

Weekend Youth Revival Set At Atkinson Baptist Church

Week-end Youth Revival is being planned for Atkinson Baptist Church, beginning Friday, May 1, concluding on Sunday, May 3.

Evangelist for the series of meeting is Rev. James McBride, Pastor of Can Creek Baptist Church, Hillsborough, and student at Southeastern Baptist Theological Seminary, Wake Forest.

The schedule for the week end includes:

Friday — Evangelistic Service at 7:30 p.m. followed by a fellowship hour at the church.

Saturday — 10 a.m. until 11 a.m. Morning Meditation; 11 a.m. until 12 noon, visitation by the youth; 12 noon 'til 1 p.m., lunch to be served at the church; at 7:30 p. m. the evening evangelistic service will begin. Following the service, a social hour will be held in the church.

Sunday — Following Sunday School, the regular evangelistic service will begin at 11 a. m.; a song festival will be held at the church at 2 p.m., Training Union is slated at 7 p.m. and the concluding evangelistic service will be held at 8 p.m.

Guest Minister

Rev. McBride is a native of Pines Georges County, Maryland, living there until he was 21 years of age, when he moved to North Carolina. He was graduated in 1963 from DuVal Senior High School, Lanham, Maryland where he participated in track, football and basketball, and was a member of the Bible Club, Choir, Latin Club and Pep Club.

He attended Maryland University one year, then transferred to Mars Hill College, Mars Hill, N.C., where he graduated in 1967 with a B.A. Degree in Religion. While at Mars Hill College, he was a member of the track team where he ran the hurdles and 440-yard dash; was active in Baptist Student Union and the college choir. While attending Mars Hill College, he served as part-time



Rev. James McBride

minister, helped in leading services to veterans in the Veterans Hospital near Asheville and led services to prisoners at a prison unit there.

During the summer of 1966, he served as Youth Director at Western Avenue Baptist Church in Statesville.

After graduation from Mars Hill, he married the former Daphne Corbett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. N. C. (Ben) Corbett of Atkinson. Miss Corbett was also a student at Mars Hill College.

He has served on the staff of the North Carolina Baptist Assembly, Southport, during the summer of 1967. During 1967-69 he served as music director at the Clinchfield Baptist Church, Marion, until taking his present pastorate at Hillsborough.

The McBrides have a three-months-old son.

Public Invited

All youth of the Atkinson area and neighboring communities are invited to participate in this youth weekend revival, encouraged the pastor, Rev. W. L. Blanton.

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