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THE YOUNG PEOPLE'S GROUPS

Pioneer
The Ministers

Senior Fellowship
The Ministers
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Junior Fellowship
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Boy Scouts
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H. W. Johnson

Choir Schools
Mrs. Agnes M. Skillen

Chairman of Troop Committee, Louis E. Swanson
Day Nursery: Mrs. Edward K. Kraybill and Mrs. Fred Bersebach, Teachers
Week-day Kindergarten: Mrs. Paul H. Insch

Trinity Avenue Presbyterian Church

Trinity Avenue at Gregson Street
Durham, North Carolina

"A Friendly Community Church"



God make the door of this House wide enough to receive all who need human love, friendship, and the Father's care; and narrow enough to shut out all pride, envy and hatred. Make its threshold smooth enough for the feet of little children and rugged enough to call forth our mature powers.

SUMMER ORDER FOR MORNING WORSHIP
ELEVEN O'CLOCK SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 10, 1961

Prepare For Worship Through Silent Prayer

O Lord, I know not what I ought to ask of thee; thou only knowest what I need; thou lovest me better than I know how to love myself. O Father! give to thy child that which he himself knows not how to ask. I dare not ask either for crosses or consolations; I simply present myself before thee, I open my heart to thee. Behold my needs which I know not myself; see and do according to thy mercy. Smite or heal, depress me or raise me up; I adore all thy purposes without knowing them; I am silent; I offer myself in sacrifice; I yield myself to thee; I would have no other desire than to accomplish thy will. Teach me to pray. Pray thyself in me. Amen.

Fenelon

ORGAN PRELUDE

INTROIT

CALL TO WORSHIP

INVOCATION AND LORD'S PRAYER

HYMN NO. 144 "I Greet Thee, Redeemer" John Calvin, 1545

Genevan Psalter

PSALTER (Responsive) Psalm 139 p. 503, Sel. 32

ANTHEM (Chancel Choir) "We Thank Thee Lord" Bortniansky

SCRIPTURE

THE APOSTLES' CREED (Hymnal, p. 12) Gloria Patri

MORNING PRAYERS

HYMN NO. 401 "Jesus, the Very Thought of Thee" St. Agnes
Latin, 11th century

OFFERING

OFFERTORY

DOXOLOGY

SERMON "MY HEART STRANGELY WARMED" The Minister

HYMN NO. 423 "Thou Hidden Source of Calm Repose" St. Petersburg
Charles Wesley, 1749 - Bortniansky, 1825

BENEDICTION and Choral Response

POSTLUDE

APPRECIATION IS EXPRESSED TO Mrs. George L. Lindsey, Organist, and to Mrs. Eugene Umstead who is directing the choir today. Mrs. Skillen is out of town for a few days.

ON TUESDAY of last week, the Minister spoke to the Club Blvd. School Parents on "Religion in the Home." On Monday of this week, he meets with Presbytery's Candidates For The Ministry Committee, Camp Presbyterian Point Committee and the Christian Education Committee. On Tuesday, he is to assist in the examination of Candidate Charles Love for the Presbyterian ministry. On Wednesday, he is to speak in Roxboro and meet with the Durham Nursery School Board.

WORKERS' CONFERENCE for all Sunday School teachers and workers next Sunday, September 17, 3:00 P.M. Plans for Rally Day and other important fall projects will be made.

A DELEGATION OF FIFTY Trinity Avenue young people and their adult advisers are at Presbyterian Point camp this weekend for a planning retreat for the Pioneer and Senior Fellowships. Mr. Campbell will be preaching to the group this morning. They will be back at the church by 5:00 p.m. today. Counselors for the event are: Mr. & Mrs. Travis Porter, Mr. & Mrs. Phil Davis, Miss Helen Jackson, Mr. L. C. Garrett, Mrs. Bryant Bivins, Miss Jacksie Watlington, Rev. & Mrs. Jeff Campbell. The Minister met with the group yesterday.

ON THURSDAY evening, NOMIC, the national organization for mentally ill children, met in our church.

THE CHILDRENS' CHOIRS will begin rehearsing this Tuesday afternoon at 3:15 and 4:00. Parents who have not registered their children for the choir schools are urged to do so not later than Tuesday.

FLOWERS TODAY were arranged by Circle No. 3.

A SINCERE WELCOME is extended to all those visiting with us today. We invite you to sign a Visitor's Card to indicate your presence or interest in church membership.

"Cheered by the presence of God, I will do each moment, without anxiety, according to the strength which He shall give me, the work that His Providence assigns me." Fenelon

CHURCH CALENDAR

- SUNDAY: Church School: Classes for all ages, 9:30.
Nursery: Ch. School: Mrs. F. Bersebach, Director
Worship Service: Mrs. P.A. Sloan, Jr., Dir.
Extended Kindergarten: Mrs. Ernest P. Carter and
Mrs. Hugh Campbell
PIONEER & SENIOR FELLOWSHIPS: Will not meet tonight.
JUNIOR FELLOWSHIP: Meets at 6:00 for supper followed
by Worship and Study at 6:30.
BELL CHOIR: Meets with Mr. Campbell at 5:00.
FINANCE COMMITTEE: Meets at 6:30.
DIACONATE: Meets in the Church Parlor at 7:45.
- MONDAY: CO-OP NURSERY: 9-12:00 Daily, Monday-Friday
Mrs. E.K. Kraybill, Director
- WOMEN OF THE CHURCH - CIRCLE MEETINGS:
- #1 - 10:30 with Mrs. R.M. Williamson, 1008 Monmouth Ave.
Mrs. H.Y. Templeton, Cohostess
 - #2 - 10:30 with Mrs. Bess Pickard Boone, 1012 W. Markham
 - #3 - 10:30 with Mrs. Roy T. Parker, Church Parlors
 - #6 - 6:15 at Duke Park - Picnic for Senior members of
church, a special project of Circle 6.
 - #7 - 6:00 with Mrs. C. F. Moloney, 2815 Winton Road
 - #8 - 8:00 with Mrs. Blair Parks, 2205 Pershing St.
- TUESDAY: CHILDREN'S CHOIRS: Carol Choir at 3:15
Choir School at 4:00
SESSION: Will meet at the Manse, 1012 Green Street,
7:30 P. M.
- WEDNESDAY: COVERED DISH SUPPER: 6:30 P.M.
MID-WEEK SERVICE OF WORSHIP & STUDY: 7:20 P.M.
- THURSDAY: SCOUTS - TROOP 412: 7:30 P. M.
CHANCEL CHOIR: Rehearsal at 7:30 P. M.

After the Doxology children will leave with
Mr. & Mrs. Lee F. Hall for Junior Church.

THE GENERAL MEETING OF THE WOMEN OF THE CHURCH will be
Monday evening, September 18, at 8:00 P. M. Annual
Reports will be presented and new officers installed.



Sunday School workers, Mr. and Mrs. J. Edward Tharpe, of the Warrenton, Va., Presbyterian Church.

Photo by Max Tharpe

CHRISTIAN TEACHING MONTH

A Teacher's Prayer:

My Lord, I do not ask to stand
As king or prince of high degree;
I only pray that hand in hand
A child and I may come to Thee.
To teach a tender voice to pray,
Two childish eyes Thy face to see,
Two feet to guide in Thy straight way—
This fervently I ask of Thee.

—The Pleasant Hour

**SEPTEMBER 24 IS RALLY DAY
AND THE SUPPLEMENTAL OFFERING
FOR CHRISTIAN EDUCATION NEEDS.**

Interaction and Impact

Is real Christian education taking place among such activities in our Church's life as Sunday Church school classes, study groups, worship services, recreation programs, fellowship suppers, social groups, committee work? Can all or any of these be justified as activities in which persons come to know Christ, and in knowing Him to dedicate and rededicate themselves to lives of love and service?

Within this major purpose each activity has its own part to play as a means to an end. Study groups and classes at their best stimulate Christian growth and development through wholesome interaction among persons as they relate areas of study to life problems and situations.

Committees and boards become education also through the interaction and impact of persons upon each other as the group plans and shares responsibility. Good, carefully planned recreation frees a person from himself as he participates in a joyful way, as he expresses himself in wholesome fun, and as he responds to others in his group. Social groups and fellowship suppers create an atmosphere in which persons become known and accepted as each is drawn into the bond of fellowship.

Worship becomes the central core of our church's life as persons bring themselves, as individuals within the community, to acknowledge their failings and to seek forgiveness and strength through faith.

—Cecile McRae



In September...

Work and Worship

In the Genesis account of creation, immediately after the description of man made in the image of God, it is made clear that man is to have dominion over the earth and is to "fill the earth and subdue it."

Our being made in the image of God means that we are to share in the creative work of God.

We U.S. Presbyterians, whose independent, self-reliant rural people have been thrown into this vastly different industrial age, tend to be skeptical as to whether we can actually be co-workers with God in such a complex industrial society. When we are honest, we confess that much work seems just a way of making a living and not sharing in the creative activity of God.

In the creation account, God's creative activity involves creating the earth in six days and resting on the Sabbath. If we would share in the life of God, we must discover life's rhythm of work and worship. The solution of our problem does not lie in bemoaning the evils of industrial society, and yearning for the good old days. Our marching orders are to rediscover the true relationship of work and worship. Our calling is to share in God's creation; to know Him, and to make Him known in our work and in our worship.

—John Robert Goodson

A Christian's place in this working world is established by his job. In medieval times, the guilds were organized of craftsmen who sought to express their faith through their work. In modern times Christians can do no less.

—Fred R. Stair, Jr.