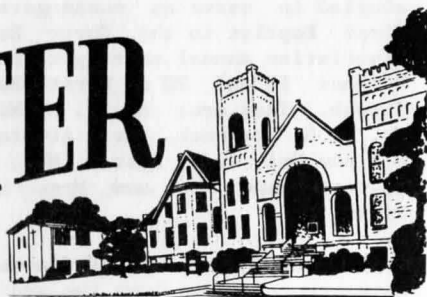


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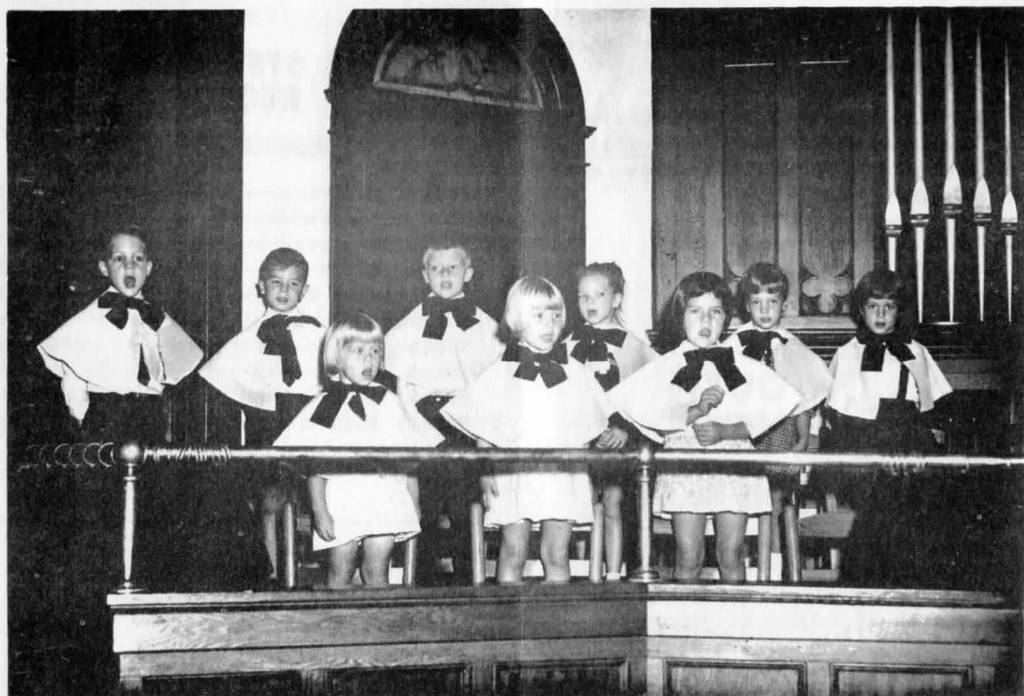
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Revival Closes Friday Evening 7:30 P. M.



BEGINNER 1 DEPT., MRS. MALCOLM CAGLE, TEACHER

Messengers Are Elected

At a meeting of the church in conference, Wednesday, September 27, the following people were nominated and elected to serve as messengers from First Baptist to the Surry Baptist Association annual meeting to be held October 19 and 20 at First Baptist Church. They are: Mr. W. E. Miller, Mr. C. S. Brannock, Mr. Al Stanley, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hylton, Mrs. Henry Stewart, and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Finch.

The church is allowed ten messengers, therefore, we have two available seats still open if you are interested. Call the church office and tell us you will be glad to represent your church as an official messenger. The first two calling will be named messengers with others as alternates.

We should begin working toward this annual meeting today since we will be the host church. The dates once again are October 19 and 20. The Thursday evening session will begin at 7:00 and conclude about 9:00. The Friday session will begin around 9:00 A. M. and continue until 2:30 or 3:00 Friday afternoon. The noon meal will be served by our church for those present Friday.

A full program and schedule will be announced in next week's Newsletter. Watch for it. We still need two more messengers.



ATTENTION JR. AND SR. HIGH

Our Hay Ride and Weiner Roast will be this Saturday, October 7th at Cumberland Knob. We plan to leave the church at 1:00 p.m. sharp, so do not be late! We will arrive back at the church around 7:30 p.m.

If you have not called the church office and signed up, please do so

BEGINNERS LEARN BY DOING

The picture on this week's front page is of our Beginner I Department of which Mrs. Malcolm Cagle is Superintendent. These children have been studying about their church and its staff and ministry. Here they are learning what a choir does and why as they visit the sanctuary, meet our minister of music, and sing with him in the choir loft.

Mrs. Cagle, along with her fine associates, has been teaching throughout this year with the use of objects that portray or illustrate the particular Bible story or unit being studied. The Bible and the church have come alive right before the children's eyes. They have learned through observation, hearing, and doing.

We salute and congratulate this fine Department for the great work they are doing in our Sunday School. We are very proud of each of these leaders and workers.

OUR STEWARDSHIP RECORD

October 1, 1967

Budget Offering-----	\$2,261.50
Designated Funds-----	\$1,701.90
Kindergarten-----	\$107.00
Memorials-----	\$594.90
Building Fund-----	\$1,000.00
Revival Offering-----	\$49.25
State Missions Offering-----	\$151.00
Total Deposit-----	\$4,163.65
Budget Offering to Date----	\$87,022.81
Weekly Budget Needs-----	\$2,385.00

In Memoriam

MR. W. I. MONDAY

October 2, 1967

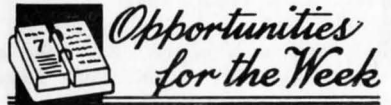


G. A. And Sunbeam Enrollment To Be Next Wednesday At 4:30

The Sunbeams this year will be under the leadership of Mrs. Dale Simmons, and this group will meet at 4:30 in the afternoon for one hour. The meetings will be only twice a month---on the second and fourth Wednesday. Others helping Mrs. Simmons will be Mrs. P. M. Sharpe, Mrs. Hugh Sutphin, Mrs. Jack Walsh, Mrs. William Anderson, and Mrs. Andy Hennis.

The G. A. program will be led by Mrs. James Powell with the assistance of Mrs. Howard Morris. It is our desire to have a coronation in First Baptist next spring, and these two ladies have volunteered to work with our young ladies and the steps they will need to accomplish.

Both of these groups will have a registration day Wednesday, October 11, at 4:30 in the Education Building. Signs will direct you to the proper areas. Sunbeams include ages 4 - 8 and G. A.'s include Junior and Intermediate girls, 9 - 15.



Monday, October 9 - 2:30 p.m.
MAGGIE NUTT HERRING CIRCLE - Mrs. J. E. Stimpson, Chairman
Hostess: Mrs. J. E. Stimpson
1032 South Main Street
DORA P. WRENN CIRCLE -- Mrs. R.S. Crawford, Chairman
Hostesses: Mrs. R. S. Crawford and Miss Vesta Council, 138 Rawley Ave.

Monday, October 9 - 7:30 p.m.
ORA A. JACKSON CIRCLE - Mrs. Morgan Stanley, Chairman
Hostess: Mrs. Morgan Stanley
313 Grace Street
LENA WEBB CIRCLE -- Mrs. Joe Edwards, Chairman
Hostess: Mrs. Calvin Belton
912 Andover Street

Monday, October 9 - 8:00 p.m.
MARY HESTER POWELL CIRCLE - Mrs. Emily B. Hiatt, Chairman
Hostess: Mrs. Delmar Everhart
Route 4

Tuesday, October 10 - 10:00 a.m.
LOVINA C. PAULETTE CIRCLE - Mrs. C. S. Brannock, Chairman
Hostess: Mrs. C. S. Brannock
Country Club Road
ELLA GREENWOOD HOLCOMB CIRCLE - Mrs. Locke Webb, Chairman
Hostess: Mrs. Ralph Boyles
220 Grace Street
C. C. HAYMORE CIRCLE -- Mrs. Frank Longest, Chairman
Hostess: Mrs. P. W. Green
1102 North Main Street

Tuesday, October 10 - 7:30 p.m.
MARTHA A. FINCH CIRCLE - Mrs. E. P. Pruett, Chairman
Hostess: Mrs. E. P. Pruett
1205 Mitchell Street
SALLIE SOMERS CIRCLE -- Mrs. L. C. Holmes, Chairman
Hostess: Mrs. L. C. Holmes
254 East Lebanon Street

State Missions Offering

OUR GOAL-----\$400.00

Sunday, October 8
9:45 a.m. Sunday School
11:00 a.m. Morning Worship
7:30 p.m. Youth Fellowship

Monday, October 9
2:30 p.m. Circle Meetings
7:30 p.m. Circle Meetings

Tuesday, October 10
10:00 a.m. Circle Meetings
7:30 p.m. Circle Meetings

Wednesday, October 11
6:30 p.m. Diaconate Meeting
7:30 p.m. Prayer Service
8:15 p.m. Senior Choir
8:15 p.m. Finance Committee Meeting

Thursday, October 12

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Mrs. Charles Childress Administrative

Secretary

Carl Talley Church Maintenance

This Week's

Resident Roll Changes

Loss By Death:

Mr. W. I. Monday

PERFECT ATTENDANCE IS ACHIEVED

To attend Sunday School for an entire year without missing a single Sunday is a tremendous effort. On September 30 our Sunday School year ended, and we stopped to take stock of our records. Upon close examination, we discovered the names of five people at First Baptist who have had a perfect attendance record for this past year.

It was also discovered that several others had missed only one or two Sundays, and in most cases this was due to extensive illness. We would like to salute all of our people who have been faithful in the Bible teaching hour on Sunday mornings. The benefits you have received by studying God's word will be with you always.

This Sunday morning we would like to recognize, during the hour of worship, the following people: Mr. and Mrs. James Boyd, Mr. J. G. Brannock, Mr. Carl Talley, and Dr. Otis Oliver, who have achieved a perfect attendance record for 1966-67. Congratulations

MEMORIAL GIFTS

Memorial gifts have been given to the new sanctuary building fund in loving memory of the following:

DAVID LOCKE WEBB MEMORIAL FUND

Mr. Ove W. Jorgensen

Mr. Walter F. Probst

Mr. Paul O'Malley

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Wimbish

Mr. and Mrs. Albert F. Howell

Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Cagle

Elizabeth R. and Robert Bonnett

Mr. and Mrs. Hurley H. Webb

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Swanson

Mrs. W. A. Jackson

Miss Vesta Council

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Jackson

Mrs. Anna R. Lovill

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Lewis

Mr. and Mrs. Norman H. Wyche

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Dickinson

Mr. T. P. Sharples

Mrs. Patsy Howell Edge

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Bonnett

Mr. and Mrs. June Singletary, Jr.

Ella Greenwood Holcomb Circle
(1966-67)

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Boyles

Electa Sunday School Class

MRS. A. G. WEBB

Mr. and Mrs. June Singletary, Jr.

MR. W. A. JACKSON

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Howerton

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Boyles

Electa Sunday School Class

Mrs. Virginia S. Hauser

CALEB EARL HILL

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Boyles

MR. WAYNE R. BOYLES, SR.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Boyles

MR. H. P. STEWART

Mrs. H. P. Stewart

MR. CARL STEWART

Mrs. H. P. Stewart

A memorial gift has also been given to the new sanctuary building fund in memory of all W. M. U. members who have passed away during the year by the Ora Armfield Jackson Circle.



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