



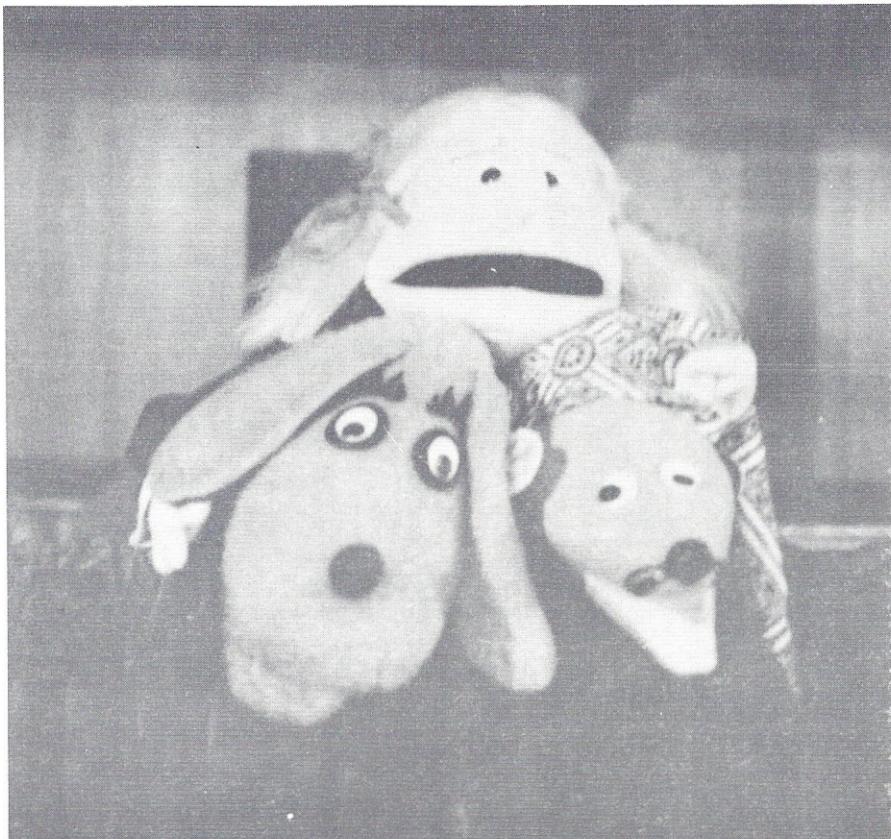
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Bertha and her puppet friends invite you to join them at Vacation Bible School July 15-19.



SUNDAY'S PREACHER

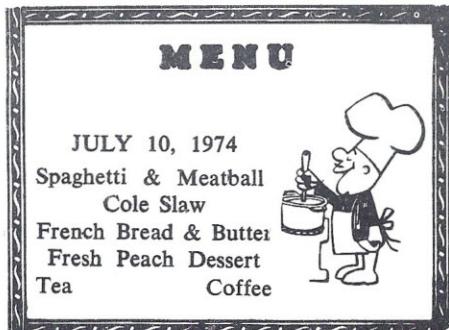


Missionary Robert D. Hardy will be our preacher for both services on Sunday. Brother Hardy and his wife are Southern Baptist Missionaries to Japan stationed in Kobe where he does general evangelism work. Prior to moving to Kobe, the Hardys lived in Kyoto. The Hardys have three daughters, Martha, Kathy, and Joy. They have just arrived in the States for a year of furlough and will be spending the first several weeks of their furlough as guests in our missionary residence before moving to their permanent furlough address.

We are happy to welcome them and look forward to hearing Brother Hardy at both services on Sunday.

PASTOR RETURNS FOR WEDNESDAY

The Pastor and Mrs. Pleitz will be back the first of the week. They'll be here for Wednesday night. Let's all be here to greet them.



BUS MINISTRY REPORT

Bus No.	Captain	Rds.	Wks.	Total
1	B. Warren Mr. & Mrs. L. Holt	15	6	21
2	M. Dickson E. Dunson	20	9	29
3	R. Trigg L. Langston	19	5	24
4	W. Nell R. Hornsby	19	3	22
5	B. Pope Al Ford	19	2	21
6	J. McNeill T. Lutrick	14	7	21
7	T. Ansley P. Pendleton	14	9	23
8	D. Workman L. Clevenger	15	2	17
9	B. Bell	13	4	17
		148	47	195

Welcome to our new bus captain, Phil Pendleton. Honor bus this week was Bus 2 with 20 riders.

OUR CHURCH FAMILY

IN THE HOSPITALS:

Baptist

Mrs. Gladys Poynter, Miss Annie Mertins, Mrs. Cecil Ray, Mr. Raymond Harper, Mr. Jessee L. Henderson

Specialty Care

Mrs. A. J. Butler

Sacred Heart

Mrs. Gladys Knight, James S. Ward

HOME FROM THE HOSPITAL:

Mrs. Lennie Bonham, Mrs. John Berry, Neil Blue, Mrs. Herman Johnson, K. S. Hudson, Mrs. Bennie Johns, Katrina Calaway, Mrs. G. P. (Ethel) Cobb, Sr.

SYMPATHY TO:

W. E. Jackson in the loss of his mother. Elmer Deering in the loss of his brother.

THE VERY NEWEST

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

MASTER

JOHN WESLEY RUTHERFORD
son of

Mr. and Mrs. John Rutherford
born July 2, 1974

RECEIVED INTO MEMBERSHIP LAST WEEK



Cathy Hurt

Also received were *Mark Castleberry* and *Mike Johnson*.

DAILY BIBLE READINGS

Sunday, July 14: "Sins Are Forgiven" Luke 5:17-26
Monday, July 15: "Do Good on the Sabbath" Luke 6:1-10
Tuesday, July 16: "Love Your Enemies" Luke 6:20-29
Wednesday, July 17: "Judge Not" Luke 6:30-38
Thursday, July 18: "Be Obedient" Luke 6:39-49
Friday, July 19: "The Way of Faith" Luke 7:1-10
Saturday, July 20: "God's Way Demonstrated" Luke 7:11-23

YOUTH RECREATION

Due to popular demand, we will go skating again this Monday, July 15, from 7:00-10:00 P.M. at Dreamland Skating Rink. The cost will be \$1.50. *All Middle School, High School, and College youth are invited.* In order to have as much time as possible to skate, meet at the Church at 6:40 P.M. We will try to leave promptly at 6:50 P.M.

BUSINESS MEETING JULY 14, 1974

At the close of the evening worship service.

1. Recommendation from the Deacons that the church budget be amended to add an additional \$1,000 to the budget figure of \$1,500 for High School-College major activity, this is to be used as the church's portion for 68 young people and counselors to attend the Basic Youth Conflicts Institute in Dallas, Texas July 21-28.

MEMORIAL FLOWERS

The flowers in the Sanctuary this Sunday are in memory of Mrs. Dorothy Moore and are given by her family.

SENIOR ADULT FELLOWSHIP TRIP TO BANK

The Senior Adult Fellowship is sponsoring a trip to a local bank on next Thursday. We will leave from the church at 10:00 A.M. Reservations should be made by calling the church office.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL JULY 15 - 19

9:00 A.M. - 1:00 P.M.

PS 3A—Born in 1970 — Birthdays September - December
PS 3B—Born in 1970 — Birthdays May - August
PS 3C—Born in 1970 — Birthdays January - May
PS 4A—Born in 1969 — Birthdays August - December
PS 4B—Born in 1969 — Birthdays March - July
PS 4C—Born in 1969 — Birthdays January - February (located in Special Education Room)
PS 5A—Born in 1968 — Birthdays September - December
PS 5B—Born in 1968 — Birthdays May - August
PS 5C—Born in 1968 — Birthdays January - April

The following elementary departments will be according to grades completed last school year.

- 1st Grade A—Birthdays September - December
- 1st Grade B—Birthdays May - August
- 1st Grade C—Birthdays January - April (located in Cerebral Palsy room)
- 2nd Grade A—Birthdays September - December
- 2nd Grade B—Birthdays May - August
- 2nd Grade C—Birthdays January - April
- 3rd Grade A—Birthdays September - December
- 3rd Grade B—Birthdays May - August
- 3rd Grade C—Birthdays January - April (Located in college dept.)
- 4th Grade—Located on first floor behind library.
- 5th Grade—Located on Second floor in library building.
(All other departments are located in Educational Building.)

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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 Study	1116
Main Sunday School	1094
Crippled Children's Home	22
The Church in Training	226
Christian Training Hour	115
Other Training Activities	111
Tithes and Offerings:	
Budget	\$11,129.36
Specials	2,278.59
 TOTAL OFFERING	\$13,407.95

EXTENDED SESSION WORKERS

SUNDAY, JULY 14, 1974

A—Mrs. Ray Wise
B—Mrs. Joe Saiter
C—Mrs. Robert Stone
1A—Mrs. T. R. Walker
1B—Miss Marilyn Merchant
2A—Mrs. Doug Claybrook
2B—Mrs. Leon Flowers
3A—Mrs. Ben McLeod
3B—Mrs. Carroll Hughes
—Miss Ruth Ackerman
3C—Mr. and Mrs. Larry Hicks
4A—Mrs. Joel Enderson
4B—Mr. and Mrs. Robert Thorsen

OPPORTUNITIES of the WEEK

Sunday, July 14

- * 9:30 A.M.—Sunday School
New Members Class No. 2
- * 11:00 A.M.—Morning Worship
4:45 P.M.—Youth Choir Rehearsal
5:15 P.M.—Explorer's Bible Drill —
Youth 6 Dept.
- * 6:00 P.M.—Christian Training Hour
- * 7:15 P.M.—Evening Worship
Business Meeting

Monday, July 15

- 9:00 A.M.-1:00 P.M.—Vacation Bible School
- 10:00 A.M.—Intercessory Prayer Group
7:00-10:00 P.M.—Youth Recreation —
Middle School, High School,
and College - Skating at
Dreamland Skating Rink

Tuesday, July 16

- 9:00 A.M.-1:00 P.M.—Vacation Bible School
- 11:00 A.M.—Laura Stoesen Roundtable
with Mrs. George Markham,
3811 Idlewood Dr.

Wednesday, July 17

- 9:00 A.M.-1:00 P.M.—Vacation Bible School
- * 6:00 P.M.—Fellowship Dinner
- * 6:25 P.M.—Prayer Service
- * 6:40 P.M.—Mission Friends, GA's, RA's,
Acteens, Sunday School Officers
and Teachers, Joy Group
—Bible Study & Prayer
—Visitation
- * 7:30 P.M.—Visitation
—Adult Choir Rehearsal

Thursday, July 18

- 9:00 A.M.-1:00 P.M.—Vacation Bible School
- 9:30 A.M.—Faithful Workers Visitation
- 10:00 A.M.—Senior Adult Fellowship Trip
to local bank
- 6:00 P.M.—Adult 5 Naomi Class Party
in the "Cellar"
- 7:00 P.M.—Youth Bible Study in the
Sanctuary

Friday, July 19

- 9:00 A.M.-1:00 P.M.—Vacation Bible School