ELIJAH GROVE BAPTIST CHURCH will celebrate its fourth Appreciation Day service for its pastor, the Rev. Alfred M. Faulkner, Sunday, June 20. Guest speaker will be Leisa Tonie Ann Wagstaff, a Person County native serving as a missionary in Africa. She holds a B.A. degree from Spelman College, Atlanta, Ga., a master of divinity degree from Morehouse School of Religion at the Interdenominational Theological Center in Atlanta, and a master of arts degree from Presbyterian School of Christian Education, Richmond, Va.

She is currently completing requirements for a bachelor of development studies at the University of South Africa, Johannesburg, South Africa, where she is a mission co-worker to the Kingdom of Lesotho for the Presbyterian Church (USA). She serves as a seminar professor, Christian education consultant, and resource person. The Church Sunbeam Choir will sing, and the service will be followed by a fellowship luncheon.