

# Report of Pastor

The report of the pastor in charge shall include the names of all persons involved in the changes in membership and other items as outlined in the 1960 Discipline, ¶ 352.22. This report should cover as fully as possible the work of the pastor. Care should be taken not to duplicate the reports of the commissions, other organizations, and officers of the charge. A suggested outline for items other than membership is given on the reverse side of this sheet. If additional space is needed to present a full report, use extra sheets of plain paper the same size as this form.

Duke Memorial Church Duke Memorial Charge  
Durham District North Carolina Conference

For the period beginning May 9, 19 61, and ending October 3, 19 61

## I. BAPTISMS

1. Number of infants baptized since the last report? 9
2. All others: Children, youth, and adults? 1

## II. MEMBERSHIP

3. Who have been received into *full membership* since the last report? (Record as a supplement.) (a) From preparatory membership? (b) On profession of faith or restored? (c) From other Methodist churches? (d) From other denominations?
4. Who have been received into *preparatory membership* since the last report? (Record as a supplement.)
5. Who have been removed since the last report? (Record as a supplement.) (a) By transfer to other Methodist churches? (b) By action of the Quarterly Conference or withdrawal? (c) By transfer to other denominations? (d) By death?

## III. MEMBERSHIP SUMMARY

6. (a) Total <i>preparatory members</i> on roll last report	175	
(b) Preparatory members added since last report	9	
(c) Total preparatory members [add lines (a) and (b)]		184
(d) Deductions. (1) Received into full membership	8	
(2) Removed from roll otherwise		
(e) Total deductions [add lines (1) and (2)]		176
(f) Total <i>preparatory members</i> now on roll [subtract line (e) from line (c)]		1906
7. (a) Total <i>full members</i> last report		1911
(b) Additions: (1) On profession of faith or restored	7	
(2) From other Methodist churches	34	
(3) From other denominations	5	
(c) Total additions [add lines (1), (2), (3)]		46
(d) Gross total <i>full members</i> [add lines (a) and (c)]		1952
(e) Deductions (1) By transfer to other Methodist churches	18	
(2) By action of the Quarterly Conference or withdrawal		
(3) By transfer to other denominations	6	
(4) By death		
(f) Total deduction [add lines (1)-(4) inclusive]		24
(g) Total <i>full members</i> [subtract line (f) from line (d)]		1928

## IV. CHURCH LITERATURE

8. (a) Are the people of this charge being supplied with our church literature (¶ 352.18)? Yes
- (b) Number of subscriptions to *Together*? 5; *Christian Advocate*? 20; *Central Christian Advocate*? 1

(The following is a suggested outline for reporting other items as required by the *Discipline*. The pastor to report his own participation and responsibilities and the co-operation of the charge in Part VI, *Connectional Programs and Responsibilities*.)

THE METHODIST CHURCH

## V. WORK AND PROGRAM OF THE LOCAL CHURCH

1. *Pastoral Ministry*—visiting, counseling, evangelism, marriages, and funerals.
2. *Teaching Ministry*—educational program, work with children, organizations for youth, activities for adults—especially older adults.
3. *Other ministries*.
4. *Administration*—financial condition of the charge, condition of the property, organizational structure of the charge.
5. *Development of Lay Workers*—participation of lay workers in Christian education, adult leadership in youth programs and adult activities, volunteer work in property maintenance, stewardship responsibilities.
6. *Interpret the present state of the charge* and present proposals for advance in fellowship, the spiritual life of the charge, evangelism, Christian education, finances, and property improvement.

For the period beginning \_\_\_\_\_ and ending \_\_\_\_\_

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## VI. CONNECTIONAL PROGRAMS AND RESPONSIBILITIES

1. *District Programs*—participation in district rallies, subdistrict meetings, summer camps and institutes, financial requests.
2. *Annual Conference Programs*—participation in Annual Conference rallies, financial apportionments, support of colleges and Wesley Foundations, programs of evangelism, Annual Conference Specials, and development programs.
3. *Area, Jurisdictional, and General Conference Programs and Financial Requests*—apportionments and participation.

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Date \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

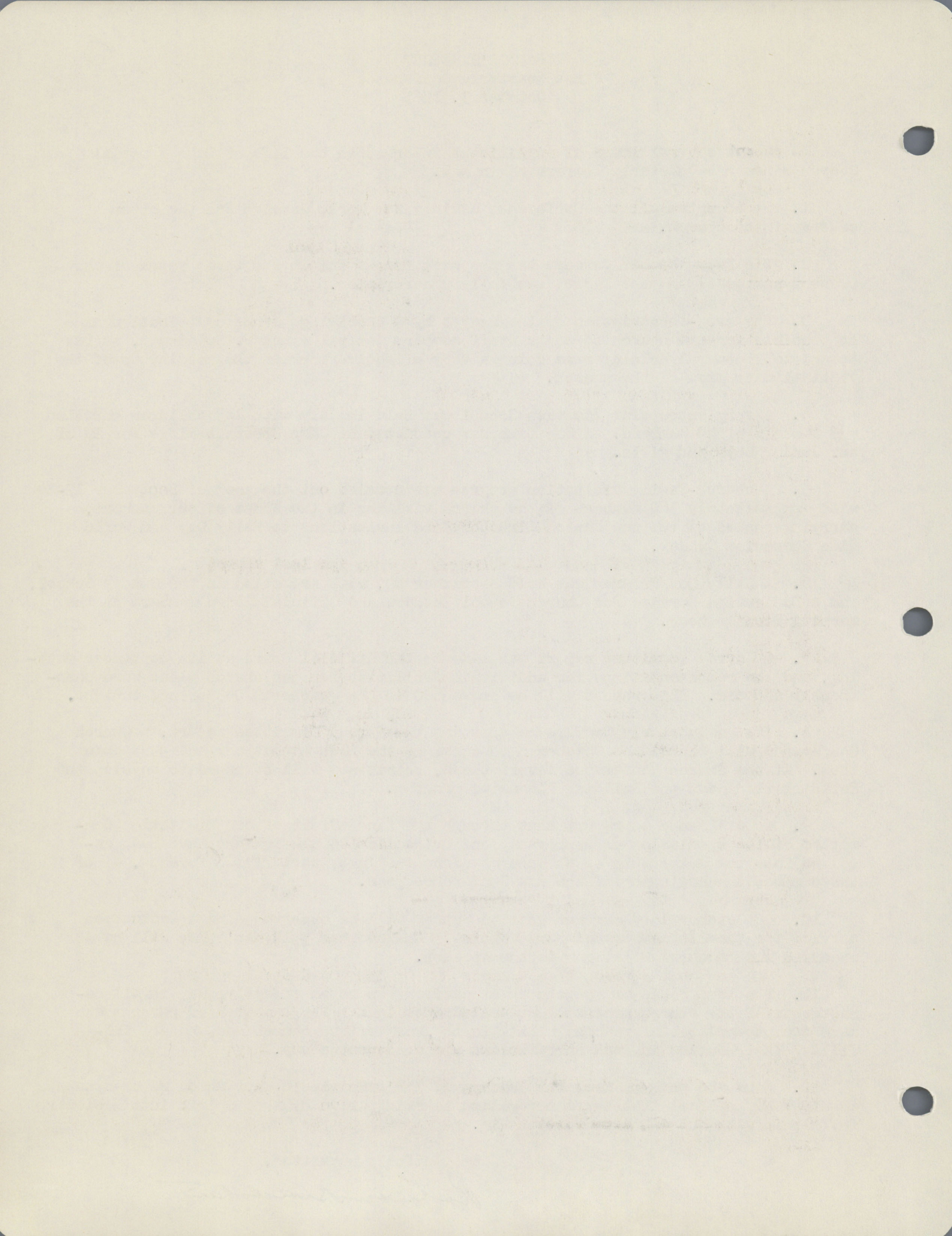
PASTOR'S REPORT  
First Quarterly Conference  
October 3, 1961

We report several items of significant interest in the life of Duke Memorial Church since the Quarterly Conference in May.

1. We accepted all the Conference askings for World Service and the other causes of the church.
2. The Every Member Canvass was the most successful in the three years of the present pastorate and the Budget was fully underwritten.
3. The over-subscription of the Budget by a special generous contribution made it possible for the church to add a staff member, General James W. Holsinger, as Lay Associate. General Holsinger is doing a very effective work in the heading up of the visitation program of the church.
4. A very successful Vacation School was held in July with 143 children enrolled and a staff of 48 members. A Day Camp was conducted at Camp Chestnut Ridge for 19 of our Junior boys and girls.
5. A church-family visitation program was carried out the week of September 17-24 with approximately 180 members of the church visiting in the homes of our members, carrying copies of the new Church Directory and invitations to Rally Day and World Wide Communion Sunday.
6. A Rally Day Program was held September 24, with promotion in the Sunday School, and a Dedication Service for Church School leaders and Official Board members at the morning worship hour.
7. A Survey Committee report was made to the Official Board at its September meeting, and the recommendations for additional facilities for our church plant were unanimously adopted. This report will be presented to the Quarterly Conference tonight.
8. If the Quarterly Conference approves the Survey Committee report, a Church Conference will be held on October 8 to consider the recommendations and pass upon them. If the Church Conference favors these, committees will be named to develop the Building Plans and the Building Financing program.
9. We are happy to report that through the fine effort of our Visitation Committee of the Commission on Membership and Evangelism 46 new members have been received into the membership of the church since the last Quarterly Conference, 41 of these since the beginning of the new Conference year.
10. On October 15 Choir Recognition Sunday will be observed with a dedication service for the 226 members of our 5 choirs. On November 5 Laymen's Day will be observed with General Holsinger as the speaker.
11. The leadership of our church is carrying on in an effective way in all departments of the church program. We are indebted to the large number of persons who have accepted places of responsibility in the work of the church and who are fulfilling their duties in such an efficient and consecrated way.
12. More and more we feel the leading of God's Spirit in that which we undertake in His Name and feel that the congregation is being drawn by that Spirit into a closer fellowship with one another and with Him.

Respectfully submitted,

*Robert W. Bradshaw*



## I BAPTISMS

Number of Infants baptized since last report? 9

Elizabeth Jeanne Johnson	May 14, 1961
James Michael Stanford	May 28, 1961
Louis Leonidas Sasser, III	June 11, 1961
William Cole King, Jr.	June 25, 1961
Elizabeth Ann Miller	June 25, 1961
Susan Leigh Tucker	August 6, 1961
Deborah Elaine Forbes	September 17, 1961
Stephen Hughes Langford	September 24, 1961
Joyce Elaine Guthrie	

All others: children, youth, adults? 1

Mr. Ralph S. Massey	September 21, 1961
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## II MEMBERSHIP

Who have been received into full membership since the last report?

Restored? 6

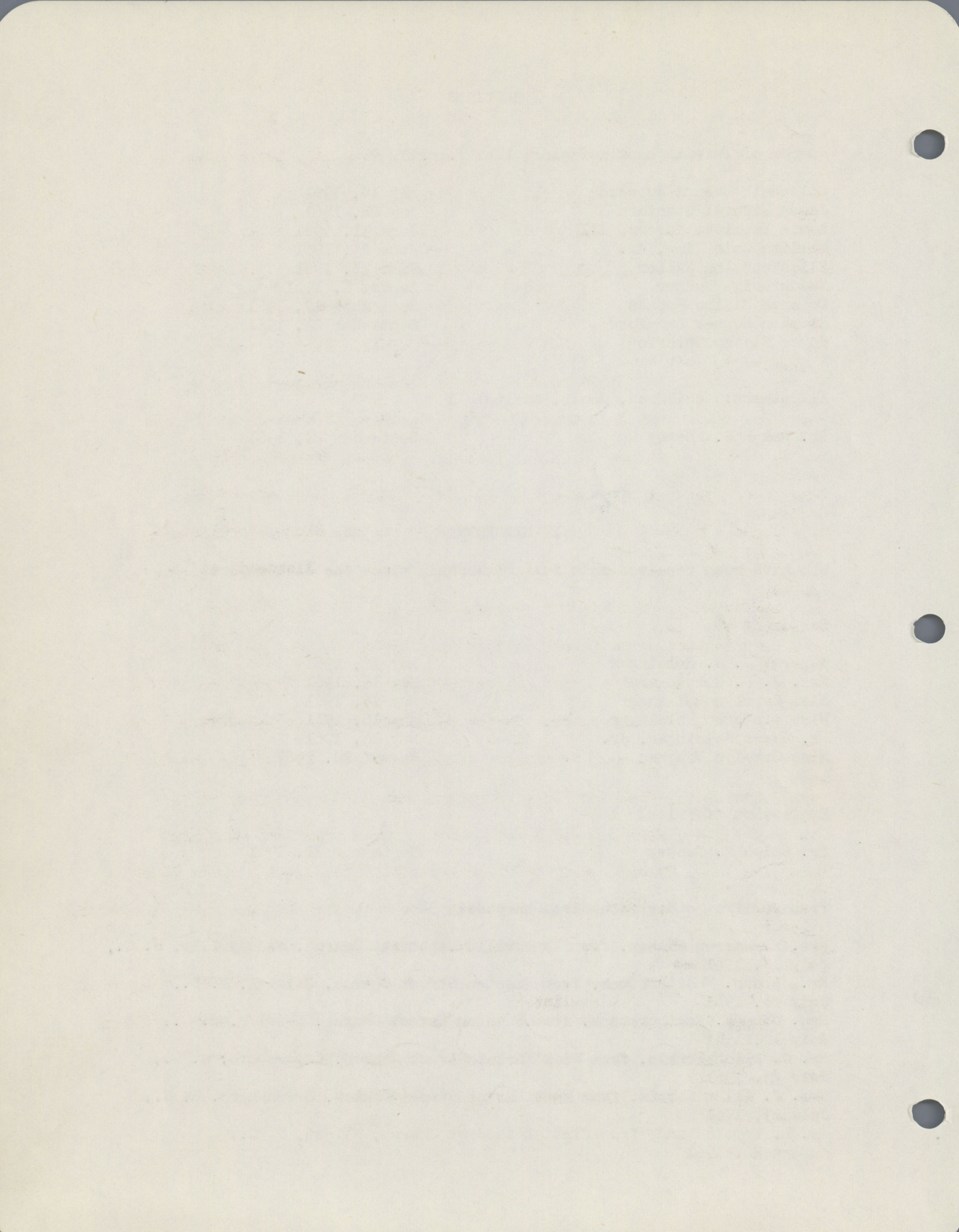
General J. W. Holsinger	May 16, 1961
Mrs. J. W. Holsinger	May 16, 1961
Miss Carolyn Holsinger	May 16, 1961
Miss Gretchen Holsinger	May 16, 1961
Mr. James Holsinger, Jr.	May 16, 1961
Miss Carolyn Vaughan	August 20, 1961

Profession of Faith? 1

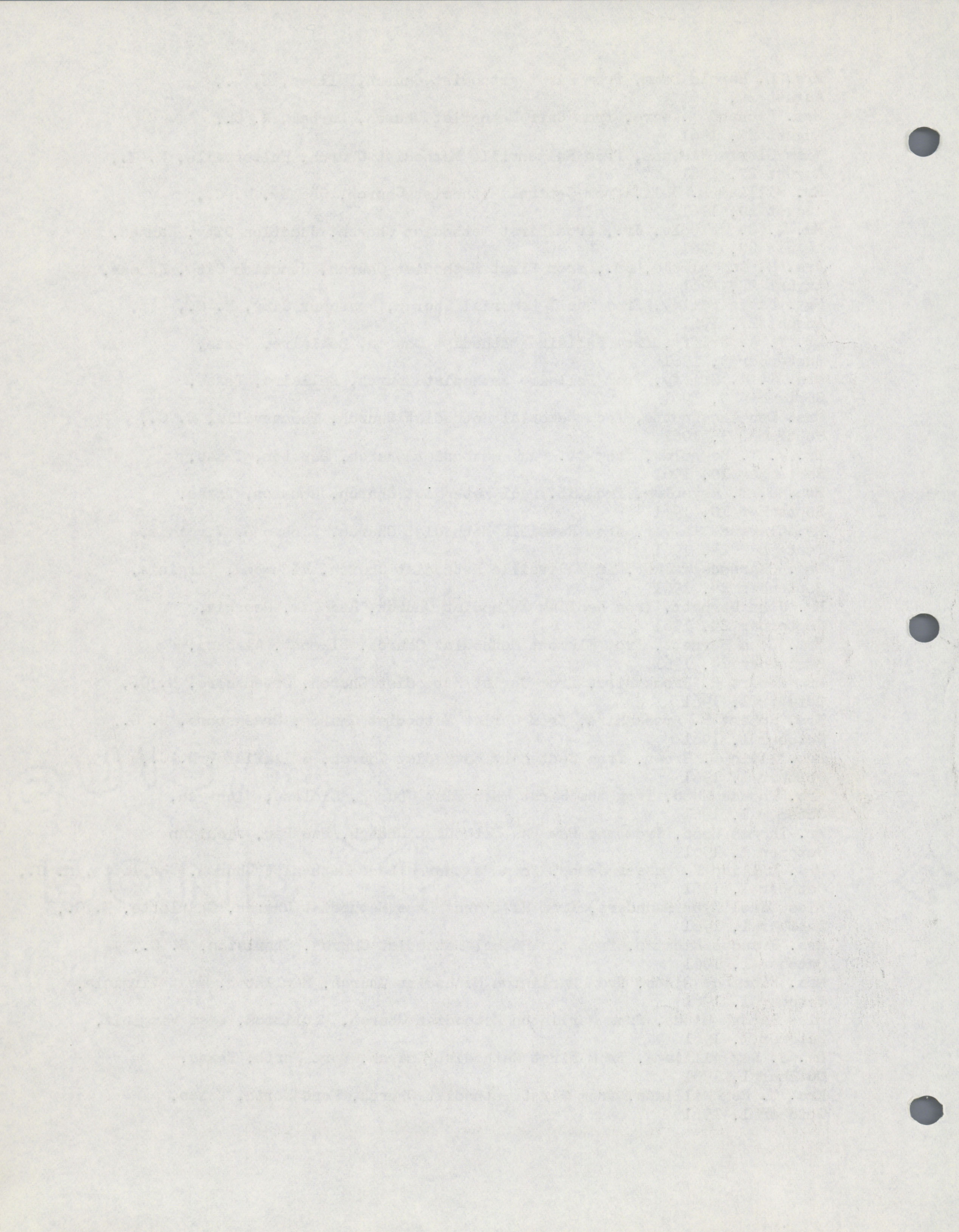
Mr. Ralph S. Massey	September 21, 1961
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Transfer from other Methodist Churches? 34

Mrs. W. Warren Bishop, from Yanceville Methodist Church, Yanceyville, N. C.,	July 16, 1961
Mr. John E. Featherstone, from Edenton Street Church, Raleigh, N. C.,	July 16, 1961
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Mr. J. Allen Norris, from West Market Street Church, Greensboro, N. C.,	July 23, 1961
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Mr. L. Harold Lamm, from First Methodist Church, Wilson, N. C.,	August 20, 1961



Mrs. L. Harold Lamm, from First Methodist Church, Wilson, N. C.,  
August 20, 1961  
Mrs. Richard M. Ware, from Carr Methodist Church, Durham, N. C.,  
August 27, 1961  
Miss Gloria Stevens, from Fultonville Methodist Church, Fultonville, N. Y.,  
August 27, 1961  
Mr. William E. Self, from Central Methodist Church, Shelby, N. C.,  
August 20, 1961  
Mr. G. C. Walpole, Jr., from First Methodist Church, Junction City, Kansas,  
August 27, 1961  
Mrs. G. C. Walpole, Jr., from First Methodist Church, Junction City, Kansas,  
August 27, 1961  
Mrs. David Bailey, from Odell Memorial Church, Bessemer City, N. C.,  
August 27, 1961  
Dr. T. A. Griffy, from Bellaire Methodist Church, Bellaire, Texas,  
September 3, 1961  
Mrs. T. A. Griffy, from Bellaire Methodist Church, Bellaire, Texas,  
September 3, 1961  
Mrs. Douglas Knotts, from Memorial Methodist Church, Thomasville, N. C.,  
September 3, 1961  
Mr. J. T. Reynolds, from St. Paul Methodist Church, Houston, Texas,  
September 10, 1961  
Mrs. J. T. Reynolds, from St. Paul Methodist Church, Houston, Texas,  
September 10, 1961  
Mr. Clarence Walker, from Reveille Methodist Church, Richmond, Virginia,  
September 24, 1961  
Mrs. Clarence Walker, from Reveille Methodist Church, Richmond, Virginia,  
September 24, 1961  
Mr. John Barnett, from Red Oak Methodist Church, Red Oak, Georgia,  
September 24, 1961  
Mrs. John Barnett, from Elkmont Methodist Church, Elkmont, Alabama,  
September 24, 1961  
Mr. Robert R. Brookshire, from Christ Methodist Church, Greensboro, N. C.,  
October 1, 1961  
Mrs. Robert R. Brookshire, from Christ Methodist Church, Greensboro, N. C.,  
October 1, 1961  
Mrs. Alvin D. Brown, from Centenary Methodist Church, Smithfield, N. C.,  
October 1, 1961  
Mrs. Thomas Hood, from the First Methodist Church, Midland, Michigan,  
October 1, 1961  
Mr. Thomas Hood, from the Paw Paw Methodist Church, Paw Paw, Michigan  
October 1, 1961  
Mrs. Lillian F. Messer Jones, from Hawthorne Lane Methodist Church, Charlotte, N. C.,  
October 1, 1961  
Miss Carol Lynn Saunders, from Hawthorne Lane Methodist Church, Charlotte, N. C.,  
October 1, 1961  
Mrs. Frances Rickman, from the Bethel Methodist Church, Charleston, S. C.,  
October 1, 1961  
Mrs. Florence Hinds, from Marlinton Methodist Church, Marlinton, West Virginia,  
October 1, 1961  
Miss Sandra Hinds, from Marlinton Methodist Church, Marlinton, west Virginia,  
October 1, 1961  
Dr. C. Rex Williams, from First Methodist Church, Fort Worth, Texas,  
October 1, 1961  
Mrs. C. Rex Williams, from First Methodist Church, Fort Worth, Texas,  
October 1, 1961





From other denominations? 5

Mrs. William E. Self, from Covenant Presbyterian Church, Charlotte, N. C.,  
August 20, 1961  
Mr. Douglas Knotts, from First Baptist Church, Albemarle, N. C.,  
September 3, 1961  
Mr. Alvin D. Brown, from Selma Baptist Church, Selma, N. C.,  
October 1, 1961  
Dr. Clarence Bartholomew, from Gettysburg Presbyterian Church, Gettysburg, Pa.,  
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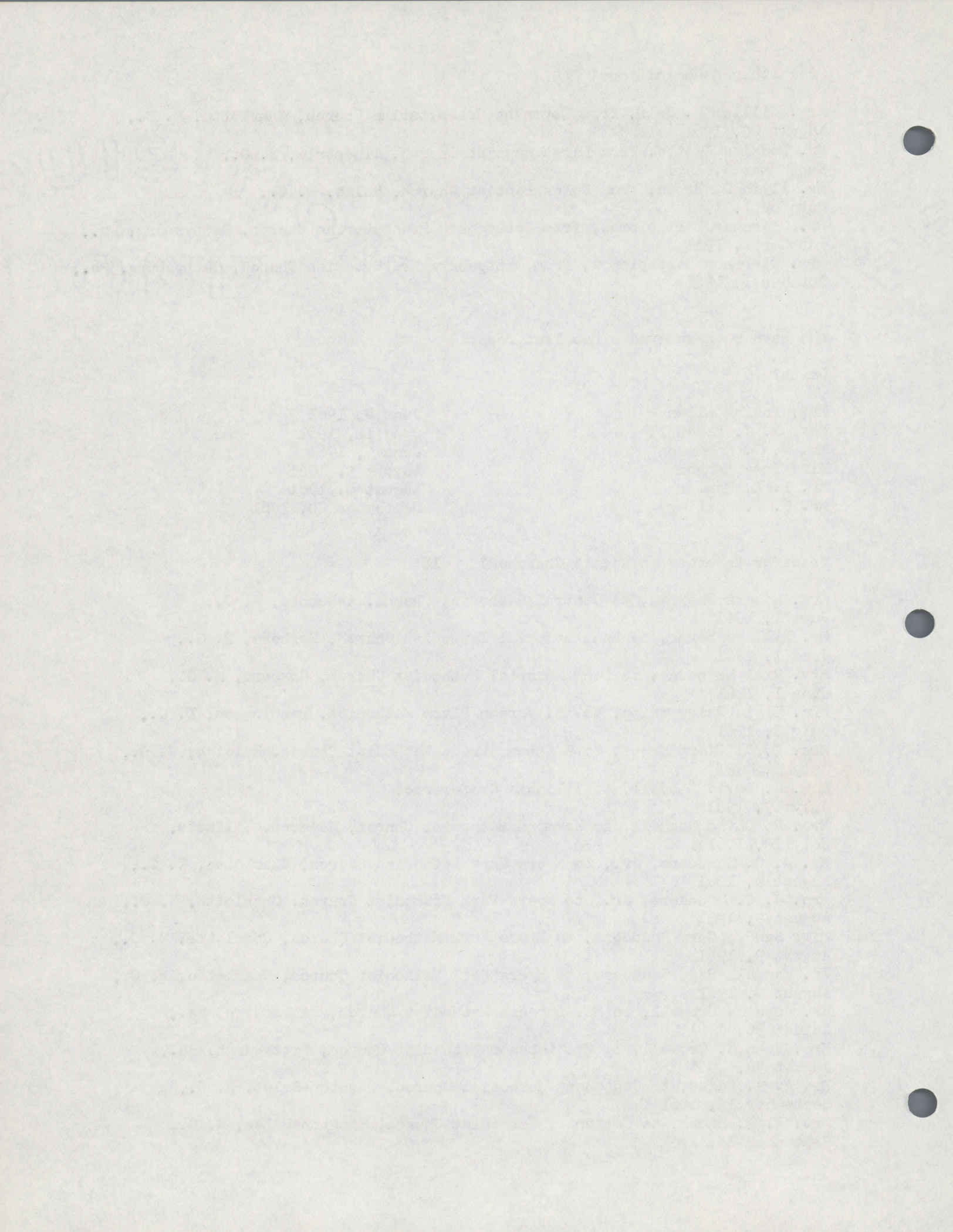
Who have been removed since last report?

Death? 6

Mrs. Irving Allen	June 4, 1961
Mrs. M. J. Paschall	June 12, 1961
Mr. S. B. Robinson	June 9, 1961
Miss Inez Mangum	August 5, 1961
Mr. P. L. Fowler	August 8, 1961
Mr. G. P. Whitley	September 20, 1961

Transfer to other Methodist Churches? 18

Mrs. Robert Sherman, to Central Methodist Church, Asheboro, N. C.,  
June 1, 1961  
Mr. Bill Mewborne, to Long Memorial Methodist Church, Roxboro, N. C.,  
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June 1, 1961  
Mrs. Elsie Paige Tripp, to Mt. Vernon Place Methodist, Washington, D. C.,  
July 3, 1961  
Mrs. E. Clifford Shoaf, to Edenton Street Methodist Church, Raleigh, N. C.,  
July 6, 1961  
Rev. R. David Goodell, to Illinois Conference,  
July 19, 1961  
Mrs. R. David Goodell, to Hammond Methodist Church, Hammond, Illinois,  
July 19, 1961  
Mr. J. C. Saunders, Jr., to Myers Park Methodist Church, Charlotte, N. C.,  
August 9, 1961  
Mrs. J. C. Saunders, Jr., to Myers Park Methodist Church, Charlotte, N. C.,  
August 9, 1961  
Miss Sandra Carr Saunders, to Myers Park Methodist Church, Charlotte, N. C.,  
August 9, 1961  
Mr. Randall Page Saunders, to Myers Park Methodist Church, Charlotte, N. C.,  
August 9, 1961  
Mr. John H. Crowell, to Mt. Lebanon Methodist Church, Pittsburgh, Pa.,  
August 30, 1961  
Mrs. John H. Crowell, to Mt. Lebanon Methodist Church, Pittsburgh, Pa.,  
August 30, 1961  
Dr. A. H. Edens, to Centenary Methodist Church, Winston-Salem, N. C.,  
September 15, 1961  
Mrs. A. H. Edens, to Centenary Methodist Church, Winston-Salem, N. C.,  
September 15, 1961



Mrs. J. P. Breedlove, to Wesley Methodist Church, Washington, D. C.,  
September 27, 1961

Mrs. H. D. Minor, to Belmont Methodist Church, Nashville, Tenn.,  
September 29, 1961

Mr. Michael Scott Minor, to Belmont Methodist Church, Nashville, Tenn.,  
September 29, 1961

