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SUNDAY BEGINS REVIVAL

PASTOR'S CORNER



REVIVAL TIME IS HERE!

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Manley Beasley will be with us this Sunday morning for the opening service of our REVIVAL.

Ron and Pat Owens will join us after Sunday. This is a week I've been long looking forward to. I've deliberately not said much about our evangelists because I feel often so much is said about our evangelists because I feel often so much is said about a preacher or singer that it is difficult for the Lord to use them as He wants. I don't want our eyes on the team but upon Jesus. I don't want us looking to Manley Beasley for revival but to the Lord. And I'm confident God is going to use Manley Beasley in a wonderful way this next week.

Morning services will be at 10:00 a.m. and evening services at 7:30 p.m. Praise the Lord for Re-

PASTOR'S MINISTRY THIS WEEKEND
Thursday night and Friday morning I will be speaking at a Bible Conference in Denison, Texas, then Friday night and Saturday morning at the Couples' retreat in Colorado and that night at a Bible Conference in Archer City, As always I covet your intersections during these times. cessions during these times.

SPEAKING OF THE COUPLES' RETREAT

We had 300 at Ponderosa last weekend and are expecting another 300 this weekend. It is impossible to measure the effect these meetings are having. God is moving in Revival power in Colorado and the Retreats sponsored by the Colorado Evangelism Department emphasizing the Spirit-filled life are playing a great part in it.

ABOUT THE OTHER COUPLES RETREAT . .

sponsored by the James Robison Evangelistic Association. It's closed. Before we even sent out letters informing people of the retreat we had 49 couples signed up. And our limit was 40 couples! The need is great and the demand is greater so we'll be having another one later in the year. Praise the Lord for the hunger and thirst for a Spirit-filled home life!

REVIVAL LAST SUNDAY

(BAPTISM)

(LETTER)

That's the best way to describe last Sunday's services. I was pleased with the 17 additions but much, much more thrilled with the powerful presence of the Spirit. It was a foretaste, an earnest of what God is going to do in our midst in the next week, and we praise Him for it. I'm believing God for the greatest revival our church has ever experienced

Welcome New Members

63B, Mr. Roy Glen Ferguson, Yg. Ad. - Cutler 64B. Mrs. Karen Ferguson, Yg. Ad. 2318 MacArthur No. 104 68B. Sammie Poag, 6th Grade 430 Scotland, 255-1325

60B. Michael Pierce, 8th Grade 409 Countryside, 255-6900

115L. Nancy Bailey, Yg. Ad. — Anderson 3414 Nogales No. 132, 350-9532

117L. Floyd W. Mayes, Med. Ad. 2 — Thompson

119L. Mr. Gary Mikeska, Yg. Ad. — Cutler

121L. Mr. Lynn Murray, Yg. Ad. — Cutler L. Mrs. Brenda Murray, Yg. Ad. — Anderson 1701 N. Britian No. 232, 259-1300

123L. Mr. Tom Williams, Yg. Ad. - Cutler

Ronald Dunn

- Anderson



VITAL STATISTICS

Sunday School Attendance - 786 Church Training Attendance — 283 Budget Offering - \$4,029.77 Designated — 688.00 TOTAL — \$4,717.77



Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ferguson



Miss Sammie Poag



Michael Pierce - World Religious News Roundup -

* JEWS, CHRISTIANS DIALOGUE PLANNED * JEWS, CHRISTIANS DIALOGUE PLANNED
DAYTON — United Methodism's United Theological Seminary here will be host to a dialogue between Jews and Christians April 25-27. The convocation is being sponsored by the seminary, the De-

partment of Interreligious Affairs of the American Jewish Committee, and the United Methodist Board of Global Ministries' Division on Ecumenical and

Interreligious Concerns.

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* BLACK WORSHIPPERS ACCEPTED

JACKSON — The First Baptist Church here has adopted a policy welcoming to its services all persons, of any race, "who sincerely desire to worship" and are not publicity seekers or demonstrators. Sunday, February II, two blacks, the Rev. Emmett Burns and Robert L. T. Smith, attended First Baptist worship and were given a warm welcome.





INTERCESSORY PRAYER MINISTRY

Intercessors, please remember to pray at your egular hour even though it may conflict with the revival service





Mrs. Juanita McCarty



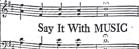
Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Mayes

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* NEW WEEKLY PLANNED

NASHVILLE — "Newscope," a new weekly newsletter for United Methodists, will begin publica-tion April 6, it has been announced by the United Methodist Publishing House. John A. Lovelace, news editor of the Christian Advocate and Together, will serve as editor of the new publication.

* HONOR FOR WAR DEAD ASKED
WASHINGTON — A "National Day of Recognition and Prayer" to honor those Americans killed in the Vietnam conflict has been advocated in a joint resolution introduced in the House of Representatives. May 11 has been selected as the day for the



ONE OF THE PLACES OF SERVICE for our "MISSION 73 X 2" is Shiprok, New Mexico: Recently MBBC sent \$175.00 to that church and the following is a note from Pastor Dation Edwards: "The timing was right for the use of that VBS offering. We were badly in need of finances to offset some high utility bills. We have had a lot of snow and cold weather the past 3 months which caused the budget to be stretched beyond our resources. And too, I lost two tithers after the first of the year.

I am saying this to let you know that it was needed and has been used to pay the bills.

I, too, am looking forward to the summer when your people can be with us to help in VBS and other activities."

Praise the Lord!

JOIN US FOR REVIVAL CHOIR — Each night meet us in the loft at 7:00 p.m. We'll wear robes so you won't have to worry about what to wear. Come sing with us—God will bless you.

A CHILD SAID IT: "Mom, why is the bride wearing white?"

"Because this is the happiest day in her life."
"Then why is the groom wearing black?"



Mr. and Mrs. Gary Mikeska



Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Murray



Mr. and Mrs. Tom William

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★ DR. ARNOLD MICKELSON FLECTED

MINNEAPOLIS — Dr. Arnold R. Mickelson, secretary of the American Lutheran Church, has been elected president of the Lutheran Council in the U.S.A. (LCUSA), cooperative agency involving the thee largest Lutheran bodies of the country.

* PRAYER TO OPEN MEETINGS

TORONTO — In a totally unexpected move, suburban North York's Council voted to return the Lord's Prayer to open its meetings. A month earlier the council voted to replace the prayer with a moment of silent meditation.

* DISCIPLES ALLOCATE \$50,000

INDIANAPOLIS — A grant of \$50,000 for re-construction and development in Indo-China was the largest of allocations totaling \$102,000 approved here by the week of Compassion Committee of the Christian Church (Disciples of Christ).