A program of study for all ages of the church is planned for East Green Street Baptist Church starting Sunday and continuing through Thursday, Aug. 14.

For children of nursery through the sixth grade age, the study will be along the lines of vacation Bible school, beginning at 6:15 p.m. daily and continuing through 8:15.

Young people, 8th grade through college-career ages, will study and rehearse, preparatory to presenting the Christian folk musical, "Tell It Like It Is." They will be led by Jim Temples and Marion Boling, ministers of youth and music at the church. The presentation of the musical is slated for Friday, Aug. 15, at 7:30 p.m. in the church sanctuary.

Two outstanding Biblical scholars will lead adult conferences, each beginning at 6:15 p.m. daily, Sunday through Thursday.

The leaders will be Dr. John W. Eddins Jr. and Dr. Paul Davis Early.

Dr. Eddins, professor of theology at Southeastern Baptist Seminary, will lead a study on the "Doctrine of the Holy Spirit." A native of Alabama, Dr. Eddins has served in a number of area churches as interim pastor, at differing times. A graduate of Howard College, he received his B. D. and Th. D. degrees from Southern Seminary, Louisville, Ky.

Dr. Early, pastor of Greensboro, is to lead a study on the book of James. This will deal in a practical way with the "work" aspect of Christian life. He is a graduate of Mars Hill and Wake Forest Colleges, and received the B. D., Th. M. and Th. D. degrees from Southern Seminary.

Each phase of the Family Bible Conference is open to the public.
Dr. Paul D. Early has resigned as pastor of Immanuel Baptist Church, 2452 High Point Road, to accept foreign missionary duties in the Bahama Islands. He and Mrs. Early came to Immanuel in 1959.

In recognition of the Early's 16 years service to the church, the deacons and a planning committee have scheduled a special farewell reception at 6:30 p.m. Sunday, Dec. 29.

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Hickory Daily Record
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Former R.S. Pastor Is Missionary To Bahamas

Dr. and Mrs. Paul D. Early were employed as missionary associates Dec. 10 at Tabernacle Baptist Church in Richmond, Virginia, during a meeting of the Southern Baptist Foreign Mission Board. They will be assigned to theological education in the Bahamas.

They are currently living in Greensboro, N. C., where he has been pastor of Immanuel Baptist Church and she has taught in the public schools, both since 1959.

A native of Winston-Salem, N. C., Early was graduated from Mars Hill College with the associate of arts degree and from Wake Forest College (now University in Winston-Salem) with the bachelor of arts degree in English and Greek. He received the master and doctor of theology degrees from Southern Baptist Theological Seminary, Louisville, Ky. He has also attended United States Army Chaplains School at Fort Devens, Mass., and the School of Pastoral Care at North Carolina Baptist Hospital, Winston-Salem.

He has served in United States Army as a chaplain. He has also been pastor of Main Street Baptist Church, Emporia, Va.; First Baptist (now University in Winston-Salem) with the bachelor of arts degree in history and English from Tift College, Forsyth, Ga., and the master of religious education degree from Woman’s Missionary Union Training School (now merged with Southern Seminary in Louisville, Ky.).

Their children, Paul Davis Jr., Miriam Elizabeth (Mrs. John D.) Picklesimer and Martha Leslie (Mrs. Fred L.) Rodenbeck.

Indiana and Kentucky.

The former Lena Allen of Georgia, Mrs. Early was born in Augusta and grew up in Macon. She received the bachelor of arts degree in history and English from Tift College, Forsyth, Ga., and the master of religious education degree from Woman’s Missionary Union Training School (now merged with Southern Seminary in Louisville, Ky.).
Early's Take Mission Post

By VIRTIE STRoup
Sentinel Religion Reporter

A Winston-Salem native who has been a Greensboro pastor since 1959 is beginning a new career. Dr. and Mrs. Paul D. Early have been employed as missionary associates by the Southern Baptist Convention's Foreign Mission Board.

They will be assigned to theological education in the Bahamas.

In Greensboro he is pastor of Immanuel Baptist Church and she has taught in the public schools.

Early is a graduate of Mars Hill, Wake Forest University and Southern Baptist Theological Seminary, where he earned the master and doctor of theology degrees. He also attended U. S. Army Chaplains School and the School of Pastoral Care at Baptist Hospital.

Mrs. Early is a graduate of Tift College and holds a master of religious education degree from Southern. She has taught in public school and Bible at Kentucky Baptist Hospital.

They have three grown children.
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