

Baptist Banner



Thou hast given a banner to them that fear thee,
Psalms

that it may be displayed because of the truth.
60:4

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SALVATION

By Bro. Leon Sherron
Oak Grove, Tennessee



Bro. Sherron

(Editor's Note: This is the 4th and final article on this subject. To those who wish to have the entire writing, you may get it by reading the three previous issues of the BAPTIST BANNER.)

SAVED PEOPLE'S RESPONSIBILITY

(Continued from last issue)

When we wholeheartedly humble and consecrate ourselves meekly in the Lord's cause, maybe lost people will weep on their knees as little children in humiliation and agony of sinsickness. They cannot see inside of our sympathetic heart but bodily and speaking worship, when spiritually led, motivates a lost person to feel worried in helplessness and could be just enough incentive for initiating sinners to take inventory of themselves as hereditarily depraved.

Society is made up of various backgrounds and cultures of people who haven't seriously thought about God's grace. Are saved people lacking spiritual cooperation in our Lord's visible kingdom? I Thess. 5:19; Eph. 4:30. My brothers and

sisters, pray that we shall not feast upon hid goodness and mercy until watching unaware. "And that knowing the time, that now it is high time to awake out of sleep: for now is our salvation nearer than when we believed." Romans 13:11.

Encouraging someone else in the right way is securely intact in the wages of heaven's great books. Nonetheless, if and when we fail to creditably warn others who don't know God triumphantly in the free pardon of sin, we'll lose their presence in heaven if they're not saved before dying, which would be losing their priceless inheritance. Unless the world can see fruit of our profession, we could enter heaven without invaluable accompaniment. Hurt and pain may compose our weary vision. Yet, God's fair recompense is unprejudiced. God will richly reward his deserving children and penalize those Christians who haven't remained submissive for heaven's enjoyment and possessions, instead living to lust after and accumulate this world. Please study these three verses together. Eze. 3:18; I Cor. 3:15; I Cor. 5:5.

We must tell those around us who are still unprepared to meet God that hell is burning and tormenting forevermore, where the dreadful punishment is beyond our imagination, "And others save with fears, pulling them out of the fire. . . ." Jude 23. After God has saved our soul, we cannot hesitate to follow him without suffering and sorrow. It is precisely and specifically the primary function of us whom God has called to preach, in constructively spreading the gospel message directly to those without hope. Any refraining by those called by God from the commandment of this article's

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TIBERIAS ON SEA OF GALILEE



TIBERIAS (ti-bē'ri-ās, Gr. *Tiberiās*), a city of Herod Antipas, built between the years A.D. 16 and 22 on the western shore of the Sea of Galilee, or the Sea of Tiberias, as John, writing for non-Jewish readers, calls the lake (John 6:1; 21:1). It was named, of course, after the reigning emperor, Tiberius, reflecting the pro-Roman policy consistently followed by the Herods. The city is said to have occupied the site of Rakkath, an old town of Naphtali, and since Rakkath means "strip" or "coast," this may have been the case. Jewish rumor said Tiberias was built over a graveyard, and the place was therefore dubbed unclean (Josephus, *Ant.* 18:2:3). Macalister is of the opinion that this proves that no earlier city occupied the site

(HDB p. 934), but Herod could easily have included the burial-place of Rakkath in his larger foundation. Herod built ambitiously. The ruins indicate a wall three miles long. There were a palace, a forum, and a great synagogue, for the foundation illustrated strikingly the dual Herodian policy, which sought to combine pro-Roman loyalty with effective patronage of the Jews. Jewish boycott, however, compelled Herod to populate his new town with the lowest elements of the land. Defended by its strong acropolis, Tiberias survived the passing of the other lakeside towns. Saladin, who took Tiberias in 1187, was unable to reduce the citadel until after Hattin. The hot springs and baths lay S of the city wall.

MISSIONARY

Dear Elder H. C. Vanderpool:

The other day I received the latest Banner, 8-pages issue, and enjoyed reading all the pages in print. I thank God for your blessed ministry, and will continue praying for you and for your work there in the States.

The Lord has been with us in our Christ witnessing work in this pagan land, for which we are thankful. My family and I

REPORT FROM JAPAN



Eld. & Mrs. Koji Tajima

are fine, our people in the Lord are fine, and keep on the work for the glory of God. We appreciate Baptist people behind us when we carry the gospel of Christ, even though thousands of miles away from us. We appreciate their concern in us all these past years and months.

Last Sunday morning I found a mother with her two children
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FROM JAPAN

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standing at the church door when I opened it at eight o'clock. She brought her children to study in our Sunday School. A six-year-old boy was accepted, but the other one was considered too young to come to us by city bus, as the girl is two years old. I think this tells you something about us.

One of our Sunday School teachers, Sister Yumi Saeki, has had a trouble with her family as she refused the proposal made by the mediator according to the custom, as the proposed man with high education and good job was not saved. I have prayed for the matter respecting this faithful Baptist woman and have believed Lord would give her the best way to solve the trouble. What is the best way? Soul winning. For past seven weeks she has brought a fine young man, age 26, by name of Nishikura, to our services to let him hear the gospel of Christ. He works at the same company that Saeki does. I am happy to see such Christian lady. I would like for you to pray for this young man gets saved before long by repenting his sin and trusting the Lord Jesus Christ.

March 3rd I got an used station wagon with diesel engine instead of our 14 year old

one that had an auto accident. We thank the Lord for the replacement of our transportation. Thank you for your prayer for the matter also.

We will keep praying for all of you, and we would like for you to pray for us that we may be missionary and genuine Baptists in this land of Japan as ever.

May God bless you.
Yours truly,
Koji Tajima

Missions Is



Our Business

CHURCH



The Mother's heart is the child's schoolroom. —Beecher

Indulgence says, "Drink your way out."
Philosophy says, "Think your way out."
Science says, "Invent your way out."
Industry says, "Work your way out."
Communism says, "Strike your way out."
Fascism says, "Bluff your way out."
Militarism says, "Fight your way out."
But Christ says, "I am the way out."

Following is the report of donations received with thanks for the first quarter of 1983.

January:

North Carthage Baptist, Carthage, TN	\$166.95
Bro. & Mrs. J. Frank Carr, Brush Creek, TN	10.00
Mr. & Mrs. Mike Collins, Bowling Green, KY	25.00
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Plunketts Creek Baptist, Carthage, TN	386.70
South Carthage Baptist, Carthage, TN	138.60
Faith Baptist, Nashville, TN	92.07
Fellowship Baptist, Indianapolis, IN	225.00
Calvary Baptist, Carthage, TN	50.00
Total \$1,169.32	

February:

Plunketts Creek Baptist, Carthage, TN	\$405.38
Eld. & Mrs. James H. Smith, Nashville, TN	50.00
Beckwith Baptist, Mt. Juliet, TN	75.00
Faith Baptist, Nashville, TN	97.38
Pleasant Hill Baptist, Portland, TN	200.00
South Carthage Baptist, Carthage, TN	140.71
Mr. & Mrs. Mike Collins, Bowling Green, KY	25.00
North Carthage Baptist, Carthage, TN	129.68
North Carthage Baptist, Carthage, TN	130.96
Calvary Baptist, Carthage, TN	50.00
Total \$1,304.11	

March:

Plunketts Creek Baptist, Carthage, TN	\$390.46
South Carthage Baptist, Carthage, TN	155.15
Calvary Baptist, Carthage, TN	50.00
Beckwith Baptist, Mt. Juliet, TN	150.00
Faith Baptist, Nashville, TN	91.62
Total \$837.23	

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January:

Mr. & Mrs. C. P. Jacob, Nashville, TN	\$25.00
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February:

McFerrin Baptist, Nashville, TN	114.50
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New Friendship Baptist, Russell Springs, KY	552.09
Total \$726.59	

March:

McFerrin Baptist, Nashville, TN	109.00
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REVIVALS

SUNDAY - MAY 8

Grace Missionary Baptist Church, 9835 Hayes Ave., Detroit, Mich. Pastor Kenneth Stapleton is to be assisted by Elder Jerry Reynolds. Services daily at 7:00 P.M. Everyone is invited.

Kokomo Missionary Baptist Church, 1723 N. Lindsay, Kokomo, Ind. Pastor Don Watts is to be assisted by Bro. Larry McClain. The first Sunday night services are at 6:00 P.M. and during the rest of the meeting at 7:00 P.M. The public is invited.

SUNDAY - MAY 22

Tent Revival, Highway 31-E, Bethpage, Tenn. across street from the Bank. Bro. Garry Green, Bro. Joe Porter and Bro. Bobby Butts will be preaching. Services each night at 7:30 P.M. Everyone is invited.

Summer Shade Missionary Baptist Church, Summer Shade, Ky. Pastor Dexter Bacon, Jr. is to be assisted by Elder Billy Moran. Service time will be announced later.

SUNDAY - JUNE 5

Gospel Truth Missionary Baptist Church, 14th St. and Stratton Ave., Nashville, Tenn. Pastor Luther Tuttle is to be assisted by Elder Curtis McClanahan and Elder Rodney Boyd. Services Sunday night at 6:00 P.M. and week-nights at 7:00 P.M. You are invited.

Dripping Springs Missionary Baptist Church, Metcalfe County, Ky. Pastor Rex Hagan is to be assisted by Elder Dexter Bacon, Jr. Services held each night. Time to be announced. The public is invited to attend.

Cedar Grove Missionary Baptist Church, Woods Ferry Rd., Gallatin, Tenn. Pastor Jimmy Tuttle is to be assisted by Elder H. C. Vanderpool. Services nightly at 7:30 P.M. Everyone is invited to attend.

Hope Missionary Baptist Church, Highway 52 on north side of I-24, Manchester, Tenn. Pastor Bobby E. Pitt is to be assisted by Elder A. G. Gregory. Services nightly at 7:30 P.M. The public is invited to attend.

A BROTHER NEEDS HELP

It has come to the attention of the churches that Elder Joe Morgan who has done mission work in Idaho, but has returned due to sickness in his immediate family, has more financial burdens than he can possibly handle. Those wishing to send contributions, may mail them to: Elder Joe Morgan, Box 244, Holland, Ky. 42153. (NOW READ James 2:15-16.)

CUMBERLAND VALLEY SCHOOL OF GOSPEL MUSIC



The first annual session of the Cumberland Valley School of Gospel Music will be held this summer (June 20-24 and June 27-July 1) at Cumberland College, Tarver Ave., Lebanon, Tennessee. Intensive Gospel Music education will be offered to all ages and skill levels from beginners to advanced. Some of the best gospel music instructors available anywhere have been obtained to teach the classes which include music theory, harmony, sight reading, ear training, conducting and song writing. Areas of special interest, such as voice, quartet, trio, duet, and solo training will be available, as well as piano, guitar and other instrumental instruction.

Cumberland College is located at Lebanon, Tennessee about 30 miles east of Nashville. Students may stay on campus or commute to either day or night classes for very reasonable prices. Efforts have been made to keep the school costs very affordable. Students attending and staying on campus will be charged a one-time registration fee of \$20.00 plus \$55.00 per week room and board. Those wishing to attend, but cannot afford the school costs, will be accommodated. A wide variety of activities are planned, and all will be completely supervised. This includes chapel, classes, meals and recreation.

It is highly recommended that every church sponsor some of its prospective singers, song leaders and piano players to improve their skills, and thus be a help to the church. Financial help from churches, groups or individuals is necessary to help us offset student costs. Your financial contributions and prayers are earnestly solicited. One church has already contributed \$500.00.

ALL WHO CAN, MAKE YOUR PLANS TO ATTEND! Registration: Sunday, June 19, 1-4 P.M.

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NOTICE

FOUR COUNTY SINGING

The Four County Singing (Macon, Smith, Sumner, Trousdale) in Tenn. is to be at Buffalo Springs Baptist Church, Highway 31-E, Bethpage, Tenn., Sunday, May 1, at 2 P.M. Everyone is invited.

Next month the BANNER begins its 18th year of publication. We will possibly make some changes in the format. This is being considered at present. Your past support has been greatly appreciated and your future support is needed and will also be appreciated.

-Editor

BEAUTITUDES FOR MARRIED COUPLES

Blessed are the husband and wife who continue to be affectionate, considerate and loving after the wedding bells have ceased ringing.

Blessed are the husband and wife who are as polite and courteous to one another as they are to their friends.

Blessed are those mates who never speak loudly to each other, and who make their home a place "where seldom is heard a discouraging word."

Blessed are the husband and wife who faithfully attend the worship service of the church.

Blessed are they who remember to thank God for their food before they partake of it, and who set aside some time each day for the reading of the Bible and prayer.

Blessed are the married couples who abstain from alcoholic beverages.

Blessed are they who love their mates more than any other person in the world, and who joyfully fulfill their marriage vow of a lifetime of fidelity and mutual helpfulness to each other.

BAPTIST MINISTERS SCHOOL

The Old Union Baptist Ministers School had its 11th annual session on March 23, 24, 25, 1983 at Old Union Missionary Baptist Church, Matlock Rd., Bowling Green, Ky.

There were 82 ministers from several states in attendance. Several of the ministers wives attended a fellowship and study session which was conducted each day for them. A full report along with photos of the school will be published in a later issue.

BOOKS

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ON THE LIGHTER SIDE

The late President Woodrow Wilson's father was a Minister. One day Bro. Wilson was driving his fine horse down the street when one of his members said to him, "Pastor, your horse looks better than you do." To which the preacher replied, "Yes, I take care of my horse, my congregation looks after me."

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OCTOBER 25-NOVEMBER 1, 1983

SUMMARY OF YOUR DAILY ACTIVITIES

Day 1 & 2 NEW YORK/AMMAN
Evening departure from New York on your jet to the Holy Land. A hearty dinner and breakfast are served aloft. You will arrive in Amman in the afternoon local time, and will be met, assisted and transferred to your hotel for the night.

Day 3 AMMAN/JERICO/RIVER JORDAN
Rise early in the morning and cross the Allenby Bridge. The drive takes you to Jericho, a desert oasis of lovely trees, date palms and vineyards. Here the walls came tumbling down in Joshua's day, and one can see Elisha's Fountain and the Mt. of Temptation. The Jordan River which flows from Mt. Hermon in Galilee, ends in the Dead Sea. It is the only river in the world which flows for most of its length below sea level. Lunch in Jericho. Dinner and overnight in Tiberias.

Day 4 TIBERIAS/CAPERNAUM/TABGHA/
MT. OF BEATITUDES/MAGDALA/CANA/
NAZARETH/CAESAREA/MEGIDDO

You take a boatripe on the Sea of Galilee from Tiberias to Ein Gev. Continue to Capernaum and visit ruins of ancient synagogue and a Byzantine Chapel at the site of Peter's House, then on to Tabgha, place of the Multiplication of the Loaves and Fishes, Mt. of Beatitudes and Magdala, home of Mary Magdalene. Drive to Cana where the first miracle of Jesus took place and then to Nazareth where you see the Church of the Annunciation built over the Holy Family's home, Mary's Well, Joseph's Carpenter Shop. Continue to Caesarea, built by Herod the Great in 20 B.C. Here Paul was imprisoned for two years until he was sent to be tried in Rome. Stop to explore the Crusader Fortress and the Roman Theatre and continue to Megiddo and visit excavations and tunnel. Dinner and overnight in Tiberias.

Day 5 TIBERIAS/QUMRAN/DEAD SEA/
MASADA/BEERSHEBA/HEBRON

Drive along the road by the Dead Sea, through the Jordan Valley to Qumran to visit the caves where the Dead Sea Scrolls were found. You stop at the site of Ein Gedi where David spared the life of King Saul. Continue to Masada, the Palace-fort built by King Herod. In 73 A.D., 960 Jewish zealots committed suicide here rather than surrender to the Romans. The heights are attained via cable car. After descending, exhilarated by the breath-taking view, a short drive is made to Beersheba, the southernmost city of Israel in the Old Testament. Here Abraham made a covenant with Abimelech. Continue to Hebron to view the cave of Machpelah where Abraham, Sarah, Isaac, Rebekkah, Jacob and Leah are buried. Dinner and overnight in Jerusalem.

Day 6 JERUSALEM/BETHLEHEM/
MT. OF OLIVES/GETHSEMANE

This morning you spend getting to know "Jerusalem the Golden." Drive to the Mt. of Olives where you visit the Chapel of the Ascension and follow the path down the Palm Sunday Road to the Garden of Gethsemane and the Church of All Nations. A short drive through the Kidron Valley brings you by way of Absalom's Pillar and Zechariah's Tomb to the Church of St. Peter in Galllicantu and Caiphas' House. You visit Mary's Fountain and the Pool of Siloam, then proceed around Mt. Zion to the Upper Room, scene of the Lord's Supper, and the nearby tomb of David. Drive to Bethlehem to visit Rachel's Tomb, the Church of the Manger, the Milk Grotto and Shepherd's Field. Dinner and overnight in Jerusalem.

Day 7 JERUSALEM/JACOB'S WELL/GARDEN TOMB
Visit the Garden Tomb with orientation beside Gordon's Calvary. Walk to the Old City and see the Pool of Bethesda, Pilate's Judgment Hall, El Aksa Mosque, King David Street, the Via Dolorosa, the Church of the Holy Sepulchre, Joppa and Damascus Gates and the Western Wall. After lunch, drive north from Jerusalem and visit Jacob's Well and view Nablus, Mt. Ebal and Mt. Gerizim. Dinner and overnight in Jerusalem.

Day 8 JERUSALEM/ALLENBY BRIDGE/AMMAN/
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SALVATION

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text is arguing against the authority of God which causes suffering and sorrow. "How shall we escape, if we neglect so great salvation. . ." Heb. 2:3.

God has demanded that the world be evangelized with the gospel of His Son. God called me to preach and I cannot understand why or how anyone could refuse such a burden as I've had since then. "How then shall they call on him in whom they have not heard? And how shall they hear without a preacher? And how shall they preach except they be sent?" Rom. 10:14-15.

Along this journey of sweat and tears, if we feel a broken heart and heartaches, Jesus always intercedes for us when we pray our lowest prayer and earnestly worship him.

HONOR AND PRAISE THE LORD

Our family and friends, kindred and acquaintances are the blessing to our Lord's spiritual help. God has bountifully bestowed me with liberty to attend church. When a person is saved, the establishment of salvation in their soul is anchored steadfastly and afresh with God's special touch by the Holy Spirit.

Our deep uneasy pangs and scared solitude in rough storms of life cannot save anyone. Each saved person who won't emotionally break down and fervently plead to God for help, needs reviving. "For I am not ashamed of the gospel of Christ: for it is the power of God unto salvation for every one that believeth . . ." Rom. 1:16.

It can't be overemphasized that the power of God over temporary life here is calling for revivals, prayer meetings and upbuilding of local bodies of our Lord's churches. It is also our job to casually discuss the gospel in our regular affairs. "Beloved, when I gave all diligence to write unto you of the common salvation, it was needful for me to write unto you, and exhort you that ye should earnestly contend for the faith which was once delivered unto the saints." Jude 3.

My brothers and sisters in Christ, as we press onward toward that final, happy goal of crowning excellence, may we cordially offer our best duty-bound help to replenish those poor and, or sick, but most importantly, always warn the unsaved, led by the Holy Spirit anxiously as chances permit.

We must stay totally responsible for lost souls who are at stake; my fellow Christians; tried but resisting temptation; hurriedly devoted as we ask; explain whenever and wherever possible; serve as an example,

by God's conquering help we'll proclaim the gospel NOW as a positive reminder to sinners.

I would like for you to remember my loved ones who have already been saved; my mother, grandmother; sister, brother, step-grandmother, great uncles, great aunts, uncle, cousins and other family members and acquaintances. For those who have not told me they were saved I would ask you to help me pray for them. They are my father, some great uncles and great aunts, cousins and other family members and acquaintances.

SUMMARY OF THIS ARTICLE

The reference made in Part 1 is to explain that "repenting of unbelief" automatically, and in the process of doing so, covers all sins of the person involved and NOT teaching that a sinner has to repent of any sin except for the sin of unbelief in order to be saved by the grace of God. By, in, and when repenting of the sin of unbelief, a sinner is saved and released inwardly from all his or her bodily (outward being) sins even if he or she has no knowledge in his or her life in this world of having ever sinned (all people sin outwardly) in any way EXCEPT for being lost because of UNBELIEF!!!

When a person becomes old enough to feel lost (usually as a young boy or girl) he or she (YOU?) will be lost unless God saves the soul of that person. But if that person dies unsaved, he or she will go to, and stay in hell eternally!!! Has God ever saved your soul? Every sinner in the world would turn to God if they knew how much that they need him and how bad that hell is!!!

No person has, is, nor ever must without own self-choice be made to die unprepared!! Not a single one!!! Decide to make it right with God and don't quit trying until you do!!! Any sinner who is living in this world can be saved NOW!!!, if that person will turn himself or herself over to God!!! Don't hold back.

... believe and be saved," Luke 8:12. "For godly sorrow worketh repentance to salvation not to be repented of," II Cor. 7:10. "Thy faith hath saved thee," Luke 7:50. "... repentance toward God, and faith toward our Lord Jesus Christ," Acts 20:21. "As ye have therefore received Christ Jesus the Lord," Col. 2:6. "Whosoever liveth and believeth in me shall never die," John 11:26. "... ye sorrowed to repentance: for ye were made sorry after a godly manner," II Cor. 7:9. "The Spirit itself beareth witness with our spirit, that we are the children of God," Rom. 8:16. Let's pray for one another.

ORDINATION

On Saturday, May 7, 1983, an ordination service is to be held at Kokomo Missionary Baptist Church, 1723 N. Lindsay, Kokomo, Ind. Bro. Ronald Cook is to be ordained to the full work of the gospel ministry. Services are to begin at 6:00 P.M.

Bro. Cook has been called to the pastorate of Beech Grove Missionary Baptist Church, 229 N. Mill St., Tipton; Indiana, and they have called for his ordination.



NOTE OF THANKS

I would like to say "Thanks so very much" for all the help I received during my recent illness with cancer. I want to greatly express my thanks for all the people who prayed for me. If it hadn't been for God and prayers I wouldn't be here today. So again, thanks very much.

Yours truly,
Bro. Garry Lee Green



ORDINATION SERVICE

On Sunday, May 22, 1983, Gateway Missionary Baptist Church, McGavock and Lakeland, Donelson, Tenn. will have an ordination service for the purpose of ordaining Bro. Gary Duncan to the full work of the gospel ministry. Services are to begin at 2:00 P.M.

Bro. Duncan has been called to the pastorate of Colorado Missionary Baptist Church, Denver, Colorado. He and his family will be moving to that field in the near future.

Churches invited to assist in the ordination are: Mt. Calvary Missionary Baptist Church, Nashville; Greenfield Missionary Baptist Church, Greenbrier, Tenn.; churches of Wiseman, Enon, Siloam, Southwestern District and Bethel Missionary Baptist Associations.

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Fairview Memorial Missionary Baptist Church of Bowling Green, Kentucky will convene on Saturday, May 14, 1983 at 10:00 A.M. (CDT) for consideration of the ordination to the office of deacon the following brethren: Michael Collins, John Demunbrun, Paul Elmore, and Dallas Wheat.

Fairview Memorial extends a cordial invitation to the churches in Siloam, Wiseman, Bethel, and Southwestern District Associations and other Missionary Baptist Churches of like faith and order to send their ordained brethren to assist in this work.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Brattontown Missionary Baptist Church, Highway 52 West, Lafayette, Tenn. wishes to announce that their monthly business meeting has been moved from Saturday afternoon to Saturday night before the third Sunday of each month. Time 7:00 P.M. Melvin Stinson, Moderator W. T. Gross, Church Clerk



ORDINATION SERVICE

Hauser Missionary Baptist Church, North Bend, Oregon will be conducting an ordination service on Sunday, May 29, 1983, with services beginning at 1:30 P.M.

Bro. Mike Hightfill is to be ordained to the full work of the ministry. Everyone is invited to attend.

TOMPKINSVILLE BAPTIST MISSION

Another mission has been started, the Tompkinsville Baptist Mission located at 113 1/2 Main St., Tompkinsville, Ky. Services are conducted each Sunday at 6:00 P.M. Elder H. C. Cothron and Elder Morris Cothron are conducting the work and doing the preaching. Everyone who is able to attend is invited to come.



SINGING -

DATE CHANGED

Rayon City Missionary Baptist Church, 209 Keaton Ave., Old Hickory, Tenn. has changed their monthly singing date for May from the second Sunday, to Saturday night, May 14, the night before the third Sunday. Services are to begin at 7:00 P.M. The Anchormen Quartet and the Happy Pilgrims are to be the featured groups. Everyone is invited to attend.

DRUG ABUSE SEMINAR

SUNDAY, MAY 1, 1983 - 6:00 P.M.

On Sunday night, May 1, 1983, a DRUG ABUSE SEMINAR will be held at New Bethel Missionary Baptist Church, 1080 Old Dickerson Pike, Goodlettsville, Tenn. beginning at 6:00 P.M. Every individual, every church, children, teenagers, parents, teachers, ministers and all concerned persons are URGED TO ATTEND!

This is one of the MOST NEEDFUL subjects that should NOW be presented to ALL PEOPLE, and New Bethel Church is happy to offer this service to the public. Fellowship Missionary Baptist Church, 1032 S. Holmes St., Indianapolis, Ind. and their pastor, Elder Calvin Perrigo along with a number of ministers and laymembers will be in charge of the service.

- Preliminaries Elder H. C. Vanderpool
- Prescription Drug Abuse Elder Calvin Perrigo
- Marijuana Bro. Tim Binion
- Personal Testimony on Drug Abuse Bro. Jeff Elliott
- Hard Stuff (Chemicals) Bro. Terry Lyles
- Personal Testimony on Drug Use Bro. Larry McClain
- Alcohol-Tobacco Bro. Billy Ray Gregory

Audience participation will be invited and encouraged. Time will be allowed for questions or comments. Materials will be furnished to all who wish to obtain them.

Church location is shown below.

