THE LIVING CHURCH

Enon's Children Hour performs dual function

By Sue Williams
AFRO Staff Writer

It's called "The Children's Hour."

Situated in the basement of Epon Baptist Church on Edmondson Ave. and Schroeder Streets, a roomful of children, ranging in age from 4 to mid-teens, gather every week to learn about Jesus, about life and about how the one affects the other.

The idea for "The Children's Hour" grew out of a dual observation. Members of Enon noticed that community children, out of school early on Wednesday afternoons, had nothing to do. They roamed the streets, playing, waiting for their parents to come home, which was often very late in the evening.

At the same time, the members were painfully aware that their own children, those offspring of the adult Enon members, were not getting the best Sunday School education they could possibly receive. Because Enon, like many inner-city churches, draws its membership primarily from outlying neighborhoods and counties, much of the membership must drive great distances just to get to Sunday services. Unfortunately, that drive precludes the possibility of many children being brought in early for Sunday School before Sunday service, and so their growth in Christien education suffers.

To solve both the problem of the community children not having anything to do, and to minister to the member children of Enon, "The Children's Hour" was fesmulated.

In September of 1980, a small group of concerned members, headed by Sherma Platt and Betty Shelton, began the planning stages of what would become, essentially, a mid-week school.

Provisions were made for instruction in three major areas: spiritual development, intellectual growth and social enrichment.

As a curriculum was devised, the planning group began recruiting teachers from the Enon congregation. Through a church bulletin announcement, over a dozen teachers were finally recruited, who were all required to go through an intensive orientation period in order to receive an overview of the curriculum and an understanding of what the program would be all about.

The idea caught on quickly. To date, 52 children have enrolled in the program, with an average of 41 children attending weekly. They begin their program with Bible study, using material prepared by the American Baptist Conference, followed by a period where the young people are given intensive instruction in the doctrines and beliefs of the Baptist Church.

The portion of the program designated for intellectual growth includes activities in art, music, or some other cultural event, which may even include participation in a local, national or international event being held in the city.

One of the planners of the program explained that a very basic part of the curriculum is the food served.

"We got the idea of feeding the children from the ministry of Jesus Himself," she said. "Throughout His work, whenever He reached out to people, He fed them.

"We thought that this feeding idea was vital...and it has become a bigger blessing than we realized."

The children themselves have reacted to the program with great enthusiasm. Despite the fact that the mid-week classes have not materialized into the community children or their families frequenting Sunday services more than unusal, the children keep coming, say planners, and their parents have begun telling other community parents to include their youngsters in the program.

Some parents have even begun attending the sessions themselves.

The single most outstanding point of the program, say planners, is that the staff has shown a remarkable degree of dedication. There are as many male as female volunteer teachers, a participation that is rare in the black church as a rule. Most of the planners are directly involved in the implementation of the program which gives everything an extra push ("of love, "says one planner) to make it work.

And the response of the program in total has been such a success that there are plans to expand it in the fall. Additional social and spiritual activities will be available for older students, and a tutorial program will be added, if all goes well.

What has happened, in essence, is that those who have much to give have decided to give it, to minister and evangelize to children who otherwise would have no feeding of the meaning of Christianity.

The pastor of Enon, the Rev. Porter Phillips, has reportedly looked into the program with quiet pride, making known his pleasure and letting it also be known that he would like to see the program expanded...into an every-day affair.

The children, it would seem, would have absolutely no problems with that idea, either. As one young lady put it, "I like this place. I learn a lot of stuff."

KIA BAPTIST has been attending the Children's Hour at Enon Baptist since it first started in

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March. She is shown cutting out a cross following the Bible study period last week.

The children speak.....

Bernard Gaither
Age 10

Every Wednesday at 4 p.m. I attend the Children's Hour at Enon Baptist Church on Edmondson Ave. and Schroeder Street.

I work from a book called "Bee Hive". In it there are Bible stories, puzzles, and lots of things to make.

We have lots of visitors. Some are: an African dancer, an eye doctor and a lady from the AFRO newspaper.

We also have a snack.

We sing the Children's Hour song "Enon Is" and we learn Bible verses.

Our Children's Hour pledge lets me know that I am free to be me.

By Vanessa Rantion

Enon is where you can learn about other people and about Jesus.

The teachers of the Children's Hour love to be around children.

We learned that Jesus died on Good Friday and arose on Easter Sunday and was born on Christmas Day and that Jesus died to save our sins.

Vanessa Rantion

The best part of Children's Hour to me is the first hour when we work. We work in little books called "The Bee Hive."

I hope that after you have read this story about Children's Hour that if you are a mother or father, you would let your children come. What do your children do on Wednesdays at 4:00 p.m.? It would be better for them to come to Children's Hour than to get in trouble because they have nothing to do.

Don't you think so?

By Cleveland Chandler

Wednesday is a special day to me.

I go to Enon Baptist Church to the Chidlren's Hour. I go there from 4 o'clock to 6 o'clock.

I am glad to go to Bible class. I think that the things I and the other children learn are important in life.

I like the food they serve, too. The food tastes delicious there.

I am glad that Mrs. Shelton started the Children's Hour. When I first came to the Children's Hour, I met new people. These people are in my Bible class now. I was glad to meet new people. I learned that God wants me to be around people.

We don't go to the bathroom during the Bible lesson because we might miss a lot of important things. Instead, we sometimes go early or go before the lesson.

A lady came to the Children's Hour to teach us about Africa and the Africans. She told us what they do. That was on interesting.

Two reporters from the AFRO-AMERICAN came. One reporter talked to us. She talked about God and her job. We prayed for another reporter in Washington, D.C. who lied about a story and lost her career.

It is important to learn about God and Jesus Christ and other people in the Bible.

I really like the Children's Children's Hour.

Cleveland Chandler

Metro church briefs

"Christian Women Determined To Life For Christ," is the theme for the 41st annual Women's Day at New Saint Mark Baptist Church, 3905 Springdale Ave.

Evangelist Eva Sapp is the 11 a.m. speaker and the Rev. Dr. Harriet M. Robinson is the 3:30 p.m. speaker. Ms. Clarice Johnson is chairperson, Ms. Jossie Steward, co-chairperson and the Rev. Allen Jones is pastor.

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The Willing Workers of St. Edward's Catholic Church, 901 Poplar Grove St., will celebrate their first anniversary on May 3. 4:30 p.m. the Rev. Maurice Blackpell is pastor.

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Ordination examination of Timothy Loftin, associate minister of Zion Hill Baptist Church will be held May 1, 7:30 p.m. at Knox Presbyterian Church, 1300 N. Eden St. The Rev. Randolph Price is pastor of Zion and the Rev. Lonnie Oliver is pastor of Knox Presbyterian.

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Spring revival services will be held at Mount Zion Baptist Church, 2000 East Belvedere Ave., April 27- May 1, 7:30 p.m. The Rev. Alfred C. D. Vaughn and the Rev. Mark A. Riddix will be the speakers.

Madison Avenue Presbyterian Church will observe Men's Day on May 3. The Rev. Reginald Daniels is pastor and Dr. Jesse McDade will be the 9:30 a.m. speaker and Al Stewart is the 11 a.m. speaker.

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Associated Catholic Charities will sponsor a luncheon and fashion show on May 2 at St. Pius Catholic Church, Edmondson Avenue and Schroeder Street. Lunch will be served at 12:00 and proceeds from the affair will be donated to needy families.

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The Anna Mae Hunter Foundation for the Blind will hold a, Founder's Day banquet 7 p.m. on May 11 at LaFountaine Bleu, 3107 Erdman Ave.

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Revival services will be held May 3-8 at Corcord Baptist Church, 5204 Liberty Heights. Services will begin at 7:30 p.m. and Dr. Samuel Austin of Brown's Memorial Baptist Church in Brooklyn, N.Y., will be the speaker. The Rev. Matthew R. Silver is pastor of Concord.

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The Commission on Christian Education of Bethel AME Church will be sponsoring Family Week 1981 International Year of The Disabled Person May 2-10 at 7:30 p.m.

The theme is Families Enabled Through Christ. There will be workshops. The Rev. John R. Bryant is pastor.

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The women of Northwood Appold United Methodist Church will sponsor a dinner on May 9, 12:00 to 6 p.m. Dinner will be served in the dinning area of the educational center at Coldspring Lane and Loch Raven Boulevard.

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Men's Day will be observed May 3 at Timothy Baptist Church, 1214 Saratoga St. Bishop Harold I. Williams will be the 11 a.m. speaker and the Rev. Vernon Dobson is the 3:30 p.m. speaker. Charles Wilson is chairman and the Rev. James L. Ball is pastor.

Morgan State has a new chaplain

The Rev. R. Douglas Force

The Rev. R. Douglas Force, former pastor of the Samaritan United Methodist Church in St. Louis, Missouri is the new director of the Morgan Christian Center at Morgan State University.

A native of Hall County, Gainesville, Ga., Rev. Force has a bachelor's degree from Talladega College, master of social work degree from the University of Georgia and a master of divinity degree from Wesley Theological Seminary.

Besides serving terms also as pastor of the John Stewart United Methodist Church in Bluefield, West Va., and at the Ames United Methodist Church in Keyser, West Va., Rev. Force has served as chaplain at Bluefield State College and has taught black history courses at Potomac State College and undergraduate and graduate courses in the School of Social Work at West Virginia University.

While at West Virginia University his responsibilities included field liaison for students in Veterans Administration placements and other health related settings; joint evaluation of student performance in field settings and development and planning with veterans administration staffs in the area of seminars and special topics for veterans administration staffs and student learning experiences.

Rev. Force's other employment includes service at the Tuskegee Veterans Administration Hospital in Alabama where he was responsible for supervising the learning experience of undergraduate social work students from Tuskegee Institute.

He also worked with the Macon County Board of Education in its follow through program. He preached his first sermon last Sunday at the 11 a.m. services at the Morgan Christian Center.

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AME ORDINATION — The 165th annual conference of the Baltimore Conference, second Episcopal District of the AME Church, was held last week at Waters AME Church on Aisquith Street. Ordination services were held for the new deacons. Shown from left are Alan Gould, Debyll Sabu Thomas, Theodore Felton, Bishop John Hurst Adams, Carolyn H. Rich, Deborah Jones and Raymond W. Compton.

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If you ask me

By Bettye Moss

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Dr. Quarles

Good news about a good neighbor — Dr. Benjamin Quarles, professor emeritus of history at Morgan State University, will be honored this month.

His Alma Mater, the University of Wisconsin, will confer the Honorary Doctor of Humane Letters degree on him on May 17. This will be the 14th honorary degree awarded him.

Note to Dr. John Toll, president of the University of Maryland: — your university has honored this famous Maryland son with an honorary degree.

Dr. Quarles is a nationally known historian and author. He has written several books, best known of which is his "The Negro in the Making of America." His first book was on Frederick Douglass.

Cuff notes: Dr. Quarles earned his undergrad degree at Shaw University, his master's and doctorate at Wisconsin.

It was a Wisconsin prof who steered Dr. Quarles into writing his dissertation on Negro history.

In addition to teaching at Morgan, Dr. Quarles was the Distinguished Professor of History of Maryland Colleges, an honor conferred on him by the board of trustees.

More cuff: Dr. Quarles and his wife, Dr. Ruth Brett, recently retired Director of Counseling Services at Morgan U., met when both were students at Shaw.

More honorees

More Morgan honors: Plans are in the making for a testimonial to honor two other Morgan stalwarts: U. Professors.

Tonight (Friday, May 1, at 7:30 p.m.,) friends salute Dr. Corinda Waters, retiring chairperson of the Department of Health, Physical Education and Recreation.

Her retirement from Morgan rounds out 43 years of state service. Previously, she was in the public schools and taught at Bowie, Coppin and University of Md.

Event is at the Forum on Primrose Ave.

June 27 is date for testimonial honoring Dr. Beryl Williams, retiring dean of the Center for Continuing Education - Community Outreach.

The affair will be at Holiday Inn. Cromwell Rd., at 7 p.m. For ticket information, contact members of the Evening Student Council and Mu Chapter, Cross Keys Fraternity at Morgan or call Louise Flamer, 444-3156.

Public school educators are on the honors list too. Dr. Rebecca E. Carroll, retiring assistant superintendent of Baltimore city schools, will be cited Sunday, May 3, at 3 p.m., at the Forum.

Proceeds of the dinner affair will go to establish a scholarship for an outstanding graduating senior in the city schools.

Faculty and staff of Patapsco Senior High will honor their retiring principal, David S. Driver on May 21, 6 p.m., at Martin's North Point.

Looking good

Baltimore Alumnae Chapter, Delta Sigma Theta Sorority's Red and White "Charity" Ball (dinner and dancing) attracted a large crowd Friday evening at Hunt Valley Inn.

And that's good news because the sorority uses its proceeds to support a number of charities.

Looking good at the ball: Marguerite Jones Haley, who was squired by Dr. Robert Ford. (Blindness does not keep her from being active. They looked good on the dance floor, and her ball gown was most becoming.)

Also looking good: Sara Smalley, in an off-the shoulder white. Also at her table, her hubby, Eugene; and their friends, Harry and Marilyn McDonald (he's the detective, she's the teacher) and Luther and Margaret Johnson, (he's the MTA's driver, she's the social worker.)

All the ladies were attractive in white. Our other table companions were the George Judes (Vashti).

At museum

A large and enthusiastic crowd turned out Saturday evening at the Baltimore Museum of Art for the opening of the Romare Bearden exhibition.

The display, the first the museum has had featuring a black artist, continues May 24.

Out of sight was the music provided for the cocktail hour by M and M Artists, inc., a black group which specializes in classical and jazz.

Soloist was Ruby Glover, one of Baltimore's own top artists.

Dr. Walter F. Lee is founder and director of the group.

Seen in the crowd: Sarah Elias, Roland and Anethia Williams, Dr. G. James Fleming, Lena Boone, the Ernest Johnsons, Dr. and Mrs. George Musgrove;

Also, Del. Walter Dean, Jerry Lymas, the Wendell Suttons, Dr. Hilbert Stanley, Beautine and Bill Lee, Barbara Owings and art-student - son, Richy; Dr. Rebecca Carroll; Barbara Hawkins, who tells us her dancer - son will be appearing here soon; and Credella White and Armstead Jenkins, and Dr. and Mrs. I. B. Higgins and the William Mumbys.

At FCS meet

Mention of Mr. Mumby reminds us to mention that the Family and Children's Society held its 131st annual meeting Wednesday (April 22), at World Trade Center, attracted a large interracial crowd.

Outgoing president, Jereleigh Archer, who is black, received special citation. Incoming president is David Mock, son of the late Clark Mock, longtime director — The first when the present name was adopted after Family Society's Henry Watson Children's Aid merged. Present director is Paul Gezon.

Among black citizens re - elected to the board, Mr. Mumby, vice president; Genevieve Wilson, Phyllis Moore, Elizabeth Gray, who chaired the annual meeting; Judge Robert Watts, John Ferron, Joanne Anderson, Anna Hardy, Dr. Calvin Woodland, Mrs. Josephine Murray.

Rev. Wendell Phillips, Heritage Church, said the blessing.

Our other table companions were, Mrs. Mumby (Matilde); her mother, Mrs. Virgie Lawson; her cousin, Mrs. Mary Beard; Mrs. Frances Mitchell and Mrs. Juanita Morton.

A skit illuatrating problems the Society's workers encounter was performed by Plays for the Living highlighted the evening's program.

Marion Banfield, the longtime senior social worker who recently retired, was given warm applause when she was introduced. Many recognize her outstanding service.

She won more applause when she assured the audience she would not take more than ten minutes to give the closing commentary as it was 9:45 p.m. She kept the time plan.

Cuff note: Mrs. Banfield retired April 15, as Director of Family Life Education for the agency (due to health problems).

More people

Current offering at Silver Spring Md. Stage is the "Purlie". (May 1-16).

In the cast is Joan M. Thaxton, a senior at the University of Maryland, majoring in communicative arts and theatre. She is a member of Our Savior Lutheran Church, Delta Sorority, and sings on the U. of Md. Gospel Choir. She credits her musical ability to her musician - father, Fred Thaxton.

Mrs. Hermione Weaver in from a holiday in Los Angeles, where she visited relatives, son, Kenneth and wife, Marnell; and her sister, Imogene Martin.

She also had reunion with former Baltimoreans, Dr. and Mrs. Roy (Betty) Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Norris (Mary) Charlotte Perry Marshall and Dr. Granville Marshall.

Cuff note: Baltimore good neighbor confined to a Los Angeles hospital — Mrs. Cyrus Marshall (Elizabeth). Word is she is much improved.

Also hospitalized here in Baltimore, Melvin Callaman. He entered Hopkins Hospital (Nelson Room 550) on Sunday for tests.

Mrs. Josephine Brown (Walter), is happy as can be. She received word that their son, Walter Jr. (Skipper), has arrived safely in Senegal.

He is a foreign representative with a large cosmetic firm.

Sympathy to..

Remember relatives of these neighbors buried this week:

Funeral services are noon today (Friday) at Powell Funeral Home for Mrs. Mary (Mamie) Briggs Johnson, longtime resident of Monroe St.

At one time, she was a nurse at Provident Hospital. She was the daughter of the late Rev. Charles S. Briggs, longtime minister of Centennial Methodist Church.

Survivors, sister, Imogene Briggs Ross, wife of Charles Ross, the veteran Naval Academy employee.

This makes two deaths in this family in a week. A sister - in - law, Mrs. Cordelia Frances Briggs, 81, for many years a resident of McCulloh St., in west Baltimore.

She was the widow of Bernard R. Briggs whom Douglass High grads will remember as a favorite teacher.

Rites were Sunday (April 26), at Nutter Funeral Home. Survivors, daughter, Vivian N. Delaney, son - in - law, William U. Delaney, and grandson, Glenn Bernard, 16.

Funeral program carried an original verse by the grandson, entitled, "A Thought." In it he said of his grandmother, "We're remembering the joy you gave . . . the thoughtfulness you showed . . . the way you cared, the fun we shared, the love that you bestowed . . ."

More sympathy

Mrs. Anna Blanch Green Austin, 88, was eulogized April 18, at Ames Methodist Church, where she was an usher for over 40 years.

She also held membership in the National Ushers Union. Survivors, sisters, Mrs. Percy A. Clark, Mrs. Carrie G. Monig, Mrs. Catherine G. Roberts.

Funeral services for George Blackwell were held April 29, at First Baptist Church, where he was treasurer of the Male Usher Board.

He was a 30 - year employee of Bethlehem Steel Co., before his retirement in 1975.

Survivors, wife, Elizabeth Barrett Blackwell; sons, Leon and Henry Barrett, both of Baltimore; and Armstead Barrett, N.Y.

Also, sisters, Mrs. Minnie Pettiford, Baltimore; and Mrs. Maude Ragner, Roxboro, N.C.; brother, Champ Blackwell.

Thought of week

Here is a timely thought for the week, which we heard at a club meeting this week:

Is anybody happier because you passed his way?

Does anyone remember that you spoke to him today?

The day is almost over, and its toiling time is through;

Is there anyone to utter now a kindly word of you?

Can you say tonight, in parting with the day that's slipping fast,

That you helped a single brother of the many that you passed?

Is a single heart rejoicing over what you did or said;

Does the man whose hopes were fading, now with a courage look ahead?

Did you waste the day, or lose it? Was it well or sorely spent?

Did you leave a trail of kindness, or a scar of discontent?

As you close your eyes in slumber, do you think that God will say,

"You have earned one more tomorrow by the work you did today?"

John Hall

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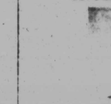

DR. SAMUEL AUSTIN
Dr. Samuel Austin is pastor of Brown's Memorial Baptist Church, Brooklyn, New York. He serves also as Lecturer and Teacher for the Congress of Christian Education for the National Baptist Convention U.S.A., Inc. He has shared the gospel with the people of Africa, Italy, China, Japan and Nassau. Though a former National Olympic Champion and National Basketball Player, his calling to serve the cause of Christ is unto the service of souls of men. We are very pleased to announce he is returning to Concord for a week of Revival service on May 4th through 8th. The service will be held nightly at 8:00 p.m.
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Mrs. Cora Lewis

Mrs. Cora Lewis attended Douglas Memorial Church

Funeral services for Mrs. Cora L. Lewis, 82, will be held today (Friday) 7:30 p.m. at Douglas Memorial Church, Lafayette and Madison Ave. The family will receive friends from 7 to 7:30 p.m.

Mrs. Lewis, of the 3300 block Liberty Heights Ave., died April 27 in St. Agnes Hospital. Mrs. Lewis was a member of Douglas Memorial Choir, the Women's Club. She was formerly employed at the Post Office, and teacher.

Mrs. Lewis is survived by a son, William L. Lewis Sr., daughter-in-law, Mrs. Rosa M. Lewis; three grandchildren and four great grandchildren.

Mrs. Lewis was the wife of A. L. Lewis who worked at the AFRO-AMERICAN Newspaper for 44 years. At the time of his retirement in 1973 Mr. Lewis, who is now confined to a nursing home was a mechanical

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