



Bishops Duncan M. Gray, A.C. Marble and John M. Allen

### Bishops' Barbecue scheduled April 20

The annual Bishops' Barbecue will be held April 20 at the Duncan M. Gray Episcopal Camp and Conference Center, located south of Canton at 1530 Way Road.

At noon, Episcopalians and well-wishers from across the state will gather for fellowship and fun.

Oletha Thompson, coordinator, said the event will include a barbecue lunch, a live auction, and entertainment by the Vernon Brothers Blue Grass Band. Tours of the facility will also be offered.

Gay Center is located on 750 acres of rolling woodlands, which was originally Allison's Wells property. The grounds include Camp Branson-Owen and a conference center which is offered for retreats to all denominations, civic groups and business.

The purpose of the event is to gather friends and fellow Episcopalians together to view the grounds and enjoy a fun filled day. Bishop A.C. "Chip" Marble and retired Bishop John M. Allen and Duncan M. Gray will be present. For more information call 859-1556.

### Woodward speaks on understanding grief

Hazel Woodward, grief counselor and past chapter leader of the Mobile Chapter of the Compassionate Friends, will speak on "Understanding Grief" at the monthly meeting of the Jackson Chapter of TCF April 9, 7:30 p.m. at Fountains Presbyterian Church, 3220 Old Canton Rd.

The Compassionate Friends is a self-help support group for bereaved parents and their families. Parents of

any race experiencing the death of a child for any reason at any age, including stillbirths, miscarriages, etc., are welcome at the meetings held the second Tuesday night of each month.

For more information or to receive the free monthly newsletter, contact Corrie Wenz, chapter leader at 962-0642 or write to the Compassionate Friends, P.O. Box 1396, Jackson, 39215.

### Sunrise service set April 7 at Lakewood

An ecumenical Easter Sunrise Service will be held at 7 a.m. April 7 at Lakewood Memorial Park, 6000 Clinton Blvd.

The service is free of charge and will incorporate traditions from several religious denominations.

The program will feature a musical selection by Stuart Marilyn Dillard, an Easter message by the Rev. Dennis Fink, opening statements by the Rev. Ken Anderson and a benediction by the Rev. Henderson Rasberry. Refreshments will be

served after the service. In case of inclement weather, the service will be held in Lakewood Funeral Home, located on the grounds of Lakewood Memorial Park. For more information call 922-2123.

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COME CELEBRATE JESUS! Easter Weekend April 5th & 7th. "Were You There When They Crucified My Lord?" Good Friday Celebration 7:00 p.m. - Communion Service Special Music Collaboration Adult Choir & Ladies Ensemble. Easter Cantata 6:00 p.m. "The Wonder Of It All" presented by Our Adult Choir. Highland Colony Baptist Church 1200 Highland Colony Parkway • Ridgeland Phone: 858-4231

### Obituaries

**Octavia Dyer Broad** Memorial services were held March 16 from St. James Episcopal Church for Octavia Dyer Broad of Fairview Street. The Rev. Buddy Stallings and Martha Thompson officiated.

Mrs. Broad, 84, died March 12 at St. Thomas Hospital, Nashville. A native of Lexington, Mrs. Broad served as mayor of Lexington and was a state senator. A graduate of Belhaven College, Mrs. Broad had lived in Jackson most of her adult life and was a member of First Presbyterian Church. Survivors are her daughters Octavia

Dyer Broad of Jackson and Anne Broad Stevenson of Nashville; son Charles Manton Broad of Jackson; granddaughters Octavia Dyer Fortier and Allison Lee Broad of Jackson, Sarah Leland Stevenson of New York City and Catherine Dyer Stevenson of Johnson City, Tenn.; grandsons Charles Manton Broad III of Jackson and George Baker Stevenson of Sewanee, Tenn.; and sister Nontie Dyer Ramsey of Laurel. Mrs. Broad was preceded in death by her husband, Charles Manton Broad. Memorials may be made to the Blair E. Hagan Hospital for Children, University of Mississippi Medical Center in care of Public Affairs, 2500 North State St., Jackson, 39216. Burial was in Odd Fellows Cemetery, Lexington.

### Those Special Days

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY:** April 4: Leigh Aden, Smith Jenkins, Rebekah Leigh Sumrall, Billy Nelson, April 5: Cy Rosenblatt, Sandy Littenhous, David Walters, April 6: Bailey Lane Bishop, John Bevilacqua, Elton W. Knowles, Nancy Beal, William Walter Coffey, J.D. Nagle, Terry Laughlin, Levern Sims, Laura Cate May, Ray Shoup, April 7: Mitch Lavinghous, Jim Nix, Earl K. Williams, April 8: Tara Thibodeaux, Mary Travis Bartley, April 9: Mrs. Don Rogers, Corinne McChade, Andrew Patterson, Elaine Hawkins, April 10: Libba Frey, Betty Jean Jaquith, Jillian Dent.

**HAPPY ANNIVERSARY:** April 4: James and Ruth Shumaker, April 7: Woodie and Shirley Bounds, April 9: Jim and Peggy Hack, Jack and Mary Trimm.

### Happenings

**Easter service** Riverwood Bible Church will present a special Easter Sunday service April 7, 10:30 a.m. featuring a Passover meal conducted by Rev. Elkie of AMMI Ministry in Philadelphia, Penn. For more information call 956-5094.

**Egg hunt and bake sale** Ridgeland Public Library is hosting a bake sale and Easter egg hunt April 6, 10 a.m. - 4 p.m. Pre-tyed Easter eggs will be sold for \$3 a dozen.

**Parade and egg hunt** The Easter Parade of Bonuses for girls ages birth - seven begins at 10

a.m. April 6 at the Agriculture Museum. Phi Theta Kappa of Hinds Community College School of Nursing will host the Easter egg hunt at 11 a.m. For more information call 1-800-844-TOUR.

**Candle light vigil** Natchez Trace Memorial Park Cemetery will sponsor the third annual candle light vigil April 6 from dusk to dawn. Donations will benefit Mississippi Special Olympics.

**Easter stories and crafts** Indian Wily Library will present Easter stories and crafts for ages six - 11 April 5, 11-11:45 a.m. Large groups call 968-5800 for separate schedule.

WEST TRAVEL SERVICE CONDOS ALSO EVENINGS - WEEKENDS TEL/FAX 957-1660

The Cathedral Parish of Saint A ST. ANDREW'S EPISCOPAL CATHEDRAL Capitol and West Streets. Maundy Thursday Footwashing & Eucharist April 4, 6:30 pm Good Friday Liturgy April 5, 12:00 noon & 6:30 pm Holy Saturday Easter Vigil April 6, 8:00 pm. EASTER DAY - FESTIVAL CHORAL EUCHARIST APRIL 7 7:00, 9:00 & 11:00 am

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3rd Annual Easter Candlelight Vigil To benefit "MS SPECIAL OLYMPICS" Saturday, April 6th, 1996 Beginning at Dusk...til Midnight. In remembrance of the Resurrection of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ, and to honor the memory of our deceased loved ones, Natchez Trace Memorial Park Cemetery along with Mississippi Special Olympics, invites you to attend our third annual "Easter Candlelight Vigil". Natchez Trace will be lighting over 2,500 candles placed on memorials in the cemetery and along the roadways. The lighting will begin at dusk. The public is invited to drive through between dusk and midnight to observe. Donations will be accepted at the end of the candlelight tour. All proceeds to benefit Mississippi Special Olympics. Natchez Trace Cemetery is located on Hwy. 51, six blocks south of Main Street in Madison. Please phone with any questions. Phone: 982-7515