

**ISSUE 36** 

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#### **MINISTER'S MESSAGE**

Have you ever met fellow church members and a second later forgotten their names? Do you wish you had an updated directory of church members which would enable you to reach new members? Would you like a keepsake from our church that will last for years?

As another way of bringing our church family closer together, we have arranged for a new color pictorial directory to be published. Each of you is important, and we want you and your family to appear in this new directory.

Do you find that you don't have time to make a second trip to the church so that you can select your portrait for the directory? This time Olan Mills, who will be handling our directory, has a new system which takes your portrait and then allows you to view the proofs at the same sitting by utilizing computer generated images. This will save you time and will speed up the production of our new directory.

By having your portrait taken and viewing your proofs you will receive a complimentary color directory and an 8x10 Natural Color Portrait. Of course, if you would like additional pictures you will be able to choose from various portrait packages, but we have strongly requested no pressure sales.

This directory will be a valuable tool for the church, and we want all of our members to participate. Our goal for participation is 100%, and we hope you will help make that happen! Our directory will be a keepsake as well as a source for addresses, telephone numbers, and prayer lists.

We will be registering before and after worship this Sunday and next, October 22 and 29, so be sure to select a day and time which is convenient for you. You may also call Lucille Cranford (489-4522) after Monday, October 23, to register.

Grace and peace to you all, Mark

REMEMBER THE EUCHARIST SERVICE HELD EVERY SUNDAY AT 8:45 A.M. IN THE BRADSHAW ROOM OCT. 22 - MAURICE RITCHIE, PREACHING SUNDAY, OCTOBER 22, 1995
Twentieth Sunday after Pentecost
ACOLYTES, CRUCIFERS, AND ALTAR GUILD
MEMBERS WILL BE CONSECRATED
AND RECEIVE PINS DURING THE
10:55 A.M. WORSHIP SERVICE

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8:45 - 9:25 a.m.	Early Worship - Bradshaw
9:15 a.m.	Wesley Singers - Sanctuary
9:30 a.m.	Logos Class - Bradshaw
9:45 10:45 a.m.	Sunday School for all ages
9:45 - 10:40 a.m.	Methodism Class - Whitford Hall
9:45 - 12:15 p.m.	Pictorial Directory Sign-Up -
A COLUMN TO SERVE TO	Sanctuary Entrances
10:15 a.m.	Sanctuary Choir - Sanctuary
10:30 a.m.	Ringing of the Tower Bells
10:55 a.m.	Worship Service - Sanctuary
12:00 noon	"INSIGHTS" information due
	(October 29-November 4) - Program
	Director's Mailbox
12:00 noon	Welcome Reception for Interns -
	Whitford Hall and Kitchen
4:30 - 5:30 p.m.	Ring for Joy - Handbell Room
5:30 p.m.	DMYF - Whitford Hall
8:00 p.m.	12 Step Al-Anon and A.A
	Community Life Center

**SERMON:** 

Lisa Brown Cole

SCRIPTURE:

Psalm 119:97-104; Jeremiah 31:27-34 2 Timothy 3:14-4:5; Luke 18:1-8

ANTHEMS:

"Notes from Paul" -

Eugene Butler (Sanctuary Choir)

"God Has Made Such a Beautiful World" Sandra T Ford (Wesley Singers)

USHERS: JOY Class GREETERS:

JOY Class NURSERY:

Neal and Susan Grubbs John and Cindy Legge Barry and Deborah Moore ACOLYTES:

Brooke Gray Meredith Smith CROSS:

Adult

ALTAR GUILD: Holly Eggleston Maryellen Stone



# CHURCH CALENDAR OCTOBER 23 - 28, 1995

# **MONDAY, OCTOBER 23**

9:15 - 1:00 p.m. 9:15 - 10:15 a.m.

Parents' Morning Out - Nurseries Weekday School Coffee - JR. JOY Class

10:00 - 11:30 a.m. 10:00 - 2:30 p.m. Staff Meeting - JOY Class Conference Pre-Probationers Seminar

2:00 p.m. 8:00 - 9:00 p.m. - Bradshaw Room Circle 9 at Charlie Howell's Al-Anon, Ala-Preteen and A.A. -Community Life Center

**TUESDAY, OCTOBER 24** 

9:15 - 1:00 p.m. 12:30 p.m. 8:00 - 9:00 p.m. Parents' Morning Out - Nurseries Tuesday Study Group - JOY Class Al-Anon, Ala-Teen and A.A. -Community Life Center

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 25

9:15 - 1:00 p.m. 9:15 - 10:15 a.m.

Parents' Morning Out - Nurseries Weekday School Coffee - JR JOY

10:00 - 11:00 a.m. 10:00 - 1:00 p.m. 11:00 11:30 a.m. Fold "Insights" - Whitford Hall Craft/Lunch Bunch - Whitford Hall

11:00 11:30 a.m. 1:00 3:00 p.m. Craft/Lunch Bunch - Whitford Hall Weekday School Music - Bradshaw Room

4:30 - 5:30 p.m.

Disciple Bible Study - Katie Johnson Room

4:30 - 3:30 p.m. 5:30 p.m. Covenant Discipleship - Parlor Wonderful Wednesday Dinner -Whitford Hall and Kitchen

6:15 - 7:00 p.m. 6:15 - 7:15 p.m. Carol Choir (K-1) - Handbell Room Wesley Singers (2-5) - Open Door Room

6:15 - 7:15 p.m. 6:15 - 7:15 p. m. 6:15 - 7:45 p.m. Youth Choir (6-12) - Choir Room Covenant Discipleship - Parlor Spiritual Formation - Aldersgate, Mrs. R. N. Wilson, and Prayer Room

6:15 - 8:15 p.m.

Mrs. R. N. Wilson, and Prayer Rooms Disciple Bible Study - Katie Johnson Room

6:15 - 7·15 p.m.

"Keep the Coffee Coming" - Whitford Hall

6:30 - 7:30 p.m. 7·15 - 8:00 p.m. Study on Ephesians - Bradshaw Room Youth Sacred Dancers - Whitford

7:30 p.m. 7:30 - 9:00 p.m.

Lay/Intern Committee - Parlor Bethany Bells - Handbell Room

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 26

Men's Coffee - Parlor

9:15 - 1:00 p.m. 9:15 - 10:15 a.m. Parents' Morning Out - Nurseries Weekday School Coffee - JR JOY Room

9:30 - 11:00 a.m.

Weekday School Music - Bradshaw Room

6:00 - 7:30 p.m. 7:30 - 9:00 p.m. Sacred Dance - Whitford Hall Sanctuary Choir - Choir Room

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 27 9:15 - 1:00 p.m.

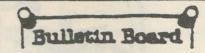
Parents' Morning Out - Nurseries

8:00 - 9:00 p.m.

Al-Anon and A.Ā. -Community Life Center

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 28
No Scheduled Activities

#### YOUTH



#### **DMYF NEWS**

This week's program is entitled "Think Tank." Wondering what it is all about? Come to DMYF this Sunday evening at 5:30 p.m. and find out. Hope to see you there!

# HANDBELL NEWS

This great group of beginning ringers has officially named themselves "Ring for Joy!" We do have a few openings for others to join us. Call Jan or Bob Irvine at the church (683-3467) or join us at this Sunday's rehearsal from 4:30-5:30 p.m. in the Handbell Room.

#### JOY CLASS NEWS

Senior High Joy class and parents! Please note that it is time to plan the 1996 Summer Mission Trip. Please be present on October 29 in the Bradshaw Room at 9:45 a.m. to discuss preparations for this meaningful outreach ministry For more information, telephone Ann Wilson (220-1591).

Be sure you read the article below on our Spaghetti Lunch on November 5. We sure can use your help!

#### SPAGHETTI LUNCH ON NOVEMBER 5

Please join the JOY Sunday School Class and enjoy spaghetti, fruit salad, bread, and dessert after worship on Sunday, November 5. We are raising money for our annual "Share Your Christmas" project and would like all of you to help us. The cost of the lunch is \$3.50 for adults and \$2.00 for children. Reservation slips will be included in Sunday bulletins or you can call the church office, 683-3467, before November 2 to reserve your place! Please help us help others.

#### WONDERFUL WEDNESDAY MEAL

Please call the church office, 683-3467, before noon on Monday if you plan to be here for Wonderful Wednesday Night Supper and are not on the Regulars List. If you are on the Regulars List and are not able to be here, please call to cancel. The menu for this Wednesday, October 25, is Pizza, Salad, and Cookies.

Please remember that this Wednesday is the last evening for the Study on Ephesians led by the Rev Dr. Thomas A. Langford in the Bradshaw Room from 6:30 - 7:30 p.m.

#### **MEMBERSHIP NEWS**

Our sympathy is extended to Lucille Mortland upon the recent death of her sister, Frances, in Illinois.

Our congratulations are extended to Tad and Barbara DeBerry on birth of their daughter, Eleanor Virginia DeBerry, on October 9.

# UFO'S???

A Wednesday night Task Force has spotted many UFO's at Duke Memorial from the Library Conference Table. Maybe you've seen some also? Be sure to be present at the 10:55 a.m. worship service on Sunday, October 29, to learn about their sightings.

#### **WESLEY WOMEN**

Our November meeting will be held Tuesday, November 7, in the parlor at 7:30 p.m. Bob Irvine will be our guest. Don't miss his wonderful program on Advent.

#### **CIRCLE 9 NEWS**

Circle 9 will meet at 2:00 p.m. on Monday, October 23, with Charlie Howell at 801 LaSalle Street, Villa 13.

#### PARENTS OF JOY CLASS

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## DOMESTIC VIOLENCE AND YOU

How does North Carolina law define domestic violence? What avenues of relief does the law offer to those who suffer with violence in their home? In an emergency, whom may one contact for help?

These and other questions are explored in the handbook Domestic Violence and the Law: A Practical Guide for Survivors, written by the Domestic Violence Education Subcommittee of the North Carolina Bar Association. The pamphlet is available in the library, and we encourage everyone who wishes to know more about this important subject to pick one up. The better informed we are about domestic violence, the more opportunity we have to be of service to others.

# REWARD

Please answer this question to determine if you are a winner

MY SURVEY FORM ON ADULT CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

- A. was eaten by the same whale that swallowed Jonah.
- B. disappeared in a flood.
- C. was lost in the wilderness.
- D. is already completed and returned to the church office.

You can make a difference! Please take a few moments to give us your candid opinions and suggestions about Sunday School by completing the survey in last week's INSIGHTS. Your completed form may be returned to the church office by October 29. (Oh and about that reward...you'll receive many blessings at 9:45 a.m. in Sunday School!)

#### WORSHIP EDUCATION CORNER

Worship is not a spectator activity, but a common response to the Holy Spirit. There are those who lead us as we gather, but the congregation is the vital ingredient in the worship service. Each person is an active line through which the Spirit can move.

Start with yourself, vitalizing your own worship. Are you expecting to hear God's Word and to experience the power of the Holy Spirit? Sit in the pew on the expectant edge of worship. Stand as a response to God working within you.

Be actively involved in worship and encourage your children to do the same. Be sure that they stand each time the congregation is invited to do so. Help them to find the right pages in the hymnal and to follow along in the bulletin. They will begin to catch your enthusiasm and excitement.

# OCTOBERFEST! ATTENTION ALL CHILDREN

All children, ages preschool through 5th grade, are invited to our Octoberfest sponsored by DMYF on Sunday evening, October 29, from 5:30-7:00 p.m. Come dressed in your favorite costume, bring a bag for candy and prizes, and be prepared to have fun with games, prizes, candy, refreshments, and lots more. Come and bring a friend!

#### YOU ARE INVITED

There will be a symposium entitled "Dating and Updating the Shroud of Turin" on Sunday, October 29, from 2:00 to 5:00 p.m. in the Griffith Film Theater on the lower level of the Bryan Student Center on West Campus of Duke University Presenting on "Studies and Observations on the Image Formation" will be Dr. John Jackson, a physicist, founder, and leader of the forty person research team that tested the Shroud in 1978. Dr. Dmitri Kouzneksov, a Russian biochemist, will be presenting on "Factors Affecting the Carbon 14 Dating of the Shroud." Father Albert Dreisbach, historian, theologian, and founder of the Atlanta Shroud Center, will be presenting on "History and Travels of the Shroud," and our own Dr Alan Whanger, Chairman of Council for Study of the Shroud of Turin, will be presenting on "Images and Objects on the Shroud." There will be a panel and an opportunity for questions. There is no charge for admission. All are welcome to this opportunity to see and hear the evidence on one of the most remarkable and mysterious objects in existence.

#### REMEMBER!

Remember, the photography dates for our pictorial directory are soon. If you haven't reserved your time to be photographed, be sure to do so this Sunday while there is still a good selection from which to choose. We're pushing for 100% participation. It won't be complete without you!

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# THIS SUNDAY, OCTOBER 22, WELCOME RECEPTION

There will be a Welcome Reception for our Duke Divinity School Student Interns immediately following the 10:55 a.m. worship service this Sunday, October 22. Please take advantage of this opportunity to welcome these students and to enjoy fellowship with them and others of our congregation in Whitford Hall.

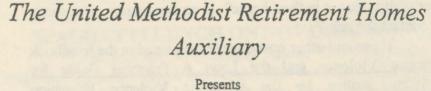
# **CONSECRATION IN WORSHIP**

Acolytes, Crucifers, and Altar Guild Members will be consecrated and receive pins during the 10:55 a.m. worship service this Sunday, October 22.

> PERU MISSION TRIP YARD SALE THIS SATURDAY **OCTOBER 21** 8:00 A.M. - NOON

- Donations still accepted
- Help during the sale still appreciated
- Call the church office (683-3467) to volunteer!

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Saturday, October 21 - 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. The Methodist Retirement Community 2616 Erwin Road, Durham

Donations Are Accepted Gladly