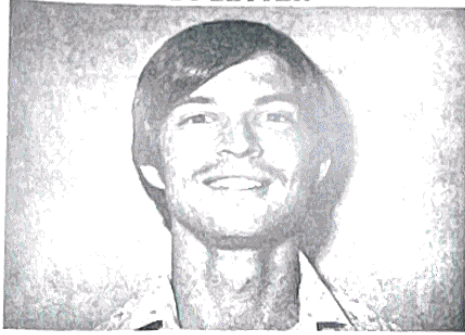


## New Members

JULY 13, 1975  
BY LETTER



110L. Leroy Gharis, Single Adult,  
McKinney, 4320 S. Crest Haven, Dallas



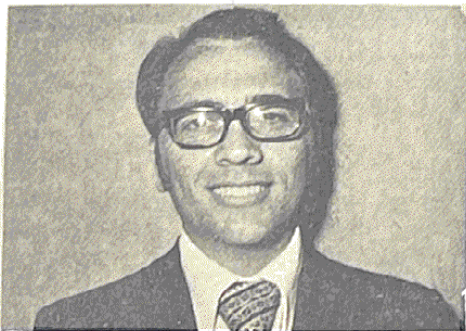
111L. Dale E. Manor, Med Ad. I, Lamb, 811  
San Juan, Duncanville

112L. Judy Manor, Young Ad. Married,  
Kohler (also pictured daughters Lisa  
and Monika)

BY BAPTISM



45B. Robby Bishop, 4th grade, 1705  
Canadian Cir., Grand Prairie



46B. Gary Leatherman, Med. Ad I., Lamb,  
1553 Airport Fwy. #112

Thanks to all for the prayers offered us  
in behalf of my aunt, Evelyn Moore,  
and my family during her recent illness  
and death. Daily I could see strength  
gained because prayers were offered.

Elaine van Vleet

## A Message From Your Pastor

Dear MBBCers:

We're deep in South Texas and I'm deep in Romans 5, and I must say we're thoroughly enjoying both. South Texas is costing plenty but Romans 5 is enriching me beyond measure. And of the two, Romans 5 is by far the most lasting. "Heaven and earth may pass away, but my word shall never pass away."

### THE HIGH COST OF DOING NOTHING

The most expensive thing I've ever done is NOTHING! That's the great lesson of vacation. You just lie around doing nothing and at the end of the day you've spent \$75! But I've disciplined myself not to think about unpleasant thoughts like that. But it has reminded me of the parable our Lord gave us about the men with the talents and their responsibility to use them. There was one who did nothing with his opportunity and it cost him everything. You lose what you don't use and doing nothing costs you everything. I pray the Lord will make us all aware of the opportunities to glorify Him He has placed within our hands and take quick advantage of each one.

We miss you and trust the Lord is blessing you in every way. We're thankful for the time away and pray God will make it beneficial to all of us, but most of all, to Him.

Without pain we lack the power to understand our Lord — Joseph Parker on Romans 5. God bless you and keep you all,  
The Dunns

## Koinonia

A canoeing trip is being planned for all College and Career the first weekend in August (August 1 and 2). We are going to the Guadalupe River close to New Braunfels between Austin and San Antonio. We will leave late Friday afternoon and camp out that night. We need a \$2.50 deposit by Sunday, July 20th. For more information call Debbie Sanders (298-9477) or me at the church.

Blaine Allen

## The Record

S.S. Attendance	629
Budget Offering	7,531.79
Together We Build	1,084.92
Designated	455.35
TOTAL	9,072.06

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FALLS CREEK YOUTH ... I mentioned in last week's column that our Falls Creek pictures have arrived. They are in my office, and I'd really appreciate your stopping by my office to get your copy.

Ron Proctor

## A Word From Ward

VBS...

As you read this column Bible School will be under way. Please stop right now and pray for the workers and children. Pray especially that God will prepare the older children's hearts for the decision service on Wednesday.

WATCH THE MAIL ...

In the next few days you will receive a letter from the Church. Enclosed will be a note from your Staff and your giving record for this quarter. Please read the letter carefully. If you find any mistake in your giving record please call Otisa in the Church Office.

### PRESCHOOL LEADERSHIP TRAINING CONFERENCE ...

For preschool leaders, birth through 3 years old. Conference leaders will be Karl and Joreen Bozeman. Mr. Bozeman is the Preschool Leadership Consultant from the Texas State Sunday School office. Mrs. Bozeman is a Preschool leader at Bethany Baptist Church in Dallas. This session is for preschool workers, extended session volunteers and anyone interested in working with this age group.

OVER 50 CLUB — Monday, July 21 at 7  
p.m. DOWNSTAIRS, Building 2.  
Covered dish.

## Free Fun!!!

### Kick Off At 7:00 P.M.

Monday ... July 21 ... in MBBC gym ... there will be free fun and fellowship at Family Night and you are invited. Please bring a game you would like to donate to the recreation program. Bring a freezer of ice cream and enjoy the fellowship. Nursery will be provided.

ATTENTION .... KOINONIA  
MEET YOU AT THE GYM AT 6:30  
P.M. FOR OUR COOKOUT THIS FRI-  
DAY EVENING!

## Folkus

Christian comfort to the family of LIL CONNOLLY in the death of her father. Congratulations to Harold & Jane Woolard in the birth of a daughter this past week.

In the spirit of Christian joy  
Mr. and Mrs. Grady Royce Jackson  
and  
Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Waldrum, junior  
request the honour of your presence  
at the marriage of  
their daughter and son  
Jacquelyn and Steven  
on Saturday, the twenty-sixth of July  
Nineteen hundred and seventy-five  
at seven o'clock in the evening  
Gardendale Baptist Church  
Corpus Christi, Texas  
Reception immediately following