

MOVING DAY, METHODIST STYLE

The North Carolina Conference chooses the Thursday following adjournment of the annual session in June as moving day for all pastors going to new assignments. Each year about one hundred sixty-five families make a move, clearing out one parsonage prior to noon on "the day" and hoping that the family they follow will have cleared out and be gone prior to the arrival of the new occupants of that parsonage. Each one seeks to leave the house in perfect order and hopes for equal good fortune where they go. In its own way, such a shuffling of families on such a scale requires a middle-sized logistical miracle for success - and successful it usually is.

It involves not only worldly goods and valued treasures; it involves far more - the love, the concern, the desire to serve for a host of people. Though I tend to see this moving business from the standpoint of one who has made a few such moves, I am aware that it is also occasionally traumatic for members of the congregations involved. Honesty requires that it be said that on occasion such moves bring a sense of relief to all involved - another facet of the genius of the structure of Methodist churches and people!

This year, Don and Carolyn Settle move from the house Duke Memorial has provided them and go to Bahama. Coming to us as Associate Pastor is William A. Haddock, Jr. and with him, his wife (since 18 May 1980), Jean. They live at 15-B Colonial Apartments, Chapel Hill Road. Their telephone is 493-3941. We welcome them among us, as fellow Christians and fellow servants.

Jean originally is from Coal Valley, Illinois. She graduated from Wheaton College with a BS in biology. Since coming to Durham she has worked as an advertising copywriter with AD-Ventures, the advertising section of Record Bar.

Bill comes from Vanceboro, N. C., Epworth Church on the Vanceboro Circuit. He is a graduate of West Craven High School, and UNC-CH. The late Dr. Bernard Boyd had great influence on his vocational choice and direction. In the summer of 1975 he was one of the students with Dr. Boyd in archeological research in Israel. He graduated from Duke Divinity School on 11 May 1980. He is a member of the North Carolina Annual Conference, having been ordained deacon in 1978. During the year just ended, he worked as assistant to Rev. Charles Morrison in Nashville with responsibilities across the spectrum of church life. During the summer of 1978, he worked in the Louisburg Methodist Church under the direction of Reverend Arthur Phillips.

Bill and Jean will be officially with us Sunday, 15 June. His work with us begins Friday, 13 June. He will be our preacher Sunday morning, 22 June. Words of welcome, however conveyed, are in order! We are thankful for their coming and rejoice at the prospect of working with them.

-- Ed Smith

CHRISTIANS - COMFORTABLE OR IN COMFORT?

Some church-goers feel they must be in coat and tie to be comfortable; bless you, come that way. Others know that in summer, such attire will be uncomfortable; bless you, come in sport shirts and the like. The Christian life is never guaranteed to be easy or simple; but no Scripture requires that church going be physically uncomfortable! Dress for the season and according to your taste!

SUNDAY, 15 JUNE 1980

Third Sunday after Pentecost

The Gospel: St. Luke 14:15-24

The Sermon: Mind Your Manners!

Greeters: Mr. & Mrs. Franklin Harrell

Junior Church Leader: Don Sellers

ATTENDANCE: Sunday, 8 June 1980

Church School.....223

Morning Worship.....281

HOSPITALIZED:

DCGH: Alberta P. Lane 5103

DMC: Olive Sherman Cushing 4114

THE VARIETY SHOW presented by the Christian Fellowship Class raised \$180 for Meals on Wheels. Probably even more important, it offered an evening of delightful entertainment to all of us. On both counts and for other good reasons, all of us thank the Christian Fellowship Class for their initiative, evident spirit of love and concern, and for their excellent stewardship of talent and time.

* ASP LUNCHEON *
* Plan to stay after church on Sunday, *
* June 29, for lunch in Whitford Hall. *
* Menu: Baked chicken, vegetable, salad, *
* bread, dessert and tea. *
* Cost will be: Adults: \$ 2.50 *
* Children: \$ 1.50 *
* This will be the final money-raising *
* project for the group going to do home- *
* repairs in Appalachia this summer. *

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"DOWN BY THE RIVERSIDE"

Calling everyone who is four years old through those in the sixth grade! We're going "Down By the Riverside" for three wild and wonderful Wednesday mornings at the West Point on the Eno River.

On the first morning, June 25, we'll celebrate "The Season of the Spirit." We're not sure what goblins will appear, but you're sure to leave knowing you've been in touch with "the Spirit." What is "the Spirit?" We've heard that it is even more powerful than when "the empire strikes back!"

The second morning, July 2, come and discover that "God Don't Make No Junk." Once you've been in touch with "the Spirit" the week before you'll never again be the same. You will be able to see things in a way that you never saw them before. Fred Sanford always loved junk and you will, too!

On the final Wednesday, July 9, everyone will have a chance to go "Frog Kissing." If, you've never been frog kissing then you don't know what you've been missing. There's a world of opportunity under each and every log. If you've never been a charm breaker, and if you've never been a handsome prince or beautiful princess maker just slow down, turn around, bend down and kiss a Frog! On this final day everyone will stay for lunch, but don't worry...we're not having frog legs. You will need to bring your own lunch.

Here are the highlights again.

What: "Down By the Riverside"

When: Wed., June 25 - 9:30 - 12:00 Noon

"The Season of the Spirit"

Wed., July 2 - 9:30 - 12:00 Noon

"God Don't Make No Junk"

Wed., July 9 - 9:30 - 12:30 p. m.

"Frog Kissing" (Bring a bag lunch)

Where: West Point on the Eno River

Who: Four year olds through sixth graders

Dress: Very casual

COME AND JOIN IN THE FUN!

CHURCH CALENDAR JUNE 15 - 21, 1980

Sun.	9:45 a. m.	Church School
	10:55 a. m.	Morning Worship
	6:00 p. m.	UMYF
Mon.	12:00 Noon	Circle 9, Covered Dish Luncheon, Whitford Hall
Wed.	7:00 a. m.	Men's Prayer Breakfast, Whitford Hall
	10:00 a. m.	Bazaar Workshop, Whitford Hall
	7:30 p. m.	Commission on Education
Thurs.	7:30 p. m.	Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal

MEMORIALS RECEIVED WITH APPRECIATION:

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Altar Guild

In loving memory of Mrs. Louis Schlemmer, mother of Mrs. Virginia Ballagh, by Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Phillips, Jr.

ALTAR FLOWERS

We have several Sunday openings during the summer for altar flowers. If you would like to put flowers in our sanctuary please call the Church Office, 688-1901. Thank you!