.

"It seems that the coldest part of Madrid's winter has been held over until March, so it would be impossible for you to fully realize how great has been the need of these people who have had no experience with cold weather.

"A good number of Cuban children are arriving in Spain, unaccompanied, and they have so little clothing with them. With all our hearts we want to thank you and everybody who may have had part in this effort to help provide for the needs of these refugees.

"We will be going on furlough in August of this year, and during the year that we are in the States, we trust that we will have the opportunity to thank you in person.

Most sincerely yours,
Charles and Indy Whitten"

P.S. Make your plans now to be in the Lord's House Sunday. Something exciting is happening down here and you'll want to be a part of it.

James L. Pleitz



BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL RETREAT

Our Business and Professional department is joining with a group from First Baptist Church, Biloxi, Mississippi in a retreat next weekend, March 29-30. The retreat will be held at Camp Kittiwake. Those desiring additional information are asked to call Mr. Bizzell at the church office.



Attend Prayer Service Wednesday

THE LISTENING POST

CONGRATULATIONS TO

Miss Priscilla Maddox, Miss Mary Lenz and Miss Ellen Hooper who earned the honor of charter membership in Mu Alpha Theta. This is an international high school mathematics club recently chartered here and it is a high honor for a high school student to be a member of this club.

Mr. John Ladner for his outstanding performance in basketball at Woodham High.

to Tommy Tolar. Tommy was among those honored at the Fourteenth Annual Honors Convention held at Pensacola Junior College. He was initiated into Phi Theta Kappa chapter of Theta Chi his freshman year. This is his second time to receive this honor.

to Miss Patricia Jernigan upon being initiated into the Sigma Kappa Sorority at University of Florida this past quarter.

EASTER RETREAT

April 12-13—if you have not made your reservation, please do so. Please make your reservation through Miss May's office.



Mrs. J. H. Parker

requests the honour of your presence
at the marriage of her daughter

Linda Jo

to

Mr. Charles Vance Hampton, III

on Saturday, the thirtieth of March
Nineteen hundred and sixty-eight
at half after four o'clock in the afternoon

First Baptist Church
Pensacola, Florida

Reception
following ceremony
Fellowship Hall



SENIOR ADULT FELLOWSHIP

Our Senior Adult Fellowship meeting next Tuesday will feature an old fashioned song-fest and a message by Dr. Robert L. Hughes. The meeting begins at 10:00 a.m. Those attending are asked to bring a covered dish for the luncheon.

OUR CHURCH FAMILY

CONGRATULATIONS TO:

Miss Patricia Stewart and Mr. Keith Clark upon their marriage March 16.
Miss Loraine White and Mr. Doice Stanley Smith upon their marriage March 16 in Mobile, Ala.
Mr. John Hennigan in the loss of his mother.

CUR SYMPATHY TO:

Mr. Freddie Stark in the loss of a sister.
Mrs. Preston Roberts in the loss of a brother.
Mr. Fritz Franke in the loss of his father.

IN THE HOSPITALS:

Baptist:

Mr. Norman Ray Johnson.

Sacred Heart:

Mr. James A. Walker, Mrs. Lois Everett.

Navy:

Mrs. E. Earle Rogers.

HOME FROM HOSPITAL:

Mrs. Katie B. Pippin, Mrs. C. C. McCurley, Mr. John G. Lambeth, Mrs. E. A. Al'en, Sr., Mr. Harold Drown, Mrs. Henry Smith.



THE VERY NEWEST

The rosebud on the pulpit Sunday was placed there in honor of

KRISTIN MONTAREE ROGERS
daughter of
Lt. and Mrs. E. Earle Rogers
born March 15



ASSOCIATIONAL YOUTH NIGHT SATURDAY, MARCH 30

7:30 p.m.

Central Baptist Church

Featuring the new folk-musical entitled
"Good News."



What we owe our children the church helps us pay.



Faith and hope may die, but charity lives on.

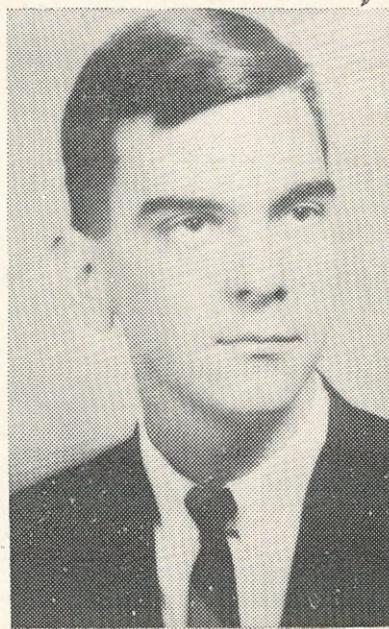
WMS STUDY COURSE

TUESDAY, MARCH 26, 7 P.M.
FELLOWSHIP HALL

Misses Genevieve and Annie Everett
will be teaching the book

TRUMPETS IN DIXIE

ORGAN RECITAL SUNDAY



Mr. Charles Rogers will present a recital of organ music next Sunday afternoon at 3:00.

Mr. Rogers is a senior at Stetson University where he will receive a degree in Church Music and Organ.

While a student at Stetson University, he has served as Dean of the University Madrigal Singers, and as Student Conductor of the Concert Choir.

During his high school days, he began work as church organist in the North Park Baptist Church of Orlando — his home town. He is a member of American Guild of Organists.

Mr. Rogers, the brother of our member, Mr. Earl Rogers, is a very fine organist. You will want to attend the concert on Sunday.



JOINT SUNDAY SCHOOL AND TRAINING UNION WORKSHOP

(For Intermediate and Young Peoples
Leaders)

Monday, March 25

2:30 - 9:15 p.m.

First Baptist Church, Panama City



ASSOCIATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL MEETING

Brownsville Baptist Church

Monday, March 25
7:00 p.m.

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



LOOKING AT LAST SUNDAY

The Church in Study	1255
Main Sunday School	1232
Crippled Children's Home	23
The Church in Training	198
Additions to church membership	5
Baptized	4
Tithes and Offerings:	
Budget	\$5,525.35
Specials	936.97
Building Fund	5.00
TOTAL OFFERING	\$6,467.32



ANNIE ARMSTRONG OFFERING\$2,066.21



NEW MEMBERS

FOR BAPTISM FROM OTHER
DENOMINATION:

18. Mr. Richard John Westberry,
19 Linda St.

BY LETTER:

97. Dr. Victor Goeller,
Rt. 4, Box 112
From: Memorial Baptist,
New Orleans, La.
98. Mrs. Victor Goeller
From: Central Baptist, Pensacola
100. Miss Penelope Salter,
7155 North 9th, Apt. 205
From: Camden Baptist, Camden, Ala.
101. Mrs. Bob M. Thornton,
1157 Ellyson Drive
From: First Baptist, Hurtsboro, Ala.

BAPTIZED:

Julie Ann Ashley, Keith Ashley,
David Bercaw, Mrs. J. Leon Flowers



SUNDAY, MARCH 24

- * 9:30 a.m.—Sunday School for all ages
Mr. A. H. Arnold, Supt.
- * 11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship,
Dr. Duke McCall
Broadcast over Station WCOA
- 3:00 p.m.—Organ Recital
- 4:00 p.m.—Youth Choir Rehearsal
- 5:00 p.m.—Intermediate Sword Drill
Intermediate 13 Department
- 5:30 p.m.—Junior Sword Drill
Junior 12 Department
- * 6:00 p.m.—Training Union for all ages
Mr. Willard Vickery, Director
- * 7:15 p.m.—Evening Worship,
Dr. Duke McCall

MONDAY, MARCH 25

- 2:30 p.m.—Joint Sunday School and Training Union Workshop (Int. and YP Leaders) First Baptist Church, Panama City
- 7:00 p.m.—Associational Sunday School Meeting, Brownsville Baptist

TUESDAY, MARCH 26

- 10:00 a.m.—Senior Adult Fellowship
- 12:00 Noon—Covered Dish Luncheon
- 7:00 p.m.—Night Society—Mission Study Fellowship Hall

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 27

- * 4:45 p.m.—Children's Choirs
Junior High R.A.'s and G.A.'s
- * 5:50 p.m.—Fellowship Dinner
- * 6:30 p.m.—Sunbeams, G.A.'s and R.A.'s, YWA's, Junior High Choir Rehearsal
- * 7:30 p.m.—Prayer Service
- * 8:00 p.m.—Adult Choir Rehearsal

SATURDAY, MARCH 30

- 7:30 p.m.—Associational Youth Night
Central Baptist Church



DAILY BIBLE READINGS

SUN., March 24: "I Have Hoped In Thy Word"
Psalm 119:73-80. Key Verse 74.

MON., March 25: "Thy Commandments Are Faithful"
Psalm 119:81-88. Key Verse 86a.

TUES., March 26: "I Will Never Forget"
Psalm 119:89-96. Key Verse 93.

WED., March 27: "How I Love Thy Law"
Psalm 119:97-104. Key Verse 97.

THURS., March 28: "Thy Word Is A Lamp"
Psalm 119:105-112. Key Verse 105.

FRI., March 29: "My Hiding Place And Shield"
Psalm 119:113-120. Key Verse 114a.

SAT., March 30: "I Am Thy Servant"
Psalm 119:121-128. Key Verse 125.



**Remember Our Revival Date
April 14-21**