

# C. V. L. C. PRELIMINARIES

Saturday, September 3, 1966

*First Services Set For Sept. 11 At School—*

## New Lutheran Church Organization Scheduled Wednesday At Parkwood

Services will be held at the Research Triangle Area Mission of the Lutheran Church in America beginning Sept. 11.

The first service will be held on that day at 11 a.m. at Parkwood School.

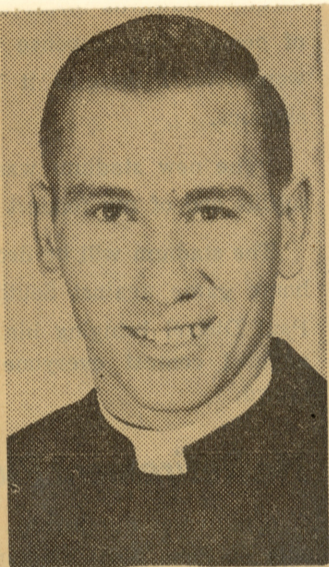
The developer of the mission church is Pastor Floyd E. Sides, who was named this summer to establish the mission.

He was ordained by the North Carolina Synod of the Lutheran Church in America on June 5.

A congregational meeting, for any persons interested in the new church, will be held at 8 p.m. Wednesday at Parkwood School. A review of the progress of the church and a preview of plans for the future will be given. Displays of church materials will be shown during a social hour at the end of the organizational meeting.

A church site has been purchased by the national denomination on N.C. 54, near the entrance to Parkwood.

Sides is a graduate of Lenoir Rhyne College at Hickory and Lutheran Theological Seminary at Columbia, S.C. The Rockwell native is married and has two children, Kim and Gene. The family resides at 106 Radcliffe Circle.



SIDES

### Lutherans To Launch RT Mission

The Research Triangle Area Mission of the Lutheran Church in America will begin conducting service on Sunday at 11 a.m. in Parkwood Elementary School, according to the Rev. Floyd E. Sides, mission developer.

Sides said an interest meeting will be held Wednesday at 8 p.m. at the school, at which the mission's progress will be reviewed and plans for the future set forth.

The meeting will include displays of materials which the mission will use as it begins worship services and Sunday Church School, he said, and anyone interested in the new mission, is invited to attend.

A native of Rockwell, Sides is a graduate of Lenoir Rhyne College and Lutheran Theological Southern Seminary in Columbia, S.C. He was ordained by the North Carolina Synod of the Lutheran Church in America on June 5.



FIRST WORSHIP CENTER  
IN PARKWOOD SCHOOL.  
SEPTEMBER 11, 1966.



THE  
*Lutheran  
Church  
In America*

ANNOUNCES

A NEW

LUTHERAN MISSION

FOR

THIS

AREA

TURN THE PAGES AND READ  
ABOUT THE PASTOR, OUR  
PURPOSE, AND OUR PLANS.

FIRST BROCHURE

# ORGANIZATION      STATISTICS

## PLANNING COMMITTEE:

MRS. RICHARD BULLARD - DIR. CHRISTIAN EDUCATION  
MRS. JOHN PEELER - DIR. CHURCH MUSIC  
MR. JERRY SMITH - TREASURER  
DR. HALE SWEENEY - CHAIRMAN  
MR. HARRY PROPST  
MRS. BARBARA HALLAN

NAME SELECTED — AUGUST 10, 1966 — CHRISTUS VICTOR LUTHERAN CHURCH

FURNITURE: EPIPHANY LUTHERAN CHURCH WINSTON SALEM, N.C.

PARAMENTS: CHRIST THE KING CARY, N.C.

FIRST SERVICE — SEPTEMBER 11, 1966 — PARKWOOD ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

ATTENDANCE — 46

OFFERING — \$40.90

## 1966-1967 SCS TEACHERS:

NURSERY — ANN SWEENEY, JOLEEN PROPST  
KINDERGARTEN — BONNA ROBBINS  
1ST. AND 2ND. — VIRGINIA LEESE, CAROL SMITH  
3RD. AND 4TH. — MILLIE TAYLOR  
5TH. 6TH. AND 7TH. — PAT BULLARD  
8TH. THRU. ADULTS — PASTOR SIDES

FIRST COMMUNION SERVICE — OCTOBER 2, 1966

CHARTER SUNDAY — OCTOBER 30, 1966

CONFIRMED	— 28
CHILD	— 20
TOTAL	48

CHRISTUS VICTOR LUTHERAN CHURCH  
LUTHERAN CHURCH IN AMERICA MISSION  
RESEARCH TRIANGLE, N. C.

The Rev. Floyd E. Sides, Mission Developer  
Mrs. John Peeler, Pianist

13th Sunday after Trinity-September 4, 1966

Preclude	Silent Prayer
*Hymn . . . . .	. . . . .
*The Invocation . . . . .	. . . . . Page 15
*Confession of Sins . . . . .	. . . . . Page 15
We Praise God	
*The Introit . . . . .	. . . . . Page 99
*The Gloria Patri . . . . .	. . . . . Page 17
*The Kyrie . . . . .	. . . . . Page 18
*The Gloria in Excelsis . . . . .	. . . . . Page 20
*The Salutation . . . . .	. . . . . Page 23
*The Collect for the Day . . . . .	. . . . . Page 100
We Hear God's Word	
The Old Testament Lesson: Zechariah 7: 4-10	
The Epistle Lesson: Galations 3:16-22	
The Alleluia . . . . .	. . . . . Page 24
*The Gospel Lesson: Luke 10:23-37	
*The Apostles' Creed . . . . .	. . . . . Page 5
Announcements	
The Hymn . . . . .	. . . . . No. 150
THE SERMON	
The Offering	
*The Offertory . . . . .	. . . . . Page 27
*The Prayer of the Church and Lord's Prayer	
*The Benediction . . . . .	. . . . . Page 28
*Hymn . . . . .	. . . . .
Postlude . . . . .	. . . . . Silent Prayer
[*The Congregation Stands]	

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~~split...~~  
leave



# FIRST FUNERAL - DONALD E. ANERUD

of you present a most hearty welcome to our interest meeting, and we invite you to join us in our Sunday morning worship services which will begin this Sunday, September 11.

**Sample Bulletin** This is a sample bulletin, the content of The Service is similar to that which will be used at our regular Sunday Morning Services. We will use The Service as a devotional at the close of our meeting.

**PLANNING COMMITTEE** Members of the Planning Committee for this mission are: Mrs. R. W. Bullard, Mrs. John Peeler, Mr. Jerry Smith, and Dr. Hale Sweeney.

**ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS** We would like to express our appreciation to the Durham County School Board and especially to Mr. Thomas Batchelor for allowing us to use the facilities of Parkwood Elementary School for this new Lutheran Mission.

We would also like to express our appreciation to Epiphany Lutheran Church, Winston-Salem, N.C. for presenting for our use, the Altar, Pulpit, and lectern; also to Christ-the-King Lutheran Church, Cary for giving to us chancel paraments, lectern, and a cross for our altar.



First bulletin

21, 1966

AT ST. PAUL'S  
LUTHERAN CHURCH

BURIAL - ARLINGTON, VIRGINIA  
November 25, 1966

# FIRST FUNERAL - DONALD E. ANERUD



NOVEMBER 21, 1966

FUNERAL AT ST. PAUL'S  
LUTHERAN CHURCH

BURIAL - ARLINGTON, VIRGINIA  
NOVEMBER 25, 1966

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FIRST BAPTISMS — DECEMBER 4, 1966

KIRI FRANCES HALLAN  
JAMES KENON PEARSON  
CAERIE ANN ROBBINS  
MILDERD LAVERN AANERUD - ADULT

FIRST CONFIRMATION — DECEMBER 4, 1966

SARAH MARIE AANERUD  
DONNA LEE AANERUD

NEW ALTAR WARE — DECEMBER 18, 1966

LOVING MEMORY OF DONALD AANERUD  
(CANDLE STICKS - VASES - BIBLE - OFFERING PLATES)



BUILDING SITE CLEAN UP — JANUARY 7, 1967

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL DINNER - FEBRUARY 4, 1967  
PATTERSON COMMUNITY CENTER



## Lenten Services Series Scheduled

Christus Victor Lutheran Church will conduct a series of Wednesday night and Holy Week Lenten Services beginning today.

The services will be held each Wednesday evening until Easter, beginning at 7:30 p.m., in Parkwood Elementary School where the congregation is worshipping until they can construct a building.

These Wednesday evening and Holy Week services will follow the theme "The Journey to Easter." The Rev. Floyd Sides, mission developer, will present a series of sermons on selected passages from the Gospel according to St. Luke.

The Sacrament of Holy Communion will be administered at the evening service Wednesday and at the Thursday evening service during Holy Week.

## 1967-1968 SCS TEACHERS:

NURSERY - SUSE BRADSHAW, SUSAN WINDER  
KINDERGARTEN - JOLEEN PROPST, BOBBI SIDES  
1ST. AND 2ND. - VIRGINIA LEESE  
3RD. AND 4TH. - BARBARA HALLAW  
5TH. AND 6TH. - CAROL UTLEY  
7TH. - ALVIN BRADSHAW  
ADULTS - DUKE SCOTT

## FIRST BABY - TIMOTHY ANDREW LEESE

FEBRUARY 8, 1967

APRIL 11, 1967



## CONFIRMATION CLASS AND BAPTISM

MAY 14, 1967

### CONFIRMATION CLASS:

JERRI LYNNE AANERUD  
SUSIE AANERUD  
WILLIAM HAINES

### BAPTISM:

JERRI AANERUD - ADULT  
SUSE AANERUD - ADULT  
JOHN GARDNER - ADULT  
STEPHANIE SCOTT - INFANT

FIRST VACATION CHURCH SCHOOL - JUNE 12-16, 19-23, 1967  
PARKWOOD BAPTIST CHURCH

TEACHERS:

DIRECTOR — ANN SWEENEY  
NURSERY — JOLEEN PROPST, SUSAN WILDER, SARAH ANERUD  
KINDERGARTEN — NANCY POLLARD, BOBBI SIDES, DONNA ANERUD  
1ST. AND 2ND. — CAROL UTLEY, JERRI ANERUD  
3RD. AND 4TH. — JO ANN SCOTT  
5TH. AND 6TH. — DUKE SCOTT, MIKE TAYLOR

DEATH OF DOUG UTLEY  
OCTOBER 8, 1967



# ORGANIZATION DAY

DECEMBER 1967



## Lutheran Church Has Organization Services Today

Organizational services for Christus Victor Lutheran Church will begin at 11 a.m. today in the Parkwood Elementary School cafeteria.

The Rev. George R. Whittecar, president of the North Carolina Synod of the Lutheran Church in America, will conduct the service. He will be assisted by the Rev. Floyd E. Sides, mission developer of the Board of American Missions of the Lutheran Church which serves in the Research Triangle area. Sides entered the area in June 1966 and the first worship service of the congregation was held Sept. 11, 1966.

The organizational procedure actually began last night with a dinner meeting at which a constitution was adopted and councilmen elected. Steps were taken to transfer the title of a parsonage at 106 Radcliff Circle, Parkwood, and a building site located about one mile west of Lowes Grove on Highway 54. Plans for the construction of a church building were also discussed.

### Organizing New Church

(Staff Photo)

An organizational dinner meeting for the new Christus Victor Lutheran Church was held Saturday night at the Parkwood Elementary School. Participating were the Rev. George

R. Whittecar of Salisbury, left, president of the N.C. Synod of Lutheran Churches of America, and the Rev. Floyd Sides, mission developer.

## FIRST COUNCILMEN ELECTED

DECEMBER 16, 1967

### 3 YEAR TERM:

ROBERT LEONARD  
CARL RIDDLE  
JERRY SMITH

### 2 YEAR TERM:

HARLAN AAKRE  
HARRY PROBST  
DUKE SCOTT

### 1 YEAR TERM:

JOHNNIE McDONALD  
BILL PARKS  
ALAN PETERSON

Called Pastor — JANUARY 14, 1968  
REV. FLOYD E. SIDES (MISSION DEVELOPER)

WORSHIP AREA IN PARKWOOD SCHOOL



DECEMBER 1967



INSTALLATION  
OF  
PASTOR SIDES  
MAY 19, 1968



# PUBLICITY OF FIRST WOMEN'S GROUP

APRIL 7, 1968

## Lutheran Group Convenes

The Christus Victor Lutheran Church held its monthly meeting Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Ralph Crawson in Parkwood. The Rev. Marvin Cain spoke on religious training in the home.

Mrs. Duke Scott reported on the Lutheran Church Women's district meeting held recently in Lexington. Mrs. Tom Lever, Christian action chairman, announced that Lutheran Women

would begin sponsoring newcomers' teas for the community after Easter.

Mrs. Jerry Hallan, president, reminded the members that the church will hold Holy Week services on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday at 7:30 p.m. in the Parkwood School. Communion will be celebrated on Thursday night and at the Easter sunrise service at 6 a.m. The sunrise service will be followed by

breakfast and then Sunday school.

The group will meet May 1 with Mrs. Bob Leonard.

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## JOINT VACATION CHURCH SCHOOL PROGRAM WITH TRIANGLE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH HELD AT PARKWOOD BAPTIST CHURCH

JUNE,  
1968



NURSERY



KINDERGARTEN A



KINDERGARTEN B



1ST. AND 2ND.



3RD. AND 4TH.



5TH. AND 6TH.

# APPROVED MASTER SITE PLAN

July 14, 1968

NOTE RECEIVED FROM INMATE AT COUNTY JAIL  
AFTER SCS VISIT IN December, 1968

Rip Austin  
Durham County Jail  
Durham, N.C.

To the Members of the Sunday School  
Class and Class, who are faithfully  
teaching Christianity to the people of  
Christie Victor Lutheran Church  
Durham, North Carolina

I am writing to you  
and to the members of the  
class, who are faithfully  
teaching Christianity to the people of  
Christie Victor Lutheran Church  
Durham, North Carolina

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# FIRST YOUTH SUNDAY PROGRAM - JANUARY 26, 1969

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Dr. Hale Sweeny moved that the councilmen receiving the highest number of votes be made the holders of the 3 year offices, the second highest - the 2 year men, and the lowest - the 1 year men. The motion was seconded and carried. The following terms were established:

Three Year Terms

Mr. Bob Leonard  
Mr. Jerry Smith  
Mr. Carl Riddle

2 Year Terms

Mr. Harry Propst  
Mr. Duke Scott  
Mr. Harlan Aakre

One Year Terms

Mr. Bill Parks  
Mr. Alan Peterson  
Mrs. J. McDonald

Pastor Sides recognized the members of the Planning Committee - Mr. Jerry Smith, Mr. Harry Propst, Dr. Hale Sweeny, Mrs. Pat Bullard, Mrs. Jeanette Peeler, Mrs. Barbara Hallan.

Pastor Sides recognized the members of the Building Committee - Mrs. Alan Peterson, Mr. Jerry Hallan, Mr. Harlan Aakre, Mr. Hunter McDonald, and Mrs. Jeanette Peeler.

Pastor Sides recognized Dr. George Whittecar and Rev. David F. Johnson for their time and effort in the mission.

Mr. Duke Scott made the motion to adjourn the meeting.  
Mr. Don Davis seconded.  
Meeting adjourned.

Respectfully Submitted,

Bobbie Sides



## CONGREGATIONAL MEETING

December 16, 1967

Christus Victor Lutheran Church held its first congregational meeting on December 16, 1967, 8:00 p.m. in Parkwood Elementary School. There were 39 people present at this meeting.

All materials were handed out by Pastor Sides prior to beginning and added Dr. and Mrs. Hale Sweeny's names to the list of eligible people for church councilmen.

The following appointments were made by Pastor Sides:

Parliamentarian - Dr. George Whittecar

Tellers ----- Mrs. Pat Bullard, Dr. Hale Sweeny

Secretary ----- Mrs. Flo, Sides

### Item I

Dr. Hale Sweeny presented the Constitution for Christus Victor Lutheran Church and made the motion to accept this Constitution. Mr. Duke Scott seconded the motion.

Before beginning a discussion of the constitution, Mr. Jerry Hallan asked the question - "Could a constitution be accepted before a church organizes?" Dr. Whittecar replied, "Yes, this is a step in the organizational procedures."

The following discussions took place on the different articles:

Preamble - No discussion.

Article 1 - No discussion.

Article 2 - No discussion.

Article 3 - No discussion.

Article 4 - Mr. Don Davis requested that Section 5, the last sentence be made to read (An inactive member shall be restored by the church council to the active roll of confirmed members when he again receives the Lord's Supper and/or makes a contribution of record to the congregation.) [merely inserted and/or in place of and]

Dr. Whittecar suggested that we not change this because this was the minimum requirement and that a person should be ready to respond with what he has.

Mr. Bill Parks suggested we change requirements for Councilmen.

Dr. Sweeny asked that we explain Section 7 the words 'other Evangelical Congregations'. Dr. Whittecar replied, "Any congregation which recognizes the Lord Jesus Christ and the Bible as the Word of God."

Article 5 - Dr. Whittecar pointed out that Section 9 was very important.

Jerry Hallan noted a typographical error of Section 9, line 3, the word 'or'. He also asked to qualify point 4 of Section 9.

Article 6 - No discussion.

Article 7 - Mr. Don Davis suggested we insert the word written before the word ballot in Section 4. Dr. Hale Sweeny accepted the amendment. Amendment carried.



Baptism + Confirmation 1968

Confirmation

David Parks  
Duane Parks  
Debbie Scott

Adult Baptism

Rhonda Crawson  
Joan Gardner

Infant Baptism

Ralph Crawson  
Regina Crawson  
Robin Crawson  
Robert Crawson

# GROUND BREAKING —

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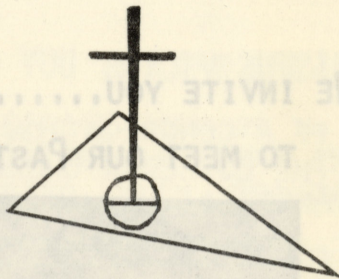
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# ADULT HALLOWEEN PARTY - OCTOBER 30, 1969

HOME OF DUKE AND JO ANN SCOTT





CHRISTUS VICTOR  
LUTHERAN CHURCH

A  
CONGREGATION  
OF



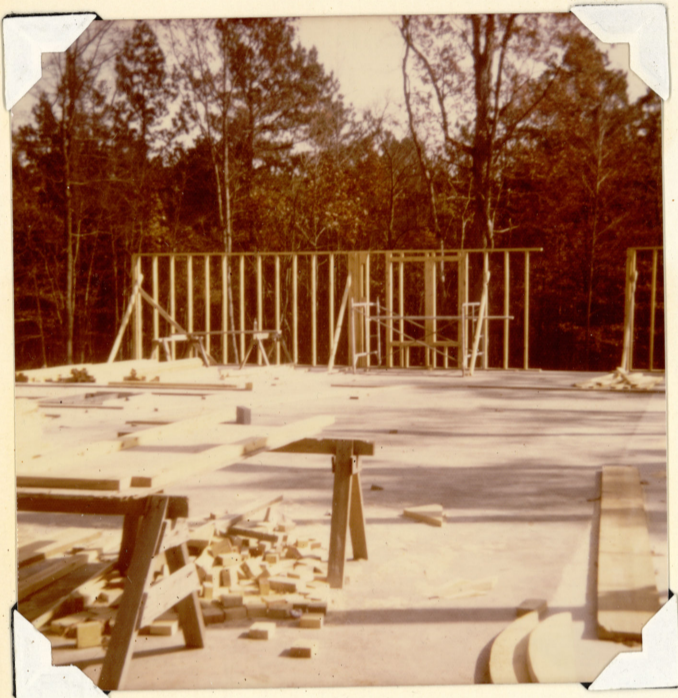
N. C. HIGHWAY 54  
SOUTH OF  
DURHAM, N.C.

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### Building Committee

Chairman: Jerry Hallan  
 Jeanette Peeler  
 Nancy Pollard  
 Judy Peterson  
 Harlan Aakre  
 Hunter McDonald  
 \* Doug Utley



Architects: Byron Franklin  
 Norman Zimmerman

Builder: Robert Downey



*Inside Church*



## Christus Victor Lutheran To Hold Dedication Rites

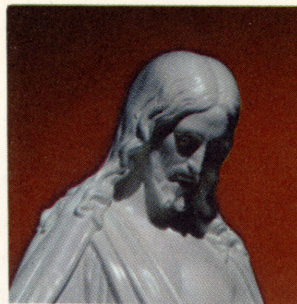
Christus Victor Lutheran Church will conduct a dedication service for its new building at 11 a.m. Sunday. An open house will be held from 3 p.m. to 5 p.m.

The new facility is located on Highway 54, one-quarter mile west of the Highway 55 intersection.


Dr. George R. Whittecar, president of the North Carolina Synod of the Lutheran Church in America, and the Rev. David F. Johnson, regional secretary of the Board of American Missions, will participate in the dedication.

Architect for the building was Norman Zimmerman of High Point and the consulting architect was Byron Franklin of Raleigh. The 8,000 - square - foot structure was constructed by L. A. Downey and Son of Durham.

*Building Dedication  
May 10, 1970*



## DEDICATION

**L**et the beauty of the **L**ord  
our **G**od be upon us: and  
establish **T**hou the work of our  
hands upon us.  PSALM 90:17a

**L**et your light so shine be-  
fore men, that they may  
see your good works, and glori-  
fy your **F**ather which is in heaven.  
MATTHEW 5:16

© A.P.H.





h Chrismon Tree



Confirmation 1972  
Larry Haines Keith Leese



Bobbie + Floyd Sides  
Gene + Kim



Lake Service



Floyd in Fireman attire.



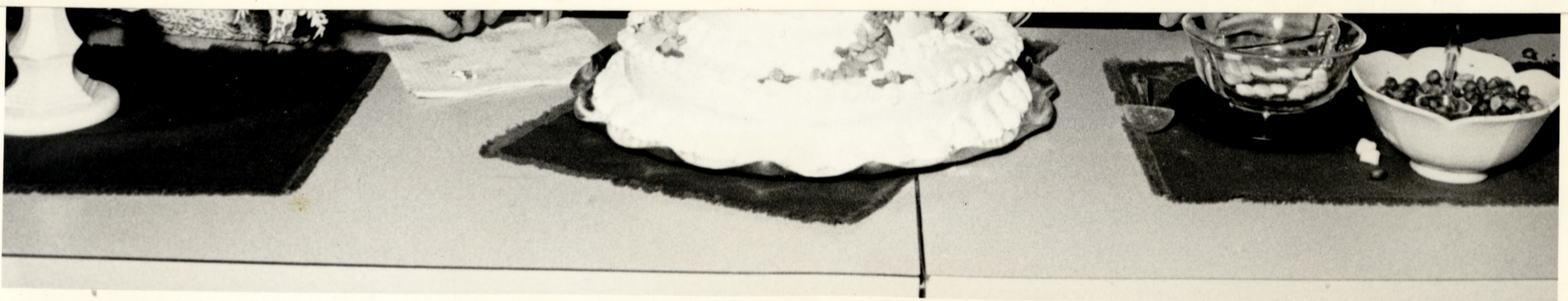
Halloween Party 1972



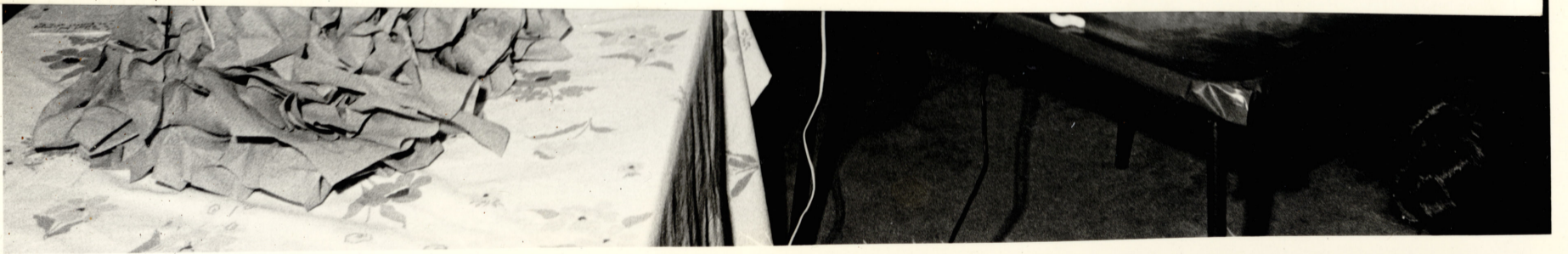
Church's 5<sup>th</sup> Birthday Party 1972

Andie Davis Lee Castle Mike Davis

Nancy Pollard



To Ann Scott presents First Prize gift to Audrey Jacobs  
for table decoration.



# First Formal Wedding

August 12, 1973

Debbie Scott + Buddy Gilbert

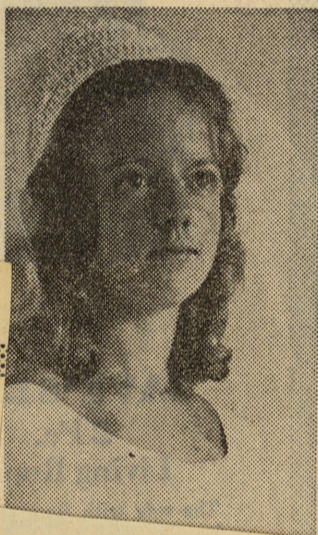
## WOMEN TODAY

VOL. LXXIX DURHAM, N. C., WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 15, 1973 NO. 319

### Miss Scott Weds

Miss Deborah Lynn Scott became the bride of Lawrence James Gilbert Sunday at 8 p.m. at Christus Victor Lutheran Church. The Rev. Floyd E. Sides officiated. Mrs. John Peeler was organist and Johnny Kelly was soloist.

Mr. and Mrs. Duke T. Scott of 100 Foxcroft Lane are parents of the bride. The bridegroom is the son of Mrs. Annie M. Gilbert of Durham.



Regular \$349.95



### Confirmation Class 1974

Stephen Greg Tom Matt Jay  
Leese Akre Haines Nelson Hallan

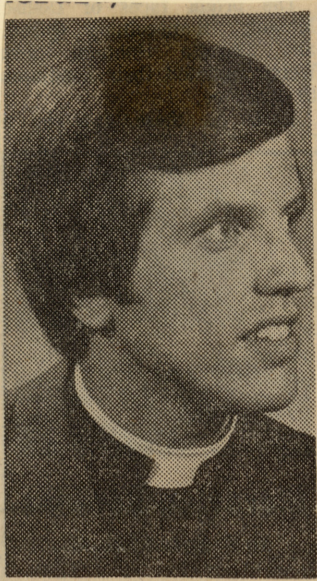
15th Int Dinner '74

# International Dinner 1974



October 1974

Pastor Richard Campbell Arrives!



CAMPBELL

### Christus Victus Lutheran Church Gets New Pastor

The Rev. Richard Campbell has succeeded the Rev. Floyd Sides as pastor of the Christus Victus Lutheran Church on the Chapel Hill-Nelson Highway near Parkwood.

Sides has been named pastor of the Mayer Memorial Lutheran Church in Newberry, S.C.

Campbell, 30, was associate minister at Ebenezer Lutheran Church in Columbia, S.C.

He is a graduate of Lenoir Rhyne College and the Lutheran Seminary in Columbia.

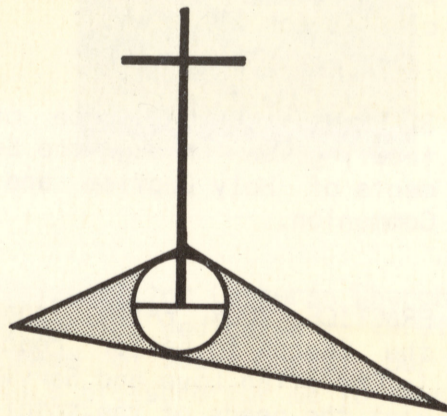
He served as chairman of the Central District Youth Ministry Council, secretary of the Lutheran Ministers Association and as a director of the Columbia Day Care Project.

A native of High Point, Campbell is married to the former Rebecca Cromer of Hickory, and they have one son, Ross, 2.

Campbell will lead the communion service at the church Sunday and will be installed on Nov. 10. Dr. George Whitaker, president of the North Carolina Synod of the Lutheran Church of America, will lead the installation service.



Come . . .  
Grow with Us!



Christus Victor Lutheran Church  
1615 Chapel Hill-Nelson Highway  
(Highway 54)  
Durham, North Carolina

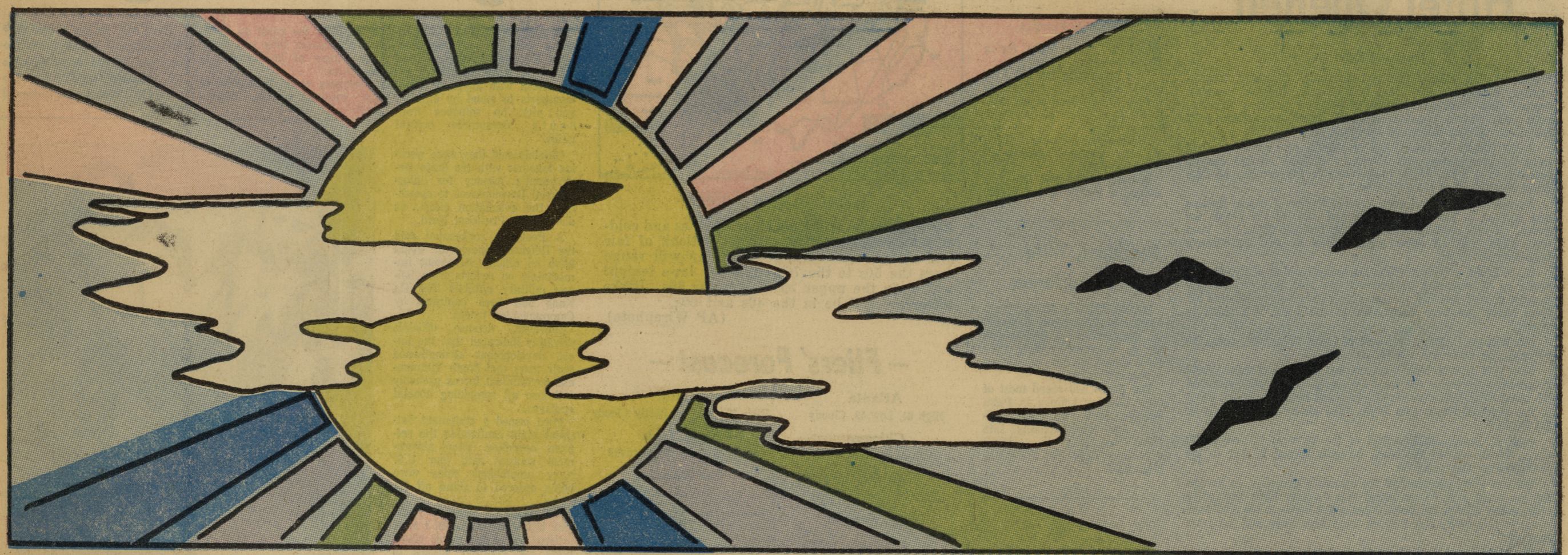
A Congregation of  
The Lutheran Church in America

**Rain**  
High, Upper 60s  
Low, Low 30s  
More Data On 2A

# Durham Morning Herald

**On The Inside**  
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## Sunburst For Lovely Downtown Durham

This design, done by Karen Stearn, a sophomore at Jordan High School, will be painted onto the side of a wall in downtown Durham on April 12. It will be the first of what the Downtown Revitalization Foundation hopes will be a number of large, outside murals planned to lend color and charm to the refurbished central business district. The sun rise scene will be painted on the wall of the Wee Shop, under the sponsorship of the foundation, the Durham Arts Council, the Council for Creative Art in Public Schools, and the city and county schools. Miss Stern, above, was one of 30 pupils from Durham, Hillside and Jordan high schools who submitted entries in a contest to pick the mural design. A design by Michael King won second place and one by Gregory Roberts won third place. Both boys are sophomores at Durham High. Their designs are expected to be used in future murals.

October 1975



### Wading For UNICEF

Members of the board of directors of the South Square Merchants Association rolled up their pants legs Saturday and went wading in the shopping center's fountains to pick up coins for the International UNICEF Foundation. The fountains serve as wishing wells and people toss in nickels, dimes and pennies. It was decided to collect the money

this way instead of draining the center court pool because it holds 15,000 gallons of water and takes 18 hours to refill. From left, Ted Barnes, William Sheeley and David Carr hand money to Mrs. Jo Ann Scott, acting chairman of UNICEF in Durham.

(Staff Photo By Jim Thornton)

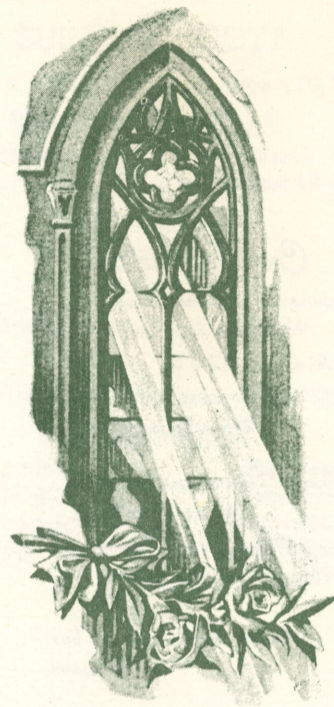


Church Council Retreat  
1975

First Funeral - Susan Tyler Scott August 12, 1975



I am the  
resurrection  
and the life



A  
MEMORIAL  
RECORD  
for  
Friends and Relatives

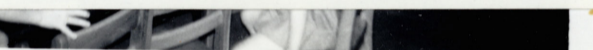
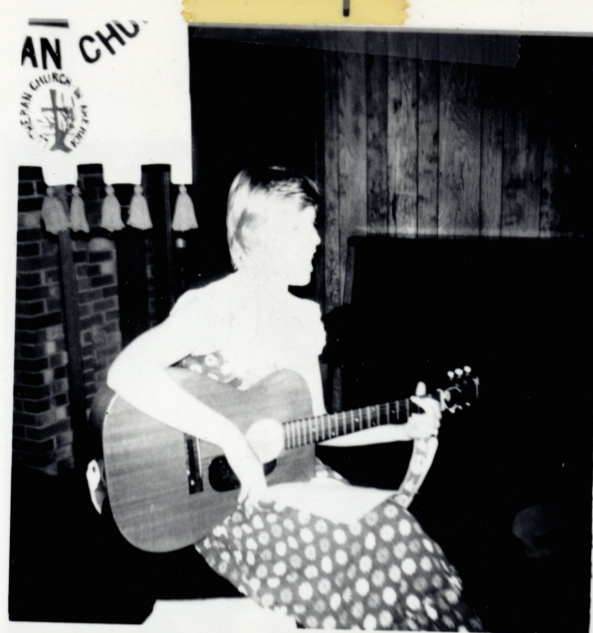


Shots  
during  
Sunday School  
1975



"Alleluia"  
performed by Choir  
1975

Sunday School  
1975



Easter Breakfast 1976



## When Dad Takes Over The Troop



Every meeting of Girl Scout junior troop 629 starts with the flag ceremony led by troop leader Mike Davis, background and his wife Andra, assistant leader, beside him.

By LIB UZZELL GRIFFIN

One of the happiest Girl Scout leaders in Durham is an Eagle Scout with a quarter century of experience in Boy Scouting.

Mike Davis, a customer engineer for IBM, has been leader of Girl Scout Troop 629 for over a year now, and he sees nothing unusual about being a Girl Scout leader.

There's not much difference between the Boy Scout troop we once had and the Girl Scout troop he works with now, he says, except that "Boys holler and girls squeal."

With his wife Andra as assistant leader, Davis thinks Troop 629 has an effective team in charge.

They got the job when their daughter Angela and a group of her friends expressed a desire to join a Girl Scout troop and needed a leader.

He made one phone call to Girl Scout headquarters and asked, "How about a male leader?" And that was it.

He used part of his vacation to attend three all-day Girl Scout leadership training sessions, then altered his hours on Tuesday to be on hand for the troop's 4 p.m. meetings and junior troop 629 was in business with Parkwood United Methodist Church as its sponsor.

It didn't seem strange to him to tailor his workday to the needs of the troop. He traces his specialty of servicing computers to an interest in radio sparked by an early Boy Scout project in which he built a crystal radio set in a cigar box. Moving on to ham radio and working with radio in the military, he ended up dealing with computers.

Mrs. Davis is a staunch supporter of her husband's role as a Girl Scout leader.

"A male leader adds a certain amount of authority," she says. "And working as a couple we have more discussion time available than most two women leaders would have." He's right there to plan with, she says.

And she finds the knowledge each has of the other's capabilities is helpful.



"A male leader adds a certain amount of authority," says Andra Davis, and the girls of the Parkwood troop Mike Davis leads respond to his presence.

Mike adds, "Man thinks and woman feels. I'll have an idea and Andra can feel if it will work or not. She's usually right, too."

Of course having a male along on camping trips and other outdoor activities is an added boon. And Davis tries to see that the troop has at least two camping experiences and four hikes a year.

Last summer he utilized the freer months from June to September to work with the troop on hiking and camping badges.

And Davis says this part of scouting couldn't be overemphasized as far as his troop is concerned. "They love the

outdoors," he says.

Though neither of the Davis daughters is now in Troop 629, the Davises have stayed with it. Angela has "flown up" to a sixth grade troop and April is still looking forward to being a Brownie. But both Mike and Andra love to work with the fourth- and fifth-grade girls and wouldn't dream of giving their troop up.

"The sixth grade is the dividing line," they explain. "All sixth graders are bused to one school, leaving the fourth- and fifth-graders feeling left out. We try to make up for it by giving them a two-year program with no duplications."

Right now the troop is studying Indian lore.

A short meeting recently started with the flag ceremony and a business session that disclosed the troop had sold 949 boxes of Girl Scout cookies.

When a planned hike along the Eno was announced there was a chorus of approval with special enthusiasm for the lunch plans.

A decision over whether to play kickball or Red Rover before going to the library for research brought forth gentle teasing from young Courtney Berry.

"You be the ball," she told the round leader.

"You be it," Davis countered. "You're Mangum had a spirited game."

They decided on Red Rover and Courtney and fellow scouters Kerry Duncan, Karen Gentry, Melissa Gour, Nancy Ham, Julie Johnston, Amy Goodwin, Lisa Lutes, Angie Newbold, Sherri Poel, Wendy Porterfield, Sheila Viola, Amy Warrick and Cecilia Mangum had a spirited game.

Then they all adjourned to the Parkwood branch library and spent the rest of the afternoon researching Indian lore. They'll present their findings at the next meeting in song, dance, game, craft and fact. The Davises worked with the girls on library use as they did their research.

But activities are varied.

Last year the troop worked on cooking and the Davises have fond memories of the dinner prepared at their home by seven pairs of girls.

"They did everything from scratch. It was a delicious meal and a lot of fun," Davis says.

He finds a lot of satisfaction in seeing the girls learn skills and experiencing things that will be useful to them throughout their lives.

"It would really give me the most satisfaction for them to remember Andra and me working together, to see a Christian marriage working. And I think they do."

Davis sees a trend toward more participation in Girl Scouting by fathers, even those without official jobs like his leader post.

He says fathers are pitching in more, especially with the camping. There's less of a tendency to let the wife do the childbearing alone, he says, "and this pleases me."

He points to other husband-wife teams in Scouting, too. In Parkwood alone there are the Charles Pratts and the Peter Goolsbys. Angela is now a member of the Pratts' junior troop and the Goolsbys have a cadet troop that meets on Thursday nights.

Male leaders even have a special uniform, a green flannel jacket that Davis enjoys wearing for the more formal occasions of Scouting. For camping he's designed his own uniform and submitted it to national headquarters through the local Pines of Carolina Council. It's just one more way of making his presence even less unusual.



"Red Rover" makes a mad dash over in a spirited game during an afternoon meeting of Girl Scout troop 629. Leader Mike Davis and his wife Andra, assistant leader, join in the fun.



ABOVE: Andra Davis huddles with four troop members during outdoor game time during an afternoon troop meeting. She enjoys working as assistant leader with her husband as leader of Troop.

BELOW: It's only a short walk across the street from Parkwood United Methodist Church, where Girl Scout troop 629 meets, to the branch library where they learn library skills while researching for special projects. Assistant leader Andra Davis leads the way while leader Mike Davis brings up the rear.



Assistant leader Andra Davis helps the Girl Scouts of her troop learn to use the card files as they do research on Indian lore for a presentation at the next meeting.

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Vietnamese Family Arrives Sept. 1975

Khanh Van Nguyen

Hung Phan Nguyen

Sanh Xuan Lee



International Dinner 1976





Peter Stern    Brett Hallan    Jeff Talley    Pastor Campbell    Ricky Bullard  
 Confirmation 1976

"Joseph and His Amazing  
 Technicolored Dream Coat"  
 1976

Director - Debbie Scott



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Rockin' Lockin'  
April 1977

Church Picnic 1977  
Forrest Hills Park



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Lutheran Church Women Presidents  
1968-1977

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Hallan	Robinson	Pollard	Tremblay	Arnold	Holder



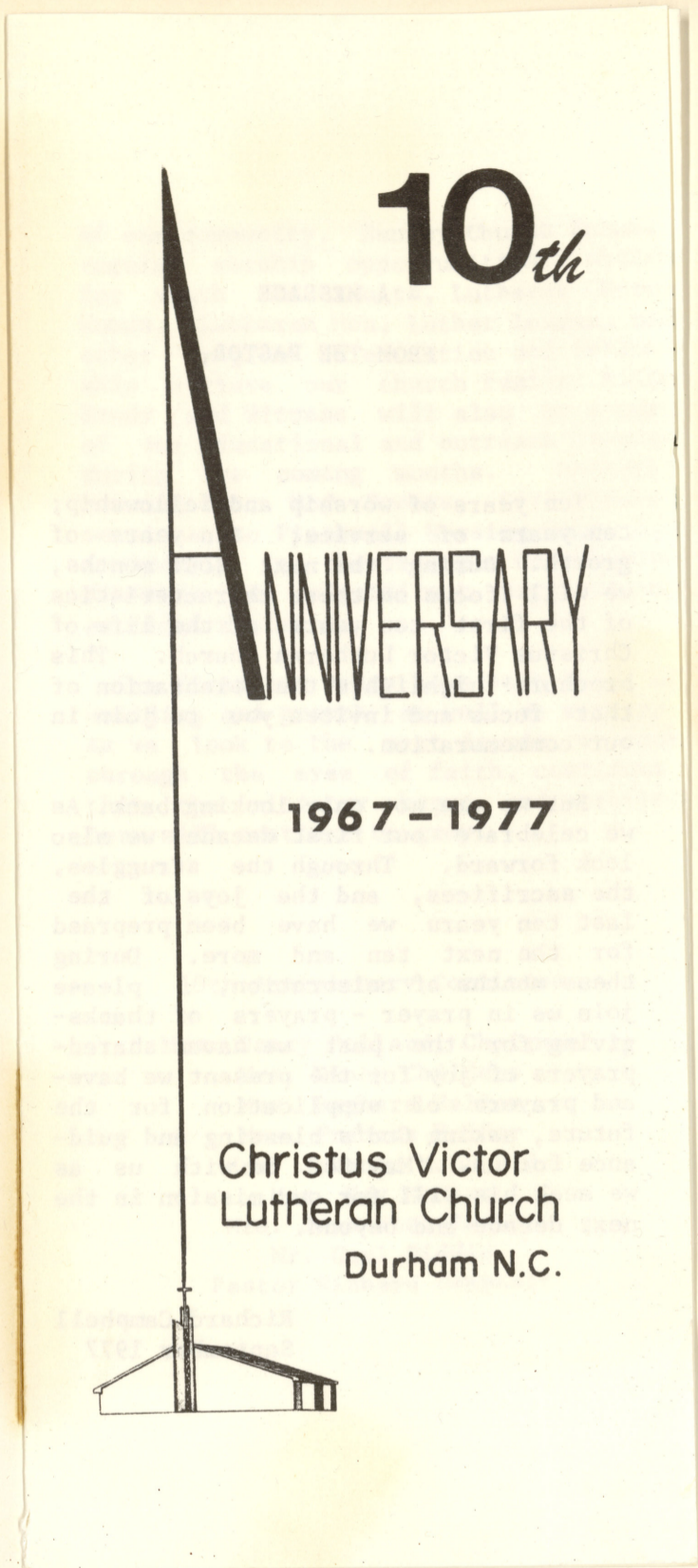
# Memorial Gifts

<u>Gift</u>	<u>In Memory of</u>	<u>Given by</u>
Candle Sticks and Vases	Donald Aanerud -	Millie Aanerud (wife)
Advent Stand	Father (G. Fred Davis)	Jeanette Peeler + Mother + Friends
Music and Class rooms; Piano	Susan Tyler Scott	Memorial and Thanksgiving Offering
Silver Communion Ware	Susan Tyler Scott	Mr. & Mrs. Duke Scott (Mother and Father)
White Paraments -	Susan Tyler Scott	The George Stern Family
Silver Chalice -	Bill Witt's father	Mr. & Mrs. Bill Witt
Processional Cross	To the Glory of God	Mr. & Mrs. Robert Volland
Blue Paraments -	Brother	Mr. & Mrs. James Pollard
Red Paraments	Grandmother	Enstor and Mrs. Campbell
		Mr. & Mrs. Hunter McDonald

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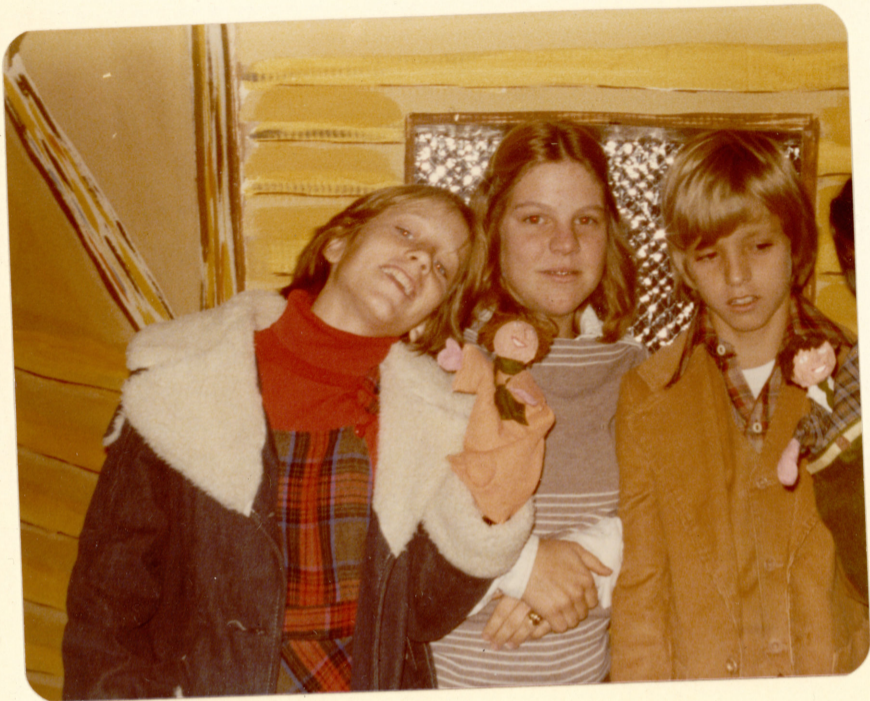


1<sup>st</sup> 10<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Event - Picnic on Church Grounds  
September 11, 1977 - Commemorating First Worship Service

10<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Event - Puppet Show

October 2, 1977

Sunday Church School  
Birthday Party



Kiri HALLAN

Kelly Ogle

Stephanie Scott

Eric Probst

Michael Bradshaw

10<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Event - Charter Sunday Oct. 30, 1977  
with reception

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# 10<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Event "Nostalgia Night" - Nov. 18, 1977



Sharron & Rick  
Knapp Bill Witt

Peg Witt  
Barbara Clark

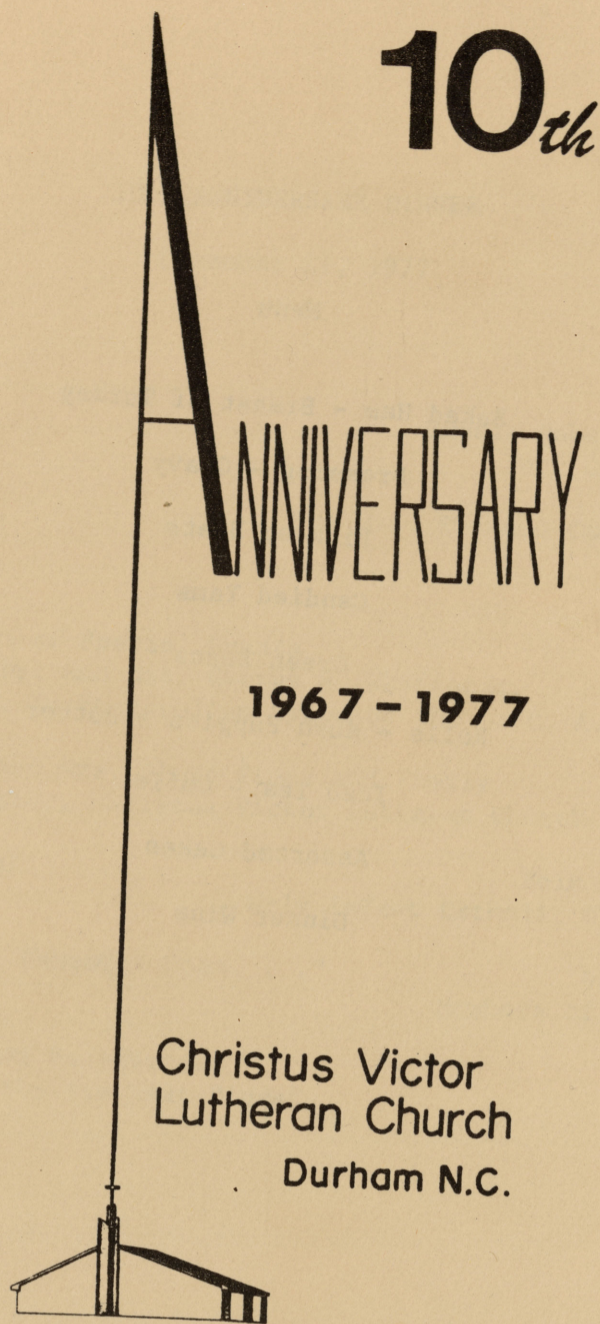


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December 17, 1977

