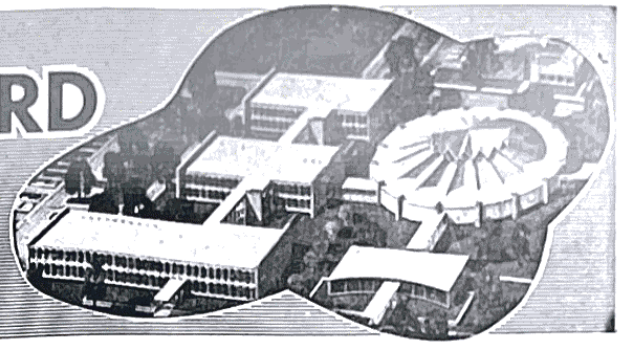


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YOUTH CHOIR GOES TO CORPUS CHRISTI APRIL 3

PASTOR'S CORNER



OVER 100 MBBC'ers ATTEND REVIVAL IN TULSA
Last Saturday night had to be the GREATEST when over 100 of our members came in cars and two buses to be in the revival at Berean Baptist Church in Tulsa. Jimell and I agree that it's the finest gesture of love "any church anywhere has made to anyone." If I live to be 101 I'll never forget it. Thank you blessed people for your love and partnership in the Gospel.

Your coming to Tulsa did more to demonstrate to the Berean Church the power of Revival in the life of a church than all the sermons I preached. God bless you all!

"GOD'S WORK, DONE IN GOD'S WAY, WILL NEVER LACK GOD'S SUPPLIES." This is a quote from the great Hudson Taylor whose entire missionary ministry was operated on the principle of "Ask and ye shall receive." God has shown to MBBC in the past year that this is so.

We now have a chance to exercise this faith. Our YOUTH CHOIR is going to Corpus Christi April 3-11 to rebuild a mission that was destroyed by hurricane Celia. The mother church suffered between 80 and 90,000 dollars worth of damage and so has been unable to rebuild the mission. The mission was located in an area where 3,000 people live and there isn't another church of any kind nearby.

OUR KIDS AREN'T GOING ON A FUN TRIP. During the day the boys will be helping rebuild the church while the girls conduct a door-to-door census. At night they will be singing and witnessing in shopping centers and other places.

A total of \$2,500 is needed to rent the buses and buy building materials. We must have \$1,400.00 by April 2nd for the bus rental. Of all the tours our kids have taken, this is the most practical and the most useful.

WE'RE NOT GOING TO SELL PANCAKES OR wash cars or beg people for the money. We're laying the need before God and His people and are trusting Him to supply the need through His people. Will you make this a matter of earnest prayer?

God has blessed MBBC to the point that we have to shake our heads once in a while to see if we're dreaming. Have you noticed God began to bless about the same time we began to get our eyes off ourselves and started REACHING OUT TO OTHERS!

FRIEAY AND SATURDAY I WILL BE SPEAKING AT THE COLORADO State Men's Retreat. I know you will be praying that God will give me a special anointing of His Spirit for these three services. I can't tell you how much it meant to me to know this church was united in prayer for us at Tulsa. I covet that every time I preach, whether at home or away. It's the greatest gift a church can give its pastor.
Ronald Dunn

FOR THE LADIES

MISSION STUDY for Baptist Women—Tuesday, March 30, 10:00 a.m., 2709 Laramie. Taught by Mrs. Sandra Wages, Associational Mission Study Leader. Covered dish luncheon. Bring sack lunch for your children.

CORPUS CHRISTI HERE WE COME

Toni Allen, Anne Badry, Mary Lynn Bailey, Melinda Bailey, Cindy Barnes, Pam Bean, Rhonda Carson, Debbie Chapman, Sharon Childress, Nancy Cobb, Kendra Coggeshall, Pam Crow, Debbie Darr, Linda Dossey, Kay Foster, Kim Garland, Debra Gardner, Brenda Graham, Karen Herrington, Carol Holt, Mary



The Rev. Malcolm Bertram, United Church of Christ minister, conducts an experimental Lenten service aboard the end car of the Long Island Railroad's 7:38 a.m. commuter train running between Syosset and Jamaica, N.Y. The "Commuters Lenten Special" service includes prayers and hymns. — RNS Photo.

Hughs, Joyce Hulet, Pam Hulet, Terry Jenson, Doran Jewett, Kathi Johnson, Diana Keller, Vickie Kelley, Julia Nanson, Gina Phipps, Terri Phipps, Janet Redpath, Judy Redpath, Janet Robinson, Joyce Robinson, Brenda Sanders, Cindi Sanders, Cindy Sanders, Patti Smith, Lee A. Walling, Lori Wood, Lynne Wood, Debbie Greener.

Charles Adams, Steve Bean, David Bullock, Duff Brukes, Paul Byington, Randy Cobb, Doug Connolly, Rod Crosser, Kevin Davis, Tom Dixon, Dwayne Hart, Chuck Holt, Jim King, Paul Nanson, Greg Perry, Richie Ratliff, Jack Sears, Randy Stoddard, Carl Thompson and Mark Waters.

MBBC - Continue to Pray for Berean Baptist in Tulsa, Oklahoma
2111 S. Darlington
Pastor - Norman Lerch
Deacon Chairman - Wayne Pruett

YOUNG MUSICIANS ATTENTION
All Young Musicians meet this Saturday, March 27 at 8:30 a.m. at MBBC. Be sure to bring 50 cents for lunch.

you are to wear "Sunday morning" type clothes Mom, Dad, please get the singers to the church by 8:30 a.m. We must have time to warm up.

NEEDED—Two Teenagers to help supervise children of adult choir members Wednesday evenings 8:30 to 9:45 p.m. Contact Jim Prater, Jim Richardson, or Jimell Badry.

"SEVEN LAST WORDS" DRAMA
All choir members intending on singing in this great cantata should be present in every rehearsal from now till presentation on Sunday, April 18. You are needed.

SPECIAL YOUTH CHOIR REHEARSALS
This Saturday, 5:00 p.m. at church. This Monday, 6:30 p.m. at church. Don't miss, please.
Jimell Badry

Announcements

CONGRATULATIONS . . . Linda and Gene Taylor on the birth of their son . . . Charles and Martha Adkins on the birth of their daughter.

As I See It!

FELLOWSHIP MEALS CANCELLED
Effective last Wednesday evening, our Family Fellowship Meals have been cancelled. The primary reason being that I feel they have not contributed to our more important Wednesday evening activities, especially visitation. It actually prevented some from visiting and delayed others. And since visitation is a must for reaching people I felt that we must give it priority. Also, our supper attendance has been much lower than in the past and at times would cost us \$40 per night. If I feel that the meal will contribute to our other Wednesday evening activities, we will revive the meals.

IT'S ELECTION TIME IN IRVING AGAIN
Irving's City Council and School Board elections will be held on April 3. You, if you are registered, should take full advantage of this opportunity and responsibility. If you do not know the candidates, you are obligated to search out the candidate that you feel can and will serve Irving the most effectively.

To help you better know the candidates the Irving Daily News is publishing answers by the candidates to questions submitted by its subscribers. The first question had some interesting sidelights. To the question "how did you vote in the November election regarding liquor by the drink" only eight (8) responded. This means that eleven (11) refused com-

ment. Of the eight who did respond six (6) refused to reveal how they voted or admitted to not even voting at all.

I thought it very noticeable that of the nineteen (19) candidates for public office that only 2 told how they voted and both were AGAINST liquor. They were Marvin Randle, Place 7, City Council and Ken Shultz, Place 6, School Board. Equally noticeable was the fact that the Irving Daily News devoted 151 lines to the 17 men refusing to answer the question and only 8 lines to the 2 men who did give an answer. Maybe this article from the Irving Daily News, and others that follow, will help you to better know the candidates as well as the local newspaper.

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A WORD FROM WARD

The Lord is blessing us with so many opportunities . . . The Cross and the Switchblade, our trip to Tulsa . . . great fellowship.

Why do you think the Lord is blessing us? He gives to us so we can give to others. We must share our faith. It is a divine command (Matt. 28:19-20). It is, thus, our responsibility.

Please pray for me this coming week as I'll be in Carbondale, Illinois for a revival.

Bible Study—Badrys, 1506 S. Regina Ct.
Prayer-Fellowship - Junior Hi - Gary Greener, 2554 Rochelle. Senior Hi-Joyce and Pam Hulet, 1136 Gloucester.

There are some terrific things brewing around here!!

Share your faith this week.

Ward

VITAL STATISTICS

Sunday School Attendance 688
Training Union Attendance 342
Budget Offering \$3,753.51
Total Offering \$4,135.01

--World Religious News Roundup--

*** BOARD PROPOSES CAMPAIGN**
SPRINGFIELD, Ill. — The Illinois Baptist State Association board of directors voted to recommend a year-long, state-wide stewardship emphasis among Southern Baptist churches in Illinois during 1972-73.

*** LOTTERY STUDY PLANNED**
HARRISBURG, Pa. — The state government committee of the Pennsylvania Senate will look into public lotteries in New York and New Jersey before acting on a proposal to establish a lottery in Pennsylvania.

*** MONOGRAPHS PUBLISHED**
FORT WORTH, Tex. — The first Behavioral Science Monograph published by the Texas Christian University Press is a report on an attempt to help addicts stay off of drugs after their release from a narcotics treatment center.

*** YOUTH TO TOUR**
CAPETOWN, S. Africa — Six young evangelists from South Africa will make a three-month tour of South America. The group is the fourth "Springbok" team sponsored by the Youth for Christ movement.

Landmarks Of America



RNS Photo

MENDENHALL GLACIER

Mendenhall Glacier is an impressive sight, 12 miles of ice flow stretching from its source in the Juneau, Alaska, Ice Field to its face at Mendenhall Lake. But it is just an ice cube compared to the huge ice sheets which swept down from the north thousands of years ago, covering and changing the face of North America as far south as the Ohio River.

Mendenhall is one of the most popular of our northern state's ice flows, for visitors can drive their cars over paved roads almost to its face. There, they can view a glacier's work, such as the gravel moraine at the center of the picture, left when the ice flow retreated.

—What Others Say—

ENCOURAGEMENT coming after censure is the sun after a shower. — J. Wolfgang Goethe.

MOST of our censure of others is only oblique praise of self, uttered to show the wisdom and superiority of the speaker. — Tyron Edwards.

NO MAN is useless while he has a friend. — Robert Louis Stevenson.

ALWAYS laugh when you can; it is cheap medicine. — Lord Byron.

HATING people is like burning down your house to get rid of a rat. — Harry Emerson Fosdick.

COUNT your blessings, not your bruises. — Robert Forbes.

CHURCHES, like computers, find their output is limited by input. — Ray F. Magnuson.

PRAYER is the signature of the souls on the correspondence with our Creator. — William A. Ward.

TO BE nobody but myself in this world, means to fight the hardest battle which any human being can fight, and never stop fighting. — E. E. Cummings.

CONVERSELY one who is not motivated by love of mankind is not qualified to teach history. — John T. McNeill.

—A Little Bit of Wit—

Living costs are about the same—everything you earn.—The Link.

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