Shady Grove Baptist Church to hold annual fall revival

The Annual Fall Revival of Shady Grove Baptist Church will be held the week of October 18-22, 1993, at 7:00 pm each night. The theme for this Revival is "Lift High The Cross." Guest choirs will provide music each night and a special candlelight communion service will close the Revival on Friday night. The Church Nursery will be open throughout the week.

The Reverend Dr. Marcus V. Ingram of Durham, North Carolina, is the Revival Preacher. Although blind from birth, Dr. Ingram has excelled in both academics and ministry. At six, he enrolled in the State School for the blind in Raleigh and graduated valedictorian of his high school class. He received a B.S. degree in Business Administration/Economics, magna cum laude, from North Carolina Central University in 1958. He then enrolled in Pennsylvania State University and earned both a Master's and a Ph.D. in Economics. In 1967, he accepted a scholarship from the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill and, 1971, received his second Ph.D., this time in Business Administration.

Dr. Ingram has taught on the faculties of Durham College Miles College in Birmingham, North Carolina Central in Durham, and Elizabeth City University in Elizabeth City. He was the first Director of Graduate Studies when the NCCU School of Business was formed in 1972.

Married to the former Rosetta Mercer, the Ingams have three children. He is pastor of the New Hope Baptist Church in Chatham County and has served as Moderator of New Hope Missionary Baptist Association. He has been in great demand as a preacher and as a workshop leader in the areas of Church administration, Christian leadership, and evangelism.