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*"To Freedom With Love"*

# "UNITY CELEBRATION - 1976"

## Philadelphia, Pa. July 15-18

*"We rejoice in the perfect truth that  
Unity Celebration - 1976 is a total success for all mankind!"*

# CONTACT

## Unity Celebration

The number of special activities and events being planned in Philadelphia to commemorate our nation's bicentennial is ever expanding! These exciting and informative activities and events are far too numerous to list in this publication. However, persons attending the Celebration will have access to current and accurate information regarding all of the special happenings in Philadelphia. The Philadelphia Convention and Visitors' Bureau will set up and staff a special information booth in the Sheraton Hotel during our Celebration. Brochures and information on the special activities will be available at the information booth and the Bureau staff will be able to answer questions.

The Philadelphia Convention and Visitors' Bureau is processing the applications for hotel reservations and each person who has registered for the Celebration will be receiving a notice from the hotel accepting their application. Any questions regarding the status of an individual application should be directed to: **Mrs. Anna Goldsmith**, Convention Housing Manager, Philadelphia Convention Bureau, 1617 John F. Kennedy Blvd., Suite 1420, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19103.

This month in **CONTACT** we have highlighted on page 6 the events, activities, and participants of the Saturday, July 17, program.

Please refer to page 8 of this issue for "Spirit of '76," which this month features restaurants in Philadelphia.

### NOTE TO MINISTERS/TEACHERS

The all new, 150 page, 8½" by 11" **Christian Healing Teaching Guide with Annotations** for ministers and teachers is now available from the AUC office.

The Guide comes pre-punched in a yellow-gold, vinyl, three-ring binder at a cost of \$2.00 per copy.

**IMPORTANT:** The new questions provided with the outline and annotations are the questions that should be used in Christian Healing Extension Course classes for credit in U.I.C.E.

Separate sets of the new Christian Healing Questions and Annotations are available on a love offering basis.

All future orders of **Christian Healing Workbook**, **Lessons in Truth Workbook**, and **Synoptic Studies of Unity Workbook** will come in colorful, vinyl, three-ring binders for ready identification.

### TRAINING SEMINAR

A Youth Education Training Seminar was conducted in April at Unity Village, Missouri. Special representatives from each of the seven AUC regions were present and the AUC office will be working closely with each of the regions to utilize the services of these people. Representing the regions were: **Evelyn Moore** (Eastern), **Mayola SaltPaw** (Great Lakes), **Shirley Bonham** (Northern Calif.), **Karen Johnston** (Northwest), **Helen Nairn** (South Central), **Joan Goodman** (Southeastern), and **Ruth Townsend** (Southwest).

Also present were: **Gerald Melin** (SMRS Student, Unity Village), **Maryan Shumway** (Unity on the Plaza), **Dona Gilsdorf** (Royal Oak, Mich.), **Lani Jones** (Milwaukee, Wis.), and **Judy Sherman** (Crystal Lake, Ill.).

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## AUC PRESIDENT'S LETTER

Dear Fellow Association Members,

Serving as AUC President has given me an opportunity to gain a greater insight into the activities of the AUC as an organization, and a realization of how it is seeking to serve the local ministries. At the present time there are many things it would like to do for the local ministries, and although we haven't reached that point in our growth where we have developed sufficient resources and capacity to do all things--that day will come!

One area to which I feel we should begin giving some serious consideration, as a movement, is publicity. At the present time we are investing a good portion of our income into developing new ministries--and this is good. This has been needed for some time. If, however, we are going to develop these new ministries, we must also find a good, low-key way to inform people that we have these, and other ministries, around the country. We must realize that there are many metaphysically-minded people today, and many metaphysical groups springing up in all parts of the country. Even some of the traditional groups are giving "positive thinking" teaching, so we are not in the unique position any longer of being the only movement with a New Thought teaching to offer.

In the past, we have taken a too-soft sell approach. We have assumed that Spirit would lead people to our ministries



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when they were ready, and we have not engaged in promotional activities as we should. I agree that Spirit can do the work, but it might just be that Spirit is trying to get us to help in that work. Advertising has been thought of as "proselyting," and we have said that Unity does not do that. We have not even used our own members to the best advantage as instruments of spreading the word. It seems that we have bent over backwards trying not to inform. I, especially, have been prone to do this, but I believe now that I have been too conservative.

If we are to grow, and at the same time, serve the needs of the people who are searching for this Truth teaching, then we must tell them where we can be found, and we must be willing to spend a good portion of our income in this area. What we spend will be returned to us in the form of new people contributing to our ministry. And as the ministry grows and recognizes the value of promotional activities, it will want to contribute a greater share to the AUC.

I would like to make it clear that I am not an advocate of proselyting. I do feel, however, that we need to do a better job of informing others of what we have to offer. Involving our lay people in ministry public relations would make them feel more a part of our growing Unity Movement.

**Bill Dale** will conduct a Post Graduate course on ministry public relations in Philadelphia on Saturday, July 10. As you know, Bill has done an excellent job for the AUC and we will be looking forward to his course this summer. So--plan to be there. It will bless you to expand your ministry's promotional activities. As Jesus said, in so many words, "Go and tell the world the good news!"

Richest blessings,

*James C. Lewis*



## REGIONAL NEWS

**C. Berton Coffey** reporting for the SOUTHWEST REGION:

HEMET, CALIFORNIA -- Unity Valley Church in Hemet is one of the newest members of our AUC family. **Pierre**

**Gallardo**, minister of this San Jacinto Valley work, reports that attendance at the ministry's Sunday morning worship service has increased to such an extent that an extra morning service is being added. Among the many activities being offered by Unity Valley Church to the community is a one-hour Music-and-Meditation radio program on Sunday evenings. Outreach activities such as the radio program and new publications being produced by the ministry are capturing the attention of many people in the Hemet area.

TUCSON, ARIZONA -- Unity of Tucson, where **Larry** and **Mary Ellen Swartz** serve as ministers, hosted the Southwest Regional Unity Ministers and Teachers

Conference (U.M.T.C.) January 26--28.

**Phillip Pierson** and **Marguerite Meyer** presented the Post Graduate Course "The Twelve Powers of Man" to nearly fifty registrants from five states. Election of officers for U.M.T.C. was held and the following ministers were selected to serve for the year: **Phil Nicola**, Santa Ana, California, President; **Donald O'Connor**, La Crescenta, California, Vice-President; **Dorothy Armstrong**, Covina, California, Secretary; **Edna LeSage**, Whittier, California, Treasurer; **C. Berton Coffey**, Vista, California, Regional Representative; and **Arthur Hammons**, El Cajon, California, Regional Alternate. **Jay Dishman**, San Diego, California, was elected to the regional board.

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In addition to hosting the Conference, Larry and Mary Ellen also hosted a Post Conference "day of delight." A chartered bus was placed at the disposal of the ministers, teachers, and spouses. The group enjoyed being chauffeured through beautiful countryside, visiting historic sites, shopping, and a scrumptious Mexican dinner in Nogales, Mexico.

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**Catherine Knight** reporting for the GREAT LAKES REGION:

**AKRON, OHIO** — The Youth of Unity of Akron Unity Center of Truth in Akron, Ohio, where **Glenn Mosley** serves as minister, presented 250 copies of the new hymnal **UNITY IN SONG** to the congregation in special services held recently at the ministry. In order to purchase these hymnals, the YOUers and their sponsors raked leaves and made and sold Christmas items.

The Akron Y.O.U. Chapter began in the fall of 1975 under the sponsorship of **Fran Renner**. Beginning with four teens, the group has grown to an average of 20-25 per Sunday. Now assisted by ministry staff workers **Judy Bruce** and **Dotti Downard**, the group studies and grows together at 11:00 a.m. each Sunday, occasionally serves refreshments to the congregation on Sunday, and enjoys times of fellowship together.

We give thanks for these young people and their sponsors for their loving service toward the growth of Akron Unity Center of Truth.



**New home of Unity — A Church of Light, Massillon, Ohio.**

**MASSILLON, OHIO** — Unity—A Church of Light, Massillon, Ohio, where **June Dorrell** serves as minister, has purchased a new church home. Located on 5½ acres and surrounded by large and beautiful trees, as well as an organic garden that has had no chemical products added to it for twenty years, the facility has two full floors of space and room to seat approximately 100 persons. Plans are being drawn for an additional assembly room with construction to begin immediately upon approval.

"Our hearts are filled with wonder and gratitude at how this has happened and the smoothness with which all the details have been managed," said June. "We indeed feel a sense of movement, commitment, and mission and we know that our new venture will be one of cooperation, love, and faith."

First services in the new building were held March 21. The ministry was formerly located in Canton, Ohio. On April 11, **Marcus Bach** was special guest speaker and conducted a one-day workshop.



**J. Sig Paulson** was special guest speaker at the 25th Anniversary Celebration of Unity of Sheboygan, Wisconsin.

**SHEBOYGAN, WISCONSIN** — Unity of Sheboygan, Wisconsin, where **Jim Dawson** serves as minister, celebrated its 25th Anniversary in November, 1975, with **J. Sig Paulson**, minister of Unity Village Chapel, as special guest speaker for the Sunday morning and evening services.

A record crowd of 140 persons attended the services and it was necessary to use the church reading room for extra seating. Following the morning service, an anniversary dinner was held in the basement of the church.

"All in all, it was a great occasion, divine order prevailed throughout the day," said Jim. "It was especially nice having Sig whom we love and who is such a fine representative of the place we call home--Unity Village."

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**Loren Flickinger** reporting for the SOUTHEASTERN REGION:

**ATLANTA, GEORGIA** — Unity Church of Practical Christianity in Atlanta, Georgia, where **Robert Means** serves as minister, is experiencing tremendous unfoldment and growth.

"We have outgrown the present sanctuary seating capacity of 204 for a single service," said Bob. "We are currently running at an average of over 310 each Sunday morning and have installed a temporary speaker system into adjoining rooms to handle the overflow. We are also considering closed circuit television in other rooms which could provide an additional 80 seats, and are also considering going to a second service as the congregation requires.

"I started a radio broadcast in March for the greater Atlanta area and we are anticipating starting a Montessori school in the fall," Bob said. "We now have church classes going three times a week and are planning a fourth. We have biofeedback equipment which we are now investigating in terms of how best it can be used in our healing ministry.

"The Church has filed a request with the AUC for an associate minister to found two new Unity churches from the Athens and Augusta study groups, and we anticipate three new churches in Georgia by December of this year. We feel that Atlanta Unity is truly blessed as we continue to expand and grow through Spirit."

Unity Church of Christianity in Atlanta has instituted a new program as requirement for membership. Each person who desires to become a member must attend a class entitled "What Unity Teaches." The class is conducted on the first Sunday of each

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month and covers a booklet bearing the same title published by the ministry. Each lesson in the booklet is followed by appropriate questions and answers. Bob states, "The purpose of the required course is that it is only fair that all new prospective members know the teachings and the philosophy of Unity. Also as part of the requirement for membership, each one attending must turn in the home-work for each of the lessons. I feel that this should be a necessity for anyone who considers joining the church--it stabilizes the membership in Unity on the firm foundation of our beliefs."

**POMPAÑO BEACH, FLORIDA** — Unity Church of Pompano Beach, Florida, where **William Clark** serves as minister, joined with the Pompano Beach Chamber of Commerce in a Bicentennial Celebration March 6 and 7. "The Church had a booth, rented at \$40.00, at which we distributed free literature, a unique 'Maybe . . . it's time for Unity' pamphlet printed by the ministry, and Bicentennial ball point pens printed with our name, address, phone and Dial-A-Prayer number," said Bill.

Participation in the highly successful Bicentennial Celebration was part of the continuing promotional program undertaken by Unity Church of Pompano Beach.

**ST. PETERSBURG, FLORIDA** — **Paul Barrett**, minister of Unity Christ Church in St. Petersburg, Florida, recently announced the purchase of new church property complete with five acres of land, a church sanctuary building, and a secondary building for Youth Education purposes. The buildings formerly belonged to another church group.

The main sanctuary of the facility holds in excess of 400 people and two services are now being planned in order to accommodate the present congregation.

"We are grateful that we were able to purchase the facility without having to go outside our own people in order to raise the necessary funds," said Paul. "Now our long range plans tentatively include building a new sanctuary on the existing property and converting the present sanctuary building into an all-purpose activity center. We believe that our newly acquired church home, along with the magnificent new building of First Unity

Church, is indicative that Unity is on the move in St. Petersburg. Both congregations conducted their first services in their new facilities on the same date."

The first Sunday Service in the new building was April 4.

**WEST PALM BEACH, FLORIDA** — Unity of the Palm Beaches in West Palm Beach, Florida, served by **Hal and Lassie Rosencrans** and **Harry Young**, ministers, recently hosted **Bernard Haldane** for two workshops emphasizing job skills and ambitions. Over 140 persons attended the two well-publicized workshops.

Unity of the Palm Beaches conducted a highly effective promotional program in announcing Haldane's workshops. As a result, while in Palm Beach, Haldane was a guest on a radio talk show, a visitor at three service club luncheons, attended a breakfast meeting with executives, spoke to a college group, and was the subject for a feature article in a local newspaper.



**Kay Arndt** reporting for the NORTH-WEST REGION:

**SPOKANE, WASHINGTON** — Five married Unity couples recently received 36 hours of intensive training as Marriage Enrichment Group facilitators at Unity Church in Spokane under the supervision of **Dr. Sterling K. Gerber**, Department of Applied Psychology, Eastern Washington State College.

The facilitators serve in helping married couples discover simple communications skills. Problem-solving, psychological techniques of increasing self-awareness, bettering interpersonal relationships, and methods of coping with change are also developed.

Each set of facilitators will work for 8 week periods with 4 couples desiring marriage enrichment. All couples are placed in the Marriage Enrichment Groups through the recommendation of the minister, **David McClure**.



**James C. Lewis** reporting for the SOUTH CENTRAL REGION:

**INDEPENDENCE, MISSOURI** — Unity Center of Truth in Independence, Missouri, served by ministers **George and Marilyn Rieger**, has developed a system for recruiting Sunday School teachers

willingly and easily and that in no way taxes any one teacher. The system was explained by Marilyn who said, "At 9:30 a.m. we use the AUC materials and have classes for Nursery, Grades 1 & 2; 3 & 4; 5 & 6; and teenagers.

"On each level there are two teachers who share the responsibility for the class. We are using a 'staggered' system--one teacher teaches the first month, and the other the following month. Each teacher has one month on, one month off. If there is need for a substitute, the 'off' teacher can be counted on to fill in. We realize our teachers love to teach, but they appreciate having time off, too. This system allows them to do both!

"At 11:00 our program is different, since about half of the children attend the 9:30 session as well. We have a nursery class, Junior Church, Uniteens, and Y.O.U. The nursery class and Uniteens have two teachers each and operate on the same 'staggered' system as explained above. For Junior Church, we have eight teams of teachers who teach one Sunday every two months. We are using the 'Secrets Program' of Dr. Maxwell Maltz and spend one month on a Secret. Each Sunday the children learn a Bible verse and affirmation which pertain to the Secret under study and then do a related craft project to reinforce the Secret.

"Monthly teachers' meetings are scheduled one week before the end of the month so that next month's teaching assignments and lessons may be carefully planned in advance. This program has been enthusiastically received by the children and teachers. In this way, no teacher has to miss more than one Sunday service every two months. We provide a tape of the Sunday message for those teachers desiring to have one. We have found it is easier to recruit teachers for this type of commitment than for an every-week commitment."



## IN MEMORIAM

**Della Ruth Stockdale**, a licensed teacher, made her transition on March 20, 1976.

Ruth served Unity Society of Practical Christianity (Unity on the Plaza) in Kansas City, Missouri, in many capacities during the past 21 years. We know each member of the AUC joins in blessing Ruth as she continues in her spiritual ongoing.



## THINKING EXPANSIVELY

with R. Scott Sherman

This column indicates not only the expansion efforts of the AUC Outreach Program led by its author in the Chicago area, but will regularly report other expansion projects by any member ministry. If you have an expansion project or idea please write:

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CHICAGO, ILLINOIS (Near North Side): Thanks to the visit of **Sig and Jane Paulson** to our new location in this lovely part of Chicago, a new ministry has begun regular Sunday meetings. "Unity Church of Chicago" is located at the Ambassador Hotel, 1300 N. State Street, and has been greeted with much enthusiasm.

During Sig and Jane's visit over 400 people joined in a seminar and Sunday afternoon service. More than 200 of these have expressed interest in regular Unity services and classes.

April activities include Palm Sunday and Easter special services, a performance by the American Conservatory Chamber Chorale, and a Sunday lesson by **Dr. Marcus Bach**, who was conducting a spiritual research seminar at another Chicago location.

I plan to serve this ministry on Sundays and on a part-time basis throughout the week as other Outreach activities permit. Present at the early activities were Unity ministers **Richard Billings, Janet Beaudry, Doris Caldwell, Joe Jones** and **Edd Dawson**.

PEORIA, ILLINOIS: A special week of guest speakers including **Randy Schmelig, Sig and Jane Paulson, Richard Billings**, and myself helped to dedicate the new Unity Church of Peoria and its recently purchased building. **David Monument**, who came on-board as minister here in mid-February, reported that nearly 200 persons attended Sig and Jane's evening lecture and meditation while groups of 60 to 70 were present at each of the other events.

David is enthusiastic about the ministry's Youth Education program. He reports over thirty young people registered in just four weeks of Y.E. classes.

PHILADELPHIA, PENNSYLVANIA: **Bill Cameron** has begun three study groups in the Bryn Mawr, Haverford areas of Pennsylvania, and near Haddonfield, New Jersey. The two Pennsylvania groups are now conducting a Sunday evening worship service at a Friends (Quaker) Meeting House in Haverford. Many of those attending have been Unity students for years and are now realizing a dream-come-true.

With evidence of growing support, Bill reports that several of the students there are now talking seriously about a full-time Unity ministry. Our love, prayers, and blessings are with our friends there and especially Bill.

## PLACEMENT

Placement occurs by virtue of the activity of Spirit in keeping with the consciousness of those concerned. The Placement Committee consists of **William L. Fischer, James Dillet Freeman**,

**Frank Giudici, Martha Giudici, J. Sig Paulson, Jane Paulson, Edward Rabel, Robert P. Sikking, Philip White** and **Ernest Wilson**. Any Unity minister who is guided to express an interest in serving in any particular ministry should make application to the Placement Committee.

LOCATION	MINISTRY
Albuquerque, N. Mex.	Christ Unity Church
Atlanta, Georgia	Unity Church of Christianity
Caracas, Venezuela, S.A.	Unity Association of Practical Christianity
Cincinnati, Ohio	Unity Temple of Truth
Culver City, Calif.	Unity Church of Culver City
Detroit, Mich.	Detroit Unity Association
Fresno, Calif.	Unity Church of Fresno
Harrisburg, Pa.	New ministry
Joplin, Mo.	Unity of Joplin
Kansas City, Mo.	Unity on the Plaza
Lakeland, Fla.	Unity Christ Church
McAllen, Texas	New ministry
New Port Richey, Fla.	Unity Truth Center
San Gabriel, Calif.	Unity Church of San Gabriel

### PLACEMENT STATUS

Open — **Robert L. Marshall** serving as interim minister. Opening for an associate minister for expansion.

New ministry established from a Study Group by **J. Vazquez Olmedo**, ordained minister who formerly served in Puerto Rico

**Robert Wasner**, former minister in Albuquerque, N. Mexico, accepted as minister.

Open

Opening for an associate minister — **Catherine Knight** is moving to Missouri on June 1. Her husband, **Donald**, will enter the SMRS program in September.

**Maryellen Bowe**, former associate minister in Colorado Springs, Colo., accepted as minister.

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Open — **Ernest C. Wilson** is retiring as senior minister effective May 15, 1976.

**Grace Hunt** has been accepted as minister.

Open

Open — **John and Diana MacDonald** have resigned and applied for placement. **V. Stanford Hampson** is serving as interim minister.

Open — **Lee Hannaford** serving as interim minister.

# Unity



# July

## Celebration

## 15-18, 1976

Information regarding the first two days of Unity Celebration — 1976 was shared in previous issues of CONTACT. This month the program for the third day of our major assemblage in Philadelphia, Saturday, July 17, will be highlighted.

The opening activity on Saturday will be a 45 minute time of prayer which will commence at 8:30 a.m. at the Pennsylvania Ballroom of the Sheraton Hotel. The prayer activity will be led by **William Clark**, minister of Unity Church of Pompano Beach, Florida. Following a 15 minute break, those attending the Celebration will reconvene at 9:30 a.m. in the Grand Ballroom for the commencement of the morning session. **Kathryn Rowbotham**, co-minister of Unity of Roanoke Valley, Roanoke, Virginia, will serve as Chairperson. **Charles King** and **Lou Bass** will again share their musical talents in opening the morning session.

The Daily Word meditation will be led by **Doris Caldwell**, minister of South Side Unity Center of Christianity, Chicago, Illinois. Speaking on the daily theme, "Love is True Freedom," will be **Ida Bowles**, minister of Unity Center of Hempstead, New York; **Stanford Hampson**, serving as interim minister of Unity Truth Center, New Port Richey, Florida; **Mary Kupferle**, minister of Unity of Delray Beach, Florida; and **Charles Neal**, minister of Unity Center of Practical Christianity, Miami, Florida.

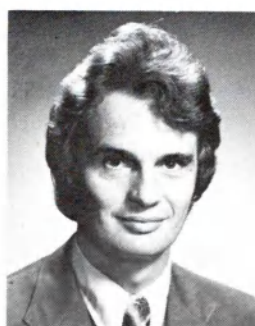
Saturday afternoon has been designated as a "Free Afternoon" and no specific programs or events are scheduled for this afternoon. This unscheduled time has been included in the Celebration program in order to allow those persons attending an opportunity to experience some of the many historic and cultural sites and activities which the city of Philadelphia is presenting during our nation's bicentennial. The Philadelphia Convention and Visitors' Bureau will have an information booth at the Celebration and a variety of brochures explaining the various activities and events will be available. The booth will be staffed by members of the Bureau who will be pleased to answer your questions regarding Philadelphia.

**Charles King** and **Lou Bass** will introduce the evening session with music at 7:00 p.m. **Wildorf E. Goodison-Orr**, minister of Unity of Jamaica, West Indies, will serve as Chairperson for the evening session which is entitled "An Evening With James Dillet Freeman." During the evening session, **Jim** will share selections from his inspirational writings as well as share with those attending the Celebration the special consciousness of Truth that is James Dillet Freeman.

In the next issue of our Association's monthly newsletter the Celebration program for Sunday, July 18, will be highlighted.



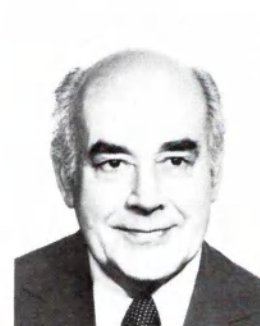
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Morning Session



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Speaker  
Morning Session



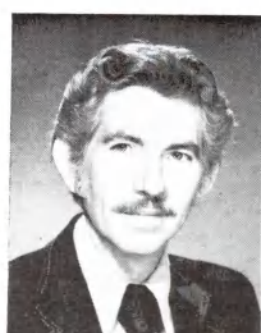
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Speaker  
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**Kathryn Rowbotham**  
Chairperson  
Morning Session



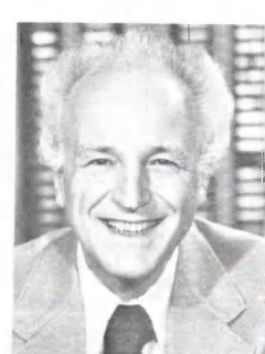
**William Clark**  
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Morning Session



**Doris Caldwell**  
Meditation  
Morning Session



**W. E. Goodison-Orr**  
Chairperson  
Evening Session



**James D. Freeman**  
Speaker  
Evening Session



## PERSON TO PERSON

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A number of years ago, it became advisable for the AUC to employ a new firm of certified public accountants to deal with the AUC annual audit and to supervise the fiscal matters of our organization. At that time, we made personal contact with several firms who might be able to assist us in the area. We finally settled on **Baird, Kurtz, and Dobson** who have been of tremendous assistance not only in our annual audit, but in aiding us to function in a sound, appropriate, and efficient way.

I was very impressed at the time with the very evident sense of ethical propriety in which each of these representatives discussed or referred to our previous auditors. Obviously, among members of the accounting world, there is a very fine sense of ethical respect in which they hold one another. I suppose that they run the risk of inadvertently being supportive of a fellow accountant who may be a "rascal," but they seem to feel

that it is a calculated risk worth taking.

Last year, our AUC Board of Trustees felt that we could be better served to have legal representation from a larger, more diversified legal firm. At that time, I served the Board of Trustees by interviewing several attorneys representing the major firms in Kansas City. Shortly thereafter, on behalf of the Board of Trustees, the Executive Committee hired the firm of **Linde, Thompson, Fairchild, Langworthy, and Kohn**. Once again, I was very impressed with the almost absolute sense of integrity that attorneys hold one for the other. The need on the part of each of the attorneys to whom we talked to be ethical in their discussions with us, in relationship to our previous attorney, was clearly evident.

I suppose that in the legal profession there are, from time to time, individual attorneys who do not uphold the standards of that profession. Still, you would never imagine that is the case when you seek to discuss one attorney with another. I feel certain that this sense of ethical responsibility as unquestioning loyalty to fellow members of the bar is of tremendous strength to the profession as a whole. Members of the bar seem to feel that to the public they have a responsibility to ethically support one another and to have confidence in their organization to adequately deal with infractions

of their ethics or standards. Consequently, the majority of the rest of the world holds the legal profession in a spirit of awe, certainly in a spirit of esteem.

All of us are familiar with the rigid ethics in the medical profession. I'm happy to report that I haven't recently had the need to have any conversations with doctors, but I am well aware of the strict code of ethics that exists within the medical profession.

From time to time, fellow ministers function inappropriately. From time to time, we find "rascals" who, because of their own personal need and limitation of consciousness, do not function within keeping of the highest and best standards that all of us aspire to. The proportion of rogues among Unity ministers must really be infinitesimal. The vast majority of Unity ministers function in a totally ethical, honest, sincere, committed, and dedicated way. I suppose that in our profession, we could take the calculated risk of making it a matter of practice to hold every other minister in a spirit of esteem and be ethically bound to not speak ill of a colleague to another. We might be supportive of the rare rogue in our Movement, but stop and think of how supportive we'll be of the wonderful, beautiful, dedicated people that make ours the greatest profession on earth.

## SCHOOL FOR MINISTERIAL AND RELIGIOUS STUDIES



Four members of the second-year class in SMRS are: (seated, left to right) Mary Beth Olson and Carolyn Pryor. (Standing, left to right) James Rosemergy and Jim Peterson.

**Mary Beth Olson** is from Denver, Colorado. She attended Unity Church of Denver serving in various volunteer and salaried positions. Receiving her voice training at the Lamont School of Music and the University of Denver, Mary Beth had a very successful 30

year career as a professional singer. Prior to entering SMRS Mary Beth served the Denver ministry on a full-time basis as Teacher-Counselor. She and her husband, **Jack**, have three children.

**Carolyn Pryor**, a native of Mississippi, came to Unity Village from Tennessee where she was on the teaching staff of Memphis State University. A graduate of Mississippi State College, Columbus, Carolyn received her Bachelor of Fine Arts degree in Art. Prior to entering SMRS, Carolyn was an active member of Unity Center of Memphis, Tennessee, and also served as chairperson for area conferences regarding metaphysical subjects. She is single.

**James Rosemergy** entered SMRS following a tour of duty as an officer in the U.S. Navy. A graduate of Old Dominion College in Norfolk, Virginia, where he received a Bachelor of Science degree in Chemistry, he was a high school science teacher before entering military service. Jim is also a professional tennis player and while a SMRS student serves as the tennis pro at an area racquet club. Jim and his wife, **Nancy**, have a pre-school age son.

**Jim Peterson** is from Oregon, where he attended both Unity Truth Chapel, Eugene, and Unity Center of Medford. He served both ministries as a member of their respective Boards of Directors. Jim has also served as Sunday School Superintendent and Y.O.U. Sponsor. Prior to entering the ministry, Jim served in a managerial position for an internationally known manufacturing corporation. Jim and his wife, **Gayle**, have two teenage children.

## SMRS CURRICULUM

The Summer Trimester of SMRS begins May 3 and ends August 13, 1976. First year students are scheduled for the following courses (instructor): Counseling I (**Frank Giudici**); Understanding The Bible (**Frank Giudici**); Life of Prayer (**Margaret Conn**); Speech I (**William L. Fischer**); Sermon On The Mount (**Martha Giudici**); and Truth Discussion Group (**Martha Giudici** and **William L. Fischer**).

The Curriculum for second year students is: Creative Writing (**Pat Boston**); Teaching Methods (**Martha Giudici**); Speech II (**William L. Fischer**); Bible Interpretation (**Ed Rabel**); The Prophets (**Philip White**); and Counseling Workshop (**Frank Giudici**).

Both SMRS classes are scheduled for: Student Chapel Service; Silent Unity Healing Meeting; Silent Unity Workshop (**Robert P. Sikking**); and Integrative Seminar.

## Y.O.U./Y.A.U. REPORTS . . . by John Strickland

**Youth of Unity Report** — Y.O.U. Conference will be upon us shortly. If your active Y.O.U. Chapter has not received a Conference registration packet, it should in the very near future. Please work with your Y.O.U.ers to make sure all forms are filled out correctly. If a form is not completed properly it will be necessary to return such form. Please note: **The minister's signature is required.**

**Important Dates:** Conference registrations are due on June 14. Substitutions (for delegates who cancel) can be made no later than July 16. Conference closing date is Aug. 2. All registrations which were returned for incomplete information and extra quota assignments which are received after Aug. 2 will not be accepted.

Friends, Y.O.U. Regional Rallies are being held from April through June. I encourage you to find out what is being done at these rallies. If you have any questions about the rallies, please contact your Regional Coordinator first. For questions relating to Y.O.U. Conference '76 contact me. Please note: Last year some chapters were not able to send delegates to Conference because they did not receive registration information early enough. If you feel that you have not received all the information you were supposed to, please call me (John Strickland — 816-524-7414). Thank you.

**Young Adults of Unity Report** — After attending the Young Adults retreat at Waldenwoods, Michigan, sponsored by the Royal Oak YA, I have a much greater awareness and appreciation of just how important such events are. In January the Young Adults Research Committee came up with the idea of regional YA Retreats. Other than the Waldenwoods retreat, no others have progressed past the investigation stage. We did not ask our ministers to take the responsibility for these retreats. I would encourage the ministers, however, to become actively supportive of our YA groups.

At Waldenwoods I discovered that, although we have few organized YA Chapters, those that are organized are very active in their ministries and in their communities. Please share any experiences that you have had with the Young Adults in your ministry.

Finally, I want to say thank you to the Royal Oak YA and the Royal Oak ministry. This organization was also responsible for the Young Adult retreat at Unity Village last summer, as well as the March retreat in Michigan. I would like to encourage other YA groups in ministries to consider sponsoring a Young Adult retreat.

## SPIRIT OF '76 . . . . . by Suzanne Cameron

Dining in Philadelphia during Unity Celebration — 1976 may become a problem, simply because there are now so many fine restaurants from which to choose! Whether your idea of a good meal is stopping to buy the inimitable Philadelphia soft pretzel for 15¢ from a sidewalk vendor or dining at one of the best French restaurants in the country, **Le Bec Fin** for \$35 a person, the city has something for you!

Historians will love to sample some of the famous foods originating in this area such as scrapple, sticky buns and Pennsylvania Dutch sweets and sours, and vegetarians will find several restaurants, including **La Bonne Soupe**, **La Diet**, and the **Pub Tiki**, which specialize in omlettes, soups, salads, and vegetable platters. These are all within a three-block radius of Celebration headquarters, and have menu price ranges of between \$1.95 and \$4.95.

The three Celebration hotels, themselves, will be able to serve quick and satisfying meals. **The Sheraton Hotel** features the **Minute Chef** coffee shop, and two finer restaurants, **The Cheshire Cheese** and **The Italian Wine Cellar**, where lunch prices average \$2.50 to \$6.00 and dinner prices from \$5.00 to \$11.00. **The Pavilion** room serves an international buffet breakfast for \$3.25 and lunch for \$3.95. **Finnegan's** serves a "Soup and Salad" buffet for \$2.40.

**The Holiday Inn** contains the **Arcade** coffee shop for quick service, and **The Tapestry Room** where buffet lunches are \$4.75 and dinner entrees range from \$5.50 to \$9.95. **The Bull and Bear** has a seafood and oyster bar with prices starting at \$3.00.

Within walking distance are **Stouffer's** and **The Magic Pan**. **Stouffer's** is just two blocks away, and entree's ranging from \$3.95 to \$8.75 with considerably less expensive "Specials" of the day are in keeping with its famous name. **The Magic Pan** is called the "Kingdom of the Crepe," and for under \$5.00 for dinner and \$3.00 for lunch, you can enjoy a delicious meal in a quiet, attractive setting.

Dining at the **Benjamin Franklin Hotel** will have its advantages as it is the closest of the hotels to the Independence Park and Society Hill areas. The hotel itself offers the inexpensively-priced **Colonial** coffee shop, as well as **The Kite and Key Room**, whose menu prices range from \$3.00 for lunch, and from \$6.00 to \$9.00 for dinner. **Ben Franklin's Court** is a delightful garden cafe serving non-sandwich lunches from \$3.50, and tea is served in the afternoon.

You will not want to miss **Bookbinder's Old Original** and **The Rusty Scupper**. Both border the Delaware River, specialize in seafood, and are from ten blocks to a short taxi ride away. **Bookbinder's** is probably Philadelphia's most famous restaurant, dating from 1865 and featuring lobsters you can pick out of a tank. Steamer clams are \$4.25 and bluefish \$7.95, and other entrees more expensive. Less expensive is **The Rusty Scupper**, with dinners averaging from \$4.95 to \$7.95.

Except for **Le Bec Fin**, all restaurants mentioned in this article accept major credit cards. Prices are subject to change, but those registered for the Celebration will be provided with a timely Restaurant Guide in July from the Tourist and Convention Bureau.

Cafeterias and sandwich shops abound in the city of Philadelphia, and as you can see, you are not about to "go hungry" at Unity Celebration — 1976, especially spiritually, and certainly not physically. Hurry and make your reservations, and . . . **Bon Appetit!**



## JUNE BIRTHDAYS

We know that each member of the Association of Unity Churches joins us in extending thoughts of love, appreciation, and blessing to our fellow members who have birthdays in June.

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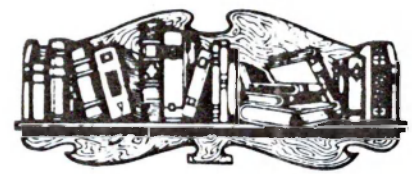
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R. Scott Sherman  
Thomas Skalitzy  
Norman Tarbox
- 5 Robert L. Marshall  
Maxine Ference  
Gerald Taylor
- 6 David Monument  
Harriet Nicholls  
Ruth Reid  
Adrienne Thomas\*
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Vivian Lockhart  
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- 23 Mauritz Erhard  
Elaine Fry
- 24 Katharine Bosworth†
- 25 Bernice Biggers  
Wilbert Crawford  
Martha Giudici  
Joe Stover
- 26 John MacDonald
- 27 Donald Clark\*  
Edward Jennings  
Helen Stiegler
- 29 Rose Emery†  
Mary Beth Olson\*

† Minister Emeritus

\* SMRS Student Minister



## Book Rack

Included with each copy of this issue of CONTACT being mailed to ministry leaders is a complimentary edition of **Charles Roth's** latest publication **A Twelve Power Meditation Exercise**. Our AUC Book Review Committee highly recommends this 60-page booklet (5 1/4" X 8 1/4" format). The Committee's review states "A Twelve Power Meditation Exercise is more than a meditation exercise. It is an excellent teaching tool and a natural corollary to Charles Fillmore's book The Twelve Powers of Man, in that it brings in much useful information and substantiation of the concepts set forth by Charles Fillmore. Since there are many useful present-day examples brought in, it would aid ministers in successfully presenting a study of the Twelve Powers.

"On page 1 the author states, 'The object of this series of lessons will be to familiarize ourselves with the function, character, and location of these twelve disciple-faculties; and then, in meditation, seek to quicken them spiritually so that they may more capably serve the spiritual Self of you, your indwelling Christ.'

"The meditation exercises presented can be used as a group meditation in class and then continued individually at home. As stated on page 9, 'Most methods or techniques of meditation do not involve nor are they concerned with the physical body . . . The genius of Charles Fillmore shows through in his original and unique concept of bringing the physical body into the actual meditation experience! Meditation involves the whole person: Spirit, mind, and body!' In the meditations, Charles Roth brings in the whole person---Spirit, mind, and body.

"The author presents difficult concepts in easy, understandable terms. This booklet very definitely is an aid to all persons on a spiritual quest."

Published by Unity of Indianapolis, A Twelve Power Meditation Exercise is priced to retail at \$1.00 and may be ordered by AUC member ministries at a special price of 75¢ each. Address your orders directly to Unity of Indianapolis, 907 N. Delaware St., Indianapolis, IN 46202.

## ASSOCIATION OF UNITY CHURCHES

### Statement of General Fund Operations

Twelve Months Ended 3/31/76

	March	Year to Date
<b>INCOME—OPERATIONS:</b>		
General Love Offering	\$28,690.11	\$336,040.93
Education Dept. Love Offering	(2,804.61)	6,260.93
Other Income	1,806.38	30,830.35
	27,691.88	373,132.21
Less: Tithe Transfer	2,869.02	33,604.09
Gross Profit Materials	(4,507.42)	26,766.07
Total Income	20,315.44	366,294.19
<b>EXPENSES—OPERATIONS:</b>		
General Office	26,620.92	282,098.11
Education Dept.	9,536.53	110,803.07
Total Expenses	36,157.45	392,901.18
<b>INCOME OVER (UNDER) EXPENSES:</b>	<u>\$ (15,842.01)</u>	<u>\$ (26,606.99)</u>

## WHO'S WHO IN AUC

The AUC is privileged and proud to have seven outstanding Unity ministers serving as Regional Representatives on our Board of Trustees. Each Representative has accepted in a most loving and dedicated manner the responsibilities of such position. This month we are pleased to honor two of these ministers.



**Charles Korfhage**  
Northern California Region

**Charles Korfhage** serves as associate minister at Christ Unity Church in Sacramento, California. Prior to accepting this position in 1972, Charles served ministries in Asbury Park, N.J., and Louisville, Ky. He received ordination in 1959 upon completion of the Ministerial Training School.

Charles became a member of Unity as a teenager when his family joined the Unity Society of Practical Christianity in Kansas City, Missouri. Active in the Youth of Unity, he served as President of both the local chapter and the International Y.O.U. Upon graduation from Junior College Charles went to work in the Silent Unity Department of Unity School which at that time was located in downtown Kansas City. He later entered the business world.

We bless Charles and his wife, **Fern**, for their dedication to Truth.



**C. Berton Coffey**  
Southwest Region

**C. Berton Coffey** is minister of Unity Truth Church, Vista, California. His wife, **Eva**, also serves at Vista as associate minister.

Before entering the ministry, Bert was a Certified Public Accountant in Canada. Ordained in 1964, Bert's ministerial career includes serving ministries in New York City, Flushing, and Huntington, N.Y.

Later Bert and Eva led the Unity work in Trinidad and maintained close contacts with Unity groups in South America and the Caribbean Islands.

Immediately preceding his acceptance of the leadership in Vista, Bert served in the Silent Unity Telephone Prayer Room and often visited Unity groups throughout the world.

We bless Bert and Eva as they continue to share with others their special understanding of Truth.

## Clearinghouse

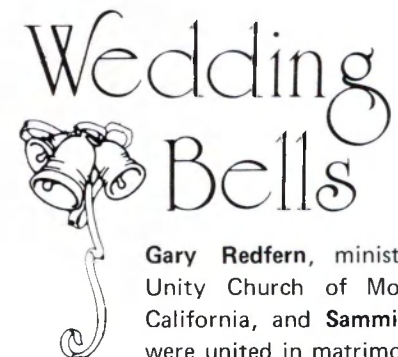
**Request — Gerald Melin**, first-year student at Unity's School for Ministerial and Religious Studies, would like to obtain a copy of the out-of-print book, *Prosperity's Ten Commandments* by Georgiana Tree West. You may address your response to Jerry in care of SMRS, Association of Unity Churches, Unity Village, Missouri 64065.

**Request — Thomas E. Witherspoon**, a second-year SMRS student, is in the midst of research on a book entitled: "Myrtle Fillmore: The Heart of Unity." This biography of Unity's co-founder has been authorized by Unity School and should be ready for publication in 1977. Anyone having human interest anecdotes, documents, letters, or information about Myrtle Fillmore is invited to submit same to Tom at 4015 S. Leslie St., Independence, Mo. 64055.

## YEARBOOK SUPPLEMENT

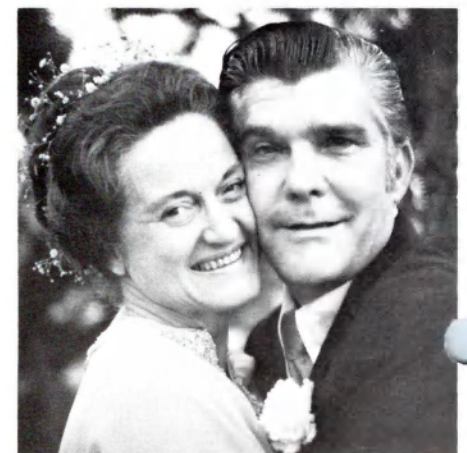
The information below is presented in order that you may update your copy of the 1976 Yearbook.

Page	Item
34	Change location address of Unity Christ Church, St. Petersburg, Florida, to <b>4200 Fifth Avenue, South, 33711</b> .
55	Change location address of Unity Church of Truth, Canton, Ohio, to <b>4016 Wales Avenue, NW, Massillon, Ohio 44646</b> .
64	Change location address of Unity of Roanoke Valley, Roanoke, Virginia, to <b>2843 Electric Road, 24018</b> , and add <b>P.O. Box 4725</b> as the mailing address.



**Gary Redfern**, minister of Unity Church of Modesto, California, and **Sammie Bell** were united in matrimony on February 21, 1976. The ceremony was conducted in San Luis Obispo. Our best wishes go forth to Gary and Sammie.

**Harry Newman**, minister of Unity Christ Church in Ventura, California, and **Elinor Dahl** of Poway, California, were married in a Valentine's Day wedding ceremony performed in Vista by **C. Berton Coffey**. Our blessings also flow forth to Harry and Elinor.



**Harry and Elinor Newman**



## OVERSEAS REPORT

by Foster C. McClellan

It gives me great joy to write about our Unity friends in France, but always when I think about our French work I find myself also thinking about our French-speaking friends in Canada. They are so closely related, so interdependent, that any report on our work in France would have to embrace both countries.

Unity in the French language is based almost entirely on the Daily Word, or as it is called, La Parole Quotidienne. Galley proofs in English are sent from Unity School every month to our good friend, **Mme Jeanne Denis**, who lives in Evian-Les-Bains, a town on the French shore of the Lake of Geneva. Mme Denis completes the translation and sends it to Astra Publications or Editions Astra, 10 Rue Rochambeau in Paris, for printing and distribution to 6,000 subscribers in France and 1,450 subscribers in Canada.

Mme Denis has been an enthusiastic Unity student for many years. It is not easy to translate Daily Word into French and still retain both the spirit and the meaning of the original, but Mme Denis is able to make this conversion into flawless French. She began this work with the December issue of 1954, twenty-two years ago, and has never missed an issue. She loves her work with Daily Word and she is a living proof of the Truth it contains.



**La Parole Quotidienne  
(Daily Word in French)**

Much of the credit for the success of the Daily Word in France can be attributed directly to her. Unity School will always be grateful for our long association with Mme Denis.

Astra Publication, which is a publishing work and a book shop in the heart of downtown Paris, is in the very capable hands of **Mme Jacqueline Rizzi** and her husband, **Marco**. This is a family work which Jacqueline Rizzi took over from her parents who had first started the work with Mme Denis. Astra Publications is solely devoted to publishing metaphysical works. Much of the effort of the Rizzis goes into the publication and distribution of Daily Word. They are a wonderful young couple.

Every month Mme Rizzi sends 1,450 Daily Words in French directly to **Gertrude** and **Philippe Bertrand** for distribution to Canada. Gertrude and Philippe work at Unity School but spend some of their evenings and weekends addressing en-

velopes and mailing La Parole Quotidienne to Canada.

This work was started by Gertrude in 1955 in Canada. In 1963 Philippe and Gertrude met and in 1966 were married and moved to Unity School. Today they are writing and distributing a newsletter and corresponding with Unity friends in the Pro Province of Quebec.

Philippe and Gertrude tell me that they have over 350 Roman Catholic sisters and priests who take La Parole Quotidienne regularly. Mother Superiors have told them that in their convents in Quebec they start the day with La Parole Quotidienne. This is truly a work of love done by the Bertrands who quietly, modestly, and humbly conduct this work in their home.

Unity School, as I know every member of the AUC is, is grateful to all these wonderful people, and all of us are proud to be co-workers with them in this ministry of helping people everywhere through the word of Truth. I am particularly grateful for this opportunity to salute our French-speaking friends in this manner as well as all the readers of CONTACT.

## OMAHA YOUTH ORCHESTRA PERFORMS AT UNITY VILLAGE

The **Omaha Metropolitan Area Youth Orchestra** presented an afternoon concert in the Activities Center at Unity School of Christianity, Unity Village, Missouri, on March 14. The performance by the seventy-member orchestra included works by Dvorak, Franz Schubert, Richard Wagner, Samuel Barber, and Tchaikovsky. The program was open to the public and admission was free.

The Omaha youth orchestra is comprised of junior and senior high school students from throughout the Omaha Metropolitan Area. Orchestra members are selected from auditions which are held annually. The Omaha group was hosted by the Kansas City Youth Symphony.

A spokesman for the Kansas City Symphony stated, "The Omaha young people are very excited about performing here and we are most grateful to Unity School of Christianity for providing the beautiful facilities for the concert."

**Mr. Eugene Badgett**, Assistant Conductor, conducted the orchestra during the Unity Village concert. Mr. Badgett is Assistant Professor of Music at the University of Nebraska at Omaha.

## Idea Exchange

Unity Center of Cleveland, Ohio, has shared an idea which the ministry used very effectively in their facility expansion program. **George and Winifred Hausmann**, ministers of this Ohio ministry commented, "We had sheets printed showing an architect's drawing of the proposed building and a prayer which all would use (see reproduction below). We also incorporated the prayer in our Sunday service, as a part of the meditation each

Sunday. It was printed in our monthly program.

"Apparently it worked! We now have two church homes, approximately 15 miles apart. We have moved into a 6,000 square foot building in Cleveland Heights, and, at the end of the current ski season (April 1), assumed ownership of a ski lodge and five acres in Chesterland.

"We found that enlisting all of the members and friends in the project really poured some prayer power into it. It did something that the ministers and board of trustees had been unable to accomplish up to that time."



**Through the Will and the Work of the Father Within,  
Our Perfect Right Church Home Manifests Easily and in Divine Order.**

## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

1976

- May 4-6 Northern California Regional Conference, Tiburon, California, hosted by Unity Church of Truth, San Mateo, Calif.
- May 5 Post Graduate Program on "Twelve Powers of Man," San Mateo, Calif.
- May 14 Northern California Regional Youth of Unity Rally, Sacramento, Calif., hosted by Unity Church of the Oaks
- May 22 South Central Sub-Regional Board/Minister meeting, hosted by Unity Church of Wichita, Kansas
- May 22-28 Maytime Retreat, Unity Village, Mo.
- June 5-11 Rose Festival Retreat, Unity Village, Mo.
- † June 19 Great Lakes Sub-Regional Board/Minister meeting, hosted by Unity in Pontiac, Mich.
- June 19- July 2 U.I.C.E. Summer Resident Study Program—Session 2, Unity Village, Mo.
- July 3-16 U.I.C.E. Summer Resident Study Program—Session 3, Unity Village, Mo.
- † July 4-10 Eleventh Annual Spiritual Therapy Workshop, Cedar Crest College, Allentown, Pennsylvania, sponsored by Unity Center of Practical Christianity, New York, N.Y.
- July 8-9 Meetings of AUC Committees, Benjamin Franklin Hotel, Philadelphia, Pa.
- July 10 Post Graduate Program, "Public Relations II," Benjamin Franklin Hotel, Philadelphia, Pa.
- July 10-11 AUC Board of Trustees meetings, Benjamin Franklin Hotel, Philadelphia, Pa.
- July 12-14 AUC Ministers/Teachers Conference, Benjamin Franklin Hotel, Philadelphia, Pa.
- July 15-18 Unity Celebration — 1976, Sheraton Hotel, Philadelphia, Pa.
- July 17-30 U.I.C.E. Summer Resident Study Program—Session 4, Unity Village, Mo.

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Unity Celebration

July 15-18, 1976

"To Freedom  
With Love"

Philadelphia, Pa.

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July 18

Morning Worship Service, Unity Celebration — 1976, Bellevue Stratford Hotel, Philadelphia, Pa.

July 31—  
Aug. 6

Summertime Vacation Retreat, Unity Village, Mo.

Aug. 1-7

Unity Snow Mountain Ranch Retreat, hosted by Unity Church of Denver, Colo.

Aug. 9-13

14th Annual Southeast Unity Retreat, Don CeSar Hotel, St. Petersburg Beach, Fla.

Aug. 15-21

YOU Conference, Unity Village, Mo.

Aug. 28—  
Sept. 3

Mid-Season Festival Retreat, Unity Village, Mo.

Sept. 11-17

Septemberfest Retreat, Unity Village, Mo.

Sept. 17-19

Sierra Retreat, Tahoe Racquet Club, Incline, Nevada, sponsored by Unity Ministry of Reno

Sept. 19-22

Great Lakes Regional Conference, Cincinnati, Ohio, jointly hosted by New Thought Unity Center and Unity Temple of Truth

Sept. 22

Post Graduate Program, Cincinnati, Ohio

Sept. 25-Oct. 1

Autumn Retreat, Unity Village, Mo.

Sept. 26-30

Eastern Regional Conference, Manresa-on-Severn, Annapolis, Maryland

Sept. 28

Post Graduate Program, Annapolis, Maryland

Oct. 9-15

Harvest Festival Retreat, Unity Village, Mo.

Oct. 16-29

U.I.C.E. Summer Resident Study Program—Session 5, Unity Village, Mo.

Oct. 18-20

Southeastern Regional Conference, Tallahassee, Florida, hosted by Unity of Tallahassee

Oct. 19

Post Graduate Program, Tallahassee, Florida

Nov. 6-12

Indian Summer Retreat, Unity Village, Mo.

Nov. 20-26

Thanksgiving Retreat, Unity Village, Mo.

Dec. 21-27

Christmas Retreat, Unity Village, Mo.

† Addition  
\* Revision

## The Religious Public Relations Revolution of '76

The April issue of CONTACT briefly described the Post Graduate Course which will be presented by William

B. Dale, Public Relations Director, on Saturday, July 10, at the Benjamin Franklin Hotel in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. One of the items to be distributed to each person attending this Post Graduate Course, "Public Relations II,"

is the newly released Religious Public Relations Handbook. The manual contains thirteen chapters by authorities in their fields and covers all aspects of religious public relations at the local level. This practical guide for churches is packed with ideas and how-to-do-it information. Tools ranging from newsletters to video-cassette recordings are discussed. Techniques for releasing news, taking photos, designing displays and doing dozens of other PR jobs are recommended.

