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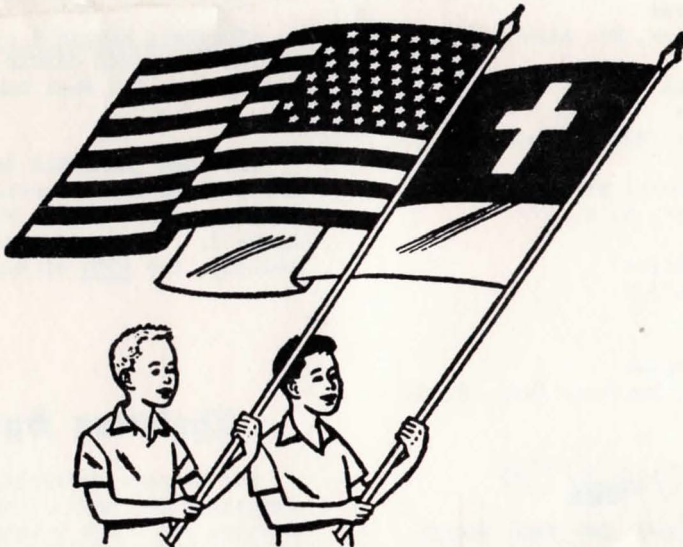
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VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL August 8-12

MONDAY THROUGH FRIDAY

HOURS — 9:00 A. M. --- 11:45 A. M.

PARENT'S NIGHT AUGUST 12, 7:30 P. M.



For Boys & Girls 3-12 Yrs. Of Age 9:00 A.M. Daily

COME AND BRING YOUR FRIENDS!

A HAPPY TIME FOR BOYS AND GIRLS

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SERVICEMAN OF THE WEEK

This week we remember in our prayers and in our thoughts:

SR Walter J. Shuford
B20 45 20
SNJCN, Co. 365
US Naval Recruit Training Command



Monday, August 8 -- 2:30 p. m.

MAGGIE NUTT HERRING CIRCLE - Mrs. J. C. Hill, 632 North Main Street
DORA P. WRENN CIRCLE -- Mrs. C. C. Hayes, 1240 West Lebanon Street

Monday, August 8 - 7:30 p. m.

SALLIE SOMERS CIRCLE -- Mrs. Theo Smith, 306 East Poplar Street

Monday, August 8 - 8:00 p. m.

MARY HESTER POWELL CIRCLE -- Mrs. Frank Misemer, 230 West Oakdale St. Ext.

Tuesday, August 9 - 10:00 a. m.

C. C. HAYMORE CIRCLE -- Mrs. E. D. Bray, Fancy Gap Road
ELIA GREENWOOD HOLCOMB CIRCLE - Mrs. Sam Hennis, Jr., 232 Grace Street
LOVINA C. PAULETTE CIRCLE -- Mrs. Roscoe Stewart, 608 Knollwood Drive

Tuesday, August 9 - 7:30 p. m.

MARTHA A. FINCH CIRCLE - Mrs. Marvin Wagoner, 212 West Oakdale Street

The ORA ARMFIELD JACKSON CIRCLE has planned their meeting and a picnic at the home of Mrs. W. A. Jackson, Route 2, Westfield Road on Monday evening, the 15th of August.

Christian Sympathy

Our sincere Christian Sympathy is expressed to Mrs. J. N. Still in the passing of her uncle, Mr. W. C. Woodruff of Galax, Virginia.

Our Christian Sympathy is expressed also to Mrs. Howard Key in the passing of her half-sister, Mrs. John Gillespie of Ararat.



BEFORE YOU SAY NO!

Have you thought about what will happen this fall when our church selects its workers for the coming year?

During the next few days or weeks many of you will be asked to keep your place of responsibility, and many others will be asked to accept some place of service in Sunday School or Training Union.

Before you say "No" please ask yourself these questions.

"What if all church members had my attitude of 'Let somebody else do it'?"

"Am I willing to let some other than a dedicated, conscientious Christian lead the activities of our people?"

Pray about this. When God leads us to serve Him, He does not expect us to do more than we are able. Let God help you decide and He will give you the strength and ability. Through God all things are possible.

Sunday, August 7

9:45 a.m. Sunday School
10:00 a.m. VBS Pre-registration
11:00 a.m. Morning Worship

Monday, August 8

9:00 a.m. VBS
2:30 p.m. Circle Meetings
7:30 p.m. Circle Meetings

Tuesday, August 9

9:00 a.m. VBS
10:00 a.m. Circle Meetings

Wednesday, August 10

9:00 a.m. VBS
6:30 p.m. Church Council Meeting
7:30 p.m. Prayer Service
8:15 p.m. Senior Choir

Thursday, August 11

9:00 a.m. VBS
7:00 p.m. Boy Scouts

Friday, August 12

9:00 a.m. VBS
7:30 p.m. VBS Parent's Night

USHERS FOR AUGUST

The following men have been elected to serve the church in the capacity of USHER for the month of AUGUST:

E. C. Belton, Jr., Captain
W. W. Mills
Harmon Jester
C. W. Taylor, Jr.
E. P. Pruett
O. B. Ashburn
John Hall
M. C. Minor
Gibson Gwyn
C. A. Peavy

OUR STEWARDSHIP RECORD

July 31, 1966

Budget Offering-----	\$1,339.46
Designated Funds-----	0
Memorials-----	0
Kindergarten-----	0
Total Offerings-----	\$1,339.46
Budget Offerings To Date---	\$59,391.26
Budget Requirements To Date--	\$68,557.74



One of the best ways to correct your children is to correct the example you are setting for them.

Bible School Superintendents will be in the Beginner through Junior Sunday School Departments Sunday morning at 10:00 to register pupils for Bible School.

ARE YOU A GOOD CHURCH MEMBER ?

(Check Yes or No)

YES NO

- _____ 1. I am willing to carry my share of the responsibility of the church program.
- _____ 2. I refer to the church as "My Church" not "Their Church".
- _____ 3. I keep my tithe up to date.
- _____ 4. I never repeat malicious gossip.
- _____ 5. I attend Sunday School regularly.
- _____ 6. I attend regularly the Sunday Morning Worship services.
- _____ 7. I attend regularly the Training Union.
- _____ 8. I attend regularly Sunday Evening Services.
- _____ 9. I attend regularly Prayer Service on Wednesday evening.
- _____ 10. I hold a position of service in my church.
- _____ 11. When I visit the sick I notify my pastor rather than saying, "Do you mean the pastor hasn't been to see you?"
- _____ 12. I notify my church office when I change my address.
- _____ 13. I call the church office immediately upon learning of prospects for my church.
- _____ 14. I visit for my church regularly.
- _____ 15. I notify my pastor immediately of any situation among the members that should be called to his attention.
- _____ 16. I have my pastor notified when I am ill or any member of my family.
- _____ 17. I support the church-elected leaders.
- _____ 18. I speak of the good qualities of my church rather than its shortcomings.
- _____ 19. I look for visitors and welcome them when they attend our church.
- _____ 20. I pray daily for my church, fellow members, pastor and staff.

Score 5 points for each question answered "Yes". 90-100, excellent, we need more like you; 80-90, good, you are developing; 70-80 fair, you have possibilities, but why be content with mediocrity? Below 70, poor, you need to re-evaluate your relationship to the Lord as expressed through His church.