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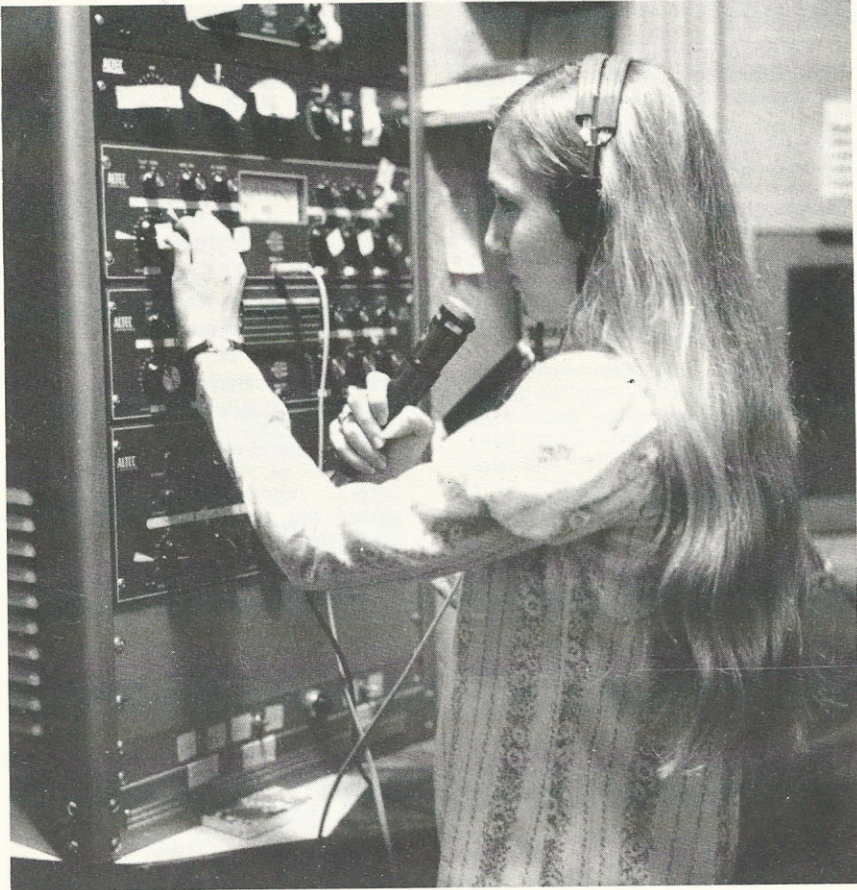
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"AND, I'M LOOKING FORWARD TO SEEING EVERYBODY SUNDAY"



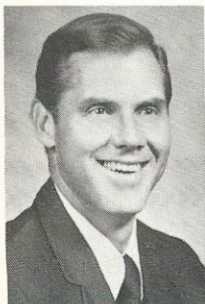
Sherry Corley was one of our young people on OPERATION: GOOD SAMARITAN-SOUTH. We've missed them and are looking forward to seeing all of them Sunday.

You'll want to be here for Sunday School and all of the Services Sunday.

Pastor's Paragraphs

"AUGUST 24—SANTO DOMINGO— DOMINICAN REPUBLIC"

Only the good Lord knows how many lives have been touched and changed by OPERATION: GOOD SAMARITAN-SOUTH. From the standpoint of the physical, some 2,000 people have received some sort of treatment from the medical teams. The treatment continues.



Two operations are scheduled for today. Dr. Clevenger and his team of young people will be operating at the Baptist Temple. In the very spot where the pastor speaks of Jesus giving sight to the blind — the blind will be given sight. It's a thrilling thing to witness a cataract operation and see the patient get up and walk home!

There is no way these spiritual results can be calculated. Literally thousands of people have heard our choir sing and our young people testify for Jesus Christ. The President of the Republic, Joaquin Balaguer, expressed his deep appreciation to the Samaritans for their work in the Dominican Republic. A multitude of others have joined the President in expressing their thanks.

Our young people have wept during the past 2 weeks as they have seen the needs of the Dominicans, but more than their emotions have been stirred. They have rolled up their sleeves and touched sick bodies with healing hands. They have touched countless hearts while speaking for Jesus Christ in 3 languages. They have spoken in English and Spanish and in the most convincing language of all — THE LANGUAGE OF LOVE.

The good Lord willing, we will be home by the time you receive this bulletin. I'll look forward to seeing you in God's House Sunday in Pensacola.

Faithfully your pastor,

James L. Pleitz

SERMON TOPICS

11:00 A.M.

"SAMARITANS - 1971 STYLE"

(Luke 10:25-37)

7:15 P.M.

REPORTS FROM THE SAMARITANS

DEACON NOMINEES

The Committee on the Nomination of Deacons presents the following men as nominees:

Claude Adkison
Ernest Barrineau
Joseph Boykin
Charles Burns
Paul Caro
Phillip Cooper
Clarence Dannelly
Clay S. Davis
Newman Davis
B. T. Dean
Elliott Dobelstein
Bob Fetrow
Jack Harless
Wayne Hickman
Robert Hinson
George Holladay
W. E. Jackson
G. R. McDonald
O. R. McNair
Frank Patterson
David Raley
J. P. Register
Billy Renfroe
Bart Rowell
Tom Wash
Malcolm White
R. H. Wilson, Jr.
Robert K. Wilson
Roger Yonker

The Committee wishes to thank the members of the congregation for their helpful suggestions. Every name suggested was considered by the Committee. Many men requested that their names not appear on the ballot. In order to help members of the congregation to know these men, next week's Builder will carry pictures of all nominees.

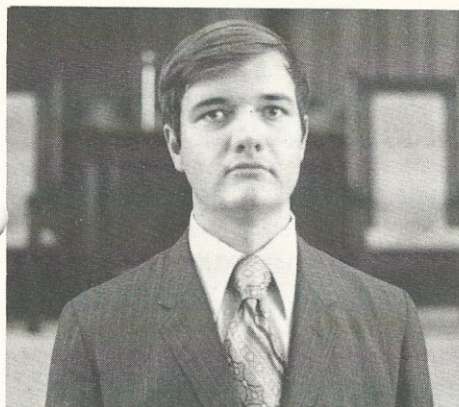
The election of deacons will take place at the 11:00 o'clock service on Sunday, September 12, when 11 men will be elected.

If for any reason you will not be here on September 12, you may secure an absentee ballot from the church office and return it prior to September 12.

Let us be much in prayer for God's leadership in this matter.

Associational Brotherhood Meeting, Monday, August 30, Circle Baptist Church; Speaker, Rev. Talmadge Smith, Pastor, Cinco Baptist Church, Fort Walton Beach, Florida, 6:45 P.M. Tickets (\$1.00 each) available now.

**RECEIVED INTO CHURCH
MEMBERSHIP LAST WEEK**



Gene Carpenter

**Choir Enrolment Party
THE CARNIVAL ON THE MOON
Saturday, August 28 - 10:30-12:00**

OUR CHURCH FAMILY

IN THE HOSPITALS:

Baptist

Mrs. Charles H. (Sybil) Payne, Mr. Clyde Hood, Mrs. Kenneth M. (Dorothy) Abagis, Mr. Herman Mertins, Mr. Herman O. Williams, Mrs. George A. (Florence) Reed

Specialty Care Center

Mrs. Roy. (Valena) Macon, Mrs. Clara Beard

Sacred Heart

Mr. R. C. Merritt, Mr. John Bratcher

HOME FROM THE HOSPITAL:

Mr. Lee Hardy, Mrs. P. O. (Ruby) Davis, Mr. L. V. Byrd, Mrs. Woodrow J. (Jeanette) Darden, Mrs. Tim (Linda) Brown, Mrs. Roger A. (Emmaline) Mullings, Andrea Johnson, Miss Occie Clubbs transferred to Rosemont Nursing Home, Mrs. Louis (Doris) Berlin

CONGRATULATIONS TO:

Belinda Carol Prickett and Thomas L. Butler on their marriage August 14.

SYMPAHTY TO:

Miss Leah Ware and Mr. Jack Ware in the loss of their mother.

*Mr. and Mrs. William Thomas Guyette
request the honor of your presence
at the marriage of their daughter
Verna Virginia
to*

*Mr. Homer Russell Dell
on Saturday, the fourth of September
nineteen hundred and seventy-one
at eleven o'clock
First Baptist Church
Pensacola, Florida*

*Reception
following the ceremony
at the Church*

IN MEMORIAM
Mrs. G. C. Ware
1721 North Baylen
Joined our church by transfer of letter
October 17, 1940
Deceased August 19, 1971

**DEACONS OF THE MONTH
FOR SEPTEMBER**

Paul Gray
W. T. Creel

THE VERY NEWEST

The Rosebuds on the pulpit Sunday were
placed there in honor of
MASTER TIMOTHY LEE BROWN, II
son of

Mr. & Mrs. Tim Brown
born August 18, 1971

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MASTER MICHAEL DAVID MULLINGS
son of

Mr. & Mrs. Roger A. Mullings
born August 17, 1971

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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 WEEK

The Church in Study1085
Main Sunday School1060
Crippled Children's Home 25
The Church in Training270
Training Union164
Other Training Activities106
Tithes and Offerings:
Budget4,863.88
Specials 211.05
TOTAL OFFERING5,074.93

DAILY BIBLE READINGS

Sunday, August 29: "They That Wait"

Isaiah 30: 8-19

Monday, August 30: "The Eyes Shall See"

Isaiah 33:13-22

Tuesday, August 31: "Waiting for the Beat"

Luke 12:31-40

Wednesday, September 1: "Faith, Yet

Faithful" Judges 8:1-9

Thursday, September 2: "The Long Road"

Luke 13:31-35

Friday, September 3: "Don't Stop

Knocking" Acts 12:1-16

Saturday, September 4: "Mind What

You Expect" Job 6:1-14

Opportunities of the Week

SUNDAY, AUGUST 29

- * 9:30 A.M.—Sunday School
- *11:00 A.M.—Morning Worship
- 3:00 P.M.—"The Reasons Why"
Rehearsal
- 4:00 P.M.—Youth Choir Rehearsal
- 5:00 P.M.—Woodwind Ensemble
Rehearsal
- * 6:00 P.M.—Christian Training Hour
- * 7:15 P.M.—Evening Worship

MONDAY, AUGUST 30

- 6:45 P.M.—Association Brotherhood Meet-
ing, Circle Baptist Church.

TUESDAY, AUGUST 31

- 7:30 P.M.—Boy Scouts "The Cellar"

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 1

- * 4:45 P.M.—Choirs
- * 5:50 P.M.—Fellowship Dinner
- * 6:30 P.M.—Sunday School Officers and
Teachers Meeting, Mission
Friends, GA's, Acteens and
RA's, Brass Ensemble Re-
hearsal
- * 7:30 P.M.—Prayer Service
- * 8:00 P.M.—Adult Choir Rehearsal

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 2

- 2:30 P.M.—Faithful Workers Business
and Social Meeting, "The
Cellar"

FOCUS ON FIRST FOLKS

Linda Russell recently graduated from Pensacola Junior College. She will this Fall be attending Georgia Southern at Statesboro, Georgia.

CHOIR YEAR BEGINS

WEDNESDAY,

SEPTEMBER 1

All children's choirs rehearse at 4:45 each Wednesday. Youth Choir (for all High School students) rehearses each Sunday in the Choir Room.

The Adult Choir (for college age and older) rehearses each Wednesday at 8:00 in the Choir Room.

Remember Choir Enrolment party Saturday, August 28, 10:30 A.M. in the Church Dining Room.