



RECORD ATTENDANCE ANTICIPATED PROMOTION DAY

PASTOR'S CORNER



INCIDENTS AND OBSERVATIONS

Incident: Last Friday afternoon I found myself marching for Jesus with about three hundred students on Baylor Campus in Waco. As we made our way through the intermittent rain to the Quadrangle where Richard Houge was to speak, it was obvious that in the eyes of the Baylor Natives we were a bunch of wild-eyed fanatics.

Observation: We've come a long way when a demonstration for Jesus is a "strange sight" on a Baptist campus!

Incident: A young man who had successfully ministered in "coffee house churches" on the West Coast wanted to open one in a nearby city in an effort to reach a multitude of youth the churches weren't reaching.

Observation: We're more interested in WHO reaches the unreached than in the fact they are reached!

Incident: The Billy Graham Crusade drew over 500,000 in total attendance and more than 12,000 decisions.

Observation: 1. The 1971 generation IS responsive to the Gospel! Twenty years ago Billy Graham preached for seven weeks in Ft. Worth and Dallas.

2. The Power of the Simple Preaching of the Gospel was demonstrated. Billy Graham is not a silver-tongued orator, nor is he a revelator of undisclosed truths.

3. The Young Generation will respond to "Straights," and to "straight methods." 75% of the audience each night and 75% of those saved were UNDER TWENTY-FIVE YEARS OF AGE!

Conclusion of the whole matter: the power is in the simple Gospel anointed by the Spirit. Long hair, folk music, rock Gospel, Jesus yells are okay if that's the way you want it, but don't tell me you can't reach the youth without it!

DEACON/WIVES VISITATION... Thursday night, October 7 at 6:30. The last visitation night over twenty families were contacted. But a number of our deacons were absent. Deacon, plan



Justice Black Succumbs Justice Hugo L. Black, senior member of the U.S. Supreme Court in years of service, died Sept. 25. The 85-year-old former Senator from Alabama had retired from the bench 8 days earlier.

now to set aside Thursday night, October 7 for this very important project.

IT'S NOT TOO LATE... to Discover the Abundant Life. The class started last Friday, October 1st. The response has been great and if you want to join us, be here next Friday morning at 9:30.

A WORD FROM WARD

BFLET — — — for all youth interested in becoming personal evangelists. Thursday afternoon, October 7, 4:00-6:00 and Saturday, October 9, 8:00-4:00.

ALL OF YOU will be in new departments Sunday: 7th grade — Room 1; 8th grade — Room 2; 9-10th grade — Room 3; 11-12th grade — Room 4; High School Bible — Room 5.

CHILDREN OF LIGHT — we meet Sunday night. Be there on time for the best rehearsal yet.

I found this today and wanted to share it with you...

HOW TO GET ALONG WITH YOUR PARENTS

- Don't be afraid to speak their language. Try using strange phrases like "I'll help wash the dishes," "Yes," "Thank you," and "Please." Try to understand their music. Play Glenn Miller's "Moonlight Serenade" on the stereo until you become accustomed to the sound.

As I See It!

SUNDAY BEGINS A NEW S. S. YEAR This Sunday marks the beginning of our new Sunday School year. This means new classes, new teachers, new literature, and, in many cases, new meeting places.

- HERE IS WHERE YOU MEET FOR S. S. Babies to 3 years — Middle bldg.-downstairs Pre-School 5's & 5's — Behind old auditorium 1st, 2nd, 3rd grades — Office bldg.-downstairs 4th, 5th, 6th grades — Office bldg.-upstairs 7th through 12th gr. — Middle bldg.-upstairs High School Bible — Middle bldg.-upstairs Young Adults — born since 1943 — Building No. 1-upstairs

Median Adult 1 — born 1933-1942 — Old Auditorium Median Adult 2 — born 1922-1932 — Middle Bldg.-Fellowship Hall Adult 3 — born 1921 & before — Worship Center

TWO NEW CLASSES FOR ADULTS Our new couples class for adults begins this Sunday. Don and Pat La Mar will be teaching and lead-

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ing this class. It's for all age adults. You will meet in Middle Bldg. upstairs.

Our Single Adult class (25 and older), taught by Nelson McKinney, is a new class and will be meeting in the Middle Building, upstairs.

S. S. DIRECTORS AND TEACHERS ONLY!!! If it's Saturday as you are reading this, you have only a few more hours before you begin your new class and department.

MEN WORTH QUOTING

From TIME, September 27. Senator Mark O. Hatfield, Oregon. "Either Christ was God and Savior and Lord or he wasn't; and if he were, then he had to have all my time, all my devotion, all my life."

From the same source, Congressman John B. Anderson of Illinois, says: "God's grace in Christ is the only force that can reconcile the hearts of men toward each other."

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VITAL STATISTICS

Sunday School Attendance — 652 Total Offering — \$4,952.31

THIS SUNDAY IN YOUTH CHOIRS

Auditions this coming week for three exciting Groups — Two girls' ensembles and a mixed folk group called "The Master's Minority".

Find out how, who, and when this Sunday 4:30 in rehearsal.

ENROLMENT CARDS

Please — all of you — Junior High and High School — fill out the new enrolment cards and bring them Sunday to your rehearsals.

This will help correct the enrolments and also our information on each choir member.

EXCITING SUNDAY NIGHTS

All of you will be interested to know that a new song book will be used for a while on Sunday nights in our worship services.

We think you'll like it! Jimell Badry

World Religious News Roundup

★ SKULL BELIEVED MAGELLAN'S MANILA, Philippines — A skull recently unearthed in the central Philippines is believed by some experts to be that of the Portuguese explorer, Ferdinand Magellan.

★ DEMONSTRATORS FREED WASHINGTON, D.C. — Charges of unlawful entry at the Soviet Embassy here by three members of the Jewish Defense League were dropped when Russian officials failed to appear in court to testify against them.

★ CATHOLIC THEOLOGIAN QUILTS LONDON, Eng. — The birth control controversy flared anew when one of Britain's most prominent Roman Catholic theologians publicly announced his resignation from the priesthood because of the Church's teaching on contraception.

Landmarks Of America



Seagulls light on rocks along the coast of Acadia National Park, Bar Harbor, Maine, one of the most compact scenic areas in the eastern United States.

What Others Say

HE IS nearest the gods who knows how to be silent even though he is in the right. — Cato.

NEVER TRUST anyone not of sound religion for he that is false to God can never be true to man. — Lord Burleigh.

YOU NEVER test the resources of God until you attempt the impossible. — F. B. Meyer.

MOST PEOPLE would succeed in small things if they were not troubled with great ambitions. Longfellow.

IF WRINKLES must be written upon our brow let them not be written upon the heart. The spirit should not grow old. — James A. Garfield.

DISTINCTION between virtuous and vicious actions has been engraven by the Lord in the heart of every man. — John Calvin.

YOU CAN give without loving, but you cannot love without giving. — Amy Carmichael.

SLEEP WITH clean hands either kept clean day by integrity or washed clean at night repentance. — John Donne.

MAN IS made for more than the trivia of artificially stimulated recreation and the conformity community over-organized togetherness. — R. W. Sockman.

THOSE WHO would be overcomers must be drawn out of themselves; and the only thing which will accomplish this great work is to become intensely interested in the salvation of others. — Ellen White.

A Little Bit of Wit

A hypocrite is like a pin—it points one way and heads another.—Watchman-Examiner.

Money Money Money

Financial matters loom large church horizons today—See the inside pages of your church newspaper these and other stories.

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