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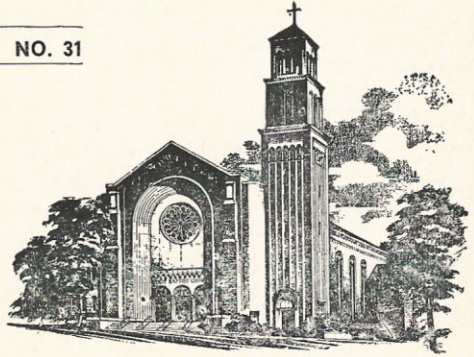
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PASTOR



The Good Habit of Church Going

1. IT KEEPS your heart in constant tune with God.
2. IT KEEPS your mind on the great necessity for having God's Word spread throughout all nations.
3. IT IMPROVES your character by learning the great examples that Christ gave to us.
4. IT IMPROVES your disposition by learning to be meek and humble like Christ.
5. IT HELPS in your everyday life by learning to love one another, even as Christ loved you.
6. IT TEACHES you to give and know the wonderful joy you receive by giving.
7. IT TEACHES you to pray, for prayer is the answer to many of your problems.
8. IT GIVES your soul great joy and comfort to worship God and know that He is near.
9. IT SHOWS the world that you are working for Christ and His Kingdom.
10. IT IS the way that Christ intended for you to do. As His Word says, "Not forsaking the assembling of ourselves together." "For where two or three are gathered together in My Name, there am I in the midst of them."

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SERMON TOPICS

11:00 A.M.

"The Three-Way Test"

(James 1:26-27)

8:00 P.M.

Message by Don Doyle

Pastor's Paragraphs

NATIONAL SMILE WEEK

During the course of the year we have all sorts of special weeks on our calendar. Although there are just 52 weeks in the

year, there are at least three times this many weeks devoted to one thing or another. There is a week set aside to honor those in the dairy industry. There is one to honor Barber Shop singers and believe it or not, there is a National Pickle Week.

This coming August 7 will be the first day of a very special week in America. I hope that you plan to take part in its celebration. It is National Smile Week. (You say you never celebrate it? What a pity! I wish we could stretch this celebration into a month or better still, a year.)

I am convinced that Jesus came that we might be able to smile — to really enjoy life. Christ said, "I am come that you might have life and that you might have it more abundantly"

If you are not able to smile, my friend, this would seem to indicate your life is not being lived in union with Christ. Why not make His way your way? Then you will be able to celebrate National Smile Week all year long!

I'll look forward to seeing you Sunday. I'll be smiling, how 'bout you!

Faithfully your pastor,

James L. Plettz

DEACONS OF THE MONTH FOR AUGUST

Mr. David L. Raley, Sr
Mr. Adolph Fields

OUR CHURCH FAMILY

IN THE HOSPITALS

Baptist

Mrs. L. D. Allen, Mrs. Nell Beasley, Mrs. Joe Harrison, Mrs. Olive Manheim, Mr. J. L. Mayo, Mrs. C. T. Peterson, Mrs. James (Florence) Ward, Cole Odom, Mr. John S. Baisden, Mrs. James Lowman.

Sacred Heart

Mrs. L. W. Bell, Mr. C. B. Dykes, Mrs. Genevieve Shaffer, Mrs. Amzie Wilson, Mr. J. C. Cunningham.

Navy

Bill Burmeister.

HOME FROM HOSPITAL:

Mrs. Ray Minton, Mrs. E. C. McAdams, Mrs. Bob Todd, Mr. E. R. Cunningham, Mr. Calvin Heine, Mrs. W. A. Everett.

OUR SYMPATHY TO:

Mrs. Ossie Godwin in the loss of a brother.

Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Wise in the loss of their infant son.

Mr. B. H. Overton in the loss of a brother.



LIBRARY NOTES

Some new books for Adults

"Men Who Knew Jesus"—Borgwardt

"The Art of Leadership"—Tead

"Helping Your Gifted Child"—Strong

"Luther Rice: believer in tomorrow"
—Thompson

"Technique of Handling People"—Laird

"Life & Times of Martin Luther"

—D'Aubigne

"And God Wants People"—Lacy

"Fire On The Earth"—Powell

For Teenagers and Young People

"Enjoy Your Parents"—Powell

"Teenager Is Not A Disease"—Schuly

"From High School to a Job"—Paradise

For Juniors

"Manners for Minors"—Leob

"They Lived Like This in Palestine"
Neurath

"Getting to Know Nigeria"—Olden

"Jamestown, the first English Colony"
—Fishwick

"Amy Moves In"—Sacks

"The Mystery of the Talking Well"
—Bower

For Children

"Cubby's World"—Trent

"Story of Cousin George"—Monseil

"My Church Helps Me Learn"—Stimson

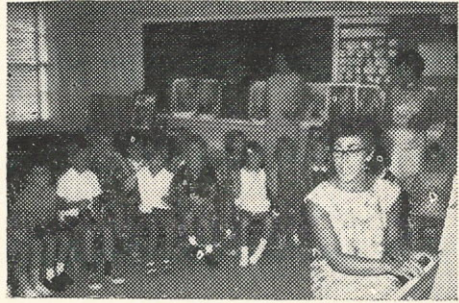
"When Summer Comes"—Fox

"When Winter Comes"—Fox

**THESE AND HUNDREDS OF OTHERS
HAVE BEEN IN BIBLE SCHOOL
THIS WEEK**



3 Year Olds



Beginners Sing



Juniors At Work



**IF YOU ARE BETWEEN 3-16
YOU OUGHT TO BE
HERE NEXT WEEK**

CURRICULUM RECOMMENDATION

On next Wednesday night at Prayer Service Hour the church will receive a recommendation "that the church continue the Life and Work Curriculum for all Young People's and Adult Departments for the new church year."

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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.



LOOKING AT LAST SUNDAY

The Church in Study.....1061
Main Sunday School.....1043
Crippled Children's Home.....18
The Church in Training.....266
Training Union.....209
Weekday.....52
Additions to church membership.....6
Tithes and Offerings:
Lauget.....\$5,156.63
Specias.....88.93
Building Fund.....5.00
TOTAL OFFERING.....\$5,250.61



THE VERY NEWEST

The rosebuds on the pulpit Sunday were
placed there in honor of:

MASTER JOHN WILLIAM KELLY

son of

Mr. and Mrs. James R. Kelly
born July 4

MISS ABBEY LOU SHOUPPE

daughter of

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Shouppe
born July 18

MASTER JOHNNY EDMOND GRAY, JR.

son of

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny E. Gray
born July 22



SUNDAY, AUGUST 6

- * 9:30 a.m.—Sunday School for all ages
A. H. Arnold, Superintendent
- * 11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship Pastor
Broadcast over WCOA
- 5:30 p.m.—Youth Choir Rehearsal
- 6:15 p.m.—Junior Sword Drill—Jr. 12 Dept.
- * 6:45 p.m.—Training Union for all ages
F. Willard Vickery, Director
- * 8:00 p.m.—Evening Worship
Baptismal Service
- 9:00 p.m.—Get Togethers:
Sr. High-College—at the home of
Mark and Ben Riddles, 2543 Bay-
view Way

MONDAY, AUGUST 7

- * 8:30-11:30 a.m.—V.B.S. & T.A.B.S.

TUESDAY, AUGUST 8

- * 8:30-11:30 a.m.—V.B.S. & T.A.B.S.
- 7:30 p.m.—Carl Whirley Circle meets with
Mrs. J. C. Rountree, 1600 N.
Baylen

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 9

- * 8:30-11:30 a.m.—V.B.S. & T.A.B.S.
- 4:00 p.m.—Jr. High Girls Ensemble
- 5:00 p.m.—Jr. High Mixed Ensemble
- * 5:50 p.m.—Fellowship Dinner
- * 6:30 p.m.—Officers and Teachers Meeting
Sunbeams, G.A.'s, R.A.'s, YWA's
- * 7:30 p.m.—Prayer Service
- * 8:00 p.m.—Adult Choir Rehearsal

THURSDAY, AUGUST 10

- * 8:30-11:30 a.m.—V.B.S. & T.A.B.S.

FRIDAY, AUGUST 11

- * 8:30-11:30 a.m.—V.B.S. & T.A.B.S.
- * Indicates Nursery will be open 15 minutes
prior to the time indicated above.



NEW MEMBERS

FOR BAPTISM FROM OTHER DENOMINA-
TION:

69. Lt. Donald L. Bainbridge, 710 Scenic
Highway, Apt. 301

BY LETTER:

- 129. Mrs. Donald L. Bainbridge, 710 Scenic
Highway, Apt. 301. From: Ben Hill Bap-
tist Church, Atlanta, Ga.
- 190. Mrs. William C. Morris (Judy), 1115 E.
De Soto. From: First Baptist Chapel of
Santa Rosa, Gulf Breeze
- 191. Mr. Mike Paulk, 412 No. 73rd Ave. From:
College Ave. Baptist, Annapolis, Md.
- 192. Dr. James Robert Ray, 990 Old Corry Rd.
Apt. 605. From: So. Main Baptist, Hous-
ton, Texas
- 193. Mrs. James Robert Ray

READ YOUR BIBLE DAILY
Reading for the Week of August
6 - 12

I Samuel 17, 18, 26
II Samuel 1, 9
I Chronicles 17
Acts 18:18-28