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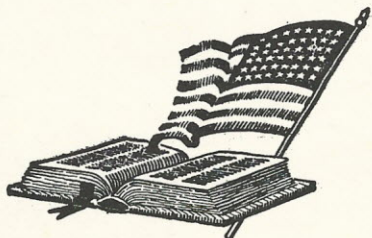
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## *A Prayer for Our Country*

LORD GOD OF HEAVEN, who hath so lavishly blessed this land, make us, Thy people, to be humble. Keep us ever aware that the good things we enjoy have come from Thee, that Thou didst lend them to us.

IMPRESS UPON OUR SMUGNESS the knowledge that we are not owners—but stewards; remind us, lest we become filled with conceit, that one day a reckoning will be required of us.

SANCTIFY OUR LOVE OF COUNTRY, that our boasting may be turned into humility and our pride into a ministry to men everywhere.

HELP US TO MAKE THIS GOD'S OWN COUNTRY, by living like God's own people. Amen.

—Peter Marshall

## CENTURYMEN TO BE SEEN ON TV

The Centurymen, a group of Ministers of Music who have been organized by the Radio & Television Commission for special appearances, have been invited to participate in the Honor America Day activities in Washington on July 4th. They are to be featured at the Billy Graham service at the Lincoln Memorial. They will also be a part of the program featuring Bob Hope that evening. WALA-TV (Channel 10) will carry this program on Sunday, July 5, at 10:30 P.M.

### "MASTERCONTROL"

The "MasterControl"\* program for next Sunday includes an interview with an author from Texas, and a jail prisoner in Gulfport, Mississippi. The commentary by Dr. Pleitz is entitled "Transforming Monsters Into Men." Pass the word to your friends and be listening Sunday morning, 7:30, on WCOA.

### DEACONS OF THE MONTH FOR JULY

Mr. O. F. (Ben) Aultman  
Mr. Joe G. Brookins

### SUNDAY IN OUR CHURCH

11:00 A. M.

Presentation of and Pledge to American Flag

by Boy Scouts

Chief D. P. Caldwell will speak briefly representing the Gideons

Message: "Free Indeed" — Clyde K. Bizzell

7:15 P. M.

"Winning Losers"

Clyde K. Bizzell, Preaching

### LIBRARY NOTES READ THE PREACHER AROUND THE WORLD

Explore the Holy Land with our Preacher who is spending five days there. Travel by book. May we suggest:

Holy, Holy Land — Wallis

Jerusalem Windows — Chagall

Pontius Pilot — Maier

Wild Goats of Eiu Gedi — Weiner

Arab and Jew in the Land of Canaan — Beatty

This Is Isreal — Huebener

## FOCUS ON FIRST FOLKS

TELL magazine, the July issue, contains in a program for Junior G.A.'s an article entitled "Come Over And Help Us." This program contains the record with pictures of our church's response to the needs following Camille. A copy of this is available in the library for those who have not already seen it.

JOE BILL ADAMS was one of ten young people at the Church Music Workshop in Ridgecrest chosen to participate in recital. There are approximately 150 young people participating in this workshop. He is also a member of the orchestra playing for the oratorio, "What Is Man?"

CYNTHIA ARNOLD, REBECCA DAVIS and MIKE LEWIS recently graduated from Sanford University.

MRS. CHARLES OVERMAN, III graduated from University of Florida.

GERALD SMITH graduated from University of West Florida.

DENNIE ARNOLD received Superior Rating in Piano from Florida State Music Teachers Association.

Joe Bill Adams will be serving on the staff at Ridgecrest Music Week and playing in the orchestra.

### OUR CHURCH FAMILY

#### CONGRATULATIONS TO:

Mr. Gerald Wayne Smith and Miss Bonnie Ellen Arute on their marriage June 27 in Mobile, Alabama.

#### OUR SYMPATHY TO:

Mrs. Amzie Wilson in the loss of a brother.

#### IN THE HOSPITALS:

Baptist — Mr. Claude Tart, Mrs. Joe Tillman, Mrs. Jesse L. Smith, Mrs. Lillian Crosby, Mrs. H. G. Gray, Mr. E. H. Lundy, Jr., Mrs. Charles Leaman.

Sacred Heart — Mrs. J. E. Bratcher, Mr. Lee Vann Byrd, Mrs. Charles B. Perry, Mrs. J. E. Kelly, Mrs. R. L. Kendrick, Mr. Keith King.

#### HOME FROM HOSPITAL:

Mr. Sam Hall, Sr., Tommy Moulyet, Mrs. Bessie Parks, Mrs. Lennie Bonham, Mrs. Mary Dargacz, Mrs. Don Schroeder, Mrs. O.C. Butler, Keith Ashley, Paul Renfroe, James A. Parish, Jr., Mrs. Charles Cutchens, Mrs. George Markham, Sr., Mrs. W. W. Foster.



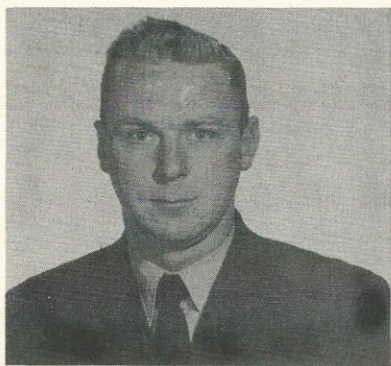
**THESE WERE RECEIVED INTO  
CHURCH MEMBERSHIP  
LAST WEEK**



**Howard N. Aldredge**



**Linda Owens**



**LCDR. JOHN M. PEEPLES**  
**HAL-3 DET. No. 6**  
**FPO, SAN FRANCISCO 96627**

Write to the Serviceman of the Week, pray for him, and remember him in some way.

If you know of a member of our church in service, please call the church office, 433-5631. now.

**WMS DAY SOCIETY  
GENERAL MEETNG  
TUESDAY, JULY 7**

**Adult "A" Department**

10:00 A.M. — Bible Study

10:30 A.M. — Business

11:15 A.M. — Program

12:00 Noon — Lunch

Robert Hughes Group will meet immediately following lunch.

Dottson Mills Group meets immediately following lunch.

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**NEW MISSIONARY APPOINTEE  
TO SPEAK**

Miss Linda Crawford of Bagdad, Florida will be the speaker for the meeting. Linda was appointed as a Missionary to Brazil on March 12. She will serve in a social work position in a Good Will Center there. Linda graduated from the School of Religious Education of Southern Seminary in Louisville in May. While completing her studies, she has been Assistant Director of the Week Day Ministry Program of Jefferson Street Chapel in Louisville.

In addition to the Nursery for Preschool Children there will be planned activities for older children during the WMS meeting. This will be in Adult C. Department, Basement Floor of Educational Building.



In the above picture Linda discusses her appointment with Walter Delamarter, one of her teachers at Southern Seminary.



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## LOOKING AT LAST WEEK

The Church in Study .....	1046
Main Sunday School .....	1028
Crippled Children's Home .....	18
The Church in Training .....	324
Training Union .....	137
Other Training Activities .....	187
Coming for Membership .....	4
Tithes and Offerings:	
Budget .....	5252.74
Specials .....	179.63
TOTAL OFFERINGS .....	5,432.37

## Opportunities of the Week

### SUNDAY, JULY 5

- \* 9:30 A.M. — Sunday School
- \* 11:00 A.M. — Morning Worship
- 4:00 P.M. — Youth Choir Rehearsal
- \* 6:00 P.M. — Training Union
- \* 7:15 P.M. — Evening Worship

### MONDAY, JULY 6

- 7:30 P.M. — TALCO Meeting, Heights Baptist Church

### TUESDAY, JULY 7

- \* 10:00 A.M. — Day Society
- 12:30 P.M. — Dottson Mills Group meets

### WEDNESDAY, JULY 8

- \* 5:50 P.M. — Fellowship Dinner
- \* 6:30 P.M. — Sunday School Officers and Teachers meeting, Sunbeams, G.A.'s and R.A.'s
- \* 7:30 P.M. — Prayer Service
- \* 8:00 P.M. — Adult Choir Rehearsal

### THURSDAY, JULY 9

- 7:30 P.M. — Ruth Class, Adult A — Pizza Party in "The Cellar"

## DAILY BIBLE READINGS

- Sun., July 5: "Blessed Hunger"  
Matthew 5:1-12. Key Verse 6
- Mon., July 6: "Sincerity in Religion"  
Matthew 6:1-8. Key Verse 1.
- Tues., July 7: "A Disciple Like His Teacher"  
Luke 6:37-42. Key Verse 40.
- Wed., July 8: "Four Kinds of Soil"  
Matthew 13:1-9, 18-23. Key Verses 8-9.
- Thurs., July 9: "Hidden Treasure"  
Matthew 13:31-35, 44-45. Key Verse 44.
- Fri., July 10: "Beware of Covetousness"  
Luke 12:13-21. Key Verse 15.
- Sat., July 11: "Love is Supreme"  
Mark 12:28-34. Key Verses 30-31.

## COMING FOR MEMBERSHIP

### ON PROFESSION OF FAITH IN CHRIST:

- 56. Paul Ellis Poe, 1512 E. Burgess

### BY LETTER:

- 164. Mr. E.L. Puckett, 117 Pintado Dr.  
From: Warrington Baptist, Pensacola
- 165. Mrs. E.L. Puckett
- 166. Miss Patricia Puckett (Tricia)