COOKING AND MAKING

Good cooking with skill and care as to seasoning produces a treat for all who enjoy food - and who doesn't? Some of us are gifted with what I call an "analytical" taste sense. Savouring the taste of a fine dish, they can come close not only to identification of the component ingredients, but as well, they can make a skilled guess as to how the ingredients are used to produce dish. As a child, I recall table conversations centering around such use of ingredients and how revolting that talk was to me! It seemed to me then that one ought to be content with the delightful outcome and not be concerned with how it had been brought about.

Time passes and one learns — or we hope we do! I have come to have healthy respect for and considerable interest in how things are put together, machines, foods, people, even church programs. Bread or something like it is common to every culture. Though not a baker, I am fascinated with the ability of some people to take what seem to me unlikely ingredients and then, from them, with skill and certainty, they produce bread which is esthetically beautiful, really nourishing for the body, and a delight to the taste. Out of flour, yeast, some kinds of liquids, maybe a bit of oil, a touch of salt — the listing proves my lack of knowledge — but out of it all comes a product of delight and nourishment for all of us.

Church programs and work come out of something of the same blending. We seek to bring together people with differing talents and tastes; suggestions from all segments of the congregation; some persons who are willing to give some time and their talents; a few who give a great deal of time. Add to it suggestions from our denominational leadership centers. Sprinkle in awareness of local needs as well as opportunities out in the world. One indispensable element is money to make it all go. And that brings me to the point of this paragraph; money is important! It is not the only thing and it is not the main thing. The main thing is Christian love and dedication. But without the fueling and provisioning effect of money, the whole thing will not go. Gasoline, even with our higher prices, is not the only thing in an automobile, but without it, the vehicle will not go.

We are in the completion stages of our Every Member Commitment. Commitment in intention of giving money is one aspect of total commitment. Your participation in giving is needed for the fulfillment of what we have set before ourselves as our goals. What anyone gives, taken alone, will not carry us very far. Put all our gifts together and we will move forward. What you do is important! Register NOW your intentions and our efforts joined will in God's mercy and leading enable us to continue and increase our outreach.

-- Ed Wmith

DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME ends Sunday, 29 October, at two o'clock in the morning. Please set your timepieces back one hour; i. e., from 10 to 9, prior to retiring Saturday evening.

EVENING HOLY COMMUNION will be celebrated at Duke Memorial Sunday, 5 November, from 5:30 to 6:30. This will be a service like the one last Christmas Eve. Come at your choice of time between these hours. Take time to read through the order of service, to offer the prayers that God places in your heart, and then receive the sacrament. In essence, it is a "come and go" service but this does not mean that one should be in haste and certainly, it does not mean that one should be unprepared for it!

SUNDAY, 29 OCTOBER 1978

Reformation Sunday

The Gospel: St. John 2:13-17

The Sermon: Reformation or Revolution Acolytes: Roy Forrester and Mike Hammond Greeters: Mr. and Mrs. Irving Allen

Altar Guild Workers for November: Mabel Craig and Betsy Reade A GIFT has been given to the Good Samaritan Fund of Duke Memorial Church in loving memory of Grace Plyler McLean (Mrs. J. A.), Mrs. Lillian Carden, and Mrs. Frank Lyon by Mr. and Mrs. T. S. White, Jr.

APPRECIATION: Hal Gurganous expresses his appreciation for the love and sympathy shown to him by the Church Family at the time of the death of his sister.

PANCAKE BREAKFAST

sponsored by the Open Door Class Sunday, November 5, 1978

Time: 8:45 a.m. - 9:30 a.m.

Tickets: Adults: \$ 1.50 Children: 1.25

Tickets may be obtained from Class

Members or Church Office
"START THE DAY THE OPEN DOOR WAY1"

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HALLOWEEN PARTY

The Open Door Halloween Party will be Saturday, October 28, from 6:30 - 9:00 p. m. Anyone willing to dress up in costume and to bring a dessert for supper is welcome! There will be a small charge for supper. The Fellowship Hall will be transformed into a wonderful spooky fantacy - come, join the fun!

OUR NEWEST MEMBER: Cheryl Gaunt, 2836 Chapel Hill Road, 10-F, became a member of Duke Memorial last Sunday by transfer from Westminster Presbyterian Church, Ann Arbor, Michigan. Her telephone number is 489-7727. A note or a telephone call to welcome her will bless you and her! Do it today!

EXPRATHY: The congregation and pastors express their sympathy and loving concern to Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Baucom, 1229 Shade Lane, because of the death of Clyde's brother, Charles, in Roanoke, Virginia.

MARRIAGE: The congregation and pastors rejoice and express their best wishes to Connie Curtis and Tommy Chandler who married Saturday evening, 21 October, at 7:00 p. m. in our sanctuary.

ATTENDANCE: Sunday, 22 October 1978
Church School.....249
Morning Worship.....324

HOSPITALIZED:

Wed.

Thurs.

Durham County General: Marion Montgomery

7:30 p. m.

4103

Rehab Center: Margaret Daniel

7117

Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal

FOUND: A small gold bracelet. Call Church Office to claim.

OPPORTUNITIES FOR WEEK OF OCT. 29 - NOV. 4

Sun.	9:45 a.	m.	Church School
	10:55 a.	m.	Morning Worship
	2:00 p.	m.	Senior UMYF
	5:00 p.	m.	Carol & Junior Choirs
	6:00 p.	m.	Junior UMYF
Mon.	7:30 p.	m.	Singles Again, Parlor

10:00 a. m. Fall Festival Workshop

FALL FESTIVAL ALERT!

Wednesday, November 15, will be here soon!

Please finish items and bring them to the church office. Attach your name and a suggested price or cost of materials. Sign up to work a shift. For information call Edith Toms 688-1776, or Dottie Ritchie, 682-7977.

THE SENIOR HIGH MYF will have a fun and constructive time at Camp Chestnut Ridge on Sunday, October 29. We will bring Halloween costumes and scary stories and leave from the church at 2:00. Our event will include songs, games, a cookout, and planning MYF for the rest of this year. We will return at 8:00. Soooooobe there!

JUNIOR HIGHS! We will play volleyball this Sunday, October 29, at MYF. Come join us!

BREAD FOR THE WORLD, a Christian group attempting to influence legislation in Congress affecting the world food crisis is sponsoring a regional conference at Duke University November 3-5. Workshops are open by invitation only. However, the evening sessions at the Downtowner are open to the public. Friday evening's session, beginning at 7:30 p. m., features Dr. Ronald Sider (author of Rich Christians in an Age of Hunger: A Biblical Study) and Dr. Arthur Simon (executive director of Bread for the World). Saturday evening's session features a panel discussion on "Bringing the University/Seminary together with the community on Hunger issues". Panelists will include Ms. Jayne Miller Wood of the Overseas Development Council, Dr. Clarence Abercrombie III of Wofford College, Ms. Helen Casey, O.S.B. of Centre College in Kentucky, and Bill Valentine of the Action Center in Washington, D. C. Plan to take part in these events. For more information contact Rev. Frank Dew (682-3865), Dr. Creighton Lacey (684-6247 or 489-7848), or Cathy Wells (688-4923).