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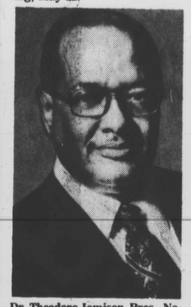
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The Living Church

National Baptist prexy addresses local group

An anniversary banquet, celebrating the 60th Annual Session of the United Baptist Missionary Convention (UMBC) of Maryland, was held at Martin's Westwind on Thursday evening, May 22.



Dr. Theodore Jemison, Pres., National Baptist Convention.

The principal speaker was the Rev. Theodore J. Jemison, president of the National Baptist Convention, USA, Inc. Member churches and ministers throughout Maryland will be in attendance to greet the leader of the largest black organization in the world.

The pastor of the Mt. Zion First Baptist Church in Baton Rouge LA., Dr. Jemison took over the helm, September 9, 1982, during a stormy annual session held in Florida.

In a state by state roll call vote, Dr. Jemison defeated Dr. Joseph H. Jackson, the incumbent of 25 years by a landslide. Since becoming the leader of the more than seven million Baptists, Dr. Jemison has led the National Convention in efforts to build a Baptist World Conference Center in Nashville, TN and spearheaded several evangelistic programs.

The local Baptist group, under the leadership of Rev. Lorenzo Graves, Jr., held its annual session Sunday, May 18 through Saturday, May 24. Dr. Graves, who is also a pastor at Calvary Baptist Church, ended a four-year term as president with his final address on Tuesday evening. The headquarters church is Central Baptist Church on W. Baltimore St. Rev. Montague Brackett is the host pastor.

The public is invited to attend all events during the week-long session. For additional information, call 664-2111 or 523-0893.

Rev. Chavis says 'truth will rise again'

DURHAM, NC. — When Benjamin F. Chavis, Jr. was installed as the executive director of the 1.7 million member United Church of Christ's Commission for Racial Justice in his home state of North Carolina recently it was proof of the poetic maxim, "truth, crushed to earth, shall rise again."

Dr. Chavis, a long-time civil rights activist, said his installation at Duke University Chapel is "a victory celebration over all the trials and tribulations of the past."

The colorful procession marched into the cathedral-like chapel, their voices resounding in an African celebratory chant, accompanied by the drumbeats of the Chuck Davis African Dance Ensemble.

The ensemble, in traditional African dress, was followed by a robed succession of more than 150 United Church of Christ clergy, ministers from other denominations and members and staff of the Commission for Racial Justice. Over 2,000 packed the prestigious chapel.

Among those speaking was the Rev. Dr. Yvonne V. Delk, executive director of the United Church of Christ's Office for Church in Society. "As we gather here to install Benjamin Chavis, it is a critical moment," she observed. "Let those who have ears hear, let those who have eyes see. We have no choice but to intensify our struggle against injustice. We must prepare to wade into the water."

The ceremony was recorded by an African griot, or oral historian. A mass choir drawn from the 140 Black United Church of Christ congregations in North Carolina and Virginia performed gospel selections at the first national event to be held in the denomination's Southern Conference.

At the close of the service, the Rev. Dr. Charles E. Cobb, founder and director emeritus of the Commission, passed Dr. Chavis a hand-carved African staff, a traditional African symbol of leadership.



Rev. Phillip Borum, associate minister of Fountain Baptist Church.

NOBC biennial confab to be held in August

The 1986 joint Biennial Conference of National Office for Black Catholics (NOBC) and National Black Lay Catholic Caucus (NBLCC) will be held August 6-9 in Philadelphia, Pa., said a spokesperson for the D.C.-based organization.

James B. McConduit, of New Orleans, President of NOBC/NBLCC Board of Directors, announced details of the conference today. He said the conference theme is "Black Catholics: Yesterday, Today and Tomorrow." The site of the 1986 conference will be the Philadelphia Centre Hotel, 1725 John F. Kennedy Blvd.

The conference keynoter will be the Rev. Edward K. Braxton, of Chicago. Father Braxton, a theologian, was one of only two Americans invited to address the 1985 Eucharistic Congress in Nairobi, Kenya. John Cardinal Krol, of Philadelphia, will address the conference as will Auxiliary Bishop Eugene A. Marino, of Washington, D.C.

Topics of conference workshops will include black spirituality, teenage pregnancy and substance abuse, Catholic education, political awareness responsibility, and analysis of the Black Bishops' Pastoral, "What We Have Seen and Heard."

The National Conference of Bishops (NCCB) document "Brothers and Sisters to Us: A Pastoral Letter on Racism," and the NCCB's Pastoral Letter On "Catholic Social Teaching And The U.S. Economy" will also be assessed.

"All Black Catholics and all those interested or involved in the apostolate of the Church in the Black community are invited to the conference, McConduit said. He added that NOBC and NBLCC encourage the participation of as many concerned ministers and volunteers as possible.

"Every Catholic parish in the United States with a sizable Black population is asked to sponsor at least two participants to the conference. These numbers are not to exclude additional persons," McConduit said.

The 1986 Joint Biennial Conference is one of a series of meetings which started in Chicago in 1980. It was at that first meeting where an "Action Agenda for the 80s" was established.

There was a 1982 followup conference held in Houston, Tex., to assure the implementation of the Black Catholic agenda resulting from the earlier deliberations. Network building for effective and concerted action on the local level was the main thrust of the 1982 conference. The network was established and a 100 page resource packet was developed for use by participants.

The 1984 conference in New Orleans examined additional resources, assessed progress in implementing the agenda, and attempted to strengthen the network and the alliance.

The National Office for Black Catholics' 16th Annual Workshop in Afro-American Culture and Worship will be held July 13-19, at the Shrine of Our Lady of the Snows, Belleville, Ill. The diversity in Black Catholic worship will be explored, including Afro-American, African and Afro-Caribbean forms. Avon Gillespie, Bob Ray, Michael Voltaire, Roger Holliman and Rawn Harbor are among the participating musicians. Dr. Horace Boyer, ethnomusician at the Smithsonian, and the Most Rev. Terry Steib will address the workshop.

Overcomes hardships

Rev. Borum graduating from Coppin State

"Psychology has enabled me to understand myself better. That is why I feel as though I can now minister to other people in a more helpful way. I feel very strongly about my studies," said Rev. Phillip Borum.

Rev. Borum, associate minister of Fountain Baptist Church, will graduate from Coppin State College in June with a Bachelor of Science degree in psychology. He is 40 years old.

"Everyday I strive to better myself. If I had given up on myself, I wouldn't be graduating from college. With the help of money that my father gave me, I've been able to better myself through education," remarked Rev. Borum.

He does not find conflict with his religious beliefs and psychological study. Rev. Borum has served the ministry of God for 10 years and has been the church organist for 22 years.

"I believe that communication, or the lack of it, is at the root of all of our society's problems. For instance, there was a time when neighbors would correct and discipline children in the neighborhood, regardless of whom belonged to who. The idea of a community within a community has always worked for black people. We need the extended family concept again, where neighbors are also parents," said Rev. Borum.

He believes that the black community needs a large dose of hope. He says that hope can be found first in God and then in such fields as psychology, where the emphasis is on the workings of the mind.

Reaching out to the community is important to Rev. Borum. He was a substitute teacher at City Springs Elementary School at Caroline and Lombard Streets. He met a young student there who needed someone to care and take an interest in him. The youngster was receiving remedial help and needed encouragement and someone to talk to. Rev. Borum and the student became friends; later the student told him, "I'm in high school now, I'm not as fast as the others but I'm in the running."

Rev. Borum, who grew up in Baltimore, counts his blessings for a traditional upbringing. He had the advantage of living with both his mother and father. Family prayer was important in their home. Rev. Borum also said that his mother continually asked him, "What are you going to do with yourself and with your life?"

In addition to attending Coppin, Rev. Borum works the 11-7 shift as a nursing assistant at Union Memorial Hospital. He spent three years working part-time at the Community College of Baltimore.

He said, "It is important that Christians be willing to reach out to those who need our help. We shouldn't judge a person for being a drug addict, rather we should devote our effort to helping him overcome the problem."

Former most ancient matron is honored at regal affair

By Brion M. Tyson
AFRO Staff Writer

On Friday, April 11, the Elizabeth Green Court No. 2 Heroines of Jericho paid tribute to Mrs. Essie M. Yarbro, an honored Past Most Ancient Matron.

The affair was held at the S&R Banquet Room, 5652 The Alameda, culminating, "Essie M. Yarbro Day" in Baltimore.

Mayor Schaefer's proclamation cited her as a "coveted woman of hope, a woman of peace.... and she is known as, recognized and heralded as a leader who truly cares about her fellowwoman."

Dennis Crosby, representing the Evergreen Protective Association Neighborhood, said that she not only reared a family of eight, she also educated, a family of eight.

"We are happy to have Mrs. Yarbro and her family as neighbors and representatives of a strong black family," he added.

Mrs. Sabrina Averett of Mt. Moriah Baptist Church praised Mrs. Yarbro as a staunch Christian worker in all of her duties as president of the Virgin Mary Club, vice president of the Women's Choir and a trustee aide.

Representing the family, William Yarbro, a son praised his mother for being a spiritual teacher and motivator, job recruiter, psychologist, doctor, lawyer, tailor, good listener, decorator, mediator, good cook, willing housewife, and most importantly, an extremely dependable person. He stated that she is an excellent mother by any definition and is truly worthy of honor.

"Our mother" he said," is precious, her strengths are unyeilding; her dedication to life and her family is unquestionable."

Among the guests were Mrs. Yarbro's sons, William, with his wife from Houston, TX.; Jerome, of Raleigh, NC.; Earl, of Glen Burnie, MD.; and Bernice, with her husband Lee Reid of Severna Park.

The grandchildren attending were Erica Swift, Mark Yarbro and Bryant Wilson. Also attending were Mrs. Yarbro's sister, Mrs. Jennie Davis, and her brother, James High, from Zebulon, NC.

The affair ended with accolades and presentations for 10 years of service from Grand Matron Mary C. Fraizer; Grandmaster John Thornton; Most Ancient Matron Viola B. Jones; and Excellent High Priest Andrew Chesson.

Mrs. Yarbro's response ended the gala affair with reflections and thanks. "It is my faith and trust in God that has helped me to be the person that I am."

METRO CHURCH BRIEF

United Baptist Missionary Convention

The United Baptist Missionary Convention and auxiliaries of Maryland will present a birthday gala and balloon ascension Friday, May 23 at 6 p.m., at the Jones Tabernacle Baptist Church.

A convention-wide evangelism, hosted by the city and state communities will be held on Saturday, May 24 at 10 a.m. For additional information, call 664-2111, 669-1800, 792-7096 or 732-8566. The public is invited.

Grace United Methodist Church

Bruce R. Eicher, organist, and Wayne Cameron, trumpeter, will appear in a joint recital June 1, at 4:30 p.m. at Grace United Methodist Church, 5407 N. Charles St. (at Northern Parkway). Mr. Eicher is organist/director of music at the church. For additional information, call 433-6650.

Trinity Presbyterian Church

Rev. John Salmon Campbell, international contralto, lecturer, teacher, and minister, will be the Annual Women's Day Speaker for the United Presbyterian Women of Trinity Presbyterian Church, located at 3200 Walbrook Ave. at the 11 a.m. worship service Sunday, May 24.

Calvary Baptist Church

Calvary Baptist Church will hold its 65th church anniversary banquet at 7 p.m. on Sunday, May 25. The speaker of the hour is Rev. Dr. Olin P. Moyd, Pastor of Mount Lebanon Baptist Church. For further information, please call 664-2111.

Douglas Memorial Community Church

The Chancel Choir of Douglas Memorial Community Church will present its annual spring concert Sunday, June 1 at five p.m. Featured will be sacred music by Randall Thompson, Alice Parker, Howard Hanson and other American composers, as well as hymn tunes and spirituals. James Spencer Hammond is director of music and Rev. Marion C. Bascom is minister. The church is located on the corner of Madison and Lafayette Avenues. There is no admission charge.

Wildwood Parkway United Methodist Church

The United Methodist Women of Wildwood Parkway United Methodist Church invite you to attend their 3rd UMW Day Sunday, June 8 at the 11 a.m. service. The theme for this year is "Women Committing Themselves to Helping Others in the World Today and Always Mindful of Our Purpose." Our speaker will be Mrs. Jacqueline McLellan of Wildwood Parkway UMC.

Good Shepherd Baptist Church

The men and women of the Good Shepherd Baptist Church, located at 3459 Park Heights Ave. will celebrate their Men's and Women's Day Sunday, June 15 at 11 a.m. Rev. Myrna Powell, of Ebenezer Baptist Church will speak at the morning worship service.

At 5 p.m., Rev. Benjamin Jones, pastor of the North East Baptist Church will be the featured speaker.

United Baptist Church

The United Baptist Church, located 932 North Broadway will hold its 64th Annual Men's Day on Sunday, June 15, beginning at 8 a.m. The theme will be "Men With Undying Faith, There Is No Failure In God." The 8 a.m. speaker will be Bro. Howard Smith, Jr., minister of music at United. The George E. Vanderford Male Chorale will serve at the 11 a.m. service and at 3:30 p.m., the Original Gospel Leaders with Deacon Tommy Roberts will be the featured guest.

As part of Men's Day, Sis. Marie Loving Griffin and her daughter Hope will be in recital, Sunday, June 1, at 3:30 p.m. In addition, a prayer breakfast will be held at the church on Saturday, June 14, at 9 a.m. The guest speaker will be the Rev. A. C. D. Vaughn, pastor of Grace Memorial Baptist Church. Chairperson for Men's Day is Deacon Bernard Young, and Rev. George E. Vanderford is the pastor.

Timothy Baptist Church

Timothy Baptist Church at 1214 W. Saratoga St., announces its enrollment period from May 1st through June 7th for the 1986 summer session. Course offerings are to participants ages 3-14 in grades pre-kindergarten through 6th in the areas of Computer Literacy, Reading, Math, English/Language Arts, Music, Bible Study and Arts and Crafts. Courses are taught by certified teachers.

New Life Inspirational Church

Join us in celebrating "Anniversary Day" for the Christian Women's Fellowship of New Life Inspirational Church, at 2621 Oswego Ave. on Sunday, May 25 at 4 p.m. Come and hear Rev. Christopher Felton, Associate Minister of Brown's Memorial Baptist Church deliver a sermon on the theme, "Christian Women: Loving, Helping, Caring, and Sharing."

For your music pleasure the Unionaires Gospel Singers of Union Chapel United Methodist Church of Monkton, Md. will sing praise to God as guest choir. A cordial invitation is extended to all our friends to enjoy the evening with the Christian Women's Fellowship at 4 p.m. Sunday, May 25th. Rev. Herbert E. Sye, Jr. is the pastor.

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