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Raleigh, North Carelina

M I N U T E S

1951 - 1953

Inclusive

This is to certify that the minutes herein contained are the original and approved minutes of the First Baptist Church, in regular conference, for the years 1951 - 1953 inclusive.

This, the 18th day of February, 1954.

J. Everett Hunter, Church Clerk

First Baptist Church
Raleigh, North Carolina
January 17,1951

On account of special services on January 10th, the regular Church conference was postponed until January 17th. Due to the same special meeting the reading of the minutes for December 13th was dispensed with.

The following letters and certificates were granted:

Name	To join
Mrs.G.H.Holland	Longview Gardens Baptist Church, Raleigh, N.C.
Miss Willie Norfleet Hunter	First Baptist Church, Greensboro, N.C.
Miss Diana Dickens	First Baptist Church, Washington, D.C.
Miss Mary Ann Westbrook	Pullen Memorial Baptist Church, Raleigh, N.C.
Mrs.Judson M.Kneece	The church of her choice, Baltimore, Md.
Mr. and Mrs.John G.Bane	First Baptist Church, Durham, N.C.
Mr. and Mrs.Charles B.McCants	Pullen Memorial Baptist Church, Raleigh, N.C.

Certificates of Membership

Mrs.Layton Pettit, nee Miss Carolyn Wilson Hill	Walnut Grove Methodist Church, Spartanburg, S.C.
Mrs.Frank I.Watson	The Church of the Good Shepherd, Raleigh, N.C.

Mr.C.J.Curry, Church Treasurer had distributed mimeographed copies of his report to the membership and left copies with the Clerk for record.

Mr.R.B.Carpenter presented the budget for 1951 which was adopted as follows:

Budget Items	$	$
1. Current Expenses		40,000.00
Administrative Expenses	22,950.00	
Operating and Maintenance of Plant and Parsonage	7,350.00	
Choir Expenses	3,600.00	
Sunday School Expenses	2,000.00	
Womens' Missionary Union Expenses	800.00	
Baptist Training Union Expenses	800.00	
Fellowship Club Expenses	100.00	
Charity	1,250.00	
Contingencies	650.00	
Purchase of Equipment	500.00	
2. Home Missions		1,130.00
W.M.U.Special - Annie Armstrong Offering	1,130.00	
3. State Missions		1,160.00
Womens' Missionary Union Special	860.00	
State Missions - Direct	300.00	
4. Baptist Hospital		1,700.00
Through Pledges	1,600.00	
Special Mothers Day offering	100.00	

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January 17,1951

5. Baptist Orphanage			$ 1,900.00
Through pledges	$	1,600.00	
Special Thanksgiving offering		300.00	
6. Foreign Missions			5,035.00
W.M.U. Special - Lottie Moon Offering		2,595.00	
Foreign Missionary's salary		2,000.00	
Miscellaneous through the Sunday School		440.00	
7. Associational Missions			450.00
Contribution for salary and expense of Missionary			
8. Community Missions			2,805.00
Baptist Student Union - Meredith College		275.00	
Baptist Student Union - N.C.State College		400.00	
American Bible Society		100.00	
Miscellaneous through the Sunday School		530.00	
Miscellaneous through the W.M.U.		400.00	
Good Will Center		1,100.00	
9. Heck-Jones Memorial			1,000.00
10. Wake Forest College - Enlargement Program			3,000.00
11. Meredith College			3,000.00
Total Missions and Benevolences			21,180.00
12. Cooperative Program			18,820.00
Total Missions, Benevolences and Cooperative Program			40,000.00
Total Budget - Current Expenses, Missions, Benevolences and Cooperative Program			80,000.00
13. Payment on Bank Loan and Interest			4,800.00
Total Budget			$84,800.00
Deduct:			
Women's Missionary Union's Special Items	$5,585.00		
Baptist Hospital Special Offering	100.00		
Baptist Orphanage Special Offering	300.00		5,985.00
Balance to be paid through pledges and loose collection			$78,815.00

Note: Offerings will be taken at the special services on Mother's Day and Thanksgiving Day to afford those in attendance who do not contribute through the envelope system the opportunity to make contributions to the Baptist Hospital and the Baptist Orphanage.

First Baptist Church
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Modified Unified Budget, 1951 - Continued

Description	Detail	Total
Administrative and General Expenses:		
Pastor's Salary	$ 7,200	
Director of Education's Salary	3,300	
Office Secretary's Salary	2,400	
Youth Director's Salary	2,400	
Church Hostess Salary	1,800	
Supervisor of Nursery Salary	125	
Supply Pastor's Remuneration and Expenses	300	
Retirement Plan	160	
Pastor's Automobile Expense Allowance	300	
Director of Education Auto Expense Allowance	300	
Traveling Expenses	200	
Special Religious Services	500	
Printing and Postage	2,000	
Telephone	250	
Office Supplies and Expenses	500	
Auditor's Fee	200	
Visual Education	125	
Meredith College Bus	450	
Flowers	75	
Kitchen Supplies and Expenses	100	
Other Administrative and General Expenses	265	
Total Administrative and General Expenses		$22,950
Operation and Maintenance of Plant and Parsonage:		
Fuel	950	
Lights and Water	800	
Insurance	600	
Sexton's Salary	1,800	
Maid's Salary	1,200	
Sexton's Helpers Salaries	600	
Building Service Supplies	400	
Repairs - Church Building	200	
Repairs - Parsonage	800	
Total Operation and Maintenance		7,350
Choir Expenses:		
Director of Music Salary	2,100	
Other Salaries	900	
Music	150	
Other Choir Expenses	450	
Total Choir Expenses		3,600
Sunday School Expenses:		2,000
Women's Missionary Union Expenses:		800
Baptist Training Union Expenses:		800
Fellowship Club Expenses		100
Chairity:		
Authorized by the Board of Deacons	450	
Miscellaneous through the Sunday School	700	
Miscellaneous	100	
Total Chairty		1,250

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Raleigh, North Carolina
January 17,1951

Contingencies	650
Purchase of Equipment	500
Total Budget for Current Expenses	$40,000

Changes in the Church Roll for the month of January:

Membership as of December 31,1950----------		1,855
Received by letter----------	7	
Received by Statement----------	6	
Lost by letter and statement------	11	
Membership as of January 31,1951		1,857

The conference was adjourned to enter into prayer service.

Broadus E. Jones

Broadus E. Jones, Moderator

J. Everett Hunter

J. Everett Hunter, Church Clerk

First Baptist Church

Raleigh, N.C.

Special Called Conference

January 24, 1951

The First Baptist Church of Raleigh, North Carolina, in conference, adopted the recommendation of the committee on licensing James L. Bland, Jr. to the ministry. The recommendation is as follows:

> A committee appointed by the Chairman of the Board of Deacons and composed of Van Dawson Durrett, Herbert Weatherspoon, W.L. Wyatt, Sr., and Earl Hostetler met and considered the request of James L. Bland, Jr. to be licensed for the ministry. Mr. Bland met with the committee and related that God had called him into the ministry and that it was his intention to prepare himself fully, spiritually and scholastically so as to be a worthy servant of the Master. The committee was impressed with Mr. Bland's sincerity and qualifications for the ministry, and therefore recommends that he be licensed by this church as a minister of the gospel of Christ.

Respectfully yours,

Earl Hostetler
Wm. L. Wyatt
Van Dawson Durrett
W.H. Weatherspoon

Signed: Moderator: Rev Broadus E Jones
Clerk: Everett Hunter

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Van Dawson Durrett
W.H. Weatherspoon

Signed: Moderator: Rev Brooks E Jones.
Clerk: J. Emmett Hunter

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON COMMITTEES OF FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH FOR OFFICERS AND COMMITTEES FOR 1951.

RECOMMENDATIONS FOR
OFFICERS AND COMMITTEES FOR 1951

CHURCH OFFICERS	MEMBERS RALEIGH BAPTIST COUNCIL	TRUSTEES
J. Everett Hunter, Clerk	Robert N. Simms, Jr., Chairman	Carroll Weathers, Chairman
Orville T. Smith, Asst. Clerk	R. McIver Allen	Wade Gallant
C. J. Curry, Treasurer	Earl H. Hostetler	Dr. J. Rufus Hunter
Theron A. Upchurch, Asst. Treas.	B. Y. Tyner	William T. Joyner
Willis G. Briggs, Custodian Special Funds	Miss Annie Jones	T. B. Reynolds
R. D. Beam Assoc. Custodian	Mrs. Ira B. Mullis	H. A. Tomlinson
	Miss Ruth Provence	W. H. Weatherspoon
	N. A. Dunn	

BAPTISMS: Hugh Johnson, Chairman; W. H. Middleton, M. L. Shipman, Mrs J. P. Warren, Mrs. M. B. McCurdy, M. G. Joslin, Mrs. Robert Ponton, Miss Gladys Dewar and Mrs. W. B. Dowell.

CHOIR APPAREL: Mrs. H. J. Perry, Chairman; Mrs. Annie B. Edwards, Mrs. Ralph M. Moody and Mrs. E. B. Page.

CHURCH RECORDS: W. C. Lassiter, Chairman; J. E. Hunter and Mrs. W. B. James.

COMMUNION: Mrs. Sallie B. Bretsch and Mrs. W. S. Smethurst, Co-Chairmen; Mrs. Pembroke Baker, Miss Gladys Dewar and Mrs. C. T. Senter.

EVANGELISM: Chairman of Board of Deacons, General Supt. of Sunday School, Director of B.T.U., President of W.M.S. and Chairman of Music Committee.

FINANCE COMMITTEE: (We recommend the Chairman be elected by the Finance Committee), R. B. Carpenter, Pembroke Baker, T. W. Brewer, Charles M. Brickhouse, Dr. J. J. Combs, Clyde Eby, Jr., Mrs. Carl Goerch, L. R. Harrill, E. L. Layfield, Mrs. Ira B. Mullis, Treas. WMS, Mrs. G. H. Ferguson, Yates Parker, Guy Rawls, R. N. Simms, Jr., Mrs. E. H. Simpson, W. L. Wyatt, Yates Arledge, Van Dawson Durrett, Roy Purser, Coite H. Jones and Miss Ruth Wilson.

FLOWERS: Miss Ellen Durham, Chairman; Miss Helen Bailey, Mrs. Marshall Barber, Mrs. Wm. B. Dewar, Mrs. E. L. Layfield, Mrs. Roger Marshall, Mrs. J. R. Pointer and Mrs. C. B. Taylor.

FUNERAL MUSIC: Mrs. N. E. Davis, Director.

GREETERS: Van Dawson Durrett, Chairman; W. C. Lassiter, Henry Faucette, Robert Ponton, Yates Parker, Luther F. Yost, W. B. Dowell, W. D. Holoman, L. A. Peacock and Roy Purser.

HOUSE: Mrs. Ira B. Mullis, Chairman; Mrs. C. B. Taylor, Mrs. Royster Chamblee, Luther Yost, W. F. Morris and Mrs. Herman Senter.

LOCAL CHURCH CHARITY: Mrs. George Dowell, Chairman; Miss Florine Boone, Mrs. Josephine Adams and Miss Susan Dewar.

MUSIC: Dr. H. Royster Chamblee, Chairman; Ira Baker, Miss Nell Barker, Mrs. Herman Senter, Mrs. H. A. Wood, Miss Frances Wyatt and Robert Ponton.

PARSONAGE: Mrs. E. H. Hostetler, Chairman; Mrs. Wade Gallant and Luther Yost.

PUBLICITY: Miss Kate Matthews, Chairman; Jesse Helms, W. C. Lassiter, W. Carey Parker, Edwin Oliver, R. E. Williams and Frank Parker.

PULPIT SUPPLY: Dr. J. Henry Highsmith, Chairman; Miss Catherine Wyatt, Mrs. L. R. Harrill, Dr. L. L. Carpenter, and Rufus A. Hunter.

REPAIRS: T. W. Brewer, Chairman; Mrs. Royster Chamblee, W. F. Morris, Mrs. B. Y. Tyner, J. Everette Miller and W. H. Dietrich.

SUPPERS: Mrs. C. B. Taylor and Mrs. Ira B. Mullis, Co-Chairmen; Mrs. W. Z. Betts and Mrs. H. Royster Chamblee, Asst. Co-Chairmen. Sub-Chairmen-Flowers for Tables; Mrs. E. L. Layfield, Chairman and Mrs. W. A. Parker, Asst. Chairman. Table Setting: Mrs. Hugh McManus, Jr., Chairman and Mrs. Frank Powers, Asst. Chairman. Kitchen Help: Mrs. L. F. Yost, Chairman; Mrs. W. L. Woltz, Asst. Chairman, and Miss Florine Boone, Asst. Chairman; Serving: Miss Catherine Wyatt, Chairman; and Miss Jennie Lou Newbold, Assistant Chairman.

SUPPLIES OR PURCHASING: Zeno Martin, Chairman; Larry E. Ball, W. B. Gilbert, Edgar M. Wyatt, Robert S. Warren, and Edward P. Spivey.

USHERS: E. H. Simpson, Chairman; James L. Norris, Vice-Chairman; R. L. Rice, Mack Perry, C. B. Taylor, Jr., Tom Broughton, Guy Rawls, Jr., Larry E. Ball, G. W. Dobbin, Robert Ott, James Hamrick, H. L. Ferguson, Joe W. Garrett, John G. Bikle, M. B. Koonce, Dr. S. B. Towler, W. C. Robbins, Dan Bland, W. F. Morris, Jr., Roy B. Williams, Milton G. Joslin, Burr Patchell, Marion B. Medlin, Orville T. Smith, Herbert Barnes, Bill Fleming, Charles C. Cameron, A. M. Bonner, Henry Barrett, Dick M. Woodward.

JUNIOR USHERS: John Everett Hunter and James Bland, Co-Chairmen; Clyde Bryant, Bill Bumgardner, Kenneth Woodruff, Billy Hunter, Lee Pridgen, Ivan Joslin, Royster Chamblee, Jr.

SUNDAY SCHOOL

GENERAL SUPERINTENDENT, Henry A. Helms; Associate Superintendent, Luther F. Yost; General Secretary, Clyde Bryan; Budget Officer, T. W. Brewer; Assistant Secretary and Budget Officer, Clyde Eby, Jr.

SUNDAY SCHOOL DEPARTMENTAL OFFICERS: Adult Department: W. L. Wyatt, Jr., Superintendent; Coite H. Jones, Associate Superintendent; Young People's Dept., Miss Jennie Lou Newbold, Supt., Miss Frances Alexander, Associate Supt. and Mrs. Coite H. Jones, Pianist; Intermediate Dept., Mrs. Cooper Taylor, Supt., Miss Marjorie Joyner, Associate Supt., Junior Dept., Mrs. D. W. Merritt; Primary Dept., Mrs. Luther F. Yost, Supt., Mrs. W. Z, Betts, Associate Supt.; Beginners Dept., Miss Ellen Brewer, Supt., Mrs. J. P. Brassfield, Associate Supt.; Nursery Depts. (A) Mrs. J. L. Bland, Supt. (B) Mrs. Parke Thomas, Supt.

BAPTIST TRAINING UNION

DIRECTOR- Jennie Lou Newbold; Junior Leader-Mrs. W. O. McCorkle; Intermediate Leader-Miss Virginia Nash.

Respectfully submitted,

Dallas Holoman, Jr.

Claude F. Gaddy

L. R. Harrill

Mrs. Ralph M. Moody

Mrs. Herman Senter

Mrs. E. H. Simpson

BY: R. N. Simms, Jr.
Chairman
COMMITTEE ON COMMITTEES

This is to certify that the officers and committees named by the above committee were duly read and the recommendation accepted for the year 1951. This list is therefore the official list of officers and committees of the First Baptist Church, Raleigh, North Carolina for the year 1951.

J. Everett Hunter

J. Everett Hunter, Church Clerk

December 13,1950

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Raleigh, North Carolina
February 7,1951

The church met in regular conference and the minutes of January 17th were read and approved.

The following letters were granted:

Name	To join
Mr.Ed Spivey	First Baptist Church, Hartsville, S.C.
Mr.Charles Brewer Pickering	First Baptist Church, Monroe, N.C.

Certificate of Membership

Mr. and Mrs.Marvin Daughtry	Garner Methodist Church, Garner, N.C.

The report of the Treasurer, Mr.C.J.Curry,was distributed to the membership and copies filed with the Clerk for record.

Mr.Luther Yost brought a request from Mr.W.F.Morris that he be relieved from serving on the House Committee. Upon motion by Mr.Yost, Mr.Morris was relieved of the committee assignment and Mr.Dallas Holoman was placed on the committee for the remainder of the year.

The following recommendations were presented from the Board of Deacons and approved:

1. That the Treasurer be authorized to pay our sexton Lonnie Monroe, who is leaving us, the sum of $50.00.

2. That an expenditure not to exceed $50.00 be authorized for a gift for Miss Lucy Steele in appreciation for teaching the Book of Hebrews at our Prayer services.

3. That the Treasurer be authorized to send to the Mission Board each month, one twelfth of the annual salary of $2,000.00 for our missionary, and that if such amount is not in this fund that the difference be taken from the Cooperative Program fund.

4. That $325.00 be transferred from Contingencies to special services so that the $500.00 now in the budget can be used for the Simultaneous Revival.

Upon motion by Dr.Charles E.Maddrey and seconded by Dr.L.L.Carpenter, it was agreed that a revival should be held in our Church to begin on April 1st and continue through April 8,1951. Dr.Sankey L.Blanton, President of Crozier Theological Seminary is to do the preaching. Plans for such a revival were printed in the Church Bulletin on February 18th.

Changes in the Church roll for the month of February:

Membership as of January 31,1951	1,857
Received by letter	2
Received by statement	1
Lost by letter	4
Lost by death:	
Miss Emma Dowell	
February 12,1951	
Membership as of February 28,1951	1,855

The conference adjourned to enter into prayer service.

Broadus E.Jones, Moderator — J.Everett Hunter, Church Clerk

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Raleigh, North Carolina

February 7,1951

REVIVAL PLANS

Date - April 1 - April 8, 1951

Speaker - Dr. Sankey Blanton, president of Crozier Theological Seminary

Co-Chairmen of the Revival - Dr. Jones and Miss Ruth Provence

Committees:

1. Prayer Life - Mrs. Foy J. Farmer, Chairman; Mr. Luther Yost, Assistant

   a. Cottage Prayer Services in communities where our people are. The hostess would invite all people in her neighborhood. There would be a speaker or some other person to lead the service in each home.

   b. Prayer service in Sunday School Departments before Sunday School.

   c. Prayer service for deacons, deaconesses, and Sunday School teachers between Sunday School and church.

   d. Let people know specific people who are not Christian and have prayer especially for them.

2. Publicity - Carey Parker, Chairman (Jesse Helms, Kate Latthews, etc.)

   a. Publicity on the radio
   b. Publicity through the newspaper
   c. Publicity through and in all church organizations
   d. Good tract and attractive invitations to be sent to non-Christians

3. Visitation - Mr. Earl Hostetler, Chairman

   a. Constant visitation of prospects for six weeks prior to the revival
   b. Continue the visitation during the revival and after
   c. One night in the week prior to the revival have a supper at the church, after which all present will go out and visit.

4. Census - Mr. Henry Helms, Chairman; Mrs. Dallas Holoman, Jr., Assistant

   a. Complete census of the Sunday School and the WMU and all organizations
   b. All who are in thses groups and a census of their families

5. Speakers - Mr. Herbert Weatherspoon, Chairman

   a. For all departments and classes (adult and young people) in Sunday School at least two weeks before meeting begins.
   b. Program on the revival to be given in the adult department a month before the revival - speaker.
   c. Speakers to tell people to appeal to other people in their business and homes. Seek out the unsaved.

6. Music - Dr. H. Royster Chamblee, Chairman

   a. Use revival music (Hymns, etc.)
   b. Have one special each evening and a full choir for the services.

Lain Purposes of the Revival

a. Reach church people whose letters are elsewhere
b. Reach the unsaved
c. Reach our own people

The revival is to informal and personal
Prayers from the congregation

Prayer service before the services for 15 to 20 minutes. People who want to. Entirely voluntary.

Make people conscious of other peoples' situation. Lead our own people to dedicate themselves to Christian service.

February and March Prayer Services to be devoted to a study of soul-winning.

Services are to be held between the hours of 12 and 2 o'clock daily and at 7:30 o'clock in the evening. Services at noon will depend on the lunch hour of the majority of people. All services are to be held in the main church auditorium.

Noon service to be essentially for members of the church and to be more of a preparation for the evening service. It would last only 30 minutes, having a sing, prayer and short talk.

Possibility of lunch being served at noon each day.

CHANGES IN CHURCH ROLL FOR THE MONTH OF

JANUARY, 1951

Received by Letter

Mr. James E. Bryan
Poole Road

Mrs. James E. Bryan
Poole Road

Mr. L.N. Hutchinson, Jr.
1601 Van Dyke Ave.

Mrs. L.N. Hutchinson, Jr.
1601 Van Dyke Ave.

Mr. Buddy Hutchinson
1601 Van Dyke Ave.

Mr. Neal Hutchinson
1601 Van Dyke Ave.

Mrs. Louis P. Nipper
1011 W. Peace Street

Received by Statement

Mrs. W.A. Canady
121 Halifax St.

Mrs. Richard Coke
825 Holt Drive

Mrs. Austin L. Ross
118 Halifax St.

Mr. R.M. Stephens
P-1-A Cameron Ct. Apts.

Mrs. R.M. Stephens
P-1-A Cameron Ct. Apts.

Mrs. Sadie B. Trexler
121 N. Halifax St.

Lost by Letter

Mr. Marvin Daughtry
Mrs. Marvin (Kay B.) Daughtry
Mr. Charles Brewer Pickering
Mr. Edward P. Spivey

First Baptist Church
CORNER OF EDENTON AND SALISBURY STREETS
Raleigh, N. C.

BROADUS E. JONES
PASTOR

MRS. WALTON B. JAMES
CHURCH SECRETARY

MISS JENNIE LOU NEWBOLD
YOUTH DIRECTOR

HARRY E. COOPER
DIRECTOR OF MUSIC

MRS. EDWIN S. PRESTON
DIRECTOR OF EDUCATION

MRS. H. M. STILLEY
CHURCH HOSTESS

CHANGES IN CHURCH ROLL FOR THE MONTH OF

FEBRUARY, 1951

Received by Letter

Mr. M. A. Odom
2012½ Hillsboro St.

Mrs. M. A. Odom
2012½ Hillsboro St.

Lost by Letter

Mr. Ed Spivey
Mr. Charles Brewer Bickering
Mr. & Mrs. Marvin Daughtry

Received by Statement

Mr. F. D. Garrett, Jr.
Apt. C-2, Grosvenor Garden Apts.

Lost by Death

Miss Emma Dowell (Feb. 12, 1951)
409 Chamberlin St.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Modified Unified Budget

Year 1951

Budget Items		
1. Current Expenses		$ 40,000
Administrative Expenses	$ 22,950	
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Choir Expenses	3,600	
Sunday School Expenses	2,000	
Womens' Missionary Union Expenses	800	
Baptist Training Union Expenses	800	
Fellowship Club Expenses	100	
Charity	1,250	
Contingencies	650	
Purchase of Equipment	500	
2. Home Missions		1,130
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3. State Missions		1,160
Womens' Missionary Union Special	860	
State Missions - Direct	300	
4. Baptist Hospital		1,700
Through pledges	1,600	
Special Mothers Day offering	100	
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Contribution for Salary and Expense of Missionary		450
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12. Cooperative Program		18,820
Total Missions, Benevolences and Cooperative Program		40,000
Total Budget - Current Expenses, Missions, Benevolences and Cooperative Program		80,000
13. Payment on Bank Loan and Interest		4,800
Total Budget		$ 84,800
Deduct:		
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Baptist Hospital Special Offering	100	
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Visual Education	125	
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Kitchen Supplies and Expenses	100	
Other Administrative and General Expenses	265	
Total Administrative and General Expenses		$ 22,950
Operation and Maintenance of Plant and Parsonage:		
Fuel	950	
Lights and water	800	
Insurance	600	
Sexton's Salary	1,800	
Maid's Salary	1,200	
Sexton's Helpers Salaries	600	
Building Service Supplies	400	
Repairs - Church Building	200	
Repairs - Parsonage	800	
Total Operation and Maintenance		7,350
Choir Expenses:		
Director of Music Salary	2,100	
Other Salaries	900	
Music	150	
Other Choir Expenses	450	
Total Choir Expenses		3,600
Sunday School Expenses:		2,000
Women's Missionary Union Expenses:		800
Baptist Training Union Expenses		800
Fellowship Club Expenses		100
Charity:		
Authorized by the Board of Deacons	450	
Miscellaneous through the Sunday School	700	
Miscellaneous	100	
Total Charity		1,250
Contingencies		650
Purchase of Equipment		500
Total Budget for Current Expenses:		$ 40,000

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Raleigh, North Carolina
March 14,1951

The Church met in regular conference following regular prayer service. The minutes of February 7th conference were read and approved.

The following letters were granted:

Name	To join
Mrs.Evelyn Bynum	Emmanuel Baptist Church, Raleigh, N.C.
Miss Hartlee Baxley	The Pullen Memorial Baptist Church, Raleigh, N.C.
Mrs.James W.Reid	" " " " " " " "
Mr. and Mrs.Thomas Early	Millbrook Baptist Church, Raleigh, N.C.
Mr.Eldon M.Estep	First Baptist Church, Lenoir, N.C.

Certificate of Membership

Mrs.Glen Grover	First Presbyterian Church, Statesville, N.C.

Mimeographed copies of the Treasurer's report were distributed to the membership and copies filed with the Church Clerk for record.

The Board of Deacons recommended that an amount not to exceed $100.00 be appropriated to supply bus service to State College Students to Sunday School and to provide doughnuts and coffee before class for a trial period for the remainder of the spring semester. Upon motion by Mr.Earl Hostetler and seconded by Mr.Wm.L.Wyatt, the motion carried.

Changes in the Church roll for March:

Membership as of February 28,1951	1,855
Received by letter	9
Received by statement	4
Received by Baptism	4
Lost by letter	5
Lost by death	1

Dr.J.Rufus Hunter
March 4,1951

Membership as of March 31,1951 ---------- 1,866

We adjourned with prayer by the Pastor.

Broadus E Jones

Broadus E.Jones, Moderator

J.Everett Hunter

J.Everett Hunter, Church Clerk

Resolutions of Respect
for
Dr. J. Rufus Hunter

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NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the members of the Jones-Brewer Berean Bible Class hereby express their high regard and affection for Dr. J. Rufus Hunter and their deep appreciation and gratitude for his example of Christian living and for the constant, unselfish service he rendered to the Class, the Church, and to the denomination and its institutions and agencies; that we shall sorely miss his presence and his wise counsel; and that a copy of these resolutions be filed with the Church Clerk and a copy be sent to Mrs. Hunter.

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Hugh Johnson

W. H. Weatherspoon

CHANGES IN CHURCH ROLL FOR THE MONTH OF APRIL, 1951

Received by Letter

Mrs. J. M. Vining
301 Park Ave.

Mr. E. E. Dowell
318 Polk St.

Mrs. E. E. Dowell
318 Polk St.

Mrs. R. L. (Irene W.) Parish
D3A Cameron Court Apts.

Mr. J. P. Brassfield
1501 St. Mary's St.

Mrs. J. R. Oliver
108 N. McDowell St.

Mrs. J. F. Bradshaw
416 Halifax St.

Mr. D. C. Stephenson
1105 W. Lenoir St.

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Mr. Edsel Loyd
328 W. Edenton St.

Mrs. W. M.(Charlotte Koonce) Murray
R1B Cameron Court Apts.

Mr. Wendell McCullen Murray
R1B Cameron Court Apts.

Mr. John D. Eason
1710 Park Dr.

Mr. Craven B. Caudle
1403 Sycamore St.

Mrs. Craven B. Caudle
1403 Sycamore St.

Mrs. Florence M. Stokes
702 W. Morgan St.

Received by Letter (Cont'd)

Mrs. Hillmon Dickerson
Brown's Funeral Home

Received by Statement

Miss Lue H. Cobb
702 W. Morgan St.

Mr. V. C. Medlin, Jr.
Cameron Court Apts.

Lt. Jg. William L. Carpenter
3203 Ruffin St.

Mrs. William L. Carpenter
3203 Ruffin St.

Lost by Death (April 3, 1951)

Mr. James Dandridge Wilson
117 S. McDowell St.

Lost by Letter

Mrs. Dean Angell
Mr. DeVan Barbour, Jr.
Mrs. Earle L. Fincher
Mr. S. M. Fleetwood
Miss Ann Jones
Mrs. Carl A. Mills
Mrs. Z. V. Parker
Mrs. Margaret P. Waldo
Miss Kay Teague
Mr. Hubert A. Tomlinson
Mrs. Marguerite Willett Jenkins
Dr. W. L. Woltz, Jr.

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DIRECTOR OF EDUCATION

MRS. H. M. STILLEY
CHURCH HOSTESS

CHANGES IN CHURCH ROLL FOR THE MONTH OF MARCH, 1951

Received by Letter

Mr. James Anderson
Box 5906, Bagwell Dorm., State C.

Mr. Harry Barrett, Jr.
2620 Fairview Road

Miss Lucy Brassfield
121 Halifax Street

Mrs. C. V. Brooks
109 N. Boylan Ave.

Miss Eleanor Brooks
109 N. Boylan Ave.

Mr. R. B. Conyers
Andrew Johnson Hotel

Mrs. J. D. Larkins
1903 Glenwood Ave.

Miss Aileen Luther
1213 Hillsboro St.

Miss Mary Gordon Maxwell
Meredith College

Received by Statement

Mr. W. E. Ellington
2609 Glenwood Ave.

Mrs. W. E. Ellington
2609 GlenwoodAve.

Mr. Raymond Lowery
619 W. Aycock St.

Mrs. Raymond Lowery
619 W. Aycock St.

Received by Baptism (March 25, 1951)

Joseph Yates Parker, Jr.
2312 Oxford Road

Charles Taylor, Jr.
2515 Anderson Drive

Mary Mac Fowler
123 Park Ave.

Billy Sanderford
900 Wilmington Terrace

Lost by Death (March 4, 1951)

Dr. J. Rufus Hunter

Lost by Letter

Mrs. Evelyn Bynum
Miss Hartlee Baxley
Mrs. James W. Reid
Mr. & Mrs. Thomas Early
Mr. Eldon M. Estep

Raleigh, North Carolina

April 11,1951

The Church was called in Conference prior to the prayer service. The minutes of March 14th were read and approved.

The following letters were granted:

Name	To Join
Mrs.Dean Angell	Hayes Barton Baptist Church, Raleigh, N.C.
Mrs.Earl L.Fincher	First Baptist Church, Columbia, S.C.
Miss Ann Jones	West Asheville Baptist Church, West Asheville, N.C.
Mrs.Carl A.Mills	Louisburg Baptist Church, Louisburg, N.C.
Mrs.Z.V.Parker	Watts Street Baptist Church, Durham, N.C.
Miss Kay Teague	First Baptist Church, Spartanburg, S.C.
Mr.Hubert A.Tomlinson	First Baptist Church, Winston-Salem, N.C.
Mrs.Margaret Perkins Waldo	First Baptist Church, Roxboro, N.C.

CERTIFICATES OF MEMBERSHIP

Mr.DeVan Barbour,Jr.	Hayes-Barton Methodist Church, Raleigh, N.C.
Mr.S.M.Fleetwood	Trinity Presbyterian Church, Charlotte, N.C.
Mrs.Marguerite Willett Jenkins	Third Presbyterian Church, Newark, N.J.
Dr.W.L.Woltz,Jr.	The Jonesboro Heights Methodist Church, Sanford, N.C.

Mimeographed reports of the Treasurer were distributed to the membership, and copies left with the Church Clerk for record.

RECOMMENDATIONS FROM THE BOARD OF DEACONS

1. The Church Clerk was authorized to have the minutes of the Church bound. The Conference voted to spend $15.00 toward this item.

2. That a special collection be made in an effort to raise $1,500.00 for the Emanuel Baptist Church of Raleigh. Upon motion by Mrs.Foy J.Farmer and duly seconded, the Conference voted that a this special collection be made for this purpose.

3. That since Miss Lue H.Cobb has expressed a desire to become a member of the First Baptist Church, and since she is physically unable to undergo baptism, she be admitted to membership with the understanding that if at any time in the future she is able to be baptized she will do so. Upon motion by Mr.Baker and duly seconded, Miss Cobb was admitted on this condition.

Changes in the Church roll for April:

Membership as of March 31,1951	1,866
Received by letter	17
Received by statement	4
Lost by letter	12
Lost by death	1

Mr.James Dandridge Wilson
April 3,1951

Membership as of April 30,1951----------1,874

J. Everett Hunter, clerk

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Raleigh, North Carolina

April 11,1951

The Conference was adjourned to enter into prayer service.

Broadus E. Jones

Broadus E.Jones, Moderator

J. Everett Hunter

J.Everett Hunter, Church Clerk

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Raleigh, North Carolina

May 9,1951

The Church was called in regular conference prior to prayer service. The minutes of the April 11th conference were read and approved.

The following letters and certificates were granted:

Name	To Join
Dr. and Mrs.Charles E.Maddrey	Hillsboro Baptist Church, Hillsboro, N.C.
Mrs.J.T.Yarborough	First Baptist Church, Henderson, N.C.
Mr. and Mrs.Warren M.Crotch	Court Street Baptist Church, Portsmouth, Va.
Mrs.R.E.Jackson,nee Miss Anna Mann	The church of her choice, Yonkers, N.Y.
Mrs.Doris G.Esleeck	" " " " " Atlanta, Ga.
Mr.William Lynch Carpenter	Mountain Creek Baptist Church, Rutherfordton, N.C.
Mrs.Kenneth Halstead	First Baptist Church, Rocky Mount, N.C.

Certificate of Membership

Mrs.J.T.Howard	St.Michaels Episcopal Church, Raleigh, N.C.

Mimeographed copies of the Treasurer 's report were distributed for information, and copies left with the Church Clerk for record.

The Board of Deacons recommended that another $50.00 be appropriated to send CARE packages to Miss Schilling in Germany. Upon motion, the Conference voted to send the packages.

Changes in the Church Roll for the month of May:

Membership as of April 30,1951----------		1,874
Received by letter		1
Received by Baptism		6
Lost by letter	10	
Membership as of May 31,1951----------		1,871

As there was no other business, we adjourned to enter into the prayer service.

Broadus E. Jones

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CHANGES IN CHURCH ROLL FOR THE MONTH OF MAY, 1951

Received by Letter

Miss Alice Walker
5 E. Edenton St.

Received by Baptism 6

May 13, 1951

Miss Etta Jane Batts
121 S. McDowell St.

Mr. Hillman Dickerson
Brown's Funeral Home

Mrs. E. R. Loyd
328 W. Edenton St.

Mrs. V. C. Medlin, Jr.
J3B Cameron Court Apts.

Mrs. Betsy Shearin
1213 Pearce St.

Miss Martha Stephenson
1105 West Lenoir St.

Lost by Letter 10

Mr. William Lynch Carpenter
Mr. & Mrs. Warren M. Cratch
Mrs. Doris G. Esleeck
Mrs. Kenneth Halstead
Mrs. J. T. Howard
Mrs. R. E. Jackson nee Miss Anne Mann
Dr. and Mrs. Charles E. Maddry
Mr. J. T. Yarborough

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Raleigh, North Carolina

June 6,1951

The Church met in regular Conference, and the minutes for May 9th were read and approved.

The following letters were granted:

Name	To Join
Miss Nancy Burge	Union Baptist Church, Gilbert, S.C.
Mr.W.L.Head	Immanuel Baptist Church, Savannah, Ga.
Miss Evelyn Clement	The Pullen Memorial Baptist Church, Raleigh, N.C.
Mrs.O.C.Stewart,Jr.	The church of her choice, Huddleston, Va.
Mr. and Mrs.Rupert H.Rose	Bull Street Baptist Church, Savannah, Ga.

Certificates of Membership

Mr.Henry E.Craven	Northwood-Appold Methodist Church, Baltimore, Md.
Mrs.Arthur B.Codington	Central Congregational Church, Atlanta, Ga.

Recommendations From the Board of Deacons

1. That a page in the N.C.State College Year Book be purchased for 1951-1952 at a cost of $45.00. Upon motion of Mr.Earl Hostetler and seconded by Mr.Henry Helms, the motion carried.

2. That Mr.Billy Simpson be employed as Educational Director for one year, beginning August 1,1951, at a salary, including allowance for an automobile, of $3,600.00. Upon motion duly seconded, the motion for adoption was carried.

Changes in the Church Roll for June:

Membership as of May 31,1951----------1,871
Received by letter---------- 5
Lost by letter----------16
Lost by death:

Mr.R.B.Conyers
June 18,1951

Membership as of June 30,1951----------1868

The Conference adjourned for prayer service.

Broadus E Jones -
Broadus E.Jones, Moderator

J.Everett Hunter
J.Everett Hunter, Church Clerk

CHANGES IN CHURCH ROLL FOR THE MONTH OF JUNE, 1951

Received by Letter

Miss Ella Dodson
121 Halifax St.

Mr. Edwin S. Preston, Jr.
Meredith College

Mr. R. L. Penny
107 Montgomery St.

Mrs. R. L. Penny
107 Montgomery St.

Miss Jean Penny
107 Montgomery St.

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Lost by Death

R. B. Conyers (June 18, 1951)
Andrew Johnson Hotel

Lost by Letter

Mrs. Arthur Codington nee Phoebee A. Arledge cert
Mr. Rupert H. Rose
Mrs. Rupert H. Rose
Mr. Henry Craven cert.
Mr. Wm. Lloyd Head
Miss Nancy Burge
Miss Evelyn Clement

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SOUTHERN BAPTIST VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL REPORT

State N.C. P. O. Raleigh School began June 11, 1951. Association Raleigh

For a Negro or Indian or Spanish-speaking school, check the box that will show which type it was:
Negro ☐; Indian ☐; Spanish-speaking ☐

Check box to show school's location: village, under 500; town, 500 to 2,500; city, more than 2,500.
Open country ☐; village ☐; town ☐; city ☑

For a union school write name of Baptist church on church school line to left; other names here. UNION ☐

For a joint school write on church school line to left name of church where school was held; other names here. JOINT ☐

For a mission or Negro school write here the names of persons or organizations that promoted it.

Church school; write name here: First Baptist Church

Mission school; write name here:

Pastor and address Dr. Broadus E. Jones: 1547 Carr St.

S.S. Supt. and address W. A. Helms: 1065 N. Peace St.

Principal and address Mrs. Edwin D. Preston First Baptist Church Morton & Salisbury Sts

	Number
One-day pupils	
Pupils not in a S. S.	
Professions of faith	
Dedications	
Number joining a church	
College students on faculty	2
Length in days	8
Length daily: 3 hrs.; min.	
From 9:00 till 12:00	
Was Preparation Day held?	Yes
Was there a parade?	No
Cost of school	$8600
Mission offering	$22.29
To what was it given?	Camp program

ENROLMENT SUMMARY:

Only the four regular departments:

Faculty enrolment	22
Pupil enrolment	140
Total enrolment	162
Average attendance	136

DEPARTMENTS: Put "x" in box for each department held.

Beginner ☑ Intermediate ☑
Primary ☑ Nursery Dpt. ☐
Junior ☑ Nursery ☐
All together (one group) ☐

ENROLLED PUPILS WHO GO TO SUNDAY SCHOOL

Bapt.		Epis.	
Meth.		Misc.	
Pres.			
Disc.			
C. Chr.		Don't go and	
Cath.		Jews	

TEXTBOOKS: Circle letter of each book used. Before it write number of copies used.

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955
Beg.	(B)	A	B	A	B
Pri.	(B)	C	A	B	C
Jun.	(B)	C	D	A	B
Int.	(B)	C	D	A	B
Nur.	A	A	A	A	A

STANDARD: DIVISION A

Points		Points	
1	50	6	√√
2	65	7	100
3	√0	8	150
4	100	9	100
5	100	10	50

Total points 820

Grade BB

DIVISION B

Total extra points over 300

Number of items over 11

ENROLMENT: FOUR REGULAR DEPARTMENTS

	Male	Female	Faculty	Total	Average Attend.
Beginner	20	25	12	57	44
Primary	18	18	5	41	36
Junior	8	29	3	40	30
Intermediate	10	12	2	24	21
General Officers →				6	5
Totals regular departments	56	84	22	168	136

ENROLMENT: EXTRA DEPARTMENTS (IF ANY)

Nursery Dpt.					
Babies under 3					
Young People					
Adult					
Totals, all departments					

NUMBER OF ENROLLED PUPILS BY AGES

Beginner		Primary		Junior		Intermediate	
4-yr.		6-yr.		9-yr.		13-yr.	
5-yr.		7-yr.		10-yr.		14-yr.	
		8-yr.		11-yr.		15-yr.	
				12-yr.		16-yr.	
Total							

First Baptist Church
Raleigh, North Carolina
July 3, 1951

The regular monthly meeting of the Board of Deacons of the First Baptist Church was opened by Chairman Hostetler with the reading of James 1:19-27, which was followed by prayer by L. R. Harrill. There were 18 deacons and 6 deaconesses present.

Minutes of the June meeting were read and approved. The Treasurer's report was presented and attention was called to the fact that $1,452.00 had been raised for the Emanuel Church.

R. B. Carpenter, Chairman of the Finance Committee reported that letters are being sent out to boost collections during the summer months. On Mr. Carpenter's motion the Board voted unanimously to recommend to the Church Conference that the maid, Rosa Lee, be paid 50% of her salary while she is unable to work. Changes in the budget were discussed, but on the motion of W. H. Weatherspoon, action was delayed until the next meeting. Mr. Weatherspoon's motion to authorize the treasurer to pay operating expenses from any funds available, for the month of July, was also passed unanimously.

Dr. Jones informed the Board that the Edenton Street Methodist Church had invited our congregation to meet in their auditorium for the remainder of the Union Services. On the motion of R. A. Ponton the Board voted unanimously to accept the invitation.

Mrs. Farmer reported that the Sallie Bailey Jones Bible Class wished to express their approval of the men coming to Church without their coats during the hot weather.

The meeting was adjourned with prayer by the pastor.

E. H. Hostetler, Chairman

Edgar M. Wyatt, Secretary

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
RALEIGH, NORTH CAROLINA

July 4 8,1951

The Church met in regular conference preceding the regular Wednesday evening prayer service. The minutes of the June 6th conference were read and approved.

The following letters were granted:

Name	To join
Miss Jennie Lou Newbold	First Baptist Church, Elizabeth City, N.C.
Mrs.Penny Wheless	Wilkesboro Baptist Church, Wilkesboro, N.C.
Miss irginia Jones	First Baptist Church, Norfolk 7, Va.
Miss Mary Gordon Maxwell	First Baptist Church, High Point, N.C.

Certificate of Membership

Mr.Eugene Hord,Jr.	First Presbyterian Church, Raleigh, N.C.

The report of the Treasurer was distributed for information, copies of the report were filed with the Clerk for record.

A report in summary was presented from the Superintendent of the Daily Vacation Bible School, a copy of the report to become a part of the Church minutes.

Recommendations from the Board of Deacons:

1. That the maid, Rosalie, who has been out on account of illness be paid one half of her regular monthly salary for the month of July. Upon motion duly seconded, the recommendation was passed.

2. That the Church Treasurer,C.J.Curry,be authorized to take funds from any source to pay current bills for the month of July . This motion was carried.

Changes in the Church Roll for the month of July:

Membership as of June 30,1951----------1,868
Received by letter---------- 7
Received by statement---------- 5
Lost by letter---------- 5
Lost by death:

Mr.John H.Hohnson — July 2,1951
Mr.W.H.Banks — July 11,1951

Dr.Charles Lee Smith
July 14,1951

Membership as of July 31,1951----------1,874

Broadus E. Jones

Broadus E.Jones, Moderator

J. Everett Hunter

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CHANGES IN CHURCH ROLL FOR THE MONTH OF JULY, 1951

Received by Letter

Mr. Bertram A. Jones
2507 Greenway Avenue

Mrs. Bertram A. Jones
2507 Greenway Avenue

Mr. William H. Simpson
Mrs. William H. Simpson
1859 W. Smallwood Drive

Mrs. Richard S. Lee
2715 Kilgore Ave.

Mr. Harry Lee Davis
6A Wilmont Apts.

Mrs. Z. V. Parker
2100 Reaves Drive

Received by Statement

Miss Nancy Bullard
916 N. Blount St.

Mrs. Naomi Bullard
916 N. Blount St.

Mrs. Reade S. Taylor
Clayton, N. C.

Lt. Lawrence H. Harris
403 N. Wilmington Ave.

Mrs. Lawrence H. Harris
403 N. Wilmington Ave.

Lost by Death

Mr. W. H. Banks (July 11, 1951)
106 Aycock St.

Dr. Charles Lee Smith (July 14, 1951)
515 N. Wilmington St.

Mr. John H. Johnson (July 3, 1951
2515 White Oak Road

Lost by Letter

Mr. Eugene Hord, Jr.
Miss Virginia Jones
Miss Mary Gordon Maxwell
Miss Jennie Lou Newbold
Mrs. Penny Wheless

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Raleigh, North Carolina
August 8,1951

The Church met in regular Conference and the minutes of July 4th meeting were read and approved.

The following letters were granted:

Name	To Join
Miss Marjorie Joyner	First Baptist Church, Winston-Salem, N.C.
Mr. and Mrs.Louis Nipper	Calvary Baptist Church, Washington, D.C.
Mrs.Arnold Stulce	Daisy Baptist Church, Daisy, Tenn.
Miss Martha Holland	Caroleen Baptist Church, Caroleen, N.C.
Mrs.Edward G.Robinson	New Prospect Baptist Church, Hurt, Va.
William R.Harmon,Jr.	North Winston Baptist Church, Winston-Salem, N.C.

Certificate of Membership

Mr.Bryan B.Fleming	Lebanon Christian Church, Lee Hall, Va.

Mr.C.J.Curry, Church Treasurer distributed a report for information and filed copies with the Clerk for record.

Recommendations from Board of Deacons:

1. That the maid,Rosalie, who continues to be out on account of illness, be paid one half of her regular monthly salary for the month of August. Upon motion duly seconded, the recommendation was approved.

2. That the Church Treasurer, Mr.C.J.Curry, be authorized to take funds from any source to pay current bills until authorized to do otherwise. Upon motion by Mr.Henry Helms, seconded by Mr.George Dowell, the recommendation was approved.

3. That the second Sunday in September be set aside to emphasize the necessity of paying pledges, and making contributions to the Church.

4. That $40.80 be used to pay for equipment used by the soft-ball team during the summer months, with the understanding that no other purchases would be approved without first obtaining approval of the Purchasing Committee. Upon motion , duly seconded, the recommendation was approved.

Changes in the Church Roll for the month of August:

Membership as of July 31,1951----------	1,871
Lost by letter----------	8-
Lost by death	2-

Mr.Thomas B.Reynolds
August 12,1951

Mr.P.H.Ray
August 24,1951

Membership as of August 31,1951---------- 1,861

Conference was adjourned to enter into Prayer Service.

Broadus E.Jones, Moderator

J.Everett Hunter, Church Clerk

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Raleigh, North Carolina
September 5,1951

The Church in called Conference passed the following resolution:

WHEREAS, in the death of Dr. Joseph Rufus Hunter on March 6, 1951, the First Baptist Church has lost a faithful and devout member whose consecrated life, moral courage and Christian fortitude have been devoted for more than forty years to the furtherance of the Kingdom of God through this church, and the Board of Deacons of the church has lost a valued member whose wise counsel and courageous leadership have had vital place in the upbuilding of the church; and

WHEREAS, the life of Dr. Hunter has been a worthy example of consecrated Christian character which has been an inspiration to all who have been fortunate enough to move within the sphere of his influence;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Deacons of the First Baptist Church that by these resolutions it express its appreciation for the exemplary Christian character of Joseph Rufus Hunter, its gratitude for the influence of his life in this church and community, and its profound grief over his death; and

RESOLVED FURTHER that these resolutions be spread upon the minutes of this meeting of the Board of Deacons, and that a copy of these resolutions be sent to Mrs. Hunter.

N. A. Dunn
L. A. Peacock
Carroll Weathers,
Committee.

Broadus E Jones

Broadus E. Jones, Moderator

J. Everett Hunter

J. Everett Hunter, Church Clerk

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THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Deacons of the First Baptist Church that by these resolutions it express its appreciation for the exemplary Christian character of Joseph Rufus Hunter, its gratitude for the influence of his life in this church and community, and its profound grief over his death; and

RESOLVED FURTHER that these resolutions be spread upon the minutes of this meeting of the Board of Deacons, and that a copy of these resolutions be sent to Mrs. Hunter.

Brodus E Jones

N. A. Dunn
L. A. Peacock
Carroll Weathers,

Committee.

Everett:-
To be read by Moderator ~~Brodus E Jones~~ minutes.

Brodus E Jones, Moderator

J Everett Hunter

Everett Hunter, Church Clerk

Passed by Conference 9-5-51
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SOUTHERN BAPTIST CONVENTION

UNIFORM ASSOCIATIONAL LETTER: 1951

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b. Street Address or Route Cor. Salisbury and Edenton c. City or Town Raleigh

d. County Wake e. State North Carolina

f. Association Raleigh Meeting with _____ Date _____

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a. _____ Name _____ Address
b. _____ Name _____ Address
c. _____ Name _____ Address

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a. _____ Name _____ Address
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NUMBER OF MINUTES WANTED

a. Money sent ..... $ 25.00
b. Number Minutes Wanted 50

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Name Mr. James Bland
School Wake Forest College
Name Mr. Robert Cooper
School Harvard College
Name _____
School _____
Name _____
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(For Associations where used.)

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This Letter approved by the Church:

Date Oct. 10, 1951

_____ Pastor

Everett Hunter Church Clerk

2315 Circle Dr Address

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2. Year Church organized 1812
3. Frequency of Preaching (Check X)
   - Preaching every Sunday (X)
   - 1st Sunday ( ); A.M. ( ); P.M. ( )
   - 2nd Sunday ( ); A.M. ( ); P.M. ( )
   - 3rd Sunday ( ); A.M. ( ); P.M. ( )
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9. Grand Total Present Members 1,860
   Revised Roll for Oct.4--(1,821)
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12. State paper in budget: Yes ( ); No ( )
13. Are members asked to sign annual pledge to Church budget: Yes ( ); No ( )
14. How many known Roman Catholics joined Church during past year .....

HIGHLIGHTS OF CHURCH YEAR

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49. Brotherhood enrolment .....
56. Total gifts for all purposes .....
77. Total gifts sent for Missions .....

B. SUNDAY SCHOOL

Superintendent Mr. H. A. Helms (Coming year if possible)

Address 1005 W. Peace St. (Please Print P.O. Box, Street aud number, or rural route)
Raleigh, N. C. (City, Town or Post Office) (Postal Zone) (State)

Telephone Number 3-2696

ENROLMENT (Include officers and teachers in department enrolment)

15. Cradle Roll (home ministry—under 4) 73
16. Nursery (Attend Sunday school—under 4) 68
17. Beginners (4-5 years) 74
18. Primaries (6-8 years) 82
19. Juniors (9-12 years) 66
20. Intermediates (13-16 years) 53
21. Young People (17-24 years) 137
22. Adults (25 years and up) 523
23. Extension Department 69
24. General officers not counted in classes or departments 6
25. Mission Sunday school enrolment ..... -
26. Grand Total Sunday school enrolment 1351
27. Average attendance per Sunday 478
    (Cradle roll & Ext. can't attend)
28. Enrolment Vacation Bible School 168
29. Average attendance V.B.S. 136

Note: Include all offerings given through Sunday school and V.B.S. in Tables F. and G.

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AINING UNION

or William H. Simpson
(For coming year if possible)

s First Baptist Church
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Raleigh, N. C.
(City, Town or Post Office) (Postal Zone) (State)

one Number 2-4409

DEPARTMENT MEMBERSHIP	(a) No. Units	(b) Enrolment
Nursery (3 years and under)		
Beginners (4-5)		
Primaries (6-8)		
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Missions		
General officers		
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Note: If Training Union has no director, attach extra sheet of paper and list presidents of Young People and Adult Unions; also list leaders of Intermediate, Junior, and Story Hour Unions.

.M.U. WORK

dent W.M.S. Mrs. H. L. Barrett
(For coming year if possible)

ess 2620 Fairview Rd.
(P.O. Box, Street and number, or rural route)
Raleigh, N. C.
(City, Town, or Post Office) (Postal Zone) (State)

hone Number 2-3519

ORGANIZATIONS	(a) Number	(b) Enrolment
W.M.S.	1	360
Y.W.A.	2	22
G.A.	2	23
R.A.	1	16
Sunbeam	2	60
Totals	8	481

Total enrolled in mission study during year all organizations

Total tithers all organizations 125

Note: Local W.M.U. gifts should be included with all organizations under Table F. W.M.U. mission gifts should be included with all organization gifts in Table G.

E. BROTHERHOOD - BUILDING - GOALS

Brotherhood President
(For coming year if possible)

Address
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(City, Town, or Post Office) (Postal Zone) (State)

Telephone Number

49. Enrolment of Brotherhood

50. Number meetings held during year

Building

51. Value of pastor's home if owned by the church $ 35,000

52. Total value of church property including pastor's home $ 400,000

53. Total church debt at end of year $ 5,000

Goals for New Year

54. Cooperative Program goal coming year $

55. Associational Mission goal coming year $

OUR BELOVED DEAD

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F. CHURCH RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES

Treasurer C. J. Curry
(For coming year if possible)

Address c/o Carolina Power & Light Company
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RECEIPTS DURING ASSOCIATIONAL YEAR

56. All receipts through all offerings and organizations during associational year.

Add all money received through all organizations and church services for local work and missions to get this total. Do not count money borrowed or received from sale of property, unless property given to church in current year. Do not count money received from mission board. $ 81,789.51

LOCAL EXPENDITURES (all organizations)

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64. Other local expenses $ 8,552.01
65. TOTAL LOCAL EXPENSES (Excluding pastor's salary (add 57 through 64) $ 38,557.49
66. Pastor's salary (total for year) $ 7,200.00
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Pastor Dr. Broadus E. Jones
(For coming year if possible)

Church where Pastor member First Baptist

Address Raleigh, N. C.

Telephone Number 2-1078

~~Asst. Pastor or~~ Ed. Director Mrs. Edwin S. Preston
Youth Director
Address First Baptist

Chairman of Deacons E. H. Hostetler

Address 2524 White Oak Rd.

Choir or Music Director Dr. Harry E. Cooper

Address Meredith College

~~Pianist or Organist~~ William H. Simpson
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Address First Baptist Church

Librarian

Address

Chairman Missions Committee

Address

Chairman or Director Visual Education

Address

OTHER MINISTERS BELONGING TO CHURCH

Active pastor, **P.**, Ordained minister, **O.M.**; Licensed pastor, **P.L.**; Associate pastor, **A.P.**; Minister of Music, **M.M.**; City missionary, **C.M.**; District or associational worker, **D.M.**, Evangelist, **E.**; State denominational worker, **S.W.**; Southwide denominational worker, **Sw.W.**; Educational director, **E.D.**; Home missionary, **H.M.**; Educational worker (includes presidents and teachers in schools and colleges), **Ed.**; Student, **S.**; Inactive, **I.**; Chaplain, **Ch.**; Retired, **R.**; **(Use proper symbol for each minister.)** Put **O** with each symbol if man is ordained.

Name Dr. L. L. Carpenter
Address 3203 Ruffin St.

Name ~~Mr. M. A. Huggins~~
Address ~~119 Hillsboro St.~~

Name Dr. Joseph L. Peacock
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Name
Address

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Raleigh, North Carolina
September 12,1951

The Church was called into conference preceding prayer meeting. The minutes of August 8th were dispensed with, and only letters were granted as follows:

Name	To Join
Major and Mrs.D.A.Bland	First Baptist Church, Shelbyville, Tenn.
Mrs.Thelma G.Dent	Concord Baptist Church of Christ, Brooklyn, N.Y.
Mr. and Mrs.Robert E.Frye	Fair Park Baptist Church, Alexandria, Va.
Mr.John Everett Hunter,Jr.*	First Baptist Church, Martinsville, Va.
Mrs.Margaret Oberholtzer	The First Baptist Church, Akron, Ohio
Miss Eura Sentelle	The Sylva Baptist Church, Sylva, N.C.

Changes in the Church roll for September:

Membership as of August 31,1951		1,862
Received by letter		6
Received by statement		16
Received by Baptism		5
Lost by letter	8	
Total as of September 30,1951	1,881	
Recount of Church Roll-October 4		1,820

Sixty members lost from rolls since January 1,1945 by revision, and a more accurate membership accounting.

Broadus E. Jones

Broadus E.Jones, Moderator

J. Everett Hunter

J.Everett Hunter, Church Clerk

* Recalled - See Oct. 10, 1951

First Baptist Church
CORNER OF EDENTON AND SALISBURY STREETS
Raleigh, N. C.

BROADUS E. JONES
PASTOR

MRS. WALTON B. JAMES
CHURCH SECRETARY

WILLIAM H. SIMPSON
YOUTH DIRECTOR

HARRY E. COOPER
DIRECTOR OF MUSIC

MRS. EDWIN S. PRESTON
EDUCATIONAL DIRECTOR

MRS. H. M. STILLEY
CHURCH HOSTESS

CHANGES IN CHURCH ROLL FOR THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER, 1951

Received by Letter

Miss Millie Jean Scruggs
Box 221, Meredith College

Miss Katie Lee Currin
Box 66, Meredith College

Miss Ruth Lennon
Box 147, Meredith College

Mr. Reid Wilson
1102 Mommouth Ave.
Durham, N. C.

Miss Martha Stallings
Box 237, Meredith College
Mr. Raymond T. Buckner
State College

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Received by Statement

Mr. Olin Wilson
401 N. Person St.

Miss Irma Wilson
401 N. Person St.

Miss Ruth Wilson
401 N. Person St.

Miss Patsy Bland
Meredith College

Miss Jo Bond Broch
Meredith College

Miss Betsy Jean Callahan
Meredith College

Miss Mary Evelyn Hensley
Box 115, Meredith College

Miss Nancy C. McGinnis
Box 154, Meredith College

Miss Ann Partin
108 Jones St.

Received by Statement (Cont'd)

Shelley Millican
Meredith College

Miss Susan Ann Ratliff
Box 206, Meredith College

Miss Jettie Rea Bradshaw
110 Vann Hall, Meredith College

Miss Marjorie Walker
Meredith College

Miss Nancy Jo Wallis
Meredith College

Miss Rebecca Hendrix
1115 Nichols Dr.

Mrs. W. E. Hendrix
1115 Nichols Dr.

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Received by Baptism (Sept. 23, 1951)

Mr. O. H. Dillard, Jr.
607-C Woodburn Rd.

Miss Jo Ann Jones
17 N. West St.

Mr. Richard S. Lee
2715 Kilgore St.

Mr. Ed Strickland
114 Park Ave.

Mr. Reade Sims Taylor
513 Glascock St.

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Lost by Letter

Mr. & Mrs. Daniel A. Bland
Mrs. Walter Dent
Mr. & Mrs. Robert E. Frye
Mrs. R. O. Oberholtzer
Miss Euva Sentelle
Mr. John E. Hunter, Jr. *

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* Letter not Presented

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Raleigh, North Carolina
October 10,1951

The Church met in regular conference, and the minutes of September 12th were read and approved.

The following letters were granted:

Name	To Join
Dr.Robert S.Beam	First Baptist Church, Sanford, N.C.
Mrs.Robert S.Beam (accepted in our Church subject to baptism) (Ill health prevented immediate baptism.)	"
Mr. and Mrs.Craven Caudle	The Pullen Memorial Baptist Church, Raleigh
Mrs.John D.Goss	First Baptist Church, Burlington, N.C.
Mrs.Frances Powell Gainor	Myers Park Baptist Church, Charlotte 7, N.C.
Mr. and Mrs.Jesse M.Page,Jr.	Fair Park Baptist Church, Alexandria, Va.
Miss Alice Penny	Clifton Park Baptist Church, Takoma Park, Md.
Miss Mary Frances Powell	College Park Baptist Church, Greensboro, N.C.
Mrs.James A.Salter	West Jefferson Baptist Church, West Jefferson, N.C.
Miss Jane Stroup	First Baptist Church, Winston-Salem, N.C.
Mr.Thomas A.Wood	First Baptist Church, High Point, N.C.

CERTIFICATE OF MEMBERSHIP

Mr.Morris W.Sills	Fairlington Methodist Church, Arlington, Va.
Mrs.Leonard Peddy	White Memorial Presbyterian Church, Raleigh, N.C.
Mrs.Milford McClenny nee Miss Marion Buchanan	Goldsboro Friends Meeting, Goldsboro, N.C.

The letter granted to Mr.John Everett Hunter,Jr. on September 12th was recalled by request, as Mr.Hunter is to enter the Army he preferred that his membership remain with this church for the time being. Unbroken membership for this member will be sustained.

Messengers to the Association were named by the Pastor after recommendation by the Conference that the Pastor name the delegates. They were:

	Alternates
Dr. and Mrs.Broadus E.Jones	Mrs.Roy J.Farmer
Mr. and Mrs.Earl Hostetler	Miss Ruth Provence
Mr. and Mrs.W.L.Wyatt	Mr. and Mrs.Herbert Weatherspoon
Mr. and Mrs.E.L.Layfield	Mr. and Mrs.Hugh Johnson
Dr. and Mrs.B.Y.Tyner	Mr.T.W.Brewer
Dr.Joseph L.Peacock	

The letter to the Association was read and approved. A copy of the letter was sent to Mr.Carlton T.Mitchell, Association Clerk, together with a check for $25.00 to pay for 50 copies of the Minutes of the Association.

Mimeographed copies of the Treasurer's report were distributed to the members, and copies left with the Church Clerk for record.

REC ommendation Of Board of Deacons

1. That an additional secretary be employed to assist Mrs.Preston and Mr.Simpson at a beginning salary of $165.00 per month.
   Upon motion duly seconded, the recommendation was adopted.

2. That $90,000.00 be set as a tentative budget, to be divided on a 55% basis for local purposes, and 45% for missions and the Cooperative Program. The motion to adopt was carried with a few

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Raleigh, North Carolina
October 10,1951

Changes in the Church Roll for October:

Membership as of September 30,1951--------		1,821
Received by letter		9
Received by statement		20
Lost by letter	26	
Dropped by request	3	
Moved from "Inactive" to"Active" Roll		1
Lost by death:		

Mrs.John F.Ludwick
October 14,1951

Mrs.T.B.Lawrence
October 24,1951

Membership as of October 31,1951--------- 1,829

We were dismissed with prayer by the Pastor.

Broadus E Jones

Broadus E.Jones, Moderator

J.Everett Hunter

J.Everett Hunter, Church Clerk

First Baptist Church

BROADUS E. JONES, PASTOR

Raleigh, N. C.

MRS. WALTON B. JAMES
CHURCH SECRETARY

CHANGES IN CHURCH ROLL FOR THE MONTH OF OCTOBER, 1951

Received by Letter

Miss Lillian Lu
Meredith College

Mr. James R. Yarbro
Box 4181, State College Station

Miss Marie Blackwell
1855 Smallwood Dr.

Mr. A. G. Bryant
B-6 Raleigh Apts.

Mr. T. A. Bone
322 Shepherd St.

Mrs. T. A. Bone
322 Shepherd St.

[illegible]hur Bone
[illegible]2 Shepherd St.
Horace Bone
322 Shepherd St.

Miss Betty Winchester
Meredith College

Miss Effie Sneeden +9
Meredith College

Received by Statement

Miss Betsy Brooks McGee
Meredith College

Mr. Kyle W. Rutledge
3034 Farrior Road

Mrs. Kyle W. Rutledge
3034 Farrior Road

Mr. F. R. Little
1106 Daniels St.

Mrs. F. R. Little
[illegible]6 Daniels St.

Miss Patricia Anne Byrd
113 N. Boylan Ave.

Mrs. A. G. Bryant
B-6 Raleigh Apts.

Received by Statement (Cont'd)

Miss Helen Stuart
214 W. Edenton St.

Miss Freda Roberson
1209 Courtland Dr.

Miss Carolyn Getzman
Meredith College

Miss Louada Brooks
1410 Hillsboro St.

Mr. Norman L. Dunnegan, Jr.
3001 Lewis Farm Road

Mrs. Norman L. Dunnegan, Jr.
3001 Lewis Farm Road

Mr. J. W. Farr
1436 Curfman St.

Miss Willie Mabel Johnson
Meredith College

Miss Mona Peterson
Meredith College

Mr. S. G. Rogers
3043 Lewis Farm Road

Mrs. S. G. Rogers
3043 Lewis Farm Road

Miss Barbara Schletter
Meredith College

Mrs. Richard T. White
Apt. 29-F, Vetville +20

Lost by Death

Mrs. John F. Ludwick (10-14-51)
200 Transylvania Ave.

Mrs. T. B. Lawrence (10-24-51)
1021 Cowper Dr. -2

Lost by Letter

Dr. & Mrs. S. Robt. Beam
Mr. & Mrs. Craven Caudle

Lost by Letter (Cont'd)

Mrs. Frances P. Gainor
Mrs. John D. Goss
Mrs. Milford McClenny nee
Miss Marion Buchanan
Mr. & Mrs. Jesse Page, Jr.
Mrs. Leonard Peddy
Miss Alice Penny
Miss Mary Frances Powell
Mrs. James A. Salter
Mr. Morris W. Sills
Miss Jane Stroup
Mr. Thomas A. Wood -16

The following were lost to other churches without notifying the church office until the Budget Campaign:

Mrs. R. H. Dearstyne
Wm. H. Richardson
Mrs. Charles W. Smith -3

Mrs. Mandalee Johnson
E-3-B Cameron Court Apts.
was on our "Inactive Roll" and should be on the "Active Roll". +1

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Raleigh, North Carolina

November 7,1951

The Church met in regular conference, but due to a special program having been prepared for conference night, the minutes of the preceding meeting were not read and approved.

The following letters were granted:

Name	To Join
Mrs.Thomas Wood (Nee Miss Jean Olive)	First Baptist Church, High Point, N.C.
Mr.James H.Anderson	First Baptist Church, Henderson, N.C.
Mrs.Ethel Y.Baucom	The Forest Hills Baptist Church, Raleigh, N.C.
Miss Wanda Lee Wilson	Bolton Baptist Church, Bolton, N.C.
Miss Nancy Hefner	The First Baptist Church, Wilmington, N.C.
Mr.William Lyndon Mayer	First Baptist Church, Gaffney, S.C.
Mr. and Mrs.Francis W.Poole	The Church of their choice, Raleigh, N.C.

CERTIFICATES OF MEMBERSHIP

Mrs.R.P.Clark,Jr.	Hamlet Presbyterian Church, Hamlet, N.C.
Miss Mathalou Hunter	Henry Memorial Presbyterian Church, Dublin, Ga.
Mr.J.Barber Towler	White Memorial Presbyterian Church, Raleigh, N.C.
Mr.Furman Clark	Raeford Presbyterian Church, Raeford, N.C.
Mrs.Harold P.Bergen (Nee Miss Frances Best	Franklinton Methodist Church, Franklinton, N.C.

Upon motion duly seconded, the Pastor was requested to appoint the messengers to the Baptist State Convention to be held in Asheville. The following messengers were appointed:

Dr.Broadus E.Jones, Mr. and Mrs.E.L.Layfield, Miss Ruth Provence, Mrs.Foy Farmer, Dr.Edwin S.Preston, Mr.William H.Simpson, Mr.C.F.Gaddy, and Dr. and Mrs.J.Clyde Turner.

RECOMMENDATIONS FROM THE BOARD OF DEACONS

That the members of the Church staff be given the privilege to decide whether or not they wish to take advantage of the Social Security Law, with the Church paying approximately 1½%, and the employee paying approximately 1½%, or one half of the necessary fund. The cost to the Church to be approximately $260.00 annually. Upon motion by Mr.Earl Hostetler and seconded by Mr.T.W.Brewer, the recommendation was carried.

Upon motion by Mr.Robert N.Simms,Jr., and duly seconded, the Pastor and Chairman of the Board of Deacons were instructed to appoint a Committee on Committees. The following were appointed: Messrs R.McIver Allen, Chairman, W.Carey Parker,Edgar Wyatt, Coite Jones, James L.Norris, and Mesdames H.L.Barrett, and Ira B.Mullis.

Changes in The Church Roll for The Month of November

Membership as of October 31,1951		1,829
Received by letter		7
Received by Statement		8
Lost by letter	13	
Membership as of November 30,1951		1,831

The Conference voted to continue for the rest of 1951 to operate a bus to N.C.State College, and to serve coffee and doughnuts to the boys from N.C.State upon arrival at the Church.

Broadus E.Jones, Moderator — J.Everett Hunter, Church Clerk

First Baptist Church
Raleigh, North Carolina
December 4, 1951

The regular monthly meeting of the Board of Deacons of the First Baptist Church was opened by Chairman Hostettler with the reading of a part of the Third Psalm, which was followed by prayer by L. R. Harrill. Twenty-one Deacons and seven Deaconesses were present.

Minutes of the November meeting were read and approved.

William Simpson, Youth Director of the Church, proposed that three young people of the Church be allowed to attend the Deacons meetings, with one delegate coming each from Meredith, State, and local young people. These would be elected for one year terms. On the motion of L. R. Harrill, the Board voted unanimously that a Committee be appointed to study the advisability of such a plan and report at next meeting.

In the absence of C. J. Curry, the Treasurer's report was presented by R. B. Carpenter, who commented that the current expense fund was in the black again.

Van Dawson Durrett, Chairman of the Every-Member Canvas, gave a final report on the Budget campaign, reporting that 955 pledges were on file for an amount of $83,445.95. The 264 workers contacted 1350 members. The Board voted unanimously that the campaign be officially closed with the thanks of the Board being extended to Mr. Durrett for his work as Chairman.

R. B. Carpenter, Chairman, reported that the Finance Committee recommended that a Sub-Committee composed of the Chairman of the Board, Chairman of the Finance Committee, and the Treasurer of the Church, rework the budget to correspond with pledges received. On the motion of T. A. Upchurch, the Board voted unanimously to defer adoption of the budget to the January meeting when the report of this Committee would be made.

The Pastor stated that Mrs. W. B. James, Church Secretary, had resigned effective January 1st. A Committee composed of Van Dawson Durrett, R. B. Carpenter and E. L. Layfield, was appointed to work with the Pastor in securing a new Secretary with authority to employ.

Dr. Jones reported that Dr. J. Clyde Turner had been invited to teach his book "New Testament Doctrine of the Church" in February at Wednesday night services.

L. R. Harrill reported for the Committee which was appointed to consider the needs, cost and the method of financing the following improvements to our Church.

1. Air Conditioning
2. Lighting
3. Repair and paint main church auditorium
4. Repair and refinish pews
5. Carpet for main auditorium, steps, and aisle strips for balcony

The Committee recommended that (1) all the work be done at one time; (2) that the congregation be given an opportunity in February to make pledges to be paid over a period of three years, one third in 1952, one third during 1953, and one third during 1954; (3) that the amount asked for be $75,000.00; and (4) that the work be ordered done only after the congregation shows by its pledges that they want it done. Mr. Harrill moved that these recommendations be adopted by the Board to be recommended to the Church Conference. After much discussion, two amendments were made by W. L. Wyatt (1) that the campaign begin in April instead of February. This amendment was passed unanimously; (2) that 50 % of the amount asked for, or $37,500.00 be in hand, in cash, before any work begins. This amendment passed by a count of 21 to 5. The original motion was then passed by 20 to 6, with the two amendments.

R. A. Ponton stated that the Radio Committee had been approached by Jessie Helms of Radio Station WRAL with an opportunity to broadcast the next 13 Sunday morning services at a cost of $7.50 per Sunday. On the motion of Dr. W. B. Dowell the Board voted unanimously to recommend to the Church Conference, that this offer be accepted.

Chairman Hostettler thanked the Board for the honor accorded him as Chairman, stating that his term expires with this meeting.

The meeting adjourned with prayer by the Pastor.

E. H. Hostettler, Chairman

Edgar M. Wyatt, Secretary

First Baptist Church
CORNER OF EDENTON AND SALISBURY STREETS
Raleigh, N. C.

BROADUS E. JONES
PASTOR

MRS. WALTON B. JAMES
CHURCH SECRETARY

WILLIAM H. SIMPSON
YOUTH DIRECTOR

HARRY E. COOPER
DIRECTOR OF MUSIC

MRS. EDWIN S. PRESTON
EDUCATIONAL DIRECTOR

MRS. H. M. STILLEY
CHURCH HOSTESS

CHANGES IN CHURCH ROLL FOR THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER, 1951

Received by Letter

Miss Mary Gordon Maxwell
Meredith College

Miss Betty E. Callahan
State School for the Blind

Mrs. Nona Johnson
127 Halifax St., Apt. #1

Mr. J. D. Mitchell
702 Edmund St.

Mrs. J. D. Mitchell
702 Edmund St.

Mr. T. E. "Ernie" Martin
326 W. Morgan St.

Mr. David L. Southerland
115 Woodburn Road

Received by Statement

Miss Elizabeth Duncan
1855 W. Smallwood Dr.

Miss Adaline Vann
Rex Nurses' Home

Miss Peggy Thornton
114 N. Boylan Ave.

Miss Estelle Waller
Meredith College

Miss Jane Williamson
Meredith College

Mr. John Boswell
2718 Clark Ave.

Miss Mary Dare Moore
Meredith College

Mr. Newell S. Price
1710 Park Drive

Lost by Letter

Nancy Joy Hefner
Wm. Lyndon Mayer, Jr.
Mrs. Robert Clark, Jr.
Martha Lou Hunter
J. Barber Towler
James Anderson
Mrs. Ethel YatesBaucom
Wandelee Wilson
Mrs. Anna Batchelor Clark
Mr. Francis W. Peele
Mrs. Francis W. Peele
Mrs. Harold P. Bergen
Mrs. Thomas A. Wood

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Raleigh, North Carolina

December 12,1951

The Church met in Conference one week late due to a special program conducted by the Woman's Missionary Society on December 5th. The minutes of November 7th conference were read and approved.

The following letters were granted:

Name	To Join
Mrs.Louis D.Bagwell	Temple Baptist Church, Raleigh, N.C.
Mr.Roy M.Purser,Jr.	Fourth Avenue Baptist Church, Louisville, Ky.
Mr.I.L.Baker	First Baptist Church, Greenville, S.C.
Mr.Frank Wylie Jarvis,Jr.	Church of his choice, Spindale, N.C.
Miss Dorothy Allen	First Baptist Church, Henderson, N.C.
Mr. and Mrs.A.J.Fletcher	Hayes Barton Baptist Church, Raleigh, N.C.
Mr. and Mrs.M.A.Odom	First Baptist Church, Lumberton, N.C.
Miss Frances Huffman	Drexel Baptist Church, Drexel, N.C.
Mr.W.E.Kennedy	Wendell Baptist Church, Wendell, N.C.
Mrs.Etta Poole	Cary Baptist Church, Cary, N.C.

Certificate of Membership

Mrs.George Lezler (Nee Mrs.Lafon Hockaday)
North Miami Community Church, North Miami, Fla.

The report of the Treasurer was distributed, and copies filed with the Clerk for record.

RECOMMENDATIONS FROM THE BOARD OF DEACONS:
Presented by R.B.Carpenter

1. That the Sunday morning eleven o'clock services be broadcast from W.R.A.L. for the next thirteen Sundays at a cost of $7.50 per Sunday. Upon motion duly seconded, the Conference approved.

2. That certain improvements be made on the Church including:
   - Air conditioning
   - Lighting
   - Repair and paint main church auditorium
   - Repair and refinish pews
   - Carpet for main auditorium, steps and aisle strips for balcony

All work to begin at one time; that the congregation be given an opportunity in April to make pledges to be paid over a period of three years, one third each year, and not until at least $37,500.00 of the pledges had been collected.

Mr.R.McIver Allen moved that the Finance Committee review pledges, and determine wisdom of immediate action, and that work go ahead, if it involves the borrowing of money to complete the work, to borrow the amount necessary.

Mr.W.H.Weatherspoon suggested that the Finance Committee report back to the Conference after the pledges have been reviewed, and let the Conference determine at that time whether or not to proceed.

Mr.W.L.Wyatt commented on the fact that interest on $75,000.00 would amount to between three and four thousand dollars each year. He was opposed to loading the Church with a large debt.

In restating the substitute motion of Mr.Allen, amending the recommendation of the Board of Deacons, there was added-"that $37,500.00 be stricken from the recommendation of the Board of Deacons, and that the Church in Conference should decide when work should begin. The amendment was carried.

The original recommendation as amended was carried.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Raleigh, North Carolina
December 12,1951

Mr.R.McIver Allen, Chairman of the Committee on Committees presented the following officers and committees to serve for 1952, which were elected:

BAPTISMS

M.G.Joslin, Chm. Hugh Johnson, Asst.Chm. Mrs.W.J.Clark, Mrs.J.P.Warren, Mrs.Jack T.Bagby,Jr., Miss Leo Jarrett.

CHOIR APPAREL

Mrs.H.J.Perry,Chm. Mrs.Annie B.Edwards, Mrs.Ralph Moody, Mrs.E.B.Page.

CHURCH RECORDS

W.C.Lassiter, Chm., J.E.Hunter, Mrs.W.B.James

COMMUNION

Mrs.P.J.Swartz,Chm. Mrs.W.H.Weatherspoon, Asst.Chm., Mrs.Henry Pearce, Mrs.Pembroke Baker, Mrs.D.E.Schreffler, Mrs.Mary Broughton.

EVANGELISM

Chairman Board of Deacons, General Superintendent of Sunday School, Director of B.T.U., President of W.M.U., Chairman of Music Committee.

FINANCE COMMITTEE

R.B.Carpenter, T.W.Brewer, Chas. M.Brickhouse, W.H.Weatherspoon, Earl H. Hostetler, R.C.Courtney, Dr.J.J.Combs, L.N.Hutchinson, J.E.Bryan, E.L. Layfield, Mrs.Ira B.Mullis, Wendell Murray, Yates Parker, Yates Arledge, R.N. Simms, Jr., Mrs.E.H.Simpson, W.L.Wyatt, Sr., Norman L.Dunnegan,Jr., Miss Ruth Wilson, Wilbur Robbins, J.D.Mitchell,R.D.Beam, C.J.Curry, Oliver Smith, Coite Jones, Clyde Eby,Jr., Mrs.Carl Goergh, and John Ludwick.

FLOWERS

Miss Ellen Durham, Chm., Miss Helen Bailey, Asst.Chm., Mrs.Elmo T.Williams, Mrs.Marshall Barber, Mrs.E.L.Layfield, Mrs.Roger Marshall, Mrs.C.B.Taylor.

FUNERAL MUSIC

Mrs.N.E.Davis, Director

GREETERS

Henry Faucette, Chm., R.C.Courtney, Asst.Chm., Lee Parker, Rufus A.Hunter, DeVan Barbour, Waldo Cheek, C.C.Cameron, Dr.S.B.Towler.

HOUSE COMMITTEE

George Dowell, Chm., Mrs.Kenneth Smith, Dallas Holoman,Jr., Mrs.Herman Senter, Mrs.Ralph Moody, Mrs.Royster Chamblee.

LOCAL CHURCH CHARITY

Mrs.George Dowell,Chm., Miss Florine Boone, Mrs.Josephine Adams, Miss Susan Dewar.

MUSIC

Dr.Royster Chamblee,Chm., Mrs.Coite Jones, Curtis Craver, Miss Nell Barker, Mrs.Herman Senter, Mrs.Russell Nipper, Miss Thelma Riley, Dr.L.A.Peacock, Robert Ponton.

PARSONAGE

Mrs.Wade Gallant,Chm., Mrs.J.R.Pointer, Richard Rice, Luther Yost.

PUBLICITY

Robert Ponton, Chm., Jessie Helms, Miss Kate Matthews, R.E.Williams, Robert Brooks, Dr.E.S.Preston.

PULPIT SUPPLY

Carroll Weathers,Chm., Mrs.L.R.Harrill, Dr.L.L.Carpenter, Rufus A.Hunter, Mrs.Foy J.Farmer.

REPAIRS

Albert Haskins,Chm., L.N.Hutchinson, Mrs.Robert Yancey, Mrs.Royster Chamblee, W.B.Gilbert, W.F.Morris.

SUPPERS

Mrs.Herman Senter, Chm., Mrs.Kenneth R.Smith, and Miss Florine Boone, Co-Chm.,

Chm., of Flowers for Tables, Mrs.E.L.Layfield, Asst.Chm., Mrs.W.A.Parker, Chm., for Table Setting, Mrs.Hugh McManus, Chm., Asst.Chm., Mrs.Frank Powers.

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SUPPERS - Committee Ctd.

Chm., for Kitchen Help, Mrs.W.L.Woltz, Asst. Chm., Mrs.D.C.Adams
Chm., for Serving, Miss Eleanor Brooks, Asst. Chm., Miss Katherine Wyatt.

SUNDAY MORNING REFRESHMENT COMMITTEE

Chm. Asst.Chm., Mrs.L.M.Shirley

SUPPLIES AND PURCHASES

Ed Wyatt, Chm., Sam Jones, Charles Poe, Roy Purser, Jack Bagby,Jr., Zeno Martin.

USHERS

E.H.Simpson, Chm., T.Henry Barrett, M.G.Joslin, and Joe Garrett Co-Chm., R.L.Rice, John Bickle, Burr Patchell, Marion B.Medlin, Thomas Broughton, Larry E.Ball, C.C.Buchanan, M.B.Koonce,Jr., W.G.Robbins, Graham W.Dobbin, Herbert Barnes, Jack Coble, Robert Ott, W.F.Morris,Jr., Roy B.Williams, A.M.Bonner, Dick W.Woodard, T.A.Bone, F.R.Little, Frank Castlebury,

JUNIOR USHERS

Jimmie Bland, Chm., Ivan Joslin, Henry Helms,Jr., D.C.Adams,Jr., Clyde Bryan, Jr., L.M.Shirley,Jr., James W.Harrill, Billie Hunter, Jere Parker, Kenneth Woodruff, Bill Holoman,Jr., John Edwards, Lee Pridgen,Jr.

CHURHH TRUSTEES

Carroll Weathers, Chm., Dr.Clarence Poe, Wade Gallant, W.L.Wyatt, Sr., T.W.Brewer, W.T.Joyner, W.H.Weatherspoon.

CHURCH OFFICERS

Clerk: J.Everett Hunter, Asst. Clerk
Treasurer, C.J.Curry,Asst.Treasurer, T.A.Upchurch, Custodian Special Funds, W.G.Briggs, Asst. Custodian Special Funds, R.D.Beam.

MEMBERS RALEIGH BAPTIST COUNCIL

R.N.Simms,Jr., Chm., Mrs.Ira B.Mullis, Miss Ruth Provence, Miss Annie Jones, Earl H.Hostetler, Dr.B.Y.Tyner.

SUNDAY SCHOOL OFFICERS

General Superintendent	H.A.Helms
Associate Superintendent	Luther F.Yost
Budget Officer	T.W.Brewer
Asst.Budget Officer	Clyde Eby,Jr.
General Secretary	Clyde Bryan
Associate General Secretary	Nathan Mosely

DEPARTMENT SUPERINTENDENTS AND ASSISTANTS

Adult Superintendent	W.M.Murray
Associate Adult Superintendent	W.L.Wyatt,Jr.
Young People's Superintendent	William Simpson
Associate Young People's Supt.	
Intermediate Superintendent	Miss Freda Roberson
Associate " "	
Junior Superintendent	Mrs.Merritt
Primary Superintendent	Mrs.Luther Yost
Associate Primary Supt.	Mrs.W.Z.Betts
Beginners Dept.Supt.	Miss Ellen Brewer
Associate Beginners Dept.Supt.	Mrs.J.P.Brassfield
Nursery "B"	Mrs.J.L.Bland
Nursery "A"	Mrs.Parke E.Thomas
Cradle Roll	
Extension Dept.Supt.	Hugh Johnson
Associate Ext.Dept.Supt.	Mrs.M.A.Huggins
Director Primary Story Hour	Mrs.L.L.Carpenter
Asst. "	

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Raleigh, North Carolina
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SUNDAY SCHOOL OFFICERS - Continued

Director Beginner Story Hour Mrs.J.G.Garrett
Asst. " " " "

The following deacons and deaconesses were nominated and elected to serve as follows:

DEACONS	Term Expires	DEACONESSES	Term Expires
R.McIver Allen	'55	Mrs.H.L.Barrett	'55
Joe Garrett	'55	Mrs.Ralph Moody	'55
H.A.Helms	'55	Mrs.Kenneth Smith	'55
L.N.Hutchinson	'55	Mrs.Ira B.Mullis	'54*
Coite H.Jones	'55		
W.C.Lassiter	'55		
R.N.Simms,Jr.	'55		
B.Y.Tyner	'55		

* Unexpired term of Mrs.Chas.M.Maddrey

Changes in The Church Roll for the month of December,1951:

Membership as of November 30,1951		1,831
Received by letter		5
Received by statement		6
Received by Baptism		5
Lost by letter	12	
Lost by certificate	1	
Lost by death:		

Mrs.J.M.Norwood
December 28,1951

Mrs.N.A.Dunn, Sr.
December 29,1951

Membership as of December 31,1951 1,832

Broadus E.Jones, Moderator

J.Everett Hunter, Church Clerk

Raleigh N C
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To The First Baprist Church in Conference:

The Committee on Committees, appointed by the Church offers the following for Church Offices and Committees for 1952.

Baptisms

M.G.Joslin, Chm. Hugh Johnson, Asst. Chm. Mrs.W.J.Clark, Mrs.J.P.Warren, Mrs.Jack T.Bagby Jr., Miss Leo Jarrett.

Choir Apparel

Mrs.H.J.Perry, Chm. Mrs.Annie B.Mwards, Mrs. Ralph Moody, Mrs. E.B.Page.

CHUCRH RECORDS

W.C.Lassiter, Chm.. J.E.Hunter, Mrs.W.B.James.

COMMUNION

Mrs. P J Swartz, Chm, Mrs.W.H.Weatherspoon, Asst.Chm. Mrs.Henry Pearce, Mrs.Pembroke Baker, Mrs.D.E.Schreffler, Mrs.Mary Broughton.

EVANGELISM

Chairman Board Deacons, Genl.Supt.Sunday School, Director B.T.U. , Pres.WMU., Chairman Music Committee.

FINANCE COMMITTEE

R?B.Carpenter, T.W.Brewer, Chas.M.Brickhouse, W.H.Weatherspoon, Earl H.Hostetler, R.C.Courtney, Dr.J.J.Combs, L.N.Hutchinson, J.E.Bryan, E.L.Layfield, Mrs. Ira B.Mullis, Wendell Murray, Yates Parker, Yates Arledge, R.N.Simms Jr., Mrs.E.H.Simpson, W.E.Wyatt Sr., Norman L.Dunnegan Jr., Miss Ruth Wilson, Wilbur Robbins, J.D.Mitchell, R.D.Beam, C.J.Curry, Oliver Smith, Coite Jones, Clyde Ivey Jr., Mrs.Carl Geerch, John Ludwick. EBY

FLOWERS

Miss Ellen Durham, Chm., Miss Helen Bailey, Asst.Chm.. Mrs. Elmo T.Williams, Mrs.Marshall Barber, Mrs.E.L.Layfield, Mrs.Roger Marshall, Mrs.C.B.Taylor.

FUNERAL MUSIC

Mrs.N.E.Davis, Director

GREETERS

Henry Faucette, Chm,. R.C.Courtney Asst.Chm. Lee Parker, Rufus A.Hunter, DeVan Barber, Waldo Cheek, C.C.Cameron, Dr.S.B.Towler.

HOUSE COMMITTEE

George Dowell, Chm. Mrs.Kenneth R.Smith, Dallas Holloman Jr., Mrs.Herman Senter, Mrs.Ralph Moody, Mrs.Royester Chamblee.

LOCAL CHURCH CHARITY

Mrs.George Dowell, Chm. Miss Florine Boone, Mrs.Josephene Adams, Miss Susan Dewar,

MUSIC

Dr.Royester Chamblee, Chm., Mrs.Coite Jones, Curtis Craver, Miss Nell Barker, Mrs.Herman Senter, Mrs.Russell Nippery, Miss Thelma Ribey, Dr.L.A.Peacock, Robt.Ponton.

PARSONAGE

Mrs.Wade Gallant, Chm,, Mrs.J.R.Pointer, Richard Rice, Luther Yost.

PUBLICITY

Robt.Ponton, Chm. Jessie Helms, Miss Kate Mathews, R.E.Williams, Robt.Brooks. Dr.E.S. Preston

PULPIT/SUPPLY

Carol Weathers, Chm. Mrs.L.R.Harrell, Dr.L.L.Carpenter, Rufus A.Hunter, Mrs.Foy J.Farmer.

REPAIRS

Albert Haskins,Chm.,L.N.Hutchinson,Mrs.Robert Yancey,Mrs.Royester Chamblee, W.B.Gilbert,W.F.Morris,.

SUPPERS.

Mrs.Herman Senter,Chm,Mrs.Kenneth R.Smith and Miss Florine Boone Co-Chm.
Chm.of Flowers for Tables Mrs.E.L.Layfield,Asst Chm.Mrs.W.A.Parker.
Chm.for Table Setting Mrs.Hugh McManus,Chm,MMMX Asst Chm. Mrs.Frank Powers.
Chm for Kitchen Help Mrs.W.L.Woltz, Asst.Chm.Mrs.D.C.Adams
Chm.for Serving Miss Eleanor Brooks Asst Chm.Miss Katherine Wyatt.

SUNDAY MORNING REFRESHMENT COMMITTE

Chm. Mrs.W.L.Woltz Asst Ch, Mrs.L.M.Shirley

SUPPLIES AND PURCHASES

M Wyatt Chm. Sam Jones,Charles Poe,Roy Purser,Jack Bagby Jr,.Zeno Martin

USHERS

E.H.Simpson Chm.,T.Henry Barrett,M.G.Joslin,and Joe Garrett Co-Chm.
R.L.Rice,John Binkle, Burr Patchell,Marion B.Medlin,Thomas Broughton,
Larry E.Ball,C.C.Buchanan,M.B.Koonce Jr.,W.G.Robbins, Graham W.Dobbin,
Herbert Barnes,Jack Coble,Robert Ott,W.F.morris Jr.,Roy B.Williams, A.M.Bonner,
Dick M.Woodard,T.A.Bone,F.R.Little, Frank Castlebury.

JUNIOR USHERS

Jimmie Bland Chm. Ivan Joslin,Henry Helms Jr.,D.C.Adams Jr.,Clyde Bryan Jr.,
XXMX L.M.Shirley Jr.,James W.Harrell,Billie Hunter, Jerry Parker,Kenneth Woodruff,
Bill Holloman Jr.,John Edwards,Lee Pridgen Jr.,

CHURCH TRUSTEES

Carol Weathers,Chm. Dr.Clarence Poe,Wade Gallant,W.L.Wyatt Sr.,T.W.Brewer,
W.T.Joyner,W.H.Weatherspoon.

CHURCH OFFICERS

Clerk: J.Everett Hunter, Asst Clerk; To be selected ,Treasurer;C.J.Curry,
Asst.Treasurer: T.A.Upchurch, Custodian Special Funds,W G Briggs :
Asst.Custodian Special Funds,R.D.Beam.

MEMBERS RALEIGH BAPTIST COUNCIL

R.N.Simms Jr.,Chm. Mrs.Ira B.Mullis,Miss Ruth Provence,Miss Annie Jones,
Earl H Hostetler,B.Y.Tyner.

SHHEET 3

SUNDAY SCHOOL OFFICERS

Genl. Supt H.A.Helms

Assoc. Supt Luther F.Yost

Budget Officer T.W.Brewer

Asst. Budget Officer Clyde Eby Jr.

Genl. Sect. Clyde Bryan

Assoc. Gel. Sect. Nathan Mosely

DEPARTMENT SUPERINTENDENTS AND ASSISTANTS

Adult Supt W.M.Murray

Assoc. Adult Supt W.L.Wyatt JR

Young Peoples Supt William Simpson

Assoc Young Peoples Sppt. to be selected

Intermediate Supt Miss Freda Roberson

Assoc Intermediate Supt to be selected

Junior Supt to be selected

Primary Supt Mrs.Luther Yost

Assos Primary Supt Mrs.W.Z.Betts

Beginners Dept Supt Missx Ellen Brewer

Assoc Beginners Dept Supt Mrs.J.P.Brassfield

Nursery "A" Mrs.J.L.Bland

Nursery"B" Mrs.Parke E.Thomas

Cradle Roll Mrs.Clyde Smith

Extension Dept Supt High Johnson

Assoc Extension Dept Supt Mrs.M.A.Huggins

Director Primary Story Hour Mrs.L.L.Carpenter
Asst " " " " to be selected
Director Beginner Story Hour Mrs.J.G.Garrett
Asst " " " " to be selected

For the Committe
R.M.Allen, Chm.

CHANGES IN CHURCH ROLL FOR THE MONTH OF DECEMBER 1951

Received by Letter

Mr. D. H. Carson
1088 Nichols Dr.

Mrs. D. H. Carson
1088 Nichols Dr.

Miss Carol Carson
1088 Nichols Dr.

Miss Peggy Kenen
Rex Nurses' Home

Mrs. W. S. Pugh
701 N. Blount St.

Received by Statement

Mr. J. G. Garrett
Wake Forest Rd. P.O. Box 28

Mrs. J. G. Garrett
Wake Forest Rd. P.O. Box 28

Jack Allen Garrett
Wake Forest Rd. P.O. Box 28

Kenneth Garvin Garrett
Wake Forest Rd., P.O. Box 28

Mr. William G. Harrill
1902 Smallwood Dr.

Mrs. William G. Harrill
1903 Smallwood Drive

Received by Baptism

Mr. Jimmie Bone
322 Shepherd St.

Mr. Fab H. Briggs, Jr.
Hotel Carolina

Miss Louise Brown
205 Ashe Ave.

Miss Lois Rita Howell
1855 W. Smallwood Drive

Mr. Robert D. Murphy
2442 Greenway Terrace

Lost by Death

Mrs. J. M. Norwood (1228-51)
Whitaker Mill Rd.

Mrs. N. A. Dunn, Sr. (12-29-51)
1105 Cowper Dr.

Lost by Letter

Miss Dorothy Allen
Mrs. Louis D. Bagwell
Mr. I. L. Baker
Mr. & Mrs. A. J. Fletcher
Miss Frances Huffman
Mr. Frank Wylie Jarvis, Jr.
Mr. W. E. Kennedy
Mrs. George Lezler
(Nee Mrs. Lafon Hockaday)
Mr. & Mrs. M. A. Odom
Mrs. Etta Poole
Mr. Roy M. Purser

STATUS OF CHURCH MEMBERSHIP AS OF CALENDAR YEAR, 1951

Membership as of December 31,1950--------1,855

	RECEIVED			LOST				
Month	Letter	Statement	Baptism	Letter	Certificate	Death	Dropped	Membership to Date
January	7	6		9	2			1857
February	2	1		4	1	1		1855
March	4	9	4	5		1		1866
April	4	17		8	4	1		1874
May	1		6	9	1			1871
June	5			6	2	1		1867 (There was an error of 1 here)
July	7	5		4	1	3		1871
August	-	-	-	8		2		1861
Sept.	6	16	5	8				
	Roll Revised						60	1820
October	9	20		16 (Dropped 3)		2		1829
November	7	8		13				1831
December	5	6	5	12	1	2		1832
	57	88	20	102	11	13	63	

The above is a record as it appears in the minutes of the First Baptist Church, Raleigh, N.C. for the calendar year,1951. December changes will appear in the minutes of January 9,1952.

Signed:

January 7,1952

Church Clerk

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Raleigh, North Carolina
January 9,1952

The Church met in regular conference and the minutes of December 12th were read and approved.

The following letters and certificates were granted:

Name	To join
Mrs.J.E.Williams (nee Miss Carol Jordan)	First Baptist Church, New Bern, N.C.
Mr. and Mrs.Harry L.Davis	Memorial Baptist Church, Greenville, N.C.
Mr. and Mrs.E.H.Griffin	Memorial Baptist Church, Greenville, N.C.
Mr.Johnnie W.Evans	Cedar Fork Baptist Church, Morrisville, N.C. R 1
Miss Doris Moore	Pleasant Hope Missionary Baptist Church, Elm City, N.C. R 3
Lt. and Mrs.Lawrence H.Harris	First Baptist Church, Monterey, California

CERTIFICATES OF MEMBERSHIP

Mr.Alton David Fonville	Reveille Methodist Church, Richmond 21, Virginia
Mrs.Fred A.Webb,Jr.	West Raleigh Presbyterian Church, Raleigh, N.C.
Mrs.J.L.Macon	Ebenezer Methodist Church, Garner, N.C.

Mr.C.J.Curry, Treasurer,distributed copies of his report to the membership, and filed copies with the Church Clerk for record.

RECOMMENDATIONS FROM THE BOARD OF DEACONS

The following recommendations were presented from the Board of Deacons by the newly elected chairman of the board, Mr.Carroll Weathers:

1. That the budget as submitted by the Finance Committee be adopted. The recommendation was adopted.

2. That expenditures for CARE packages to Miss Schilling, ~~daughter~~ niece of a former benefactor of the Church, now living in Germany, amounting to $50.00 be authorized. The recommendation was adopted and approved.

3. That two committees for repairs to the Church be constituted:

   A. Auditorium Improvement Committee
   B. Building Fund Committee

   The Pastor, Chairman of the Board of Deacons, and the Chairman of the Finance Committee were appointed to appoint the committees, and in such number as they deem appropriate.

   The Conference instructed the committees to be appointed to not employ an architect without authorization by the Conference.

4. That there be added to the Finance Committee, the chairmen of the Repair, Purchasing, and Parsonage Committee by virtue of their office.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Raleigh, North Carolina

JAN. 9, 1952

Changes in the Church Roll for the month of January, 1952:

Membership as of December 31, 1951		1,832
Received by letter		2
Received by statement		7
Lost by letter	-12	
Revised roll	- 1 *	
Membership as of January 31, 1952		1,828

Broadus E Jones

Dr. Broadus E. Jones, Moderator

J. Everett Hunter

J. Everett Hunter, Church Clerk

* By death: Mrs. J.W. Trent, St. Luke's Home (Death occurred about seven or eight years ago).

CHANGES IN CHURCH ROLL FOR THE MONTH OF JANUARY 1952

Received by Letter

Miss Daphne Eller
1410 Hillsboro Street

Mr. Albert Leath
201 Pine Street
Wake Forest, N. C.

Received by Statement

Mrs. William White Bradshaw
2630 St. Marys Street

Mr. Warren M. Cratch
8 E. Peace Street

Mrs. Warren M. Cratch
8 E. Peace Street

Mr. J. Russell Nipper
H-5 Raleigh Apts.

Miss Betty Ann Snyder
617 S. Boylan Ave.

Mr. Gene Walter
1208 Filmore Street

Mr. Jimmy Windham
143 Tucker - Box 4652
State College

Lost by Death

Mrs. J. W. Trent
St. Luke's Home

Lost by Letter

Mr. Harry Lee Davis
Mrs. Harry Lee Davis
Mr. Johnnie W. Evans
Mr. Alton Fonville
Mr. E. H. Griffin
Mrs. E. H. Griffin
Lt. Lawrence H. Harris
Mrs. Lawrence H. Harris
Mrs. Mary Hare Macon
Miss Doris Moore
Mrs. Fred Arthur Webb, Jr.
Mrs. John E. Williams

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Modified Unified Budget
Year 1952

JAN 9 1952

Budget Items		
1. Current Expenses		$ 47,963
Administrative Expenses	$ 29,545	
Operating and Maintenance of Plant and Parsonage	8,150	
Choir Expenses	4,020	
Sunday School Expenses	2,500	
Women's Missionary Union Expenses	578	
Baptist Training Union Expenses	1,000	
Charity	1,020	
Contingencies	650	
Purchase of Equipment	500	
2. Home Missions		1,191
W.M.U. Special - Annie Armstrong Offering	1,191	
3. State Missions		1,240
Women's Missionary Union Special	940	
State Missions - Direct	300	
4. Baptist Hospital		1,700
Through pledges	1,500	
Special Mothers Day offering	200	
5. Baptist Orphanage		1,900
Through pledges	1,400	
Special Thanksgiving offering	500	
6. Foreign Missions		5,045
W.M.U. Special - Lottie Moon Offering	2,650	
Foreign Missionary's Salary	2,000	
Miscellaneous through the Sunday School	395	
7. Associational Missions		2,400
Contribution for Salary and Expense of Missionary	900	
Contribution for expansion (New Church)	1,500	
8. Community Missions		2,680
Baptist Student Union - Meredith College	275	
Baptist Student Union - N. C. State College	400	
American Bible Society	100	
Miscellaneous through the Sunday School	530	
Miscellaneous through the W.M.U.	275	
Good Will Center	1,100	
9. Heck-Jones Memorial		908
10. Wake Forest College - Enlargement Program		4,500
Total Missions and Benevolences		21,564
11. Cooperative Program		19,000
Total Missions, Benevolences and Cooperative Program		40,564
Total Current Expenses, Missions, Benevolences and Cooperative Program		88,527
12. Payment on Bank Loan and Interest		4,125
Total Budget		$ 92,652
Deduct:		
Women's Missionary Union's Special Items	$ 5,689	
Baptist Hospital Special Offering	200	
Baptist Orphanage Special Offering	500	6,389
Balance to be paid through pledges and loose collections		$ 86,263

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Secretary	1,980	
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Church Hostess Salary	1,800	
Supervisor of Nursery Salary	125	
Supply Pastor's Remuneration and Expenses	300	
Retirement Plan	175	
Pastor's Automobile Expense Allowance	300	
Director of Education Auto Expense Allowance	300	
Youth Directors Auto Expense Allowance	300	
Traveling Expenses	250	
Special Religious Services	500	
Religious Emphasis Week	300	
Printing and Postage	2,500	
Telephone	300	
Office Supplies and Expenses	700	
Auditor's Fee	200	
Visual Education	150	
Special College Bus	1,000	
Flowers	80	
Kitchen Supplies and Expenses	100	
Other Administrative and General Expenses	590	
Social Security Tax	315	
Total Administrative and General Expenses		$ 29,545
Operation and Maintenance of Plant and Parsonage:		
Fuel	1,000	
Lights and water	950	
Insurance	600	
Sexton's Salary	1,980	
Maid's Salary	1,320	
Sexton's Helpers Salaries	700	
Building Service Supplies	400	
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Music	150	
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Charity:		
Authorized by the Board of Deacons	210	
Miscellaneous through the Sunday School	565	
Miscellaneous	245	
Total Charity		1,020
Contingencies		650
Purchase of Equipment		500
Total Budget for Current Expenses:		$ 47,963

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Raleigh, North Carolina

February 6,1952

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The following letters and certificates of membership were granted:

Name	To Join
Mr. and Mrs.Francis Earl Beaudry,Jr.	First Baptist Church, High Point, N.C.
Mr.N.A.Dunn,III	Millbrook Baptist Church, Millbrook, N.C.
Mr. and Mrs.Tommy T.Hayes,Jr.	College Park Baptist Church, Greensboro, N.C.
Mrs.Glenn I.Hodge	Samaria Baptist Church, Raleigh, N.C. R 2
Dr. and Mrs.Edward Glazener	The Pullen Memorial Baptist Church, Raleigh, N.C.
Mr.S.Charles Gresham	Philadelphia Baptist Church, Stanfield, N.C.
Mrs.Ernest Mitchell	First Baptist Church, Charlotte 2, N.C.

Certificates of Membership

Mrs.W.M.Scott	Westminister Presbyterian Church, Raleigh,N.C.
Mrs.Ralph G.Knight,Jr.	White Memorial Presbyterian Church, Raleigh, N.C.
Mrs.John Adams (nee Miss Frances Busbee)	Ernest Myatt Presbyterian Church, Raleigh, N.C. R 3

Mr.C.J.Curry, Church Treasurer presented mimeographed copies of his report to the membership and filed copies with the Church Clerk for record. He also read extracts of a report from Mr.Willis G.Briggs, Custodian of Special Funds, which report was adopted and filed with the Clerk for record.

Upon motion duly seconded, it was directed that a committee composed of Mrs.Gilmore, Mr.W.M.Murray, and Mrs.B.Y.Tyner, select a suitable gift for Dr.McLean as an honorarium not in excess of $50.00.

Upon motion of Mr.Robert Simms,Jr., and seconded, it was directed that the person who serves as chairman of the Fund Raising Committee each year be automatically placed on the Finance Committee for the ensuing year.

RECOMMENDATIONS FROM THE BOARD OF DEACONS
Presented by Mr.Edgar Wyatt, Secretary to Board of Deacons:

1. That a consultant be employed to confer with the Auditorium Improvement Committee, and that any fees incurred be paid out of the Improvement Fund. A motion to employ such a consultant was carried.

2. That the dates for beginning the Building Fund campaign be changed from April to March 23rd and March 30,1952.
The motion to change the dates was carried.

First Baptist Church
Raleigh, North Carolina

February 6,1952

CHANGES IN THE CHURCH ROLL FOR THE MONTH OF FEBRUARY

Membership as of January 31,1952----------		1,828
Received by letter		7
Received by statement		2
Received by Baptism		6
Lost by letter	13	
Lost by death:		

Mrs.Harry C.Hunter
February 19,1952

Membership as of February 29,1952 ---------- 1,829 *

* Subject to change after the roll has been revised.

We were dismissed with prayer by the Paster.

Broadus E Jones

Dr.Broadus E.Jones, Moderator

J.Everett Hunter

J.Everett Hunter, Church Clerk

WILLIS G. BRIGGS PAUL C. WEST

BRIGGS & WEST
ATTORNEYS AT LAW
RALEIGH, N. C.

January 9, 1951

Mr. C. J. Curry, Tres.
First Baptist Church
Raleigh, North Carolina

Dear Mr. Curry:

Attached hereto you will find a statement of the Church funds in my hands as trustee. Three of these accounts are for the Church, one for the Sunday School and the others for the Woman's Missionary Society. Of the Latter the Briggs, Pittman and Sweepson is a consolidated fund.

Very truly yours,

Willis G. Briggs Jr.

Willis G. Briggs

WGB:jgm

ACCOUNTS FOR FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

WILLIS G. BRIGGS, TRUSTEE

James D. Nunn Fund - Died 1875 - Will in Book 35, page 318

Item Four. I hereby bequeath and devise allmy real and personal property of every kind and description to the trustees of the Baptist Church in the City of Raleigh of which I am a member and their successors in office forever upon the trust hereinafter and hereinbefore mentioned.

Item Five. I devise the trustees aforesaid to convert my property into money as soon as convenient and to loan the same at not more than the legal rate of interest and to secure repayment of the same by requiring good security and in addition thereto a first mortgage upon real estate the assessed value of which for taxation shall be equal to the sum loaned.

1951				
Jan. 7	Assets on hand	$5,456.60	Assets on hand Jan. 7, 1952	
	Int. rec'd. 1951	232.00		
		$5,688.60	Cyrus Thompson due 8/10/51	$ 900.00
			Milton Thomas	165.00
			Allen Matthews from 8/30/51	318.27
			Bal. on note N. Richardson	35.00
			Note & d.oft Wm. Corbin, 4/20/52	200.00
			R. J. Batten note & d of t	1,300.00
			Bal. Chas. Terrell	810.50
			Sav. Acct. #257	1,859.83
			Jan. 7/52 assets on hand	$5,588.60
			1/24/51 Pd. C. J. Curry, Trea.	100.00
				$5,688.60

E. Faison Fund - Died 1911 - Will in Book G, page 428

Request First Baptist Church $500.00

951			1951		
an. 1	Sav. Acct. #554	$524.80	Oct. 11	Pd. C. J. Curry, Trea.	$ 35.00
	Int. from bk.	12.06	Jan. 7/52	Bal. Sav. Acct. #554	502.86
		$537.86			$537.86

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Selina Jenkins Fund - Died 1899 - Will Book D, page 385

Item Three. Balance of my estate to Trustees of First Baptist Church to be used by them whether principal or interest as they may deem best to aid in caring for the indigent poor of said church.

Principal Aug. 12, 1932 $356.78 (included J. S. Lyon $92.50 note worthless)

1950					
Jan. 1	Assets on hand	$419.33	Prudence Jones bal.		$ 30.00
	Bank interest	7.41	Sav. acct. #324		381.74
		$426.74	Jan-7/52 on hand		$411.74
			Pd. C. J. Curry Trea.		15.00
					$426.74

Eugene Schilling Fund - Died 1929 - Will Book K, page 190

Item Seven. I give and bequeath the sum of $500.00 to the Sunday School of the First Baptist Church, Raleigh, North Carolina, to use it absolutely.

1951		
Jan. 1	Bal. Sav. Acct. #22	$703.77
1952		
Jan. 7	Interest rec'd. #22	15.81
	Amt. on hand acct. #22	$719.58

Sarah G. Briggs, Elizabeth Briggs Pittman and Virginia B. Swepson Funds, Womans Missionary Society. Mrs. Briggs died in 1938 - Will Book N, page 185, bequeathed $1,000.00; Mrs. Pittman died in 1949 - Will Book S, page 96, bequest $300.00; Mrs. Swepson died in 1901 - Will Book D, page 479, bequest $1,000.00.

1951			1951		
Jan. 1	Assets on hand	$2,332.32	Jan. 7.	J. B. Beddingfield Bal.	$ 375.00
	Int. collected	99.91		Annie Jones bal.	86.50
		$2,423.23		Eunice Emory note	95.00
				Mary Dunn note & d.t.	700.00
					$1,256.50
				Sav. Acct. #626	1,052.69
				Sav. Acct. #729	14.04
			Jan. 7/52	Total Assets	$2,323.23
			Oct. 11	Pd. Mrs. Mullis, W. M. S.	50.00
				Pd. Mrs. Mullis, W. M. S.	60.00
					$2,423.23

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Fannie E. S. Heck Fund W. M. S. Died 1915 - Will Book H, page 206

"9. I wish $100.00 given to the Womans Missionary Society of the First Baptist Church of Raleigh this to be placed by them at interest to perpetually pay my annual membership fee in the Society of which I have long been a member."

1951			1951		
Jan. 1	Assets on hand	$262.44	Jan. 29	M. Johnson & wife	$200.00
	int. collected	1.69		Bal. Sav. Acct. #627	51.13
		$264.13	Jan. 7/52	Assets forwarded	$251.13
			Oct. 11	Pd. Mrs. Mullis	13.00
					$264.13

Mollie B. Wyatt Fund W. M. S. - Died 1929 - Book of Wills K, page 212

Item 15. I give and bequeath to the Womans Missionary Society of the First Baptist Church at Raleigh, North Carolina, of which I am a member of, the sum of $500.00 in money to be invested and the interest used for necessary purposes under the direction of said Society."

1951			1952		
Jan. 1	Assets on hand	$356.92		Note & d.t. Chas. Irving	$295.00
	Interest rec'd	7.35		Sav. Acct. #403	55.27
		$364.27	1951) Jan. 7/52	assets	$350.27
			Oct. 11	Pd. Mrs. Mullis Trea.	14.00
					$364.27

Elizabeth Bellamy Peele Fund - Died 1948

$1,000.00 to W. M. S., Book of Wills S, page 21

1951					
Jan. 1	Sav. Acct. #2729	$1,025.24	1/7/52	Bal. Sav. Acct. #2729	$1,006.10
	Interest rec'd.	25.86	10/11/51	Pd. Mrs. Mullis, Trea.	45.00
		$1,051.10			$1,051.10

W. S. PENNY MEMORIAL FUND - Died 1947 - Will Book R, page 131

Not a bequest but gift from his wife

1951					
Jan. 1	Amt. Sav. Acct. #2411	$ 762.62	Jan. 7/52	Bal. Sav. Acct. #2411	$1,005.48
Feb. 2	Additional bequest	250.00	Oct. 11	Pd. Mrs. Mullis, Trea.	30.00
	Interest rec'd.	22.86	1951		$1,035.48
		$1,035.48			

Mrs. Annie M. de Parker - Bequest To the Mon Fund W. M. S.

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Mrs. Annie Wade Parker - Bequest Lottie Moon Fund W. M. S.
Died 1950

1951					
Jan. 1	Sav. Acct. #371	$500.00	Bal. Sav. Acct. #371		$502.56
	Interest rec'd.	12.56	Oct. 11 Pd. Mrs. Mullis, Trea.		10.00
		$512.56			$512.56

NAME OF FUND	On Hand Jan. 1,1951	Net Remitted Church or W.M.S. in1951	On Hand Jan. 7, 1952
James D. Nunn	$ 5,456.60	$100.00	$ 5,588.60
W. E. Faison	524.80	35.00	502.86
Selina Jenkins	417.33	15.00	411.74
Eugene Schilling (S. S. Fund)	703.77		719.58
Sarah G. Briggs Elizabeth B. Pittman Virginia B. Swepson (W. M. S. Fund)	2,332.32	110.00	2,323.50
Fannie E. S. Heck (W. M. S. Fund)	262.44	13.00	251.13
Mollie B. Wyatt (W. M. S. Fund)	356.92	14.00	350.27
Elizabeth B. Peele	1,025.24	45.00	1,006.10
W. S. Penny Memorial	762.62	30.00	1,005.48
Mrs. Annie Wade Parker	500.00	10.00	502.56
	$12,342.04	$372.00	$12,661.82

Mary Lynch Johnson
Meredith College
Raleigh, North Carolina
December 10, 1951

Dear Mr. Hunter:

The enclosed letter explains itself. Evidently the writer, in choosing the stronger churches from the minutes of the association or convention for his appeal slipped a line, & sent the First church letter in our Sunday School secretaries care.

Because the Emmanuel Baptist church is new and struggling, and has been the recipient of aid, the members were touched by this appeal, even though it was not meant for us, and took up a collection which amounted to $23.68 for this still smaller & poorer church.

May I express again the deep gratitude of our church for the generous aid from the First church? You may be interested to know that we were until recently, able to pay for our building as we went. When it began to turn cold it was necessary to finish the building more quickly. We have borrowed $6000, which enables us to pay off the $1000 owed on the lot, & finish the building inside & out. It is a small building, which will eventually be part of our Sunday school when we do finally build a church. The rest of the ~~building~~ we can pay it off in ~~less~~ more than half that time. Our collection for the building fund each month has always been larger than the amount.

We are grateful for your help. & wish to ask your prayers in behalf of our church, that we may ~~realize~~ adequately the opportunity which we have in our neighborhood

Most sincerely yours

Mary Lynch Johnson.

CHANGES IN CHURCH ROLL FOR THE MONTH OF FEBRUARY 1952

Received by Letter

Mr. Hale Bryson
209 Pine Street

Mrs. Hale Bryson
209 Pine Street

Mr. W. M. Overton
206 E. Jones St., Apt. 305

Mrs. W. M. Overton
206 E. Jones St., Apt. 305

Miss Bessie W. Poole
201 Hillsboro St.

Mr. James Womble
Cameron Court Apts.

Mrs. James Womble
Cameron Court Apts.

Received by Statement

Miss Stella Stuart
117 W. Edenton St., Apt. 3

Mrs. James A. Stuart
117 W. Edenton St., Apt. 3

Received by Baptism

Mrs. Frank D. Castlebury
5546 Hillsboro Road

Mr. James Haywood
104 Turlington Dorm, State College

Mrs. Cola R. Morris, Jr.
1220 Filmore St.

Mr. Council R. Renfrow
902 W. South St.

Mr. John Taylor
3005 Banbury St.

Mrs. Gene Walter
1208 Filmore Street

Lost by Death

Mrs. Harry C. Hunter (2-19-52)

Lost by Letter

Mrs. John Adams
Mr. Francis Earl Beaudry, Jr.
Mrs. Francis Earl Beaudry, Jr.
Mr. N. A. Dunn, III
Dr. Edward Glazener
Mrs. Edward Glazener
Mr. S. Charles Gresham
Mr. Tommy T. Hayes, Jr.
Mrs. Tommy T. Hayes, Jr.
Mrs. Glenn I. Hodge
Mrs. Ralph G. Knight, Jr.
Mrs. Ernest Mitchell
Mrs. W. M. Scott

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Raleigh, North Carolina
March 26,1952

The Church met in delayed conference due to several conflicting meetings during the month of March. The minutes of February 6th were read and approved.

The following letters and certificates were granted:

Name	To Join
Mrs.E.R.Clark	First Baptist Church, Leaksville, N.C.
Mrs.Jean Penny Cofield	Robertsville Baptist Church, Oak Ridge, Tenn.
Mrs.David Lane (Nee Miss Lorna Weathers)	First Baptist Church, Winston-Salem, N.C.
Mr. and Mrs.L.B.McCarthy	Ocean View Baptist Church, Norfolk 3, Va.
Mrs.B.R.Milliner (Nee Miss Virginia Pearl Davis)	Church of her choice, Norfolk, Va.
Mrs.Marion Odom (Nee Miss Marian Penny)	Ahoskie Baptist Church, Ahoskie, N.C.
Mr. and Mrs.Claud G.Rutledge	First Baptist Church, Goldsboro, N.C.
Mrs.Charles Suggs (Nee Miss Jane Isibel Phinney)	Memorial Baptist Church, Greenville, N.C.
Miss Marjorie Wilson	Rural Hall Baptist Church, Rural Hall, N.C.

CERTIFICATE OF MEMBERSHIP

Mrs.Z.W.Johnson (Nee Miss Eula Laughter)	Wesley Memorial Methodist Church, Raleigh, N.C.

Mimeographed copies of the Treasurer's report were distributed to the members, and copies filed with the Church Clerk for record.

No business was transacted

CHANGES IN THE CHURCH ROLL FOR THE MONTH OF MARCH:

Membership as of February 29,1952----------		1,829
Received by letter		14
Lost by letter	12	
Lost by death	2	

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Mrs.Julia B.Ferrell
March 3,1952

Mrs Louis Thomas Yarbrough
March 24,1952

Membership as of March 31,1952----------1,829

We were dismissed with prayer by the Pastor.

Broadus E Jones

Broadus E.Jones, Moderator

J.Everett Hunter

J.Everett Hunter, Church Clerk

CHANGES IN CHURCH ROLL FOR THE MONTH OF MARCH 1952

Received by Letter

Mrs. W. Amos Abrams
2701 Anderson Drive

Mr. James R. Beaty
931 Tower Street

Mrs. James R. Beaty
931 Tower Street

Mr. George Fairbanks, Jr.
2807 Anderson Drive

Mrs. William H. Gill
1612 Oberlin Road

Mrs. Leslie N. Johnston, Jr.
22E Vetville, State College

Mrs. Harry E. LeGrand
3019 Banbury Road

Miss Marie Russell
913 New Bern Avenue

Mr. Walter Lee Smith
Y.M.C.A.

Mr. Oliver W. Wall
2807 Anderson Drive

Mrs. Oliver W. Wall
2807 Anderson Drive

Mr. Donald M. Ward
418 S. Boylan Avenue

Mr. Harvey L. Whitehurst
3005 Leonard Street

Mrs. Harvey L. Whitehurst
3005 Leonard Street

Lost by Death

Miss Julia B. Ferrell (3-3-52)

Mr. Louis Thomas Yarbrough (3-24-52)

Lost by Letter

Mrs. Edward R. Clark
Mrs. Jean Penny Cofield
Mrs. Z. W. Johnson
Mrs. David Lane (nee Lorna Weathers)
Mr. L. B. McCarthy
Mrs. L. B. McCarthy
Mrs. B. R. Milliner (nee Virginia Pearl Davis)
Mrs. Marion Odom (nee Marie Perry)
Mr. Claud G. Rutledge
Mrs. Claud G. Rutledge
Mrs. Charles Suggs (nee Jane Isobel Phinney)
Miss Marjorie Wilson

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Raleigh, North Carolina

April 23,1952

Due to several conflicts, the regular Church conference was held on April 23rd rather than April 9th. The minutes of March 26th Conference were read and approved.

The following letters and certificates of membership were granted:

Name	To join
Mr.Ben C.Boney	Elizabethtown Baptist Church, Elizabethtown, N.C.
Mr.James Garland Bullock	The church of his choice, Greensboro, N.C.
Miss Betty Jane Feathers	Cary Baptist Church, Cary, N.C.
Miss Marla Lynn Feathers	Cary Baptist Church, Cary, N.C.
Mrs.C.N.Creech Futrell	The church of her choice, Pine Level, N.C.
Mr.Ralph C.Hodges	Clinton Baptist Church, Clinton, N.C.
Mr.Jimmy R.Windham	First Baptist Church, Live Oak, Florida
Mr.Nathan Cullins,Jr.	The church of his choice (By request of their
Mr. and Mrs.David Cullins	The church of their choice(mother over the tele-
Mr.Jacob Price Cullins	The church of his choice (phone

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Mrs.Richard Dixon (nee Miss Betty Bobbitt)	The church of her choice, Edenton, N.C.
Mr.James Raymond Brockwell	White Memorial Presbyterian Church, Raleigh, N.C.

Mr.C.J.Curry, Church Treasurer, presented the membership with mimeographed copies of his report, copies of which were filed with the Clerk for record.

RECOMMENDATIONS FROM THE BOARD OF DEACONS

1. That five dollars a month be authorized to engage a competent person to keep the nursery during the Sunday night services.
2. That the repair committee be authorized to repair and paint the YWoung Men's Bible Class room at an expense not to exceed $200.00.
3. That the Sunday morning services continue to be broadcast over station W.R.A.L. for not longer than the next three months at a cost of $7.50 per Sunday.

The Building Fund chairman, Mr.Wm. Lassiter reported that pledges to-date including donations were $58,855.52, and that cash received was $15,658.02. Every member of the committee and every member of the Board of Deacons pledged.

Mr.C.F.Gaddy made a motion that the committee proceed as rapidly as possible to secure plans, prices, and the time estimated as to when the work could be completed. The committee to secure all information necessary with the exception of awarding contracts, and report at a special called conference.

After considerable discussion, the gist of which was to not make any more debt than possible, but to proceed with the committee in charge of raising funds, Mr.Gaddy withdrew his motion.

Mr.William Lassiter stated that if Mr.Gaddy did not wish to have his motion restored, he wished to make the same motion. This motion was seconded by Mr.R.N. Simms,Jr.. The motion carried.

Mr.Carroll Weathers expressed his thanks to the Campaign Committee, and the appreciation of the Church for their work in raising the funds.

Mr.Lassiter wished to include Mrs.Cratch, Office Secretary, who has worked beyond the call of duty to help. A vote of thanks was extended for this service.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Raleigh, North Carolina

April 23,1952

Changes in the Church roll for the month of April:

Membership as of March 31,1952	1,829
Received by letter	14
Received by Baptism	15
Lost by letter	12
Membership as of April 30,1952	1,846

We were dismissed with prayer by the Pastor.

Broadus E. Jones

Broadus E. Jones, Moderator

J. Everett Hunter

J. Everett Hunter, Church Clerk

CHANGES IN CHURCH ROLL FOR THE MONTH OF APRIL 1952

Received by Letter

Mrs. J. D. Blount
532 N. Wilmington St.

Miss Betty Brewer
222 Chamberlain Street

Mrs. Myrtle Coates
316 W. Jones Street

Miss Rowan Coates
316 W. Jones Street

Mr. Willie Duke
314 W. Jones Street

Miss Carrie Freeman
406 North Blount Street

Mrs. O. B. Hill
2 Rosemary Street

Miss Betty G. Holland
2506½ Anderson Drive

Mr. James B. Hoyle
2 Rosemary Street

Mrs. James B. Hoyle
2 Rosemary Street

Miss Betty Lou Jones
406 North Blount Street

Miss Opal Virginia Martin
1702 Hillsboro Street

Miss Iva Dean Morris
229 E. Edenton Street

Miss Alice Marie Thompson
115½ N. McDowell Street

Received by Baptism

Miss Nancy Berryman
509 E. Franklin Street

Miss Ann Clark
2811 Barmettler Street

Miss Mary Jo Clark
2811 Barmettler Street

Received by Baptism (Cont'd)

Mr. Van Dawson Durrett, Jr.
2346 Churchill Road

Mr. Albert L. Haskins, III
2331 Churchill Road

Miss Joan Myatt Hill
511 Oakwood Avenue, Apt. 2

Mrs. Myrtle Hill
511 Oakwood Avenue, Apt. 2

Miss Sue Anne James
2609 Cartier Drive

Mr. John Johnson
2515 White Oak Road

Miss Mary Jane Johnson
2427 Glenwood Avenue

Miss Jane Liles
3025 Randolph Drive

Mr. Jerry Liles
3025 Randolph Drive

Miss Lillian Shore May
409 Chamberlain Street

Miss Edith Olive
812 Runnymede Road

Miss Helen Simms
1105 Harvey Street

Lost by Letter

Mr. Ben C. Boney
Mr. James Raymond Brockwell
Mr. James Garland Bullock
Mr. David Cullins
Mrs. David Cullins
Mr. Jacob Price Cullins
Mr. Nathan Cullins, Jr.
Mrs. Richard Dixon (nee Betty Bobbitt)
Miss Marla Lynn Feathers
Miss Betty Jane Feathers
Mr. Ralph C. Hodges
Mr. Jimmy R. Windham

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Raleigh, North Carolina

May 14,1952

The Church met in delayed conference and the minutes of April 23rd were read and approved.

The following letters were granted:

Name	To join
Mr.Wilbur Matthews Bumgardner,Jr.	Longview Baptist Church, Raleigh, N.C.
Mr. and Mrs.J.W.Farr	Cary Baptist Church, Cary, N.C.
Mr. and Mrs.H.L.Ferguson,Jr.	First Baptist Church, Siler City, N.C.
Mr. and Mrs.J.G.Garrett	Millbrook Baptist Church, Millbrook, N.C.
Jack Allen and Kenneth Garvin Garrett	" " " " " "
Mrs.Katherine H.Lamb	The church of her choice, Southern Pines, N.C.
Mr. and Mrs.Henry Taylor	First Baptist Church, Greensboro, N.C.
Mrs.Burke Vernon Weathers	St.Johns Baptist Church, Raleigh, N.C.

CERTIFICATES OF MEMBERSHIP

Mr. and Mrs.W.W.Hathaway	Highland Park Methodist Church, Dallas, Texas
Mr.C.B.Taylor,Jr.	The church of his choice, Raleigh,N.C.

Mimeographed copies of the Treasurer's report were distributed to the membership, and copies left with the Clerk for record. The Treasurer turned over to the Church Clerk copies of the audit for the year 1951 as made by A.T.Allen and Company, Certified Public Accountants. The audit as made was accepted by the conference.

RECOMMENDATIONS FROM THE BOARD OF DEACONS

1. That for the remainder of the year,1952, the Church continue to send CARE packages to Miss Schilling in Germany. These packages to cost $10.00 each month.

2. That funds allotted to the following classes be made available for Foreign Missions: Livingston - Johnson Class $150.00, Marie Smith Class $125.00, Fellowship Class $120.00. Funds to come from Foreign Missions - Chinese Children.

3. That the House Committee be allowed to use as it sees fit $54.79 profit from lunches served during the Revival.

4. That the purchase of a typewriter for the office be approved.

Upon motion by Mr.W.L.Wyatt that all of the recommendations be approved, the motion was seconded and carried.

Mr.McIver Allen, Chairman of the Committee on Committees presented the following: Mr.Carroll Weathers resigned as chairman of the Pulpit Supply Committee, and Mr.Earl Hostettler was appointed to take his place. Mrs.Herbert Weatherspoon resigned as chairman of the Communion Service Committee, and Mrs.Pembroke Baker, Vice Chairman was placed in her place, together with Mrs.Spignor. On account of ill health, Mr.Albert Haskins resigned as chairman of the Building and Repair Committee and was succeeded by Mr.W.F.Morriss.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Raleigh, North Carolina
May 14,1952

Changes in the Church roll for the month of May:

Membership as of April 30,1952----------		1,846
Received by letter----------		11
Received by Baptism----------		10
Lost by letter----------	16	
Membership as of May 31,1952----------		1,851

We were dismissed with prayer by Mr.N.A.Dunn.

Carroll Weathers, Acting Moderator

J.Everett Hunter, Church Clerk

CHANGES IN CHURCH ROLL FOR THE MONTH OF MAY 1952

Received by Letter

Mrs. Daisy B. Albritton
314 Hillsboro Street, Apt. #2

E. T. Currin
1821 W. Smallwood Drive

Mrs. E. T. Currin
1621 W. Smallwood Drive

Mr. Wallace S. Dunn
2324 Byrd Street

Miss Dru Morgan
Meredith College

Mrs. W. H. Rawls
2815 Bedford Avenue

Mrs. E. A. Rubes
426 N. Person Street

Mr. Charles Satterwhite
2505 Fairview Road

Mr. H. S. Shearin
219 Park Avenue

Mrs. H. S. Shearin
219 Park Avenue

Mr. J. Alpheus Stallings
320 E. Edenton Street

Received by Baptism

Mr. Carlyle Adams, Jr.
2125 Cowper Drive

Mr. Randle Burt Carpenter, Jr.
2132 Cowper Drive

Miss Frances Douglass
803 Holt Drive

Mr. J. L. James, Jr.
2702 Asheland Street

Mrs. J. L. James, Jr.
2702 Asheland Street

Received by Baptism (Cont'd)

Mr. Michael L. Karmazin
1922 Smallwood Avenue

Mrs. Michael L. Karmazin
1922 Smallwood Avenue

Mrs. J. A. Nicholson
3112 Eton Road

Miss Mary Miller Powers
2529 White Oak Road

Miss Dorothy Anne Terry
303½ S. Dawson Street

Lost by Letter

Mr. Wilbur Matthews Bumgardner, Jr.
Mr. J. W. Farr
Mrs. J. W. Farr
Mr. H. L. Ferguson, Jr.
Mrs. H. L. Ferguson, Jr.
Mr. J. G. Garrett
Mrs. J. G. Garrett
Mr. Jack Allen Garrett
Mr. Kenneth Garvin Garrett
Mr. W. W. Hathway
Mrs. W. W. Hathaway
Mrs. Katherine H. Lamb
Mr. C. B. Taylor, Jr.
Mr. Henry Taylor
Mrs. Henry Taylor
Mrs. Burke Vernon Weathers

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Raleigh, North Carolina

June 4, 1952

The Church met in regular conference, and the minutes of May 14th were read and approved.

The following letters were granted:

Name	To join
Mr.Albert Leath,Jr.	The church of his choice, Hendersonville, N.C.
Miss Bobby Jean Callahan	The church of her choice, Baskerville, Va.

Mimeographed copies of the Treasurer's report were distributed to the membership, with copies filed with the Church Clerk for record.

RECOMMENDATIONS FROM THE BOARD OF DEACONS were presented by Edgar Wyatt, Secretary to the Board as follows:

1. That a parking place be rented in Charles Johnson's parking lot at $6.00 per month and that application for another be made for the use of Mrs.Preston and William Simpson.

2. That $17,500 of the cash on hand be invested in The First Federal Savings and Loan Association of Raleigh at 3% per annum. This investment is to come from the Auditorium Improvement Fund.

3. That the Treasurer be authorized to offer to reimburse our proportional part of the cost of the union services held in the Edenton Street Methodist Church each Sunday night.

Changes in the Church roll for the month of June:

Membership as of May 31,1952----------1,851
Received by letter---------- 3
Lost by letter---------- 2
Lost by death:

Mr.Walter Nathan Johnson
June 24,1952

Membership as of June 30,1952---------- 1,851

We were dismissed with prayer by the Pastor.

Broadus E.Jones,Moderator

James L.Norris, Asst. Church Clerk.

CHANGES IN CHURCH ROLL FOR THE MONTH OF JUNE 1952

Received by Letter

Mr. Walter S. Garrison
3101 Raymond Street

Mrs. Walter S. Garrison
3101 Raymond Street

Mr. Rudolph Pate
2713 Cartier Drive

Lost by Letter

Miss Betsy Jean Callahan

Mr. Albert Leath, Jr.

Lost by Death

Mr. Walter Nathan Johnson (June 24, 1952)

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Raleigh, North Carolina
July 9,1952

The Church met in regular conference, and the minutes for June 4th were read and approved.

The following letters were granted:

Name	To Join
Mr.Richard L.Bernard	Forest Hills Baptist Church, Raleigh, N.C.
Miss Bettie Rea Bradshaw	Temple Baptist Church, Gastonia, N.C.
Miss Marjorie Walker	Temple Baptist Church, Gastonia, N.C.
Mrs.O.B.Hill	Hayes Barton Baptist Church, Raleigh, N.C.
Mr. and Mrs.James B.Hoyle	Hayes Barton Baptist Church, Raleigh, N.C.
Miss Mary Gordon Maxwell	First Baptist Church, High Point, N.C.
Mr. and Mrs.M.L.Shipman	Broadway Baptist Church, Louisville, Ky.
Miss Martha Stallings	College Park Baptist Church, Greensboro, N.C.
Mrs.R.N.Whitehead (nee Miss Myrtle Wheeler)	Weldon Baptist Church, Weldon, N.C.
Miss Betty Winchester	West Asheville Baptist Church, West Asheville, N.C.

The Treasurer, Mr.C.J.Curry, distributed mimeographed copies of his report to the membership and left two copies with the Clerk for record.

Upon motion of Mr.C.J.Curry and duly seconded, the conference authorized the Treasurer to deposit from the Auditorium Improvement Fund, as often as an accumulation of as much as $1,000 had been paid to the fund, this surplus in The First Federal Savings and Loan Association of Raleigh at 3% interest. The motion was carried.

Mr.Curry also stated that he had paid $400 to the Treasurer of the Raleigh Baptist Association to be applied on the purchase of a lot for a new Baptist church to be built on Western Boulevard. This payment was made from the $1500 set aside for Associational Missions. Upon motion of Mr.Curry, seconded by Mr.Earl Hostettler, the conference approved the action of Mr.Curry in this payment, and adopted the report of the Finance Committee that hereafter any payment from the balance of the $1500 fund for Associational Missions, for new churches must be designated by the Church conference before payment is to be made. This motion was carried.

The report of the Vacation Bible School was read by the Clerk. Upon motion of Dr.L.L.Carpenter, and seconded by Mr.Earl Hostettler, the conference voted thanks to the workers in the school who devoted their time and efforts to make this one of the best Vacation Bible Schools held in the First Baptist Church.

An announcement was made of the death of Miss Margueritte Schilling of Germany, for whom the Church was supplying CARE packages. Mr.Curry stated that CARE had returned the last check for $50 sent for packages.

Changes in the Church Roll for the Month of July:

Membership as of June 30,1952-----1,851
Received by letter---------- 1
Received by Baptism---------- 5
Lost by letter--------- 12
Lost by death:
Mr.Johnnie W. Purkerson
July 24,1952

Membership as of July 31,1952------1,844

We were dismissed with prayer by the Pastor.

Broadus E.Jones, Moderator

J.Everett Hunter, Church Clerk

CHANGES IN CHURCH ROLL FOR THE MONTH OF JULY 1952

Received by Letter

Miss Sara Tucker
122 Hillcrest Road

Received by Baptism

Miss Eleanor Brabble
225 E. Lane Street

Mr. George F. Bryan, Jr.
1329 Mordecai Drive

Miss Jean Grey Huggins
115½ N. McDowell Street

Miss Emily Jane Lloyd
110 East Jones Street

Lt. Theodore Noble
Fort Bragg, N. C.

Lost by Letter

Mr. Richard L. Bernard
Miss Jettie Rea Bradshaw
Mrs. O. B. Hill
Mr. James B. Hoyle
Mrs. James B. Hoyle
Miss Mary Gordon Maxwell
Mr. M. L. Shipman
Mrs. M. L. Shipman
Miss Martha Stallings
Miss Marjorie Walker
Mrs. R. N. Whitehead (nee Miss Myrtle Wheeler)
Miss Betty Winchester

Lost by Death

Mr. Johnnie W. Purkerson (July 24, 1952)

SOUTHERN BAPTIST VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL REPORT

N. C. P. O. Raleigh School began June 9, 1952 Association Raleigh

Negro or Indian or Spanish-speaking school, check the box that will show which type it was: Negro ☐; Indian ☐; Spanish-speaking ☐

Check box to show school's location: village, under 500; town, 500 to 2,500; city, more than 2,500. Open country ☐; village ☐; town ☐; city ☐

school; write name here: First Baptist Church

school; write name here:

d address Dr. Broadus E. Jones. 1547 Carr St.

. and address Mr. W. A. Helms. 1005 N. Peace St.

and address Mrs. E. S. Preston. 1025 Vance St.

For a union school write name of Baptist church on church school line to left; other names here. UNION ☐

For a joint school write on church school line to left name of church where school was held; other names here. JOINT ☐

For a mission or Negro school write here the names of persons or organizations that promoted it.

	Number
pupils	13
ot in a S. S.	-
ns of faith	-
ns	-
oining a church	1
students on	5
n days	8
daily: 3 hrs.; - min.	
9:00 till 12:00	
eparation Day	Yes
ere a parade?	No
school Est. $125.00	
offering $34.15	
at was it given?	Cooperative Program

ENROLMENT SUMMARY: Four regular departments only; others elsewhere.

Faculty enrolment	24
Pupil enrolment	131
Total enrolment	155
Average attendance	135

DEPARTMENTS: Put "x" in box for each department held.

Beginner ☑ Intermediate ☑

Primary ☑ Nursery Dpt. ☐

Junior ☑ Nursery ☑

All together (one group) ☐

ENROLLED PUPILS WHO GO TO SUNDAY SCHOOL

Bapt.	123	Epis.	2
Meth.	2	Misc.	
Pres.	3		
Disc.	1		
C. Chr.		Don't go and	
Cath.		Jews	

TEXTBOOKS: Circle letter of each book used. Before it write number of copies used.

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955
Beg.	B	(A)	B	A	B
Pri.	B	(C)	A	B	C
Jun.	B	(C)	D	A	B
Int.	B	(C)	D	A	B
Nur.	A	A	A	A	A

STANDARD: DIVISION A

Points		Points	
1	50	6	140
2	65	7	100
3	50	8	150
4	100	9	100
5	100	10	50
Total points			905
Grade			AA

DIVISION B

Total extra points	370
Number of items	17

ENROLMENT: FOUR REGULAR DEPARTMENTS

	Male	Female	Faculty	Total	Average Attend.
Beginner	18	19	7	44	39
Primary	21	25	8	54	44
Junior	13	26	6	45	41
Intermediate	1	8	3	12	11
General Officers →			6	6	6
Totals regular departments	53	78	30	161	141

ENROLMENT: EXTRA DEPARTMENTS (IF ANY)

Nursery Dpt.					
Babies under 3		2	1	3	2
Young People					
Adult					
Totals, all departments	53	80	31	164	143

NUMBER OF ENROLLED PUPILS BY AGES

Beginner		Primary		Junior		Intermediate	
4-yr.	25	6-yr.	7	9-yr.	9	13-yr.	1
5-yr.	12	7-yr.	15	10-yr.	12	14-yr.	3
		8-yr.	24	11-yr.	10	15-yr.	2
				12-yr.	8	16-yr.	3
Total	37		46		39		9

THE FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Raleigh, North Carolina
August 6,1952

The Church met in regular conference and the minutes for July 9th were read and approved.

The following letters were granted:

	To Join
Mr.Alexander E.Beddingfield	First Baptist Church, Clayton, N.C.
Miss Kathleen Chrisco	Union Grove Baptist Church, Seagrove, N.C.
Mrs.John W.Lancaster	Boylan Heights Baptist Church, Raleigh, N.C.
Miss Betsy Brooks McGee	Ardmore Baptist Church, Winston-Salem, N.C.
Mr.Billie Richardson	The church of his choice, Raleigh,N.C.
Mrs.Milton C.Reagan (nee Miss Lucy L. Richardson)	The church of her choice
Mr. and Mrs.Charles H.Saunders,Jr.	The church of her choice, Newport News, Va.

CERTIFICATES OF MEMBERSHIP

Mrs.R.A.Bashford	Edenton Street Methodist Church, Raleigh, N.C.
Mrs.Walter Perry Dickins	Edenton Street Methodist Church, Raleigh, N.C.
Mr. and Mrs.John S.Lawrence	White Memorial Presbyterian Church, Raleigh,N.C.

DELETED FROM ROLLS BY REQUEST

Mrs.O T.Luther*	Poole Road, Raleigh, N.C.

* This person stated that she had never been a member of the First Baptist Church of Raleigh, N.C.

Mimeographed copies of the Treasurer's report were filed with the Church Clerk for record, and copies distributed by the Treasurer to the membership.

Changes in the Church Roll for the month of August,1952:

Membership as of July 31,1952	1,844
Received by letter	1
Lost by letter	13
Lost by death -	

Mrs.H.D.Matheson
August 29,1952

Membership as of August 31,1952 ---------- 1,831

No business was transacted.

We were dismissed with prayer by Mr.Hugh Johnson.

Talker W.Brewer, Acting Moderator

J.Everett Hunter, Church Clerk

CHANGES IN CHURCH ROLL FOR THE MONTH OF AUGUST 1952

Received by Letter

Mrs. J. E. Coore, Jr.
312 Bickett Blvd.

Lost by Death

Mrs. H. D. Matheson (August 29, 1952)

Lost by Letter

Mrs. R. A. Bashford
Alexander E. Beddingfield
Miss Kathleen Chriscoe
Mrs. Walter Perry Dickins
Mrs. John W. Lancaster
Mr. John S. Lawrence
Mrs. John S. Lawrence
Mrs. O. T. Luther
Miss Betsy Brooks McGee
Mrs. Milton C. Reagan (nee Lucy L. Richardson)
Billie Richardson
Mr. Charles H. Saunders, Jr.
Mrs. Charles H. Saunders, Jr.

THE FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Raleigh, North Carolina
September 10,1952

The Church met in regular conference and the minutes of August 6th were read and approved.

The following letters were granted:

Name	To Join
Mr.William L.Carpenter	College Avenue Baptist Church, Annapolis, Md.
Miss Mary Evelyn Hensley	Bolen's Creek Baptist Church, Burnsville, N.C.
Mrs.Leslie N.Johnston,Jr.	First Baptist Church, Tulsa, Oklahoma
Mr.Robert Kinser	First Baptist Church, Oak Ridge, Tenn.
Mr.Silas J.Little	First Baptist Church, Asheville, N.C.
Miss Lillian Lu	The church of her choice, Louisville, Ky.
Mrs.J.R.Oliver	The church of her choice, Paces, Virginia
Miss Mona Peterson	Maffitt Village Baptist Church, Wilmington, N.C.
Mr.James Thomas	First Baptist Church, Pueblo, Colorado

CERTIFICATE OF MEMBERSHIP

Mrs.A.W.Bragg (nee Miss Lois Alford)
Asbury Methodist Church, Durham, N.C.

Mr.C.J.Curry, Church Treasurer distributed mimeographed copies of his report to the membership and left a copy with the Church Clerk for record.

Recommendations From The Board of Deacons:

1. Mr.T.W.Brewer, Vice Chairman presented the recommendations and made a motion that the recommendations be approved. First, a request from the Association's missionary, Mr.Pridgen for a donation of $1,000.00 to be applied on the purchase of a lot for a new church on Western Boulevard was made. Mr.Brewer moved that all funds in Associational Missions through September, not in excess of $1,000.00 be turned over to Mr.Pridgen for this purpose. The motion was carried.

2. That $500.00 be taken from the Charity Fund for our Missionary, Dr.Hudson McMillan, who is ill. The motion was carried.

Changes in the Church roll for September

Membership as of August 31,1952----------1,831
Received by letter---------- 16
Lost by death, dates unknown:

Mr.C.Scott Harris
Mrs.Ella Harris
Mrs.Lula Mae Jones
Mrs.J.S.Lumpkin

Mrs.George Norwood
September 1952

Lost by letter 10
Dropped from roll by request 2
Membership as of September 30----------1,830

We were dismissed with prayer by Dr.J.Clyde Turner.

Broadus E.Jones, Moderator

S.Everett Hunter, Church Clerk

CHANGES IN CHURCH ROLL FOR THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER

Received by Letter

Mr. Dan A. Bland
1608 Pineview Street

Mrs. Dan A. Bland
1608 Pineview Street

Miss Alma Davis
Meredith College

Miss Betty Ann Griffin
Meredith College

Mr. Carey G. Hackney
Q-3 Raleigh Apartments

Mrs. Carey G. Hackney
Q-3 Raleigh Apartments

Miss Gwen Horne
Meredith College

Mr. Richard K. Jackson
State College

Miss Betty Paschall
Meredith College

Mr. Ralph T. Pernell
1702 Wake Street

Mrs. Ralph T. Pernell
1702 Wake Street

Miss Joyce Phillips
Meredith College

Mr. Fred Scott
118 S. Boylan Avenue

Miss Ruth Thames
Meredith College

Mr. William T. Tinsley
State College

Miss Connie Woodall
Meredith College

Lost by Death

Mr. C. Scott Harris (Date Unknown)
Mrs. Ella Harris " "
Mrs. Lula Mae Jones " "
Mrs. J. S. Lumpkin " "
Mrs. George Norwood (Sept. 1952)

Lost by Letter

Mrs. A. W. (Lois Alford) Bragg
William L. Carpenter
Miss Mary Evelyn Hensley
Mrs. Leslie N. Johnston, Jr.
Mr. Robert Kinser
Mr. Silas J. Little
Miss Lillian Lu
Mrs. J. R. Oliver
Miss Mona Peterson
Mr. James Thomas

Dropped from Roll by Request

Mrs. G. J. Hebert (nee Lucille Greene)
Charles Hicks, Jr.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Raleigh, North Carolina
October 8,1952

The church met in regular conference and the minutes of September 10th were read and approved.

The following letters were granted:

Name	To Join
Mrs.J.W.Boykin	Forest Hills Baptist Church, Raleigh, N.C.
Mrs.Roy Cox	Snyder Memorial Baptist Church, Fayetteville, N.C.
Mr.W.Conan Doyle	Mt.Olivet Baptist Church, Cary, N.C.
Mr.Eugene C.Fender	First Baptist Church, Montgomery, Alabama
Miss Carrie Freeman	First Baptist Church, Bladenboro, N.C.
Mr. and Mrs.Andrew Goodwin	First Baptist Church, Henderson, N.C.
Miss Carolyn Hunter	Mars Hill Baptist Church, Mars Hill, N.C.
Mr.John A.Kennedy	Mt.Pleasant Baptist Church, Forest City, N.C.
Dr.William F.Lovell	Myers Park Baptist Church, Charlotte, N.C.
Mrs.James E.Maynard	Watts Street Baptist Church, Durham, N.C.
Mrs.John Jones (nee Miss Aleen Melvin)	Calvary Baptist Church, Roanoke, Va.
Miss Shelly Millican	Temple Baptist Church, Raleigh, N.C.
Mrs.Walter E.Nance	Hayes Barton Baptist Church, Raleigh, N.C.
Mrs and Mrs.W.H.Phillips	First Baptist Church, Henderson, N.C.
Mrs.Phoebe Doyle Powers	The Pullen Memorial Baptist Church, Raleigh, N.C.
Mrs.C.J.Rogers,Jr.	Forest Hills Baptist Church, Raleigh, N.C.
Mrs.Almira Rowland	First Baptist Church, Winston-Salem, N.C.
Mrs.Lillian H.Sasser	The church of her choice, Franklinton, N.C.
Miss Effie Sneeden	Forest Hills Baptist Church, Raleigh, N.C.
Miss Dwan Swindell	First Baptist Church, Kinston, N.C.
Mrs.Paul Tigar	First Baptist Church of Clarendon, Arlington, Va.

Joining another church without letter

Mrs.Oliver V.Frady,Jr. (Jan.13,1952)	Tabernacle Baptist Church, Raleigh, N.C.

CERTIFICATE OF MEMBERSHIP

Karl Koontz	St.Andrews Church, Hilton Village, Va.
Mrs.Robert G.Sandercock (nee Julia Powers)	The church of her choice, New York City, N.Y.

Mr.C.J.Curry, Church Treasurer, distributed mimeographed copies of his report and left copies with the Church Clerk for record.

The letter to the Association was approved as prepared.
The Pastor was authorized to appoint messengers to the Association.

RECOMMENDATIONS FROM THE BOARD OF DEACONS

1. That the Treasurer be authorized to pay in full the balance due on the note held by First Citizens Bank and Trust Company, Raleigh, and that the excess of the amount required over the amount provided for this purpose be charged to the Contingency Fund.

2. That the Treasurer be authorized to transfer the balance remaining in the account "Plant Expansion-Overdraft" after the retirement of the note to the account Contingency Fund.

3. That the purchasing committee be authorized to purchase a chair for the Church office and a table for the Sunday School class and that the cost thereof be charged to Contingencies.

Raleigh, North Carolina
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FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Raleigh, North Carolina
October 8,1952

Program

4. That since the pledge to the Wake Forest College Enlargement has been paid, that the Church give two student aid gifts of $300 inclusive for 1952 to aid two students at the Southeastern Seminary. These funds are to come from funds designated for the Wake Forest College Enlargement Program. That $600 be put in the budget for 1953 for grants to two worthy students of $300 each, to be administered by the Seminary.

(See below)

Each of the recommendations of the Board of Deacons were approved.

The Church in called conference authorized the Pastor to name messengers to the Baptist State Convention. The following were named: Dr.Clyde Turner, Miss Ruth Provence, Mr.R.N.Simms,Jr., Mr.W.L.Wyatt, Mr.T.W.Brewer, Mrs.Foy J.Farmer, Miss Betty Brewer, Mr.W.G.Briggs, Mr.Claude Gaddy, and Dr.Broadus E.Jones.

Changes in the Church Roll for the month of October:

Membership as of September 30,1952------1,830
Received by letter---------- 45
Lost by letter---------- 27
Lost by death---------- 3 : Miss Jessie,Uzzell
October 24,1952

Mrs.S.W.Williams
(Date Unknown)

Mr.A.J.Wood
(Date Unknown)

Joining other churches without a letter---10
Membership as of October 31,1952----------1,835

We were dismissed by singing, "I Need Thee Every Hour."

Broadus E.Jones, Moderator

J.Everett Hunter, Church Clerk

BOARD OF DEACONS -CONTINUED

5. That a tentative budget be adopted of $92,000 for the year 1953, of which 55% shall be allocated to Current Expenses and 45% shall be allocated to Missions, Benevolences and the Cooperative Program with the understanding that a formal detailed budget will be prepared and submitted after the result of the annual budget campaign.

CHANGES IN CHURCH ROLL FOR THE MONTH OF OCTOBER

Received by Letter

Miss Sandra Andrews
Meredith College

Miss Jettie Rea Bradshaw
Meredith College

Miss Suzanne Davis
Meredith College

Miss Doris Dedmon
Meredith College

Mrs. Elsie Eason
104 Logan Court

Miss Cornelia Edwards
Meredith College

Miss Mary Gordon Elliott
301 Hillcrest Road

Miss Phoebe Fair
Peace College

Miss Doris Frizzell
Peace College

Mr. Billy Funderburk
State College

Mr. Arthur W. Gilliam
State College

Mr. T. B. Gunter, Jr.
905½ W. Johnson Street

Miss Martha Hawkins
Meredith College

Mrs. Dallas Holoman, Sr.
2123 Woodland Avenue

Mr. Bill Kibler
Y.M.C.A.

Mr. Ralph Killough
State College

Miss Mary Kiser
Meredith College

Miss Jane Lambert
Meredith College

Mr. Ancell Lynch
State College

Mr. W. C. McArthur
Apt. 19E, Vetville

Mrs. W. C. McArthur
Apt. 19E, Vetville

Miss Jo Anne McCain
Peace College

Mr. Robert Carole Parker
State College

Miss Anne C. Parr
Meredith College

Miss Rose Ellen Pierce
Meredith College

Mr. Roland L. Pitts
State College

Miss Maude Pow
Meredith College

Miss Dorothy Prickett
Meredith College

Miss Mary Bryan Reid
Meredith College

Miss Anita Robinson
Meredith College

Pvt. Rupert H. Rose
2715 St. Mary's St.

Mrs. Rupert H. Rose
2715 St. Mary's St.

Miss Mary Ellen Scofield
Meredith College

Miss Betty Esther Smith
Meredith College

Mr. Jim Smith
State College

Miss Barbara Southworth
Meredith College

Miss Ruth Sperling
Meredith College

Miss Vivian Stanley
Meredith College

Miss Eva Townsend
Meredith College

Miss Regina Tuck
Meredith College

Mrs. Frances Oldham Tunstall
121 S. McDowell Street

Mr. C. Edwin Vick, Jr.
State College

Miss Marjorie Weathersbee
2120 Woodland Avenue

Miss Sara M. White
Meredith College

Miss Janet Wilson
2114 St. Mary's Street

SOUTHERN BAPTIST CONVENTION

UNIFORM ASSOCIATIONAL LETTER: 1952

a. Local name of Church: The First Baptist Church

b. Street Address or Route: Cor. Salisbury and Edenton Sts. c. City or Town: Raleigh

d. County: Wake e. State: North Carolina

f. Association: Raleigh Meeting with: Greenlevel Baptist Church Date: Oct. 30-31, 1952

MESSENGERS TO ASSOCIATION

a. Dr. & Mrs. M. A. Huggins
b. Mrs. H. L. Barrett
c. Dr. & Mrs. L. L. Carpenter
d. Miss Ruth Provence
e. Mr. & Mrs. E. L. Layfield

ALTERNATES

a. Mr. & Mrs. Lee Pridgen
b. Dr. & Mrs. B. E. Jones
c.
d.
e.

(Consult Minutes to Determine Number)

MINISTERS LICENSED THIS YEAR

a. Name / Address
b. Name / Address
c. Name / Address

MINISTERS ORDAINED THIS YEAR

a. Name / Address
b. Name / Address
c. Name / Address

NUMBER OF MINUTES WANTED

a. Money sent ..... $ 25.00
b. Number Minutes Wanted 50

STUDENTS FOR THE MINISTRY

Name James L. Bland, Jr.
School Wake Forest College
Name Luther Eugene Walter
School Southeastern Baptist Theological Seminary
Name
School
Name
School

Indicate others on separate sheet if necessary. Attach.

REPRESENTATIVES ON ASSOCIATIONAL EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

(For Associations where used.)

Broadus E. Jones — Name
First Baptist Church — Address
Robert N. Simms, Jr. — Name
1105 Harvey St., Raleigh, N. C. — Address
Name / Address
Name / Address
Name / Address
Name / Address

This Letter approved by the Church:

Dr. Broadus E. Jones — Pastor
J. Everett Hunter — Church Clerk

Date: OCT 15 1952

First Baptist Church, Raleigh, N.C. — Address
2215 Circle Drive, Raleigh, N.C. — Address

Data on Pages 2-3-4 are needed for Associational Minutes. Please check all figures used. Give name of officers elected for coming year where available. Please type or print all information.

Name of Church First Baptist - Raleigh, N.C.

A. CHURCH AND MEMBERSHIP

1. Rural ( ) (Open Country) Village ( ) (Under 500 pop.)
   Town ( ) (500-2500 pop.) City (x) (Above 2500 pop.)
   (Indicate CS if suburban area church)
2. Year Church organized 1812
3. Frequency of Preaching (Check X)

Preaching every Sunday	(x)
1st Sunday ( ); A.M. ( ); P.M. ( )	
2nd Sunday ( ); A.M. ( ); P.M. ( )	
3rd Sunday ( ); A.M. ( ); P.M. ( )	
4th Sunday ( ); A.M. ( ); P.M. ( )	
5th Sunday ( ); A.M. ( ); P.M. ( )	

Gains and Losses (include Missions)

4. Baptisms reported 46
5. Letter and other additions 139
6. Loss by death, transfer, etc. 152
7. Total resident members 1550
8. Total non-resident members 304
9. Grand Total Present Members 1854

10. Revival meetings held 1
11. Number tithers in Church 116
12. State paper in budget: Yes ( ); No (x)
13. Are members asked to sign annual pledge to Church budget: Yes (x); No ( )
13A. Pastor's annual salary (whether you had a pastor or not) $7,520
14. How many known Roman Catholics joined Church during past year? 1

HIGHLIGHTS OF CHURCH YEAR

Repeat these Items here for use of Associational Clerk where letters are read at annual meeting.

4. Baptisms 46
9. Present members 1854
26. Sunday school enrolment 1165
39b. Training Union enrolment 135
46b. W.M.U. enrolment 511
49. Brotherhood enrolment 0
67. Total Mission gifts $39,008.07
68. Grand Total gifts for all causes $113,277.84

B. SUNDAY SCHOOL

Superintendent Mr. Henry Helms (Coming year if possible)

Address 1005 W. Peace St., Raleigh, N. C. (Please Print P.O. Box, Street aud number, or rural route)

(City, Town or Post Office) (Postal Zone) (State)

Telephone Number 3-2696

ENROLMENT (Include officers and teachers in department enrolment)

15. Cradle Roll (home ministry—under 4) 65
16. Nursery (Attend Sunday school—under 4) 63
17. Beginners (4-5 years) 80
18. Primaries (6-8 years) 81
19. Juniors (9-12 years) 101
20. Intermediates (13-16 years) 75
21. Young People (17-24 years) 134
22. Adults (25 years and up) 520
23. Extension Department 40
24. General officers not counted in classes or departments 6
25. Mission Sunday school enrolment ..... —
26. Grand Total Sunday school enrolment 1165
27. Was January Bible Study Week observed in your Church? We observed it on Wed. evenings during the month.
28. Did your Church have one or more training schools for your Sunday School workers? 1 ( ); more ( ). No
29. Enrolment Vacation Bible School 168
    Note: Include all offerings given through Sunday school and V.B.S. in Table F.

Use this space to indicate any events of historical interest during associational year, such as new buildings, dedication, date new pastor called, etc. Be brief.

Mr. Thomas B. Reynolds (Deacon)	8/12/51
Mr. R. H. Ray	8/24/51
Mrs. John F. Ludwick	10/14/51
Mrs. T. B. Lawrence	10/24/51
Mrs. J. M. Norwood	12/28/51
Mrs. N. A. Dunn, Sr.	12/29/51
Mrs. Harry C. Hunter	2/19/52
Mrs. Julia B. Ferrell	3/3/52
Mr. Louis Thomas Yarbrough	3/24/52
Mr. Walter Nathan Johnson (Minister)	6/24/52
Mr. Johnnie W. Purkerson	7/24/52

C. TRAINING UNION

Director: William H. Simpson
(For coming year if possible)

Address: First Baptist Church
(P.O. Box, Street aud number, or rural route)
Raleigh, N. C.
(City, Town or Post Office) (Postal Zone) (State)

Telephone Number 2-4409

DEPARTMENT MEMBERSHIP	(a) No. Units	(b) Enrolment
30. Nursery (3 years and under)		
31. Beginners (4-5)		
32. Primaries (6-8)		
33. Juniors (9-12)	1	25
34. Intermediates (13-16)	1	30
35. Young People (17-24)	3	80
36. Adult (25 years and up)		
37. Missions		
38. General officers		
39. Grand total	5 Unions	135 Enrolment
40. Average att. per Sunday		85

Note: If Training Union has no director, attach extra sheet of paper and list presidents of Young People and Adult Unions; also list leaders of Intermediate, Junior, and Story Hour Unions.

D. W.M.U. WORK

President W.M.S. Mrs. W. D. Spencer
(For coming year if possible)

Address 2506 Clark Avenue
(P.O. Box, Street and number, or rural route)
Raleigh, N. C.
(City, Town, or Post Office) (Postal Zone) (State)

Telephone Number 32243

ORGANIZATIONS	(a) Number	(b) Enrolment
41. W.M.S.	1	381
42. Y.W.A.	1	25
43. G.A.	2	30
44. R.A.	1	17
45. Sunbeam	2	58
46. Totals	7	511
47. Total enrolled in mission study during year all organizations		429
48. Total tithers all organizations		116

Note: Include all W.M.U. gifts in Table F.

E. BROTHERHOOD - BUILDING - GOALS

Brotherhood President
(For coming year if possible)

Address
(P.O. Box, Street and number, or rural route)
(City, Town, or Post Office) (Postal Zone) (State)

Telephone Number

49. Enrolment of Brotherhood .. Not Inactive

50. Number meetings held during year ..... None

Building

51. How many class rooms in addition to auditorium in church building? 54

52. Value of pastor's home if owned by the church ..... $ 35,000

52A. Total value of church property including pastor's home ..... $ 400,000

53. Total church debt at end of year ..... $ 1,500

Goals for New Year

54. Cooperative Program goal coming year .. $

55. Associational Mission goal coming year .. $

OUR BELOVED DEAD

Note: Indicate if they are Mr., Mrs., or Miss; Indicate pastors, elders, deacons, etc.

Mr. Thomas B. Reynolds (Deacon)	8/12/51
Mr. P. H. Ray	8/24/51
Mrs. John F. Ludwick	10/14/51
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Mr. Walter Nathan Johnson (Minister)	6/24/52
Mr. Johnnie W. Purkerson	7/24/52

Name of Church First Baptist - Raleigh

F. GIFTS GIVEN THROUGH THE CHURCH

Treasurer C. J. Curry
(For coming year if possible)

Address c/o C.Po & L.Co., Raleigh, N.C.
(P.O. Box, Street and Number, or Rural Route)

(City, Town, or Post Office) (Postal Zone) (State)

56. LOCAL GIFTS (excluding pastor's salary).
Add all money received through all organizations, including Sunday school and W.M.U. offerings, and services for local work. Do not count money borrowed or received from sale of property, unless property given to church in current year. Do not count money received from mission board. $66,749.77

57. Pastor's salary (list actual money paid to pastor during year) $7,520.00

MISSION GIFTS (all organizations)

58. Cooperative Program (Unified budget). $19,528.63

59. Associational Missions $1,124.55

60. Designated State Missions $1,301.65

61. Designated Home Missions (include Annie Armstrong offering) $2,504.58

62. Designated Foreign Missions (include Lottie Moon offering) $5,396.17

63. Christian Education (schools, etc.) $5,313.67

64. Orphans: Cash $____; Goods $____ $2,078.80

65. Designated Hospitals $1,760.02

66. Relief and Annuity; relief; other objects ..... $

67. TOTAL MISSION GIFTS (Add 58 through 66 to get Item 67) $39,008.07

68. GRAND TOTAL GIFTS for all causes (Add 56, 57, and 67 to get Item 68) $113,277.84

G. VISUAL EDUCATION—Church Music.

69. Does Church own a slide and film-strip projector? Yes (x); No ( )

70. Does Church own a sound motion picture projector? Yes (x); No ( )

CHURCH MUSIC

71. Choir Director: Full-time ( ), Part-time (x), Salary $2,100.00 Volunteer ( ).

72. Organist: Salary Choir Director is also Organist

73. Choir Enrolments:
Church 50, Young People ____,
Intermediate ____, Junior 20,
Primary ____, Beginner ____,
Others ____, Total ____

74. Amount Music Budget $4,020

75. Number Music Training Course Books offered during year ..... None

76. Number copies of **The Church Musician** (Southwide choir magazine) received each month ..... None

77. Check type musical instrument in auditorium. Pipe Organ (x); Electronic

PASTOR AND OTHER CHURCH OFFICERS

Pastor Dr. Broadus E. Jones
(For coming year if possible)

Church where Pastor member First Baptist

Address Raleigh, N. C.

Telephone Number 2-1078

~~Asst. Pastor or~~ Ed. Director Mrs. Edwin S. Pres

Address First Baptist Church

Chairman of Deacons C. W. Weathers

Address 1204 Cowper Drive

Choir or Music Director Dr. H. E. Cooper

Address Meredith College

~~Pianist or Organist~~ Youth Director William H. Simpson

Address First Baptist Church

Librarian ____

Address ____

Chairman Missions Committee ____

Address ____

Chairman or Director Visual Education Same as Educational Director

Address ____

OTHER MINISTERS BELONGING TO CHUR

Active pastor, **P.**; Ordained minister, **O.M.**; Lice pastor, **L.**; Associate pastor, **A.P.**; Minister of M **M.M.**; City missionary, **C.M.**; District or associati worker, **D.M.**; Evangelist, **E.**; State denominat worker, **S.W.**; Southwide denominational worker, **Sw** Educational director, **E.D.**; Home missionary, **H** Educational worker (includes presidents and teache schools and colleges), **Ed.**; Student, **S.**; Inactive, Chaplain, **Ch.**; Retired, **R.** (**Use proper symbol each minister.**) Put **O** with each symbol if ma ordained.

Name Dr. L. L. Carpenter OMSW

Address 3203 Ruffin St.

Name Dr. Joseph L. Peacock OMR

Address 1506 Scales St.

Name Dr. J. Clyde Turner OMR

Address 304 W. Edenton St.

Name Rev. Jesse M. Page OM

Address 410 Kinsey St.

Name Mr. Lee Pridgen OM SW

Address 1625 Glenwood Ave.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Raleigh, North Carolina
November 19,1952

The Church met in regular conference and the minutes for October 8th were read and approved.

The following letters were granted:

Name	To Join
Mrs.C.A.Griffin	Clinton Baptist Church, Clinton, N.C.
Mrs.Hyman C.Jones	Garner Baptist Church, Garner, N.C.
Mr. & Mrs.S.G.Rogers,Jr.	First Baptist Church, Bluefield, W.Virginia
Miss Anne Morton	Fortified Hills Baptist Church, Atlanta, Ga.
Mrs.K.A.Peoples (nee Louise Medlin)	The Tabernacle Baptist Church, Raleigh, N.C.
Mrs.Jean Joyner Humbert	First Baptist Church, Asheville, N.C.
Mr. and Mrs.J.T.Jenkins	The church of their choice, Taylorsville, N.C.
Mrs.Sam S.Homewood (nee Betsy Tom Lawrence)	The church of her choice, Great Falls, S.C.
Mr.Boyce Holoman	The church of his choice, Raleigh, N.C.
Mrs.Pearl Jones Kidd	Central Baptist Church, Miami, Florida *

* This person has not been on the active roll and should not be counted against the current roll. This is for the record only.

CERTIFICATES OF MEMBERSHIP

Mrs.Harold A. Pruyn	Tryon Methodist Church, Tryon, N.C.
Mr.William Kern Holoman	Edenton Street Methodist Church, Raleigh,N.C.

The Conference authorized the Clerk and L.R.Harrill to review the records of the Church which are stored in the safe and place the records in an orderly fashion.

Changes in the Church Roll for the month of November,1952:

Membership as of October 31,1952----------1,835
Received by letter---------- 23
Lost by letter---------- 13
Lost by death:

Miss Lue H.Cobb	Mr.Carl Raymond Cook
November 20,1952	November 6,1952

Mr.Charles M.Heck
November 23,1952

Membership as of November 30,1952----------1,842

We were dismissed with prayer by the Pastor.

Broadus E. Jones

Broadus E.Jones, Moderator

J. Everett Hunter

J.Everett Hunter, Church Clerk

CHANGES IN CHURCH ROLL FOR THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER

Received by Letter

Mr. D. B. Alderman
615 Oddfellows Building

Miss Jessie Lee Beard
125 Halifax Street

Mr. Doyle M. Brunson
23E Vetville

Mrs. Doyle M. Brunson
23E Vetville

Mr. Ralph A. Byrd
117 W. Park Drive

Miss Mona Faye Caines
Meredith College

Miss Anne Carroll Carter
Meredith College

Mr. Marvin Crow
N. C. State College

Miss Jean Flowers
2505 Greenway Avenue

Mrs. Sadie D. Flowers
2505 Greenway Avenue

Miss June Freeze
Meredith College

Miss Nan Frink
Meredith College

Mr. William C. Fuller
2229 Noble Road

Mrs. William C. Fuller
2229 Noble Road

Mr. Brian Grigsby
N. C. State College

Miss Jean Roddey Hicks
Meredith College

Mr. Charles Hostetler
2524 White Oak Road

Miss Priscilla Jackson
Meredith College

Received by Letter (Contd.)

Mr. Roy E. Johnson, Jr.
N. C. State College

Miss Joyce Jones
Meredith College

Miss Betty Mills
406 N. Blount Street

Mr. Henry Pickett
N. C. State College

Mr. Robert M. Shaw
N. C. State College

Lost by Death

Miss Lue H. Cobb (November 20, 1952)
Mr. Carl Raymond Cook (November 6, 1952)
Mr. Charles M. Heck (November 23, 1952)

Lost by Letter

Mrs. C. A. Griffin
Mr. Boyce Holoman
Mr. William Kern Holoman
Mrs. Sam S. Homewood (nee Betsy Tom Lawrence)
Mrs. Jean Joyner Humbert
Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Jenkins
Mrs. Hyman C. Jones
Miss Anne Morton
Mrs. K. A. Peoples (nee Louise Medlin)
Mrs. Harold A. Pruyn
Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Rogers, Jr.

Raleigh, North Carolina

December 10,1952

The Church met in regular conference and the minutes of November 19th were read and approved.

The following letters were granted:

CERTIFICATES OF MEMBERSHIP

To join

Mrs.H.O.Earhard — First Lutheran Church, Norfolk, Va.

Mrs.Karl G.Hudson,Jr. (nee Miss Catherine Wyatt) — White Memorial Presbyterian Church, Raleigh, N.C.

Mimeographed copies of the Treasurer's report were distributed to the membership and copies left with the Clerk for record.

Recommendations from the Board of Deacons were presented by Edgar Wyatt, Secretary to the Board as follows:

1. That Mrs.Ethel M.Nash be secured to give six lectures on Love, Courtship and Marriage each Sunday evening during the month of February,1953 and that Mrs.Nash be paid a total of $100.00 for these lectures.
   Upon motion duly seconded, it was carried.

2. That work begin on the renovation of the Church auditorium as soon as practical in early spring,1953, and planned to interfere as little as possible with regular services of the Church. It is understood that no contract will be let except with the approval of the Church and only after at least $30,000.00 in cash has been raised for this purpose.
   The motion as presented was approved.

The following deacons serving on the Board during the year 1952, having reached their 70th birthday, were elevated to Life members:

Messrs T.W.Brewer, C.J.Curry, E.L.Layfield and Herman Senter, and Deaconess Mrs.J.Clyde Turner.

The following deacons were nominated and declared elected:

To Serve Through 1956

Waldo Cheek, Wade Gallant, E.H.Hostetler, J.E.Miller, W.M.Murray, W.H.Weatherspoon, T.A.Upchurch, L.F.Yost.

To Fill The Unexpired Term of C.J.Curry-elevated to Life member: T.A.Bone, whose term will expire at the end of 1954.

To Fill Unexpired Terms of Members Whose Term Would Expire in 1953, and who were elevated as Life members:

Charles Lee Smith, to fill the unexpired term of T.W.Brewer
R.A.Ponton, to fill the unexpired term of E.L.Layfield.

The following Deaconesses were nominated and elected:

Mrs.W.D.Briggs, Mrs.E.H.Simpson, Mrs.W.D.Spencer.

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The following deacons serving on the Board during the year 1952 having reached their 70th birthday have been placed as Life Members:

T.W.Brewer
C.J.Curry
E.L.Layfield
Herman Senter
Mrs.J.Clyde Turner

The following were nominated and declared elected:

Name	Term to Expire	Name	Term to Expire
1. Waldo Chicek	1956	5. W M Murray	1956
2. Wade Gallant	1956	6. W. T. Weatherspoon	1956
3. E. V. Hostetler	1956	7. W A Upchurch	1956
4. J E Miller	1956	8. L F Yost	1956
10. Chas Lee Smith (T.W.Brewer)	Unexpired Term 1953	9. T A Bone (~~E.L.layfield~~) (C. J. CURRY)	1955
11 ~~10~~. R A Fenton (~~C.J.Curry~~) (E. L. LAYFIELD)	1954		

DEACONESSES

1. Mrs W. D Briggs	1956	3. Mrs. W D Spencer	1956
2. Mrs E L Simpson	1956	~~4.~~	~~1956~~

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The list of officers and committees for 1953 were presented by Mr.Luther Yost for the Nominating Committee, and were elected:

J.Everett Hunter, Clerk — J.L.Norris, Assistant Clerk
C.J.Curry, Treasurer — T.A.Upchurch, Assistant Treasurer
Willis G.Briggs, Custodian Special Funds
R.D.Beam, Assistant Custodian Special Funds

MEMBERS RALEIGH BAPTIST COUNCIL:

Earl H.Hostetler, Chairman; Mrs.Ira B.Mullis, Miss Ruth Provence, Miss Annie Bailey Jones, R.N.Simms,Jr. and Dr.B.Y.Tyner

TRUSTEES

Carroll W.Weathers, Chairman; Dr.Clarence Poe, Wade M.Gallant, W.L.Wyatt,Sr., T.W.Brewer, W.T.Joyner, W.H.Weatherspoon

FINANCE COMMITTEE

R.B.Carpenter, Chairman; T.W.Brewer, W.H.Weatherspoon, Earl H.Hostetler, R.C.Courtney, Dr.J.J.Combs, L.N.Hutchinson, James E.Bryan, E.L.Layfield, Mrs.Ira B.Mullis, Yates Parker, R.N.Simms,Jr., Mrs.E.H.Simpson, W.L.Wyatt,Sr., Miss Ruth Wilson, Wilbur Robbins, R.D.Beam, C.J.Curry,Wm.Oliver Smith, Coite Jones, Clyde Eby,Jr., Mrs.Carl Goerch, William T.Joyner, Cooper B.Taylor, Waldo Cheek, Orville T.Smith, Wendell M.Murray, T.A.Upchurch - Director of Budget Campaign, Chairman Repair Committee, Chairman Supplies and Purchases

HOUSE

Robert Ponton, Chairman; Mrs.Roy Purser, Mrs.O.L.Carpenter, Mrs.Victor M. Stonebanks, Mrs.Royster Chamblee, Dallas Holoman,Jr.

PUBLICITY

Dr.Edwin S.Preston,Chairman; Miss Kate Matthews, R.E.Williams, Robert Brooks, W.Carey Parker, Mrs.Carl Goerch.

MUSIC

Dr.H.Royster Chamblee, Chairman; Mrs.Ralph M.Moody, Mrs.Coite Jones, Curtis Craver, Miss Nell Barker, Mrs.Herman Senter, Mrs.Russell Nipper, Miss Thelma Riley, Dr.L.A.Peacock, Robert Ponton.

SUNDAY MORNING REFRESHMENTS

Mrs.W.L.Woltz, Chairman and Miss Helen Bailey, Assistant Chairman

PULPIT SUPPLY

Carroll W.Weathers, Chairman; Mrs.L.R.Harrill, Dr.L.L.Carpenter, Charles Lee Smith,Jr., Mrs.Foy J.Farmer.

FUNERAL MUSIC

Mrs.N.E.Davis, Director

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GREETERS

Henry Faucette, Chairman, Joe Garrett, Lee Parker, Rufus A.Hunter, DeVan Barbour, W.D.Holoman, John Ludwick, Dr.S.B.Towler.

BAPTISMS

M.G.Joslin, Chairman, Hugh Johnson, Asst. Chairman, Mrs.W.J.Clark, Mrs.Jack Bagby,Jr., Mrs.J.L.Norris, Edwin Preston,Jr.

COMMUNION

Mrs.P.J.Schwarz, Chairman, Mrs.Hammie Spigner, Asst. Chairman, Mrs.D.E.Schreffler, Mrs.Mary Broughton, Mrs.Carr Senter, Mrs.Graham W.Dobbin.

FLOWERS

Miss Ellen Durham, Chairman, Miss Helen Bailey, Asst. Chairman, Mrs.E.L.Layfield, Mrs.Roger Marshall, Mrs.C.B.Taylor, Miss Cra Alford, Mrs.Elmo T.Williams.

EVANGELISM

Chairman of the Board of Deacons, General Superintendent of the Sunday School, Director of B.T.U., President of W.M.U., Chairman of Music Committee, Educational Director, Youth Director, Publicity Chairman.

CHURCH RECORDS

W.C.Iassiter, Chairman, J.E.Hunter, Mrs.Warren M.Cratch.

SUPPLIES AND PURCHASES

Edgar Wyatt, Chairman, Sam Jones, Charles Poe, Roy Purser, Zeno Martin, Graham W. Dobbin, Dan A. Bland.

MEMBER EXECUTIVE COUNCIL
RALEIGH BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

R.N.Simms,Jr.

C O M M I T T E E S

Choir Apparel: Mrs.Hammie Spigner, Chairman, Mrs.Annie B.Edwards, Mrs.E.B.Page, Mrs.David Strain.

Suppers: Church Hostess, In Charge.

Flowers for Tables: Mrs.W.A.Parker, Chairman, Mrs.Leon Harris, Asst.Ch.

Table Setting: Mrs.Hubie McManus, Chairman, Mrs.Frank Powers, Asst.Ch.

Kitchen Help: Mrs.W.L.Woltz, Chairman, Mrs.W.F.Booker and Miss Florine Boone, Assistant Chairmen.

Serving: Miss Eleanor Brooks, Chairman,
Miss Freda Roberson, Assistant Chairman

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Local Church Chairity: Mrs.George Dowell, Chairman, Mrs.Josephine Adams, Miss Susan Dewar, Miss Florine Boone.

Parsonage: Mrs.Wade Gallant, Chairman, Mrs.J.R.Pointer, Mrs.R.McIver Allen, Richard Rice, Luther Yost.

Repairs: W.F.Morris,Chairman, Mrs.L.N.Hutchinson, Mrs.Robert Yancey, Mrs.H.Royster Chamblee, W.B.Gilbert.

Senior Ushers: R.L.Rice, M.G.Joslin,Mack Perry, Frank D.Castlebury, Henry Barrett,Tom Broughton, Larry E.Ball, Norman L.Dunnegan,Jr., Russell Nipper, Robert Ott, M.B.Koonce,Jr., Carl Bell,Jr., John Bikle,T.A.Bone, W.G.Robbins, G.W.Dobbin, Mike Karmazin, W.F.Morris,Jr., Roy B.Williams, Burr Patchell, M.D.Medlin, C.C.Buchanan, Herbert Barnes, Jack Coble, A.G.Bryant, D.A.Bland, Dick Woodward, E.H.Simpson, Chairman.

Junior Ushers: Tom Broughton, Chairman, Henry Helms,Jr.,Carlyle Adams,Jr., Lemuel Shirley,Jr.,Jim Harrill, Kenneth Woodruff, Lee Pridgen, Scottie Swindell,Arthur Bone, Arnold Joslin, Larry Foskey, Tommy Teague, Randy Carpenter, Robert Singleton, John Johnson, George Fairbanks, Tommy Park, Jimmy Bland,Horace Bone, Neil Hutchinson.

SUNDAY SCHOOL OFFICERS,1953

General Superintendent	Henry A.Helms
Associate "	Luther Yost
General Secretary	Clyde Bryant - Associate, Clyde Eby
Budget Director	T.W.Brewer
Associate Clerk	Nathan Moseley
Adult Department: Superintendent	Wendell M.Murray - Associate, William L.Wyatt,Jr.
Young People's Department	William H.Simpson, Superintendent
Intermediate Department	Miss Freda Roberson, Superintendent Clyde Bryan,Jr. Associate "
Junior Department	Mrs.D.W.Merritt, Superintendent
Primary Department	Mrs.Luther Yost, Superintendent Mrs.W.Z.Betts, Associate "
Beginners Department	Miss Ellen Brewer, Superintendent Mrs.J.P.Brassfield, Associate "
Nursery A Department	Mrs.Parke E.Thomas, Superintendent Mrs.W.K.Hunter, Associate "
Nursery B Department	Mrs.J.L.Bland, Superintendent Mrs.Sydney C.Paschall, Associate Superintendent
Cradle Roll Department	Mrs.W.H.Pierce, Superintendent

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Extension Department	Hugh Johnson, Superintendent Mrs.M.A.Huggins, Associate Superintendent
Primary Story Hour	Mrs.J.D.Mitchell, Director Miss Patsy Andrews, Associate Director
Beginner Story Hour	Mrs.Gene Walter, Director Miss Gwyn Horne, Associate Director

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BAPTIST TRAINING UNION

Director - William H.Simpson

Junior Leaders: Mrs.W.O.McCorkle, Miss Kathryn Cunningham, Miss Ann Parr.

Intermediate Leaders: Mr. and Mrs.Robert L.Ott

Young People Leader: William H.Simpson

Young Adults:

Submitted by Committee on Committees:

Rufus A.Hunter, Chairman
Mrs.Ira B.Mullis
Mrs.W.D.Spencer
R.N.Simms,Jr.
Coite Jones
Luther F.Yost

The report of the Nominating Committee as read was adopted.

Upon motion of W.C.Lassiter and duly seconded, all of the present teachers, and all future teachers recommended by the Superintendent of the Sunday School are to be elected.

Changes in the Church Roll for the month of December:

Membership as of November 30,1952	1,842
Received by letter	6
Lost by letter	2
Membership as of December 31,1952	1,846

We were dismissed with prayer by the Pastor.

Broadus E Jones

Broadus E.Jones, Moderator

J.Everett Hunter

J.Everett Hunter, Church Clerk

CHANGES IN CHURCH ROLL FOR THE MONTH OF DECEMBER

Received by Letter

Mrs. Annie B. Brantley
227 Elm Street

Mr. Bill Edwards
N. C. State College

Miss Marjorie Edwards
120 S. Harrington Street

Mrs. Mavis P. Retford
220 N. East Street

Miss Patsy Thomas
Meredith College Infirmary

Mr. Elmo T. Williams
714 Lake Boone Trail

Lost by Letter

Mrs. H. O. Earhard
Mrs. Karl G. Hudson, Jr.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Modified Unified Budget
Year 1953

Budget Items		
1. Current Expenses		$ 51,993
Administrative Expenses	$ 31,260	
Operating and Maintenance of Plant and Parsonage	9,625	
Choir Expenses	4,270	
Sunday School Expenses	2,500	
Women's Missionary Union Expenses	890	
Baptist Training Union Expenses	1,000	
Charity	835	
Contingencies	913	
Purchase of Equipment	700	
2. Home Missions		1,618
W.M.U. Special - Annie Armstrong Offering	1,618	
3. State Missions		1,417
Women's Missionary Union Special	1,117	
State Missions - Direct	300	
4. Baptist Hospital		1,700
Through pledges	1,500	
* Special Mothers Day Offering	200	
5. Baptist Orphanage		1,900
Through pledges	1,400	
* Special Thanksgiving Offering	500	
6. Baptist Home for the Ageing		300
7. Foreign Missions		5,420
W.M.U. Special - Lottie Moon Offering	3,025	
Foreign Missionary's Salary	2,000	
Miscellaneous through the Sunday School	395	
8. Associational Missions		2,400
Contribution for Salary and Expense of Missionary	900	
Contribution for expansion (New Church)	1,500	
9. Community Missions		3,040
Baptist Student Union - Meredith College	275	
Baptist Student Union - N. C. State College	400	
American Bible Society	100	
Miscellaneous through the Sunday School	265	
Miscellaneous through the W.M.U.	300	
Good Will Center	1,100	
Student Aid - Southeastern Seminary	600	
10. Heck-Jones Memorial		1,085
11. Baptist Hospital - Building Fund		750
12. Wake Forest College - Enlargement Program		2,000
13. Contingencies		818
Total Missions and Benevolences		22,448
14. Cooperative Program		20,000
Total Missions, Benevolences and Cooperative Program		42,448
Total Current Expenses, Missions, Benevolences and Cooperative Program		94,441
Deduct:		
Women's Missionary Union's Special Items	$6,845	
Baptist Hospital Special Offering	200	
Baptist Orphanage Special Offering	500	7,545
Balance to be paid through pledges and loose collections		$ 86,896

* Offerings will be taken at the special services on Mothers' Day and Thanksgivin Day to afford those in attendance who do not contribute through the envelope system the opportunity to make contributions to the Baptist Hospital and the Baptist Orphanage.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Modified Unified Budget
Year 1953

Description	Detail	Total
	$	$
Administrative & General Expenses:		
Pastor's Salary	8,000	
Director of Education's Salary	3,900	
Office Secretary's Salary	2,580	
Secretary	2,160	
Youth Director's Salary	3,900	
Church Hostess Salary	2,100	
Supervisor of Nursery Salary	125	
Supply Pastor's Remuneration and Expenses	350	
Retirement Plan	175	
Pastor's Automobile Expense Allowance	300	
Director of Education Auto Expense Allowance	300	
Youth Directors Auto Expense Allowance	300	
Traveling Expenses	250	
Special Religious Services	500	
Printing and Postage	2,500	
Telephone	320	
Office Supplies and Expenses	600	
Auditor's Fee	200	
Visual Education	200	
Special College Bus	1,100	
Flowers	100	
Kitchen Supplies and Expenses	150	
Other Administrative and General Expenses	700	
Social Security Tax	300	
Vacation Bible School	150	
Total Administrative and General Expenses		31,260
Operation and Maintenance of Plant and Parsonage:		
Fuel	900	
Lights and water	1,300	
Insurance	725	
Sexton's Salary	1,980	
Maid's Salary	1,320	
Sexton's Helpers Salaries	700	
Building Service Supplies	500	
Repairs - Parsonage	1,000	
Repairs - Church Building	800	
Kitchen Equipment, Tables, etc.	400	
Total Operation and Maintenance		9,625
Choir Expenses:		
Director of Music Salary	2,400	
Other Salaries	1,320	
Music	150	
Other Choir Expenses	400	
Total Choir Expenses		4,270
Sunday School Expenses		2,500
Women's Missionary Union Expenses		890
Baptist Training Union Expenses		1,000
Charity:		
Authorized by the Board of Deacons	210	
Miscellaneous through the Sunday School	625	
Total Charity		835
Contingencies		913
Purchase of Equipment		700
Total Budget for Current Expenses:		$ 51,993

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Modified Unified Budget
Year 1953

Budget Items			
1. Current Expenses			$ 51,993
Administrative Expenses	$ 31,260		
Operating and Maintenance of Plant and Parsonage	9,625		
Choir Expenses	4,270		
Sunday School Expenses	2,500		
Women's Missionary Union Expenses	890		
Baptist Training Union Expenses	1,000		
Charity	835		
Contingencies	913		
Purchase of Equipment	700		
2. Home Missions			1,618
W.M.U. Special - Annie Armstrong Offering	1,618		
3. State Missions			1,417
Women's Missionary Union Special	1,117		
State Missions - Direct	300		
4. Baptist Hospital			1,700
Through pledges	1,500		
* Special Mothers Day Offering	200		
5. Baptist Orphanage			1,900
Through pledges	1,400		
* Special Thanksgiving Offering	500		
6. Baptist Home for the Ageing			300
7. Foreign Missions			5,420
W.M.U. Special - Lottie Moon Offering	3,025		
Foreign Missionary's Salary	2,000		
Miscellaneous through the Sunday School	395		
8. Associational Missions			2,400
Contribution for Salary and Expense of Missionary	900		
Contribution for expansion (New Church)	1,500		
9. Community Missions			3,040
Baptist Student Union - Meredith College	275		
Baptist Student Union - N. C. State College	400		
American Bible Society	100		
Miscellaneous through the Sunday School	265		
Miscellaneous through the W.M.U.	300		
Good Will Center	1,100		
Student Aid - Southeastern Seminary	600		
10. Heck-Jones Memorial			1,085
11. Baptist Hospital - Building Fund			750
12. Wake Forest College - Enlargement Program			2,000
13. Contingencies			818
Total Missions and Benevolences			22,448
14. Cooperative Program			20,000
Total Missions, Benevolences and Cooperative Program			42,448
Total Current Expenses, Missions, Benevolences and Cooperative Program			94,441
Deduct:			
Women's Missionary Union's Special Items	$6,845		
Baptist Hospital Special Offering	200		
Baptist Orphanage Special Offering	500		7,545
Balance to be paid through pledges and loose collections			$ 86,896

* Offerings will be taken at the special services on Mothers' Day and Thanksgivin Day to afford those in attendance who do not contribute through the envelope system the opportunity to make contributions to the Baptist Hospital and the Baptist Orphanage.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Modified Unified Budget
Year 1953

Description	Detail	Total
Administrative & General Expenses:	$	$
Pastor's Salary	8,000	
Director of Education's Salary	3,900	
Office Secretary's Salary	2,580	
Secretary	2,160	
Youth Director's Salary	3,900	
Church Hostess Salary	2,100	
Supervisor of Nursery Salary	125	
Supply Pastor's Remuneration and Expenses	350	
Retirement Plan	175	
Pastor's Automobile Expense Allowance	300	
Director of Education Auto Expense Allowance	300	
Youth Directors Auto Expense Allowance	300	
Traveling Expenses	250	
Special Religious Services	500	
Printing and Postage	2,500	
Telephone	320	
Office Supplies and Expenses	600	
Auditor's Fee	200	
Visual Education	200	
Special College Bus	1,100	
Flowers	100	
Kitchen Supplies and Expenses	150	
Other Administrative and General Expenses	700	
Social Security Tax	300	
Vacation Bible School	150	
Total Administrative and General Expenses		31,260
Operation and Maintenance of Plant and Parsonage:		
Fuel	900	
Lights and water	1,300	
Insurance	725	
Sexton's Salary	1,980	
Maid's Salary	1,320	
Sexton's Helpers Salaries	700	
Building Service Supplies	500	
Repairs - Parsonage	1,000	
Repairs - Church Building	800	
Kitchen Equipment, Tables, etc.	400	
Total Operation and Maintenance		9,625
Choir Expenses:		
Director of Music Salary	2,400	
Other Salaries	1,320	
Music	150	
Other Choir Expenses	400	
Total Choir Expenses		4,270
Sunday School Expenses		2,500
Women's Missionary Union Expenses		890
Baptist Training Union Expenses		1,000
Charity:		
Authorized by the Board of Deacons	210	
Miscellaneous through the Sunday School	625	
Total Charity		835
Contingencies		913
Purchase of Equipment		700
Total Budget for Current Expenses:		$ 51,993

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Raleigh, North Carolina
January 7,1953

The Church met in regular conference and the minutes of December 10th were read and approved.

The following letters were granted:

Name	To Join
Mrs.R.A.Driggers	Tabernacle Baptist Church, Raleigh, N.C.
Walter Lee Smith	First Baptist Church, Greenville, Miss.
Joseph Alpheus Stallings	Mt.Moriah Baptist Church, Garner, N.C.
Miss Dorothy Anne Terry	Caraleigh Baptist Church, Caraleigh, N.C.
Mr. and Mrs.F.R.Little	Kilbourne Park Baptist Church, Columbia, S.C.

CERTIFICATES OF MEMBERSHIP

Mrs.J.T.Carter (nee Miss Jeanette Riley)	Mount Vernon Methodist Church, Danville, Va.
Mrs.W.S.Pugh	Christ Episcopal Church, Raleigh, N.C.

Mimeographed reports were distributed by the Church Treasurer to the membership and copies left with the Church Clerk for record.

The following recommendations were presented from the Board of Deacons by Mr.R.B.Carpenter, Chairman of the Finance Committee:

1. That A.T.Allen and Company be employed to make an audit of the Treasurer's books for the year 1952.

2. That the budget for 1953 as submitted by the Finance Committee and explained by Mr.Carpenter be adopted. (A copy of the Budget as approved is attached).

Both of the above named recommendations were seconded by Mr.George J.Dowell and were adopted.

Upon motion of Mr.T.W.Brewer, and seconded by Mr.H.A.Helms, the Conference voted to add the name of Mrs.Lillian Riddick Rand to the Church Auditorium Improvement Committee.

Upon motion of Mr.Rufus Hunter, Chairman of the Committee on Committees, and seconded by Mr.H.A.Helms, Miss Mary Norwood was elected Chairman of the Serving Committee, and Mr.L.N.Hutchinson,Jr., was elected Superintendent of the Adult Department of the Sunday School.

At the request of the Pastor, Mr.W.H.Simpson, Youth Director, and Mrs.Edwin S.Preston, Educational Director, each gave a five minute report on the activities of their departments for the year 1952.

Changes in the Church Roll for the month of January,1953:

Membership as of December 31,1952	1,846
Received by letter	8
Received by Baptism	8
Lost by letter	8
Membership as of January 31,1953	1,854

We were dismissed with prayer by the Pastor.

Broadus E.Jones, Moderator

J.L.Norris, Assistant Clerk

CHANGES IN CHURCH ROLL FOR THE MONTH OF JANUARY 1953

Received by Letter

Mr. John Dawson
N. C. State College

Miss Ann Hamner
1321 Wake Forest Road

Mrs. W. C. Hamner
1321 Wake Forest Road

Miss Norma Anne Harkracher
1313 Hillsboro Street

Mrs. Jean Hooks
322 Shepherd Street

Mr. J. Carey Scott, Jr.
N. C. State College

Miss Carolyn Stevens
600 W. Aycock Street

Miss Margaret Trammell
815 W. Johnson Street

Received by Baptism

Mr. Maurice E. Glasgow
12½ S. Boylan Avenue

Mr. Gene Hooks
322 Shepherd Street

Mrs. John Ray
214 Hudson Street

Mr. Olin Trull
3544, N. C. State College

Mr. Kenneth Webb
537 E. Jones Street

Lost by Letter

Mrs. J. T. Carter (nee Jeanette Riley)
Mrs. R. A. Driggers
Mr. F. R. Little
Mrs. F. R. Little
Mrs. W. S. Pugh
Mr. Walter Lee Smith
Mr. Joseph Alpheus Stallings
Miss Dorothy Anne Terry

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Raleigh, North Carolina
February 18,1953

The Church met in regular Conference and the minutes of the January 7th Conference were read and approved.

The following letters were granted:

Name	To Join
Miss Jane Berryman	Longview Baptist Church, Raleigh, N.C.
Mr.John Boswell	South Hill Baptist Church, South Hill, Va.
Mr. & Mrs. Norman L.Dunnegan,Jr.	Forest Hill Baptist Church, Raleigh, N.C.
Mrs.Howard F.Morris (nee Miss Mary Moody)	First Baptist Church, Kinston, N.C.
Miss Anita Robinson	First Baptist Church, Lenoir, N.C.
Miss Rheta Salter	The Tabernacle Baptist Church, Raleigh, N.C.
Mr. and Mrs.Walter S.Seagroves	St.John's Baptist Church, Charlotte, N.C.
Miss Ruth Thames	First Baptist Church, Dunn, N.C.
Mrs.Mildred Bostick Wiley	First Baptist Church, Rockingham, N.C.

CERTIFICATES OF MEMBERSHIP

Mr.Clyde A.Douglas,II	Hayes-Barton Methodist Church, Raleigh, N.C.
Mr.Pope McCorkle,Jr.	Idlewild Presbyterian Church, Memphis, Tenn.
Mr. and Mrs.John Crudup Rogers	White Memorial Presbyterian Church, Raleigh, N.C.
Miss Ila V.Sherron	Wesley Heights Methodist Church, Charlotte, N.C.
Mr.James L.Smith	Wesley Memorial Methodist Church, Raleigh, N.C.

Mr.C.J.Curry, Church Treasurer, distributed mimeographed copies of his report to the membership and left copies with the Church Clerk for record.

There were no recommendations from the Board of Deacons, and no business transacted.

Changes in the Church Roll for the Month of February,1953

Membership as of January 31,1953----------1,854
Lost by letter 17-
Lost by death:

Mr.James E.Bryan
February 5,1953

Mr.W.Cyrus Morgan
February 12,1953

Membership as of February 28,1953----------1,835

We adjourned the Conference to enter into Prayer Service led by Miss Lucy Steele of Peace Junior College.

Broadus E.Jones, Moderator

J.Everett Hunter, Church Clerk

CHANGES IN CHURCH ROLL FOR THE MONTH OF FEBRUARY 1953

Lost by Letter

Miss Jane Berryman
Mr. John Boswell
Mr. Clyde Douglass, II
Mr. Norman L. Dunnegan, Jr.
Mrs. Norman L. Dunnegan, Jr.
Pope McCorkle, Jr.
Mrs. Howard F. Morris (nee Mary Moody)
Miss Anita Robinson
Mr. John Crudup Rogers
Mrs. John Crudup Rogers
Miss Rheta Salter
Mr. Walter S. Seagroves
Mrs. Walter S. Seagroves
Miss Ila V. Sherron
Mr. James L. Smith
Miss Ruth Thames
Mrs. Mildred Bostick Wiley

Lost by Death

Mr. James E. Bryan (February 5, 1953)
Mr. W. Cyrus Morgan (February 12, 1953)

AUDITOR'S REPORT

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Raleigh, North Carolina

C. J. Curry, Treasurer

12 Months Ended December 31, 1952

A. T. ALLEN & COMPANY
CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS
RALEIGH, N.C.

A. T. ALLEN, C. P. A.
A. T. ALLEN, JR., C. P. A.

To the Board of Deacons
First Baptist Church
Raleigh, North Carolina

Gentlemen:

According to arrangements, we submit herewith our report covering the audit of your Treasurer, Mr. C. J. Curry, for the period from January 1, 1952 through December 31, 1952.

The records were carefully examined by us, and we traced receipts to original sources in most cases, and where practicable. Disbursements were audited in detail and found supported by cancelled checks, invoices, or proper authorizations. We believe your Treasurer has made a complete accounting for all funds for which he was responsible.

A summary of Cash Receipts and Disbursements for the calendar year 1952 is presented herein under Exhibit "A". You will note that the beginning cash balance was $6,295.71 and that undesignated receipts were $86,703.44 and designated receipts were $38,978.44. We found the total disbursements to be $100,978.01. These transactions result in a balance of $30,999.58 at December 31, 1952. This balance was composed of the following:

Petty Cash Funds	$ 200 00
On Deposit with the First-Citizens Bank and Trust Company of Raleigh	9 255 83
On Deposit with the First-Federal Savings and Loan Association of Raleigh	21 543 75
Total	$ 30 999 58

The bank balances were confirmed by correspondence, as were also the Petty Cash Funds.

Schedule - 1 is included to show the details of receipts other than regular church offerings. Schedule - 2 shows disbursements in comparison with the budget.

A brief comparison of the operations with the budget is as follows:

	Budget	Actual	Difference
RECEIPTS:			
Pledges and Loose Collections	$ 86 263 00	$ 86 703 44	$ 440 44
WMU Through Authorized and Special Items	5 689 00	6 620 41	931 41
Baptist Hospital Special Offerings	200 00	223 94	23 94
Baptist Orphanage Special Offerings	500 00	405 99	94 01
Total	$ 92 652 00	$ 93 953 78	$ 1 301 78
EXPENSES:			
Current Expense	$ 46 293 00	$ 46 626 40	$ 333 40
Charity	1 020 00	1 170 25	150 25
Contingencies	650 00	1 495 27	845 27
Total	$ 47 963 00	$ 49 291 92	$ 1 328 92

Other items detailed on Schedule - 2 varied from the budget according to special designated receipts and in proportion that undesignated receipts were short of the anticipated amounts.

We found the undesignated receipts distributed for the year as follows:

Code	Fund	Percentage
2	Current Expense	.5365
5	Charity	.0120
9	Contingencies	.0172
12	Payment on Bank Loan	.0381
3.11	State Missions - Direct	.0035
3.34	Community Missions	.0311
7	Baptist Hospital	.0174
8	Baptist Orphanage	.0162
3.19	Wake Forest College Enlargement	.0487
3.21	Foreign Missions - Missionary's Salary	.0236
3.26	Foreign Missions - Through Sunday School	.0046
3.30	Associational Missions	.0104
3.31	Associational Missions - New Churches	.0174
6	Cooperative Program	.2198
	Southeastern Baptist Seminary	.0035
	Total	100%

A summary of the Special Improvement Fund for the period under audit is as follows:

Designated Receipts	$ 23 032 59
Plus Interest on Bank Deposit	43 75
	$ 23 076 34
Less: Unbudgeted Disbursements for Miscellaneous Supplies and Expense	359 85
Balance December 31, 1952	$ 22 716 49

We found the Treasurer's accounts in balance and in excellant order, and through the close cooperation of those entrusted with the records of the church, we experienced no trouble in making this audit.

We wish to express our appreciation for the cooperative assistance rendered us during the course of the audit.

Respectfully submitted,

A. T. ALLEN & COMPANY
CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS

By: A. T. Allen
A. T. Allen, C. P. A.

Raleigh, N. C.
February 6, 1953

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Raleigh, North Carolina

C. J. Curry, Treasurer

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Special Improvement Fund	
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Contingencies	
Cooperative Program	
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State Missions - Direct	
State Missions - Through Sunday School	
State Missions - Through W. M. U.	120 60
Associational Missions	
Associational Missions - New Churches	
Community Missions	
Baptist Hospital	
Baptist Orphanage	
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Southeastern Baptist Seminary	
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EXHIBIT "A"

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Raleigh, North Carolina

C. J. Curry, Treasurer

CASH RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS

12 Months Ended December 31, 1952

RECEIPTS AND TRANSFERS			DISBURSEMENTS AND TRANSFERS				
Cash Balances 1-1-52	Undesignated	Designated Schedule -1	Total to Account For	Budgeted Items Schedule -2	Items Not Budgeted	Total	Cash Balances 12-31-52
$ 1 097 20	$ 46 516 40	$ 1 110 16	$ 48 723 76	$ 46 626 40	$	$ 46 626 40	$ 2 097 36
914 78	1 040 43	120 60	2 075 81	1 170 25		1 170 25	905 56
5 442 86		5 442 86					
		23 076 34	23 076 34		359 85	359 85	22 716 49
50 00			50 00		50 00	50 00	
12 00			12 00		12 00	12 00	
674 03	3 306 56		3 980 59		3 980 59	3 980 59	
884 04	1 488 16		2 372 20	1 495 27		1 495 27	876 93
	19 060 96	34 15	19 095 11	19 095 11		19 095 11	
		3 224 06	3 224 06	3 224 06		3 224 06	
68 11	2 042 64		2 110 75	2 000 00		2 000 00	110 75
497 83			497 83		395 00	395 00	102 83
	398 83		398 83	398 83		398 83	
		79 49	79 49		79 49	79 49	
		1 439 87	1 439 87	1 439 87		1 439 87	
	303 46		303 46	303 46		303 46	
103 44			103 44		103 44	103 44	
		969 27	969 27	969 27		969 27	
	901 71		901 71	901 71		901 71	
	1 508 63		1 508 63	1 050 57		1 050 57	458 06
1 270 64	2 696 48	32 00	3 999 12	2 027 52		2 027 52	1 971 60
	1 508 65	223 94	1 732 59	1 732 59		1 732 59	
	1 404 59	405 99	1 810 58	1 810 58		1 810 58	
	4 225 94	70 00	4 295 94	4 295 94		4 295 94	
	300 00		300 00		300 00	300 00	
		987 21	987 21	987 21		987 21	
		300 00	300 00				300 00
4 500 00			4 500 00	4 500 00		4 500 00	
1 666 50			1 666 50		1 666 50	1 666 50	
		1 460 00	1 460 00				1 460 00
		2 50	2 50		2 50	2 50	
$ 6 295 71	$ 86 703 44	$ 38 978 44	$ 131 977 59	$ 94 028 64	$ 6 949 37	$ 100 978 01	$ 30 999 58

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Raleigh, North Carolina

C. J. Curry, Treasurer

DESIGNATED RECEIPTS

12 Months Ended December 31, 1952

CURRENT EXPENSE:		
Retirement Deductions from Pastor's Salary	$ 160 00	
Social Security Deductions from Employees' Salaries	281 50	
Initial Offering Collections	56 67	
Collections at Special Revival Services	259 76	
Collections for Daily Vacation Bible School	79 44	
Donations for Purchase of Equipment	216 14	
Special Contribution for Flowers	20 00	
From Edenton Street Methodist Church - Union Services	36 65	
TOTAL CURRENT EXPENSE		$ 1 110 16
CHARITY:		
From Jones-Berean Class for Christmas Charity	$ 55 60	
Special Contributions	5 00	
Refund of deposits from "Care", New York City (Miss Margueritte Schilling, deceased)	60 00	
TOTAL CHARITY		120 60
PLANT EXPANSION:		
Transferred from the following accounts:		
Renovating Beginners' Room	$ 50 00	
Primary Department Chairs	12 00	
Reserve for Payment of Bank Loans	3 980 59	
Contingencies	1 400 27	
TOTAL PLANT EXPANSION		5 442 86
SPECIAL IMPROVEMENT FUND:		
Special Contributions	$ 23 032 59	
Interest on Funds deposited with First-Federal Savings and Loan Association	43 75	
TOTAL SPECIAL IMPROVEMENT FUND		23 076 34
COOPERATIVE PROGRAM:		
Special Contributions from Vacation Bible School		34 15
FOREIGN MISSIONS:		
Special Offerings for Lottie Moon - W. M. U.		3 224 06
FOREIGN MISSIONS:		
Special Collection for Dr. I. N. Patterson		79 49
FORWARDED:		

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Raleigh, North Carolina

C. J. Curry, Treasurer

DESIGNATED RECEIPTS

12 Months Ended December 31, 1952

HOME MISSIONS:	
From W. M. U. for Annie Armstrong	$ 1 439 87
STATE MISSIONS:	
Special Collections through W. M. U.	969 27
COMMUNITY MISSIONS:	
From Jones-Dereen Class for State College B. S. U.	32 00
BAPTIST HOSPITAL:	
Special Offerings	223 94
BAPTIST ORPHANAGE:	
Special Offerings	405 99
WAKE FOREST COLLEGE ENLARGEMENT:	
Special Contributions	70 00
HECK-JONES MEMORIAL:	
Special Offerings through W. M. U.	987 21
NUNN MEMORIAL:	
Interest on Nunn Memorial Fund	300 00
ADVANCE PAYMENTS ON 1953 PLEDGES:	
Collections in 1952 to apply on 1953 Pledges	1 460 00
ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE:	
Collections on Miscelleneous Items due from Individuals	2 50
TOTAL DESIGNATED RECEIPTS	$ 38 976 44

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Raleigh, North Carolina

C. J. Curry, Treasurer

ANALYSIS OF EXPENDITURES FOR BUDGETED OBJECTS

12 Months Ended December 31, 1952

	Budget		Actual Expenditures	Difference Over-Spent in Red
CURRENT EXPENSES:				
Administrative and General:				
Pastor's Salary	$ 7 680 00		$ 7 680 00	$
Salary - Director of Education	3 600 00		3 600 00	
Salary - Youth Director	3 600 00		3 600 00	
Salary - Office Secretary	2 400 00		2 180 00	
Salary - Church Hostess	1 800 00		1 800 00	
Salary - Stenographer	1 980 00		1 990 00	
Salary - Temporary Secretary	-0-		215 33	
Salary - Supervisor of Nursery	125 00		130 70	
Supply Pastors' Remuneration and Expenses	300 00		330 07	
Retirement Plan for Pastor	175 00	(1)	320 00	
Pastor's Automobile Expense Allowance	300 00		300 00	
Educational Director's Automobile Expense Allowance	300 00		300 00	
Youth Director's Automobile Expense Allowance	300 00		300 00	
Convention Traveling Expense	250 00		250 00	
Auditor's Fee	200 00		200 00	
Special Religious Services	500 00	(2)	458 16	
Printing and Postage	2 500 00	(3)	2 506 64	
Telephone	300 00		302 40	
Office Supplies and Expenses	700 00		382 11	
Visual Education	150 00		158 87	
Budget Campaign	-0-		143 08	
Flowers	80 00	(4)	169 78	
Meredith College Bus	1 000 00		1 179 50	
Religious Emphasis Week	300 00		-0-	
Kitchen Supplies and Expenses	100 00		93 25	
Other Administrative and General Expenses	590 00		783 54	
Social Security Taxes	315 00	(5)	562 42	
Interest on Bank Loan	-0-		56 25	
Total Administrative and General Expenses	$ 29 545 00		$ 29 992 10	$ 447 10
Operation of Plant and Parsonage:				
Fuel	$ 1 000 00		$ 762 77	$
Lights and Water	950 00		936 03	
Insurance	600 00		688 77	
Sexton's Salary	1 980 00		1 980 00	
Sexton's Helpers' Salaries	700 00		686 05	
Maid's Salary	1 320 00		1 320 00	
Building Service Supplies	400 00		378 19	
Repairs - Church Building	200 00		675 92	
Repairs - Parsonage	1 000 00		486 97	
Total Operation of Plant and Parsonage	$ 8 150 00		$ 7 924 70	$ 225 30

FORWARDED:

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Raleigh, North Carolina

C. J. Curry, Treasurer

ANALYSIS OF EXPENDITURES FOR BUDGETED OBJECTS

12 Months Ended December 31, 1952

		Budget		Actual Expenditures		Difference Over-Spent in Red
CURRENT EXPENSES: (Contd)						
Choir Expenses:						
Salary - Director of Music	$	2 100 00	$	2 100 00	$	
Other Salaries		1 320 00		1 320 00		
Music:		150 00		135 97		
Other Choir Expenses	(			142 09		
Laundry Service	(	450 00		96 45		
Total Choir Expenses	$	4 020 00	$	3 794 51	$	225 49
Sunday School Expenses:						
Literature and Supplies	($		$	1 337 92	$	
Other Expenses	(	2 500 00		1 144 60		
Daily Vacation Bible School	(		(6)	98 81		
Total Sunday School Expenses	$	2 500 00	$	2 581 33	$	81 33
Woman's Missionary Union Expenses	$	578 00	$	486 43	$	91 57
Baptist Training Union Expenses	$	1 000 00	$	1 271 34	$	271 34
Purchase of Equipment	$	500 00	(7) 575 99		$	75 99
Total Current Expenses	$	46 293 00	$	46 626 40	$	333 40
CHARITY:						
Authorized by Board of Deacons	$	210 00	$	734 38	$	
Miscellaneous Through Sunday School		565 00		229 77		
Miscellaneous - Local Charity Committee	(			166 10		
Miscellaneous - W. M. U.	(	245 00		40 00		
TOTAL CHARITY	$	1 020 00	$	1 170 25	$	150 25
CONTINGENCIES	$	650 00	(8)	1 495 27	$	845 27
COOPERATIVE PROGRAM	$	19 000 00	(9)	19 095 11	$	95 11
FOREIGN MISSIONS:						
W. M. U. Special - Lottie Moon Offering	$	2 650 00	(10)	3 224 06	$	
Foreign Missionary's Salary		2 000 00		2 000 00		
Miscellaneous Through Sunday School		395 00	(10)	398 83		
TOTAL FOREIGN MISSIONS	$	5 045 00	$	5 622 89	$	577 89

FORWARDED:

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Raleigh, North Carolina

C. J. Curry, Treasurer

ANALYSIS OF EXPENDITURES FOR BUDGETED OBJECTS

12 Months Ended December 31, 1952

	Budget		Actual Expenditures		Difference Over-Spent in Red
HOME MISSIONS:					
W. M. U. Special - Annie Armstrong	$ 1 191 00	(10)	$ 1 439 87		$ 248 87
STATE MISSIONS:					
W. M. U. Special	$ 940 00	(10)	969 27		$
Direct	300 00	(10)	303 46		
TOTAL STATE MISSIONS	$ 1 240 00		$ 1 272 73		$ 32 73
ASSOCIATIONAL MISSIONS:					
Salary and Expense of Missionary	$ 900 00	(10)	$ 901 71		$
New Churches (Western Boulevard Church)	1 500 00		1 050 57		
TOTAL ASSOCIATIONAL MISSIONS	$ 2 400 00		$ 1 952 28		$ 447 72
COMMUNITY MISSIONS:					
Meredith College - B. S. U.	$ 275 00		$		$
State College - B. S. U.	400 00	(11)	432 00		
American Bible Society	100 00		100 00		
Miscellaneous Through Sunday School	530 00				
Miscellaneous Through W. M. U.	275 00		340 00		
Good Will Center	1 100 00		1 105 52		
Emanuel Baptist Church			50 00		
TOTAL COMMUNITY MISSIONS	$ 2 680 00		$ 2 027 52		$ 652 48
BAPTIST HOSPITAL	$ 1 700 00	(10)	$ 1 732 59		$ 32 59
BAPTIST ORPHANAGE	$ 1 900 00		$ 1 810 58		$ 89 42
WAKE FOREST COLLEGE - ENLARGEMENT PROGRAM	$ 4 500 00		$ 4 295 94		$ 204 06
HECK-JONES MEMORIAL	$ 908 00	(10)	$ 987 21		$ 79 21
BORROWED MONEY REPAID	$ 4 125 00		$ 4 500 00		$ 375 00

NOTES:

(1) One-half of this Expenditure Deducted from Pastor's Salary

(2) Special Collections of $259.76 were made to apply on this Item

(3) Initial Offering Collections of $56.67 went to Credit of this Item

(4) Special Contribution of $20.00 went to Credit of this Item

FORWARDED:

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Raleigh, North Carolina

C. J. Curry, Treasurer

ANALYSIS OF EXPENDITURES FOR BUDGETED OBJECTS

12 Months Ended December 31, 1952

NOTES: (Contd)

(5) Of These Expenditures, $281.50 was Deducted from Employees' Salaries
(6) Special Collections of $79.44 were Made to Apply on This Item
(7) Donations of $216.14 went to Credit of This Item
(8) Of These Expenditures, $1,400.27 was an Authorized Transfer to Plant Expansion Account
(9) Special Contribution of $34.15 from Vacation Bible School Credited to This Item
(10) Receipts Exceeded Budget in These Cases
(11) Special Offering from Jones-Berean Class for $32.00 Credited to This Item

	Budget	Actual Expenditures	Difference Over-Spent in Red
GRAND TOTALS	$ 92 652 00	$ 94 028 64	$ 1 376 64

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Raleigh, North Carolina
March 11,1953

The Church met in regular Conference and the minutes of February 18th Conference were read and approved.

The following letters were granted:

Name	To Join
Miss Nancy Berryman	Longview Baptist Church, Raleigh, N.C.
Mr.Floyd Fletcher	Watts Street Baptist Church, Durham, N.C.

CERTIFICATE OF MEMBERSHIP

Mr.James A.Rowland	White Memorial Presbyterian Church, Raleigh, N.C.

The Church Treasurer, Mr.C.J.Curry, distributed mimeographed copies of his report to the membership and left copies with the Church Clerk for record.

RECOMMENDATIONS FROM THE BOARD OF DEACONS

1. That the audit made by A.T.Allen & Co., Certified Public Accountants, of Raleigh be accepted and become a part of the Church records. The recommendation was accepted.

2. That $300.00 be paid to the North Carolina Baptist Homes,Inc., at Winston-Salem, N.C. from funds designated in the 1953 budget. The recommendation was approved.

3. That the Church give to the Emanuel Baptist Church of Raleigh $750.00, from funds appropriated in the 1953 budget. The recommendation was carried.

CHANGES IN THE CHURCH ROLL FOR THE MONTH OF MARCH,1953:

Membership as of February 28,1953----------1,835
Received by letter---------- 8
Received by statement---------- 1
Lost by letter----------3
Lost by death:

Mr.Loomis Goodwin
March 2,1953

Mrs.R.E.L.Yates
March 5,1953

Membership as of March 31,1953----------1,839

Broadus E.Jones, Moderator

J.Everett Hunter, Church Clerk

CHANGES IN CHURCH ROLL FOR THE MONTH OF MARCH 1953

Received by Letter

Rev. & Mrs. M. O. Alexander
610 B Woodburn Rd.

Mr. David Alexander
610 B Woodburn Rd.

Mr. Gene L. Lawter
1907 Clark Avenue

Mrs. Betty Lutz
223 N. Wilmington St.

Mrs. Adrian S. Mitchell
605 N. Blount Street

Mrs. W. J. Winfree
106 Faircloth Street

Miss Jo Ann Winfree
106 Faircloth Street

Received on Statement

Mr. Fitzgerald E. Davis
170 Nichols Drive

Lost by Death

Loomis Goodwin (March 2, 1953)
Mrs. R. E. L. Yates (March 5, 1953)

Lost by Letter

Nancy Berryman
Floyd Fletcher
James A. Rowland

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Modified Unified Budget
Year 1953

Budget Items		
1. Current Expenses		$ 51,500
Administrative Expenses	$ 31,180	
Operating and Maintenance of Plant and Parsonage	9,625	
Choir Expenses	4,270	
Sunday School Expenses	2,500	
Women's Missionary Union Expenses	890	
Baptist Training Union Expenses	1,000	
Charity	835	
Contingencies	500	
Purchase of Equipment	700	
2. Home Missions		1,618
W.M.U. Special - Annie Armstrong Offering	1,618	
3. State Missions		1,417
Women's Missionary Union Special	1,117	
State Missions - Direct	300	
4. Baptist Hospital		1,700
Through pledges	1,500	
* Special Mothers Day Offering	200	
5. Baptist Orphanage		1,900
Through pledges	1,400	
* Special Thanksgiving Offering	500	
6. Baptist Home for the Ageing		300
7. Foreign Missions		5,420
W.M.U. Special - Lottie Moon Offering	3,025	
Foreign Missionary's Salary	2,000	
Miscellaneous through the Sunday School	395	
8. Associational Missions		2,400
Contribution for Salary and Expense of Missionary	900	
Contribution for expansion (New Church)	1,500	
9. Community Missions		3,040
Baptist Student Union - Meredith College	275	
Baptist Student Union - N. C. State College	400	
American Bible Society	100	
Miscellaneous through the Sunday School	265	
Miscellaneous through the W.M.U.	300	
Good Will Center	1,100	
Student Aid - Southeastern Seminary	600	
10. Heck-Jones Memorial		1,085
11. Baptist Hospital - Building Fund		750
12. Wake Forest College - Enlargement Program		2,000
13. Contingencies		415
Total Missions and Benevolences		22,045
14. Cooperative Program		20,000
Total Missions, Benevolences and Cooperative Program		42,045
Total Current Expenses, Missions, Benevolences and Cooperative Program		93,545
Deduct:		
Women's Missionary Union's Special Items	$ 6,845	
Baptist Hospital Special Offering	200	
Baptist Orphanage Special Offering	500	7,545
Balance to be paid through pledges and loose collections		$ 86,000

* Offerings will be taken at the special services on Mothers' Day and Thanksgiving Day to afford those in attendance who do not contribute through the envelope system the opportunity to make contributions to the Baptist Hospital and the Baptist Orphanage.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Modified Unified Budget
Year 1953

Description	Detail	Total
Administrative & General Expenses:		
Pastor's Salary	$ 8,000	$
Director of Education's Salary	3,900	
Office Secretary's Salary	2,580	
Secretary	2,160	
Youth Director's Salary	3,900	
Church Hostess Salary	2,100	
Supervisor of Nursery Salary	125	
Supply Pastor's Remuneration and Expenses	350	
Retirement Plan	175	
Pastor's Automobile Expense Allowance	300	
Director of Education Auto Expense Allowance	300	
Youth Directors Auto Expense Allowance	300	
Traveling Expenses	250	
Special Religious Services	500	
Printing and Postage	2,500	
Telephone	320	
Office Supplies and Expenses	600	
Auditor's Fee	200	
Visual Education	200	
Special College Bus	1,100	
Flowers	100	
Kitchen Supplies and Expenses	150	
Other Administrative and Genaral Expenses	700	
Social Security Tax	300	
Vacation Bible School	150	
Total Administrative and General Expenses		31,260
Operation and Maintenance of Plant and Parsonage:		
Fuel	900	
Lights and water	1,300	
Insurance	725	
Sexton's Salary	1,980	
Maid's Salary	1,320	
Sexton's Helpers Salaries	700	
Building Service Supplies	500	
Repairs - Parsonage	1,000	
Repairs - Church Building	800	
Kitchen Equipment, Tables, etc.	400	
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FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Raleigh, North Carolina
April 8,1953

The Church met in regular conference and the minutes for February 18,1953 were read and approved.

The following letters were granted:

Name	To Join
Mr.Alexander M.Bonner,Jr.	First Baptist Church, Winston-Salem, N.C.
Mrs.W.E.Hendrix	Hyde Park Baptist Church, Chicago, Ill.
Miss Rebecca Hendrix	" " " " " "
Mrs.Marie Carrol LeBlanc	Beth Eden Baptist Church, Denver 11, Colorado
Miss Maude B.Pow	First Baptist Church, Cramerton, N.C.
Mr. and Mrs.Harry Prevette	First Baptist Church, Raeford, N.C.
Mrs.R.E.Sprinkle	Wendell Baptist Church, Wendell, N.C.

CERTIFICATE OF MEMBERSHIP

Mrs.Mary Ann Rogers Williams	West Raleigh Presbyterian Church, Raleigh, N.C.

Mimeographed copies of the Treasurer's Report were distributed to the membership and copies filed with the Church Clerk for record.

RECOMMENDATION FROM THE BOARD OF DEACONS

That the Sunday Evening services continue through the month of April at 7:30 o'clock, and begin again at 7:30 o'clock in September. Services will begin at 8:00 p.m. on May 3rd and continue through August.

Mr.Rufus A.Hunter, Chairman of the Nominating Committee presented the name of Mr.Wade M.Jenkins as Assistant Church Clerk, to take the place of Mr.J.L.Norris who has been made Clerk to the Board of Deacons. Mr.Jenkins was duly elected.

CHANGES IN THE CHURCH ROLL FOR APRIL,1953

Membership as of March 31,1953	1,839
Received by statement	1
Received by Baptism	18
Received by letter	5
Lost by letter	9
Membership as of April 29th	1,854

We were dismissed with prayer by the Pastor.

Broadus E.Jones, Moderator

J.Everett Hunter, Church Clerk

CHANGES IN CHURCH ROLL FOR MONTH OF APRIL 1953

Received on Statement

Mrs. Rosa Mitchell
605 N. Blount Street

Received by Baptism

William Amos Abrams, Jr.
2701 Anderson Drive

Frank Edmondson
N. C. School for Blind

George W. Ford
1506 Fairview Road

Jerry Garner
N. C. School for Blind

Edward Green
111 Cutler Street

Jack Grindstaff
N. C. School for Blind

Carolyn Holoman
2702 Peachtree Street

Zeno Martin, Jr.
1902 Stone Street

Kay McManus
3331 White Oak Road

Jimmy Poplin
N. C. School for Blind

Mrs. Gordon Riddick
708 W. Aycock Street

Betsy Layfield Smith
2022 St. Mary's Street

J. Norwood Smith
3109 Hillsboro Street

Robert S. Warren, Jr.
2517 Kenmore Drive

Barbara Wells
900 Chamberlain

Received by Baptism (continued)

Mabel Stuart Upchurch
1810 St. Mary's Street

Stanley Williford
N. C. School for Blind

Richard T. White
29-F Vetville, State College

Received by Letter

Miss Opal Elmore
100 Gardner Street

Mr. A. S. Myrick
106 Faircloth Street

Mrs. A. S. Myrick
106 Faircloth Street

Mr. Gordon Riddick
708 W. Aycock Street

Miss Dollie Smith
302 Vance Apartments

Lost by Letter

Alexander M. Bonner, Jr.
Rebecca Hendrix
Mrs. W. E. Hendrix
Mrs. Marie Carrol LeBlanc
Miss Maude B. Pow
Harry Prevette
Mrs. Harry Prevette
Mrs. Mary Ann Rogers Williams
Mrs. R. E. Sprinkle

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Raleigh, North Carolina
April 22, 1953

The Church was called in special conference to act upon the following items:

First: Upon motion duly seconded, the Pastor and Chairman of the Board of Deacons were authorized to appoint messengers to the Southern Baptist Convention to be held in Houston, Texas on May 6-10, 1953.

Second: Upon motion by Dr. J. Clyde Turner, and duly seconded, a committee is to be appointed to serve as an examining committee for the ordination as ministers, James Bland and Eugene Walter. This committee is to make their examination prior to ordination ceremonies, the date of which is to be determined.

Third: A report of the Building Committee was presented by T.W. Brewer, Chairman. Mr. Brewer stated that the portion of the Church to be air conditioned was the main auditorium, the Pastor's study, the administrative offices on the second floor, and provision made for extending the air conditioning to other parts of the building at a later date, if and when the Church is ready to proceed.

Mr. Brewer called upon Mr. Rice of the firm of Haskins, Cooper and Rice, Architects to explain the estimates. Each member was presented with a mimeographed copy of the estimates which were as follows:

I. HEATING AND AIR CONDITIONING	$50,000.00	
a. Oil burner, tank and controls	3,000.00	
b. Demolition	1,000.00	
c. Supports for machinery	500.00	
		$54,500.00
II. ELECTRICAL WIRING		
a. Wiring for Air Conditioning	6,000.00	
b. Electrical Fixtures and wiring for Church (These have not been selected)	7,500.00	
c. Electrical service (similar to Edenton St.)	3,000.00	
		$16,500.00
III. REPAIRS AND CONSTRUCTION		
a. Penthouse and supports for air conditioning machinery (To be built on top of Sunday School building)	1,500.00	
b. Attic insulation	1,500.00	
c. Patching	1,000.00	
d. Miscellaneous repairs	3,000.00	
1. Elimination of front steps of rostrum and construction of decorative bulkhead.		
2. Elevating rear platform of balcony to insure proper lines of sight.		
3. Repairs to floor and existing woodwork.		
		$7,000.00
IV. PAINTING AND DECORATING	3,200.00	
a. Two coat work on walls (new colors)		
b. Walnut finish on woodwork		
c. New draperies on balcony railing and choir railing to match carpet		
		$3,200.00

V. PEWS	$14,500.00	
a. New seating in maple with walnut finish, with rearrangement of aisles which will increase present seating capacity. (Note: Refinishing of present pews was investigated. Samples of work were received by committee and rejected. Best job of refinishing would have cost approximately $8,500.00) (It is estimated that a sale is possible at approximately $2 per individual seat).		
Actual Bid		$14,500.00
VI. CARPETING	7,200.00	
a. Downstairs and steps. (NOTE: This is based on an estimate of $12 per yard for carpet, pad, and labor for laying).		
b. Balcony (cleaning and re-using old carpet) (Old carpet to be used in balcony)	300.00	
		$7,500.00
GRAND TOTAL----------		$ 103,200.00

Mr.J.L.Norris, Clerk to the Board of Deacons read the following recommendations from the Board:

"That the full report and estimate of the Auditorium Building Committee be approved and accepted, and that work begin at the pleasure of the Church."

Upon motion of T.W.Brewer and seconded by B.Y.Tyner, the recommendations were accepted without a dissenting vote.

W.C.Lassiter, Chairman of the Improvement Fund Committee read the following recommendations of his committee, and moved their adoption:

1. That the Committee conduct an immediate campaign to undertake to raise an additional $25,000.00 in cash and $60,000.00 in pledges, including unpaid balances on the old pledges.

2. That in order to commence work on the improvements immediately, the Church borrow, when necessary, the balance necessary to complete the work, the loan to be secured by a deed of trust on the Church property at an interest rate not to exceed 4% per annum.

Mr.Lassiter stated that he found that as much as $65,000.00 could be obtained at an interest rate of not more than 4%, for a period of from five to fifteen years. He also stated that this money could be repaid without a penalty, or as fast as you wish to pay it.

McIver Allen asked how much cash was to be collected before work was to begin. Mr.Lassiter stated that approximately $15,000.00 more than was on hand at present. He stated that it would be necessary to secure additional pledges amounting to $48,000.00.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Raleigh, North Carolina
April 22,1953

L.R.Harrill made a motion that the recommendations be accepted and that work be begun immediately. The motion was carried.

W.H.Weatherspoon made a motion that the Committee bring to the Board of Deacons any bids which are in excess of the estimate which appears in the minutes. The motion was carried.

The second portion of the motion by W.C.Lassiter was approved which was: "That in order to commence work on the improvements immediately, the Church borrow, when necessary, the balance necessary to complete the work, the loan to be secured by a deed of trust on the Church property at an interest rate not to exceed 4% per annum."

We were dismissed with prayer by the Pastor.

Broadus E. Jones

Broadus E.Jones, Moderator

J. Everett Hunter

J.Everett Hunter, Church Clerk

To the Church Conference of the First Baptist Church, Raleigh, N. C.:

At a special meeting of the Church Auditorium Improvements Fund Committee, the Committee unanimously adopted the following recommendations:

1. That the Committee conduct an immediate campaign to undertake to raise an additional $25,000.00 in cash and $60,000.00 in pledges, including unpaid balances on the old pledges.

2. That in order to commence the work on the improvements immediately, the church borrow, when necessary, the balance necessary to complete the work, the loan to be secured by a deed of trust on the church property at an interest rate not to exceed 4% per annum.

Wm. C. Lassiter,
Chairman, for the Committee

ESTIMATE OF ALTERATIONS TO FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Report of the Building Committee
T. W. Brewer, Chairman

figures by Mr. Brewer

I.	HEATING AND AIR CONDITIONING	$50,000.00	
	a. Oil burner, tank and controls	3,000.00	
	b. Demolition	1,000.00	
	c. Supports for machinery	500.00	
			$ 54,500.00
II.	ELECTRICAL WIRING		
	a. Wiring for A.C.	$ 6,000.00	
	b. Electrical fixtures & wiring for church (not selected but similar to Edenton St.)	7,500.00	
	c. Electrical service	3,000.00	
			$ 16,500.00
III.	REPAIRS AND CONSTRUCTION		
	a. Penthouse and supports for air conditioning machinery To be built on roof of auditorium	$ 1,500.00	
	b. Attic insulation	1,500.00	
	c. Patching	1,000.00	
	d. Miscellaneous repairs	3,000.00	
	1. Elimination of front steps of rostrum and construction of decorative bulkhead. Rostrum 18" to 24" with steps in front of pulpit.		
	2. Elevating rear platform of balcony to insure proper lines of sight.		
	3. Repairs to floor and existing woodwork.		
			$ 7,000.00
IV.	PAINTING AND DECORATING	$ 3,200.00	
	a. Two coat work on walls (new colors)		
	b. Walnut finish on woodwork		
	c. New draperies on balcony railing and choir railing to match carpet		
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	b. Balcony (cleaning and re-using old carpet)	300.00	
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	GRAND TOTAL		$ 103,200.00

Actual bids

old carpet to be used in balcony.

NOTICE TO ALL MEMBERS OF THE FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF RALEIGH, N. C.:

You are hereby notified that a call business meeting of the membership of the First Baptist Church of Raleigh, N. C. will be held at this church on Wednesday, the 20 day of May, 1953, at 8 o'clock P. M., and that at this meeting the membership of the Church will discuss and pass upon the matter of borrowing or raising sufficient funds with which to complete the work of improving the church auditorium in accordance with plans heretofore adopted by the church conference.

This the 17 day of May, 1953.

T. W. Brewer
Chairman of Board of Deacons

J. Everett Hunter
Church Clerk

EMMANUEL BAPTIST CHURCH

Raleigh, N. C.

April 17, 1953

Mr. Everett Hunter, Clerk
First Baptist Church
Raleigh, North Carolina

Dear Mr. Hunter:

It is with gratitude that we accept your generous contribution of $750.00 to our Building Fund. Please express our appreciation to your members.

Sincerely yours,

R. E. Thompson

R. E. Thompson
Church Clerk

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NORTH CAROLINA

WAKE COUNTY

At the called business meeting of the membership of the First Baptist Church of Raleigh, North Carolina, held on the 20th day of May, 1953, at 8 o'clock, P.M., after the following notice of said business meeting had been duly given by reading the same from the pulpit of the said Church at both the regular morning and evening services on the 17th day of May, 1953:

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This the 17th day of May, 1953.

T. W. Brewer, Chairman of Board of Deacons

J. Everett Hunter, Church Clerk"

And after having ascertained that there were present at said business meeting 40 members of the Church, being more than the required quorum, the following resolution was introduced by T. W. Brewer, and seconded by _____;

WHEREAS, the First Baptist Church of Raleigh proposes to make substantial improvement in the Main Auditorium of the Church building on its lot southwest corner of Edenton and Salisbury Streets and the Church does not have sufficient funds with which to complete the improvements to the said building; and, whereas, it is considered necessary, advisable and for the best interests of the Church to borrow a portion of the funds to pay for the said improvements to the said building, in the amount of $65,000.00, and to execute note or bond therefor and, also, a first lien deed of trust on all of the Church property as security for the said money to be borrowed;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that Carroll W. Weathers, Clarence Poe, Wade M. Gallant, W. L. Wyatt, Sr., T. W. Brewer, W. T. Joyner, W. H. Weatherspoon are hereby declared to be the duly elected Board of Trustees of the First Baptist Church of Raleigh, North Carolina; that the said Trustees are hereby authorized, empowered and directed to apply for and borrow from the Durham Life Insurance Company of Raleigh, North Carolina, the sum of $65,000.00 to be repaid at the rate of

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$3,250.00 quarterly, beginning April 1, 1954, and $3,250.00 each quarter thereafter until the full amount has been paid, with interest on the amount of principal due from time to time at the rate of 4%, payable quarterly, beginning on April 1, 1954; and that the said Board of Trustees are hereby authorized and empowered to execute and deliver a note or bond to the said Insurance Company in the sum of $65,000.00 upon the foregoing terms and conditions, and, also, to execute a first lien deed of trust fully securing said bond or note on all of the Church properties and appurtenances, including the Church property, the existing Church auditorium and Sunday School property, located at the southwest corner of Edenton and Salisbury Streets, in the City of Raleigh, North Carolina, and to do any and all things in the name of the said Church necessary, and which may be required to be done by the said Insurance Company for the said Church to acquire the said loan and to fully secure the payment thereof.

After a full discussion of the foregoing resolution, a vote of the membership of the Church was taken with the following result: UNANIMOUS members voted in favor of the resolution and NONE members voted against the resolution. Thereupon the Moderator declared the resolution carried.

Rev. Brooks E. Jones
Moderator

J. Everett Hunter
Church Clerk

NORTH CAROLINA
WAKE COUNTY

I, J. Everett Hunter, Clerk of the First Baptist Church of Raleigh, North Carolina, do hereby certify that the above is a true transcript of the minutes of the called business meeting of the membership of the First Baptist Church of Raleigh, held on the 20th day of May, 1953.

J. Everett Hunter

Sworn to and subscribed before me,
this the 21st day of May, 1953.

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Notary Public

My commission expires:

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FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Raleigh, North Carolina
May 20,1953

The Church met in delayed Conference and the minutes of April 22nd were read and approved.

Reports from C.J.Curry, Church Treasurer,were distributed to the membership and copies left with the Church Clerk for record.

The following letters were approved as of April 29,1953:

Name	To Join
Kenneth Lee Compton	Calvary Baptist Church, Asheville, N.C.
Miss Alma Davis	Oakland Baptist Church, Rock Hill, S.C.
Howard C.Mumford	First Baptist Church, Washington, D.C.
Robert C.Parker	Marshville Baptist Church, Marshville, N.C.
Mrs.James W.Roddy	Immanuel Baptist Church, Savannah, Ga.
Mrs.Mary Elizabeth Peters Shelly	Green Street Baptist Church, High Point, N.C.
Robert E.Willett	First Baptist Church, Danville, Va.
Mr.J.Clifford White	First Baptist Church, Morehead City, N.C.

CERTIFICATE OF MEMBERSHIP

W.Kern Holoman	Edenton Street Methodist Church, Raleigh, N.C.

Certificate as of May 20th

J.E.Murdock,Jr.	First Presbyterean Church, Hopewell, Va.

Letter as of May 20th

Julius G.Miller	Carolina Pines Baptist Church, Raleigh, N.C.

The Clerk read a letter from R.E.Thompson, Clerk of Emmanuel Baptist Church in which he stated:

"It is with gratitude that we accept your generous contribution of $750.00 to our Building Fund. Please express our appreciation to your members."

RECOMMENDATIONS FROM THE BOARD OF DEACONS

1. That $1,000 be given to Washington-Oregon Baptist State Convention for a Divinity School adjacent to the University of Washington.
   A substitute motion was offered by Robert N.Simms,Jr. that this matter be deferred for consideration of the Budget Committee during 1953. The substitute motion was carried.

2. That $102.83 be turned over to the W.M.U. from Chinese Children's Fund to be used in paying the cost of transportation for clothing to Korea. The motion was carried.

3. That $10.00 be paid each month as long as the need remains to Mr. and Mrs.Salmon. Proceeds to be taken from the Charity Fund. The motion carried.

The following resolution was read by T.W.Brewer, and a second to the motion that the resolution be adopted was made by Charles Lee Smith. The motion was carried:

North Carolina
Wake County

At the called meeting of the membership of the First Baptist Church of Raleigh, North Carolina, held on the 20th day of May,1953, at 8 o'clock, P.M., after the following notice of said business meeting had been duly given by reading the same from the pulpit of the said Church at both the regular morning and evening services on the 17th day of May,1953:

"NOTICE TO ALL MEMBERS OF THE FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF RALEIGH,N.C.:

You are hereby notified that a call business meeting of the membership of the First Baptist Church of Raleigh, N.C. will be held at this Church on Wednesday, the 20th day of May,1953, at 8 o'clock P.M., and that at this meeting the membership of the Church will discuss and pass upon the matter of borrowing or raising sufficient funds with which to complete the work of improving the church auditorium in accordance with plans heretofore adopted by the church conference.
This the 17th day of May,1953.

T.W.Brewer, Chairman of Board of Deacons

J.Everett Hunter, Church Clerk "

And after having ascertained that there were present at said business meeting 40 members of the Church, being more than the required quorum, the following resolution was introduced by T.W.Brewer and seconded by Charles Lee Smith:

WHEREAS, the First Baptist Church of Raleigh proposes to make substantial improvement in the Main Auditorium of the Church building on its lot southwest corner of Edenton and Salisbury Streets and the Church does not have sufficient funds with which to complete the improvements to the said building; and, whereas, it is considered necessary, advisable and for the best interests of the Church to borrow a portion of the funds to pay for the said improvements to the said building, in the amount of $65,000.00, and to execute note or bond therefor and, also, a first lien deed of trust on all of the Church property as security for the said money to be borrowed;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that Carroll W.Weathers, Clarence Poe, Wade M. Gallant, W.L.Wyatt,Sr., T.W.Brewer, W.T.Joyner, W.H.Weatherspoon are hereby declared to be the duly elected Board of Trustees of the First Baptist Church of Raleigh, North Carolina; that the said Trustees are hereby authorized, empowered and directed to apply for and borrow from the Durham Life Insurance Company of Raleigh, North Carolina, the sum of $65,000.00 to be repaid at the rate of $3,250.00 quarterly, beginning April 1,1954, and $3,250.00 each quarter thereafter until the full amount has been paid, with interest on the amount of principal due from time to time at the rate of 4%, payable quarterly, beginning on April 1, 1954; and that the said Board of Trustees are hereby authorized and empowered to execute and deliver a note or bond to the said Insurance Company in the sum of $65,000.00 upon the foregoing terms and conditions, and, also, to execute a first lien deed of trust fully securing said bond or note on all of the Church properties and appurtenances, including the Church property, the existing Church auditorium and Sunday School property, located at the southwest corner of Edenton and Salisbury Streets, in the City of Raleigh, North Carolina, and to do any and all things in the name of the said Church necessary, and which may be required to be done by the said Insurance Company for the said Church to acquire the said loan and to fully secure the payment thereof.

After a full discussion of the foregoing resolution, a vote of the membership of the Church was taken with the following result: Unanimous members voted in favor of the resolution and no members voted against the resolution. Thereupon the Moderator declared the resolution carried.

Rev.Broadus E.Jones, Moderator

J.Everett Hunter, Church Clerk

North Carolina
Wake County

I, J.Everett Hunter, Church Clerk of the First Baptist Church of Raleigh, North Carolina, do hereby certify that the above is a true transcript of the minutes of the called business meeting of the membership of the First Baptist Church of Raleigh, held on the 20th day of May,1953.

J.Everett Hunter

Sworn to and subscribed before me,
this the 21st day of May,1953.

_____
Notary Public

My commission expires:

_____

CHANGES IN THE CHURCH ROLL FOR THE MONTH OF MAY

Membership as of April 29,1953----------1,854
Received by letter---------- 10
Lost by letter---------- 12
Lost by death:

_____
Dr.J.Henry Highsmith
May 8,1953

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Membership as of May 31,1953----------1,851

We were dismissed with prayer by the Pastor.

Broadus E.Jones, Moderator — J.Everett Hunter, Church Clerk

CHANGES IN CHURCH ROLL FOR MONTH OF MAY 1953

Received by Letter

Dr. A. M. Alderman
1415 Brooks Avenue

Mrs. A. M. Alderman
1415 Brooks Avenue

Miss Dorothy Austell
612-B Woodburn Road

Mr. Floyd H. Carter
805-A Daniels Street

Mrs. Floyd H. Carter
805-A Daniels Street

Mrs. Celia T. Norris
109 East Lane Street

Miss Barbara Norris
109 East Lane Street

Mr. Jesse Page, Jr.
2609 Glenwood Avenue

Mrs. Jesse Page, Jr.
2609 Glenwood Avenue

Mr. Thomas R. Rand, Jr.
825 Holt Drive

Lost by Death

J. Henry Highsmith

MAY 8 1953

Lost by Letter

Kenneth Lee Compton
Miss Alma Davis
W. Kern Holoman
Julius G. Miller
J. E. Murdock, Jr.
Howard C. Mumford
Robert C. Parker
Mrs. James W. Roddy
Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Peters Shelley
Mr. J. Clifford White
Mrs. J. Clifford White
Robert E. Willett

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Raleigh, North Carolina

June 10,1953

The Church met in regular conference and the minutes of May 22nd were read and approved.

The following letters and certificates were granted:

Name	To Join
Mrs.Beverly M.Johnson	The University Baptist Church, Baltimore, Md.
John Milton Cutliff	Hayes Barton Baptist Church, Raleigh, N.C.
Mrs.John L.Holly	Samaria Baptist Church, Raleigh, N.C.
Mrs.W.C.Hamner	Temple Baptist Church, Raleigh, N.C.
Miss Ann Hamner	" " " " " "
Miss Cornelia Edwards	Citadel Square Baptist Church, Charleston, S.C.
Miss Mary Ann Marshall	The First Baptist Church, Wilmington, N.C.

CERTIFICATES OF MEMBERSHIP

Mrs.W.B.Drake	The Church of the Good Shepherd, Raleigh, N.C.
Mrs.Donald R.Matthews	St.John's Episcopal Cathedral, Denver,Colorado

Mr.C.J.Curry, Church Treasurer, distributed mimeographed copies of his report to the membership and left copies with the Church Clerk for record.

RECOMMENDATIONS FROM THE BOARD OF DEACONS

That the $500.00 received from the estate of Mrs.Loula C.Norwood be applied to the Building Fund. The motion was carried.

Changes in The Church Roll for the month of June:

Membership as of May 31,1953----------1,851
Received by letter---------- 5
Lost by letter----------9
Lost by death:

Mrs.Fannie T.Diggs

Dr.Carl Wendell Bell

Membership as of June 30,1953----------1,845

We were dismissed with prayer by the Pastor.

Broadus E.Jones, Moderator

J.Everett Hunter, Church Clerk

CHANGES IN CHURCH ROLL FOR MONTH OF JUNE 1953

Received by Letter

Mr. George M. Bigham
2014-C Smallwood Dr.

Mrs. George Bigham
2014-C Smallwood Dr.

Mr. C. H. Gray
911½ West Johnson St.

Mrs. C. H. Gray
911½ West Johnson St.

Mrs. Dathan L. Strickland
501 N. Person St.

Lost by Letter

John Milton Cutliff
Mrs. W. B. Drake
Miss Cornelia Edwards
Miss Ann Hamner
Mrs. W. C. Hamner
Mrs. John L. Holly
Mrs. Beverly M. Johnson
Miss Mary Ann Marshall
Mrs. Donald R. Matthews

Lost by Death

Mrs. Fannie T. Diggs

Dr. Carl Wendell Bell

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Raleigh, North Carolina

June 24, 1953

The Church was called in conference for the purpose of ordaining for the Baptist ministry Luther Eugene Walter and James Leonard Bland, Jr.

The Clerk read the minutes as presented from the Raleigh Baptist Association of June 8, 1953 in which a committee composed of: Dr. John Kincheloe, Dr. Broadus E. Jones, Rev. Charles E. Stevens, and Rev. Lee Pridgen, passed upon the qualifications of the candidates and recommended that the two be ordained into the Baptist ministry.

Upon motion by Robert N. Simms, Jr., and duly seconded, the report of the Ordination Committee of the Raleigh Baptist Association was unanimously accepted.

Dr. Broadus E. Jones preached the ordination sermon, Dr. L. L. Carpenter gave the charge and Dr. Clyde Turner offered prayer. The laying on of hands was administered by the ministers, the members of the Board of Deacons, and the congregation.

The candidates were declared ministers by the Pastor, and the service was dismissed with prayer by the Pastor.

Broadus E. Jones, Moderator

J. Everett Hunter, Church Clerk

Church in Conference 6-24-53
Committees Recommendation accepted.

Calvary Baptist Church

FAYETTEVILLE AND SOUTH STREETS
BOX 2745
Raleigh, N. C.

V. P. LOCKE
PASTOR
1020 WEST SOUTH STREET
RESIDENCE PHONE 9959
OFFICE PHONE 6265

ETHEL S. LOCKE
CHURCH SECRETARY

T. A. SMITH
CHURCH CLERK

B. F. MORTON
MUSIC DIRECTOR

Minutes of Ordination Committee of Raleigh Baptist Association, June 8th. 1953

The Ordination Committee Of the Raleigh Baptist Association met Monday, June 8th. at 11:00 A.M. in the First Baptist Church, Raleigh, N.C.

The meeting was called to order by Dr. John Kincheloe, chairman, who called upon Rev. Charles E. Stevens to lead in prayer. V.P.Locke appointed secretary.

Dr. Kincheloe, stated the reason of calling the committee together, was to examine two candidates for the ministry and ordinantion.

Dr. Broaddus Jones, pastor of the First Baptist Church, introduced to the committee the candidates, Luther Eugene Walter and James Leonard Bland Jr. Both of these being members of the First Church and their pastor Dr. Jones heartily recommended them to the committee.

Luther Eugene Walter, was questioned first by the committee. Brother Walter is the pastor of Macedonia Baptist Church and cannot fulfil the duties as pastor without ordination. After being questioned at length by every member of the committee and committee being satisfied with the answers he was dismissed until the decision was reached by the committee as to whether recommend him for ordination or not.

James Leonard Bland Jr., was questioned by the committee and it was found that he is very active as evangelist and pulpit supply and that ordination will lend weight and authority to his testimony for the Lord. He too was questioned at length by the committee and the committee found his answers satisfactory. He was was dismissed from the room until the committee's decision could be reached concerning him and the proposed ordination.

After some discussion by the committee members a motion was made by V.P.Locke, that both men be recommended for ordination by this committee, the motion was seconded by Charles E. Stevens and the vote unanamous. Both men were called in and notified by the chairman, Dr. Kincheloe of the actions of the committee.

No further business being before the committee, it was adjourned by prayer offered by Lee Pridgen.

John H. Kincheloe Chairman
Dr.John Kincheloe

Broaddus E. Jones
Dr.Broaddus E.Jones

Chas. E. Stevens
Rev.Charles E.Stevens

Lee Pridgen
Rev.Lee Pridgen

V. P. Locke Sec'y
V. P. Locke

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Raleigh, North Carolina

July 8, 1953

The Church met in regular conference and the minutes of June 10th and 24th were read and approved.

The following letters were granted:

Name	To Join
Mr. and Mrs. James R. Beaty	Forest Hills Baptist Church, Raleigh, N.C.
Miss Betty Callahan	First Baptist Church, Honea Path, S.C.
Miss Phoebe Fair	First Baptist Church, Asheville, N.C.
Miss Doris Frizell	First Baptist Church, Charlotte, N.C.
Miss Betty Paschall	South Henderson Baptist Church, Henderson, N.C.
Miss Millie Jean Schruggs	Calvary Baptist Church, Morganton, N.C.
Mr. Robert M. Shaw	Evergreen Baptist Church, Evergreen, N.C.
Mr. William S. Tilley	Second Baptist Church, Wilmington, Del.
Mr. C. Edwin Vick, Jr.	First Baptist Church, Augusta, Ga.
Mr. Ray M. Williams	Hayes Barton Baptist Church, Raleigh, N.C.

The Church Treasurer, Mr. C. J. Curry distributed mimeographed reports to the membership and left copies with the Church Clerk for record.

The Report of the Daily Vacation Bible School was filed with the Clerk for record and has been included as a part of the minutes.

There were no recommendations from the Board of Deacons.

Changes in the Church Roll for July:

Membership as of June 30, 1953---------- 1,845
Received by letter---------- 1
Lost by letter---------- 11
Lost by death:

Rev. Jesse Martin Page
July 14, 1953

Reade Sims Taylor
July 26, 1953

Membership as of July 31, 1953---------- 1,833

The Conference adjourned to go into the prayer service.

Broadus E. Jones, Moderator

J. Everett Hunter, Church Clerk

CHANGES IN CHURCH ROLL FOR MONTH OF JULY 1953

Received by Letter

Miss Doris Huneycutt
406 North Blount Street

LOST by Death

Jesse Martin Page (7/14/53)
Reade Sims Taylor (7/26/53)

Lost by Letter

James R. Beaty
Mrs. James R. Beaty
Miss Betty Callaham
Miss Phoebe Fair
Miss Doris Frizzell
Miss Betty Paschall
Miss Millie Jean Scruggs
Robert M. Shaw
William S. Tilley
C. Edwin Vick, Jr.
Ray M. Williams

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SOUTHERN BAPTIST VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL REPORT

State N.C. P. O. Raleigh School began June 8, 1953. Association Raleigh

For a Negro or Indian or Spanish-speaking school, check the box that will show which type it was:
Negro ☐; Indian ☐; Spanish-speaking ☐

Check box to show school's location: village, under 500; town, 500 to 2,500; city, more than 2,500.
Open country ☐; village ☐; town ☐; city ☑

Church school; write name here: First Baptist Church

Mission school; write name here:

Pastor and address Dr. Broaddus E. Jones 1547 Carr St.

S.S. Supt. and address Mr. H. A. Helms 1005 N. Peace St.

Principal and address Mrs. E. S. Preston 1025 Vance St.

For a union school write name of Baptist church on church school line to left; other names here. UNION ☐

For a joint school write on church school line to left name of church where school was held; other names here. JOINT ☐

For a mission or Negro school write here the names of persons or organizations that promoted it.

	Number
One-day pupils	17
Pupils not in a S. S.	-
Professions of faith	-
Dedications	-
Number joining a church	-
College students on faculty	1
Length in days	10
Length daily: 3 hrs.; - min.	
From 9:00 till 12:00	
Was Preparation Day held?	yes
Was there a parade?	no
Cost of school	292.85
Mission offering	385.1
To what was it given?	Cooperative Program

ENROLMENT SUMMARY: Four regular departments only; others elsewhere.

Faculty enrolment	29
Pupil enrolment	112
Total enrolment	141
Average attendance	110

DEPARTMENTS: Put "x" in box for each department held.

Beginner ☑ Intermediate ☑
Primary ☑ Nursery Dpt. ☐
Junior 14-2 ☑ Nursery ☐
All together (one group) ☐

ENROLLED PUPILS WHO GO TO SUNDAY SCHOOL

Bapt.	103	Epis.	3
Meth.	34	Misc.	
Pres.			
Disc.			
R. C. Chr.		Don't go and	
Cath.		Jews	

TEXTBOOKS: Circle letter of each book used. Before it write number of copies used.

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955
Beg.	B	A	(B)	A	B
Pri.	B	C	(A)	B	C
Jun.	B	C	(D)	A	B
Int.	B	C	(D)	A	B
Nur.	A	A	A	A	A

STANDARD: DIVISION A

	Points		Points
1	50	6	140
2	100	7	100
3	50	8	150
4	100	9	100
5	100	10	50

Total points 940
Grade AA

DIVISION B

Total extra points 540
Number of items 19

ENROLMENT: FOUR REGULAR DEPARTMENTS

	Male	Female	Faculty	Total	Average Attend.
Beginner	15	22	9	46	35
Primary	22	15	9	46	37
Junior 14-2	15	17	10	42	33
Intermediate	-	6	1	7	5
General Officers →			10	10	8
Totals regular departments	52	60	39	151	118

ENROLMENT: EXTRA DEPARTMENTS (IF ANY)

Nursery Dpt.					
Babies under 3		X			
Young People					
Adult					
Totals, all departments					

NUMBER OF ENROLLED PUPILS BY AGES

Beginner		Primary		Junior		Intermediate	
4-yr.	16	6-yr.	6	9-yr.	8	13-yr.	1
5-yr.	21	7-yr.	9	10-yr.	14	14-yr.	4
		8-yr.	22	11-yr.	7	15-yr.	1
				12-yr.	3	16-yr.	
TOTAL	37		37		32		6

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

DIVIDED DEPARTMENTS

Give information here about divisions. Enrolment of divisions not needed, but may be given here if desired. On front, give combined enrolment for the divisions of any department. (Division by sexes is not recommended.)

Department	*How many sections?*	*How grouped by ages?*	*Comments*
Beginner			
Primary			
Junior	2	9+10-11+12	
Intermediate			
Nursery Dpt.			

COMMENTS ABOUT THE SCHOOL

On the lines beneath please comment about the school as you may desire. Tell about interesting experiences and incidents, homes reached, Preparation Day, parade, faculty, commencement, any part of daily programs, spirit of school, how parents felt about it, adaptations made in programs, other books used, how motion pictures and slides were used (if any), handwork, music, etc. Make suggestions that you think will help to improve the literature and methods. *Do not write a letter here to anybody.* Do not ask here for anything to be sent to you; instead ask for it in a letter.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Raleigh, North Carolina

July 19,1953

The Church met in special called conferance for the purpose of determining whether to buy cushions for the new pews that are about to be constructed. Mr.T.W.Brewer, Chairman of the Board of Deacons presented the proposal to the Conference, and stated that cushions would be made out of foam rubber and covered with the same color material as the carpet. He stated that the cost of these cushions would be $6,090.00.

Mr.W.H.Weatherspoon remarked that "something must be done now or not at all, since the pews would have to be cut one way if the cushions were used and cut another way if the cushions were not used." He made a motion that the cushions be bought and the cost of the cushions be included in the total cost above the original estimate. The motion was seconded by Mr.Wm.L.Wyatt. The vote to purchase was unanimous.

Broadus E. Jones

Broadus E.Jones, Moderator

J. Everett Hunter

J.Everett Hunter, Church Clerk

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Raleigh, North Carolina
August 5,1953

The Church met in regular conference and the minutes for July 19th were read and approved.

The following letters were granted:

	To Join
Miss Gwen Horn	The North Main Street Baptist Church, High Point, N.C.
Mr. and Mrs.W.C.Coley,Jr.	Spillman Memorial Baptist Church, Kinston, N.C.
Miss Jettie Rea Bradshaw	Temple Baptist Church, Gastonia, N.C.
Mr.Marvin Crow	Erlanger Baptist Church, Lexington, N.C.
Mr.James E.Haywood	First Baptist Church, El Paso, Texas
Miss Nancy Carolyn McGinnis	High Shoals Baptist Church, Mooresboro, N.C.

Mimeographed reports of the Treasurer, Mr.C.J.Curry, were distributed to the membership and copies left with the Church Clerk for record.

There were no recommendations from the Board of Deacons, and no business transacted.

CHANGES IN THE CHURCH ROLL FOR THE MONTH OF AUGUST

Membership as of July 31,1953----------1,833
Received by letter---------- 2
Lost by letter---------- 7
Lost by death: 6

Miss Vallie Parker
August 23,1953

Mr.William Sidney Smehturst
August 3,1953

The business session was adjourned to the Prayer Service.

Dr.J.Clyde Turner, Acting Moderator

J.Everett Hunter, Clerk

CHANGES IN CHURCH ROLL FOR MONTH OF AUGUST 1953

Received by Letter

Miss Dorothy Bennett
411 Frank Street

Lost by Death

Miss Vallie Parker (8-23-53)

Mr. William Sidney Smethurst (8-3-53)

Lost by Letter

Miss Jettie Rea Bradshaw
W. C. Coley, Jr.
Mrs. W. C. Coley, Jr.
Marvin Crow
James E. Haywood
Miss Gwen Horn
Miss Nancy Carolyn McGinnis

First Baptist Church
Raleigh, North Carolina
August 19, 1953

The Church met in Special Conference to consider the recommendation of the Jones-Brewer-Berean Sunday School Class that a Committee be appointed by the Chairman of the Board of Deacons to be in charge of a tenth anniversary recognition program for Dr. Jones.

It was further recommended that the Chairman of the Board, Mr. Talcott Brewer, be Chairman of the Committee, and be authorized to appoint the committee from the Church membership. The committee will use its own discretion in commemorating the tenth anniversary of Dr. Jones in any way it may see fit.

It was further recommended that the minutes of this special conference not be included in the regular minutes until after the recognition program.

George J. Dowell seconded the motion and it was adopted unanimously.

William H. Simpson,
Acting Moderator

J. L. Norris,
Acting Clerk.

SEP 1 6 1953

First Baptist Fete Tonight

The tenth anniversary of the beginning of the ministry of Dr. Broadus E. Jones at the First Baptist Church of Raleigh will be highlighted by an informal reception tonight honoring Dr. and Mrs. Jones.

Planned by a church committee, the event will be held in the Sunday school auditorium of the church from 8 to 9 o'clock. Members and friends of the church and friends of Dr. and Mrs. Jones are invited.

This occasion will highlight major achievements of the church over the past 10 years. Included in the list of progressive steps made by the church during this period are the following: an average of over 150 additions to the church each year; the adoption of the unified budget system for church finances; increase of the church staf to include an educational director, a youth director, and a church hostess; substantial contributions for the establishment of new Baptist churches in the community and the release of some 400 members to help support these new churches.

Remodelling the Sunday school auditorium at a cost of $80,000 and remodelling the church auditorium (nearing completion) at a cost of $120,000; contributions to the Baptist Goodwill Center both for building and for support; contributious to missions, to hospitals, to seminaries, colleges, and other agencies, institutions and causes throughout North Carolina and elsewhere in the world; and a progressive increase in the church budget from a total budget of about $46,000 in 1943 to approximately $130,000 in 1953.

The present membership of the church is 1,855, with 1,160 enrolled in the Sunday school.

The church committee planning the reception has asked present and former officials of the church

DR. BROADUS E. JONES.

to participate in the program for the occasion. These include: T. W. Brewer, chairman of the board of deacons; former board chairmen and their wives—N. A. Dunn, Will Wyatt, Hebert W. Weatherspoon, Earl Hostetler and Carroll Weathers; Dr. and Mrs. Edwin S. Preston, educational director; W. H. Simpson, youth director, and Mrs. Simpson; H. A. Helms, superintendent of the Sunday school, and Mrs. Helms; L. N. Hutchinson, superintendent of the adult department of the Sunday school, and Mrs. Hutchinson; Mrs. W. D. Spencer, president of the Woman's Missionary Union; Mrs. Robert Ponton, leader of the Junior YWA; and Ellen Durham, flower committee chairman.

The church committee planning the anniversary occasion consists of Mrs. W. F. Morris and Mrs. Kenneth R. Smith, R. D. Beam and R. M. Allen.

GAINS AND LOSSES IN MEMBERSHIP OF FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH, Raleigh, N.C., 1952-1953

Received				Lost			GRAND TOTAL			OUR BELOVED DEAD
	Statement	Letter	Baptism	Letter	Certificate	Death *	Received	Lost	Difference	
1952							Membership Aug.31,1952--		1,831	
August		1		13		1	1	14	13	Mrs.H.D.Matheson August 29,1952
September		1		10	2	5	16	17	1	Mrs.George Norwood, September___,1952 (4) over
October		45		27	10	3	45	40	5	Miss Jessie Uzzell, October 24,1952 Mrs.S.W.Williams and Mr.A.J.Wood, dates unknown
November		23		13		3	23	16	7	Miss Lue H.Cobb, Nov.20,1952 - Mr.Carl Raymond Cook,11/6/'52 Mr.Charles M.Heck, November 23,1952
December		6		2			6	2	4	
1953										
January		8	8	8			16	8	8	
February				17		2	-	19	19	Mr.James E.Bryan, February 5,1953 Mr.W.Cyrus Morgan, February 12,1953
March	1	8		3		2	9	5	4	Mr.Loomis Goodwin, March 2,1953 Mrs.R.E.L.Yates, March 5,1953
April	1	5	18	9			24	9	15	
May		10		12		1	10	13	3	Dr.J.Henry Highsmith May 8,1953
June		5		9		2	5	11	6	Mrs.Fannie T.Diggs Dr.Carl Wendell Bell
July		1		11		2	1	13	12	Rev.Jesse Martin Page, July 14,1953 Mr.Reade Sims Taylor, July 26,1953
Total Assn. Yr.	2	125	26	134	15	21	156	167	11	
Membership July 31,1953----------									1833	

* Deaths shown under month death occurred

Deleted by motion

see Sept. 1952

Mr. C. Scott Harris
Mrs. Ella Harris
Mrs. Lula Mae Jones
Mrs. J.S. Lumpkin

} Dates UNKNOWN

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Raleigh, North Carolina
September 9,1953

The Church met in regular conference and the minutes of August 5th were read and approved.

The following letters were granted:

Name	To Join
Miss Doris Dedmon	Elizabeth Baptist Church, Shelby, N.C.
Mr. and Mrs.Robeft W.Llwellyn	Mount Vernon Baptist Church, Neuse, N.C.
Miss Ruth Sperling	New Prospect Baptist Church, Shelby, N.C.
Mrs.R.L.Summerlin (nee Miss Estelle Waller)	Chapel Hill Baptist Church, Chapel Hill, N.C.

Certificate of Membership

Mrs.Edward McCollom (nee Miss Mary Frances Britton)	St.Michael's Episcopal Church, Raleigh, N.C.

Reports of the Treasurer, Mr.C.J.Curry, were distributed to the membership and copies left with the Church Clerk for record.

There were no recommendations from the Board of Deacons, nor any old or new business. We adjourned to enter into prayer service.

Changes in the church roll for the month of September:

Membership as of August 31,1953----------1,822
Received by letter---------- 25
Lost by letter---------- 6
Lost by death---------- 3

Mr.Zeno Martin September 1,1953
Mrs.J.N.Holding September 16,1953
Mrs.Nova Johnson September 22,1953

Membership as of September 30,1953----------1,838

Broadus E.Jones, Moderator

J.Everett Hunter, Church Clerk

CHANGES IN CHURCH ROLL FOR MONTH OF SEPTEMBER 1953

Received by Letter

Mr. Charles L. McMillan
111 N. Boylan Ave.

Mrs. Charles L. McMillan,
111 N. Boylan Ave.

Mr. Harry Prevette
4210 Reavis Rd.

Mrs. Harry Prevette
4210 Reavis Rd.

Mr. Tommy Olive
501 Harvey St.

Mrs. Tommy Olive
501 Harvey St.

Mrs. J. C. Bowman
1809 Arlington St.

Mr. Bill Ledbetter
State College

Miss Marilyn Greene
Meredith College

Miss Virginia Yelvington
Peace College

Miss Phoebe Fair
Peace College

Mr. Horace W. Smith
State College

Miss Betty Paschall
Meredith College

Mr. Charles F. Moore, II
State College

Mr. John Edward Cox
State College

Miss Frances Moncrief
Meredith College

Mr. John A. Bivens
State College

Mr. J. W. Brown
State College

Mr. Eugene B. Pickler
State College

Mr. George Trescot Brown
State College

Mr. Edward E. Ferguson
State College

Miss Bobbie Ann Yarborough
Meredith College

Mr. C. Edwin Vick, Jr.
State College

Miss Jo Ann Selley
Meredith College

Miss Annette Gossett
Meredith College

Lost by Letter

Miss Doris Dedmon
Mr. Robert W. Llewellyn
Mrs. Robert W. Llewellyn
Mrs. Edward McCollum (nee Mary F. Britton)
Miss Ruth Sperling
Mrs. R. L. Summerlin (nee Estelle Waller)

Lost by Death

Mr. Zeno Martin (9-1-53)
Mrs. J. N. Holding (9-16-53)
Mrs. Nova Johnson (9-22-53)

One Copy of Letter Should Be Sent to Your Associational Clerk Two Weeks Before Annual Meeting If Possible

SOUTHERN BAPTIST CONVENTION

UNIFORM ASSOCIATIONAL LETTER: 1953

a. Local name of Church: The First Baptist Church

b. Street Address or Route: Cor. Salisbury and Edenton Streets c. City or Town:

d. County: Wake e. State: N.C.

f. Association: Raleigh Meeting with: Date:

MESSENGERS TO ASSOCIATION

a. Dr. Broadus E. Jones
b. Mrs. Broadus E. Jones
c. Dr. B. Y. Tyner
d. Mrs. B. Y. Tyner
e. Mrs. Ralph M. Moody

ALTERNATES

a.
b.
c.
d.
e.

(Consult Minutes to Determine Number)

MINISTERS LICENSED THIS YEAR

a. Name / Address
b. Name / Address
c. Name / Address

MINISTERS ORDAINED THIS YEAR

a. Rev. James L. Bland
Name
Wake Forest College
Address

b. Rev. Luther Eugene Walter
Name
Southeastern Baptist Theological Seminary
Address

c. Name / Address

NUMBER OF MINUTES WANTED

a. Money sent $25.00
b. Number Minutes Wanted 50

STUDENTS FOR THE MINISTRY

Name: Rev. James L. Bland, Jr. (Ordained)
School: Wake Forest College
Name: Rev. Luther Eugene Walter (Ordained)
School: Southeastern Baptist Theological Seminary
Name:
School:
Name:
School:

Indicate others on separate sheet if necessary. Attach.

REPRESENTATIVES ON ASSOCIATIONAL EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

(For Associations where used.)

Dr. Broadus E. Jones
Name
First Baptist Church
Address

Mr. Robert N. Simms, Jr.
Name
1105 Harvey Street, Raleigh, N.C.
Address

Name / Address
Name / Address
Name / Address

This Letter approved by the Church:

Dr. Broadus E. Jones
Pastor

Everett Hunter
Church Clerk

Date:

First Baptist Church, Raleigh, N.C.
Address

2215 Circle Drive, Raleigh, N.C.
Address

Data on Pages 2-3-4 are needed for Associational Minutes. Please check all figures used. Give name of officers elected for coming year where available. Please type or print all information.

Name of Church _____

A. CHURCH AND MEMBERSHIP

1. Rural ( ) (Open Country) Village ( ) (Under 500 pop.)
   Town ( ) (500-2500 pop.) City (x) (Above 2500 pop.)
2. Year Church organized 1812
3. Frequency of Preaching (Check X)

Preaching every Sunday	(x)
1st Sunday	( ); A.M. ( ); P.M. ( )
2nd Sunday	( ); A.M. ( ); P.M. ( )
3rd Sunday	( ); A.M. ( ); P.M. ( )
4th Sunday	( ); A.M. ( ); P.M. ( )
5th Sunday	( ); A.M. ( ); P.M. ( )

Gains and Losses (include Missions)

4. Baptisms reported 26
5. Letter and other additions 130
6. Loss by death, transfer, etc. 167
7. Total resident members .....
8. Total non-resident members .....
9. Grand Total Present Members 1,833
   July 31, 1953
10. Revival meetings held 0
11. Number tithers in Church .....
12. State paper in budget: Yes ( ); No (x)
13. Are members asked to sign annual pledge to Church budget: Yes (x); No ( )
14. Pastor's annual salary (whether you had a pastor or not) .....

HIGHLIGHTS OF CHURCH YEAR

Repeat these Items here for use of Associational Clerk where letters are read at annual meeting.

4. Baptisms	26
9. Present members	1833
26. Sunday school enrolment	1150
28. Vacation Bible School enrolment	141
41. Training Union enrolment	186
48b. W.M.U. enrolment	475
51. Brotherhood enrolment	-
63. Total gifts for all purposes	
84. Total gifts sent for Missions	

B. SUNDAY SCHOOL

Superintendent Mr. Henry A. Helms
(Coming year if possible)
Address 1005 Wallace Street
(Please Print P.O. Box, Street and number, or rural route)

(City, Town or Post Office) (Postal Zone) (State)

Telephone Number 3-2696

ENROLMENT (Include officers and teachers in department enrolment)

15. Cradle Roll (home ministry—under 4) 61
16. Nursery (Attend Sunday school—under 4) 56
17. Beginners (4-5 years) 81
18. Primaries (6-8 years) 75
19. Juniors (9-12 years) 91
20. Intermediates (13-16 years) 108
21. Young People (17-24 years) 145
22. Adults (25 years and up) 496
23. Extension Department 31
24. General officers not counted in classes or departments 6
25. Mission Sunday school enrolment ..... -
26. Grand Total Sunday school enrolment 1150
27. Average attendance per Sunday 557
28. Enrolment Vacation Bible School 151
29. Average attendance V.B.S. 118
30. Was January Bible Study Week observed in your church? February was ..... Yes ( ); No (x)
31. How many training schools for Sunday school workers have you had during the year? 1

Note: Include all offerings given through Sunday school and V.B.S. in Tables F. and G.

Use this space to indicate any events of historical interest during associational year, such as new buildings, dedication, date new pastor called, etc. Be brief.

The church auditorium was remodeled at a cos of $120,000. The tenth anniversary of the pastor, Dr. Broadus E. Jones, was celebrated.

C. TRAINING UNION

Director Mr.William H.Simpson
(For coming year if possible)

Address First Baptist Church
(P.O. Box, Street and number, or rural route)
Raleigh, N.C.
(City, Town or Post Office) (Postal Zone) (State)

Telephone Number 2-4409

DEPARTMENT MEMBERSHIP	Enrolment
32. Nursery (3 years and under)	
33. Beginners (4-5)	
34. Primaries (6-8)	
35. Juniors (9-12)	30
36. Intermediates (13-16)	24
37. Young People (17-24)	115
38. Adult (25 years and up)	14
39. Missions	
40. General officers	3
41. Grand total	186 Enrolment
42. Average att. per Sunday	122

Note: If Training Union has no director, attach extra sheet of paper and list the names and addresses of the heads of the organizations you have.

D. W.M.U. WORK

President W.M.S. Mrs.W.D.Spencer
(For coming year if possible)

Address 2506 Clark Avenue
(P.O. Box, Street and number, or rural route)
Raleigh, N.C.
(City, Town or Post Office) (Postal Zone) (State)

Telephone Number 3-2243

ORGANIZATIONS	(a) Number	(b) Enrolment
43. W.M.S. 13 Circles		363
44. Y.W.A. 12 9	2	21
45. G.A. 22 7	2	29
46. R.A.	1	12
47. Sunbeam	2	50
48. Totals		475
49. Total enrolled in mission study during year all organizations Young People's Organizations		56
	W.M.S.	290
50. Total tithers all organizations		127

Note: Local W.M.U. gifts should be included with all organizations under Table F. W.M.U. mission gifts should be included with all organization gifts in Table G.

E. BROTHERHOOD - BUILDING - GOALS

CHURCH LIBRARY—MUSIC—VISUAL EDUCATION

Brotherhood President

Address
(P.O. Box, Street and number, or rural route)

(City, Town, or Post Office) (Postal Zone) (State)

Telephone Number

51. Enrolment of Brotherhood
52. Number meetings held during year

Building

53. Value of pastor's home if owned by the church $35,000.00
54. Total value of church property including pastor's home $475,000.00
55. Total church debt at end of year $

Goals for New Year

56. Cooperative Program goal coming year $
57. Associational Mission goal coming year $

Church Library

58. Does your church have a library? Yes ( ) No (x)

Music

59. Choir Director: Full-time ( ); Part-time ( ); Salary $2400; Volunteer (x) Most of it
60. Number church choirs 2

Visual Education

61. Does Church own a slide and film-strip projector? Yes (x); No ( )
62. Does Church own a sound motion picture projector? Yes (x); No ( )

OUR BELOVED DEAD

Note: Indicate if they are Mr., Mrs., or Miss; Indicate pastors, elders, deacons, etc.

Dr.Carl Wende ll Bell
Mr.James E.Bryan
Miss Lue H.Cobb
Mr.Carl Raymond Cook
Mrs.Fannie T.Diggs
Mr.Loomis Goodwin
Mr.Charles M.Heck
Dr.J.Henry Highsmith
Mrs.H.D.Matheson
Mr.W.Cyrus Morgan
Mrs.George Norwood
Rev.Jesse Martin Page
Mr.Reade Sims Taylor
Miss Jessie Uzzell
Mrs.S.W.Williams
Mr.A.J.Wood
Mrs.R.E.L.Yates

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Name of Church First Baptist Church - Raleigh

F. CHURCH RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES

Treasurer Mr.C.J.Curry
(For coming year if possible)

Address c/o Carolina Power & Light Co
(P.O. Box, Street and number, or rural route)

Raleigh, N.C.
(City, Town, or Post Office) (Postal Zone) (State)

RECEIPTS DURING ASSOCIATIONAL YEAR

63. All receipts through all offerings and organizations during associational year. **Do not count** money borrowed.
Add all money received from all organizations and church services for local work and missions to get this figure. Do not count money borrowed or received from sale of property unless given to church in current year. Do not count money received from mission board ..... $ 130,576.20

LOCAL EXPENDITURES (all organizations)

64. Total salaries except pastor ..... $ 21,573.90
(Put pastor's salary in No. 73)
65. Maintenance church property; insurance $ 3,125.81
66. New buildings and equipment ..... $ 37,791.69
67. Literature, song books, printing, etc. ... $ 1,270.86
68. Local missions and benevolences ..... $ 3,600.95
69. Revival expenses and pastoral supply .. $ 455.00
70. Payment on church debt ..... $ 1,500.00
71. Other local expenses ..... $ 13,275.16
72. TOTAL LOCAL EXPENSES (Excluding pastor's salary) (add 64 through 71) .. $ 82,593.37
73. Pastor's salary (money paid) ..... $ 7,893.33
74. GRAND TOTAL LOCAL EXPENSES (add 72 and 73) ..... $ 90,486.70

G. MISSION EXPENDITURES (all organizations)

75. Cooperative Program (Unified Budget) .. $ 20,170.78
76. Associational Missions ..... $ 2,325.93
77. Designated State Missions ..... $ 1,353.38
78. Designated Home Missions (include Annie Armstrong offering) ..... $ 2,803.31
79. Designated Foreign Missions (include Lottie Moon offering) ..... $ 5,812.54
80. Christian Education (schools, etc.) .... $ 3,033.23
81. Orphans: Cash $ ___; Goods $ ___ $ 1,846.44
82. Designated Hospitals ..... $ 2,242.10
83. Relief and Annuity; relief; other objects $ 300.00
84. TOTAL EXPENDITURE FOR MISSIONS (Add 75 through 83 to get Item 84) .. $ 39,887.71
85. GRAND TOTAL EXPENDITURE ALL PURPOSES (No. 74 plus 84). This may not balance with No. 63, since receipts and expenditures may be different.
This is not a financial statement, but a statistical report. Expenditures may include some money left over from previous year. The total receipts listed above should represent the stewardship of our people for the current year, while the expenditures represent the stewardship of our receipts $ 130,374.41

Church Clerk ___
(For coming year if possible)

Address 2215 Circle Drive
(P.O. Box, Street and number, or rural route)

Raleigh, N.C.
(City, Town, or Post Office) (Postal Zone) (State)

Telephone No.6550

PASTOR AND OTHER CHURCH OFFICERS

Pastor Dr.Broadus E.Jones
(For coming year if possible)

Church where Pastor member First Baptist

Address Raleigh, N.C.

Telephone Number 2-1078

Church Clerk J.Everett Hunter
(For coming year if possible)

Address 2215 Circle Drive

Asst. Pastor ___

Address ___

Educational Director Mrs.Edwin S.Preston

Address First Baptist Church

Choir or Music Director Dr.Harry E.Cooper

Address Meredith College

Pianist or Organist Dr.Harry E.Cooper

Address ___

Chairman of Deacons Mr.T.W.Brewer

Address 4 Maiden Lane, Raleigh, N.C.

Youth Director ~~Librarian~~ Mr.William H.Simpson

Address First Baptist Church

Missionary ~~Chairman Missions Committee~~ Dr.H.H.McMillan

Missinary to the Bahama Islands
Address

Director Audio-Visual Aids Same as Ed.Director

Address ___

OTHER MINISTERS BELONGING TO CHURCH

Active pastor, P.; Ordained minister, O.M.; Licensed pastor, P.L.; Associate pastor, A.P.; Minister of Music, M.M.; City missionary, C.M.; District or associational worker, D.M.; Evangelist, E.; State denominational worker, S.W.; Southwide denominational worker, Sw.W.; Educational director, E.D.; Home missionary, H.M.; Educational worker (includes presidents and teachers in schools and colleges), Ed.; Student, S.; Inactive, I.; Chaplain, Ch.; Retired, R. (Use proper symbol for each minister.) Put O with each symbol if man is ordained.

Name Dr.L.L.Carpenter OMSW

Address 3203 Ruffin Street

Name Dr.Joseph L.Peacock OMR

Address 1506 Scales Street

Name Dr.J.Clyde Turner OMR

Address 304 W.Edenton Street

Name Mr.Lee Pridgen OM SW

Address Louisburg Rd., Raleigh, N.C.

Name

Address

Name

Address

Name

Address

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Raleigh, North Carolina
October 7,1953

The Church met in regular conference and the minutes for September 9th were read and approved.

The following letters were granted:

Name	To Join
Mr. and Mrs.S.G.Riley	First Baptist Church, Myrtle Beach, S.C.
Mr.John Elliott Hollowell	First Baptist Church, Auburn, Alabama
Mr. and Mrs.James D.Bradford	Carolina Pines Baptist Church, Raleigh,N.C.
Miss Sarah Malinda White	Buie's Creek Baptist Church, Buie's Creek, N.C.
Mr. and Mrs.W.C.Fuller	St.John's Baptist Church, Charlotte, N.C.
Miss Susan Ratliff	First Baptist Church, Danville, Va.
Mr. and Mrs.F.L.Waymack	Hayes-Barton Baptist Church, Raleigh, N.C.
Mrs.D.R.Sylvia (nee Miss Mary F.Gilbert)	First Baptist Church, Kinston, N.C.
Miss Betty Brewer	First Baptist Church, Greensboro, N.C.
Mrs.George A.Leonard (nee Miss Daphne Eller)	First Baptist Church, Greensboro, N.C.
Miss Nan Frink	Wake Forest Baptist Church, Wake Forest, N.C.

CERTIFICATE OF MEMBERSHIP

Mr.R.M.Allen,Jr.	The church of his choice, Plymouth, N.C.
Miss Virginia Blount	First Presbyterian Church, High Point, N.C.
Mrs.David Donald (nee Miss Eleanor Tucker)	West Raleigh Presbyterian Church) Raleigh, N.C.
Miss Elizabeth M.Parker	Community Church, Chapel Hill, N.C.
Mrs.James R.Rogers,Jr.	Church of the Good Shepherd, Raleigh,N.C.
Miss Betty Jo Smith	Memorial Methodist Church, Thomasville, N.C.

Mr.C.J.Curry, Church Treasurer distributed copies of his report to the membership and left copies with the Clerk for record.

Messengers to the Association to be held with the Hayes-Barton Baptist Church were to be appointed by the Pastor and Chairman of the Board of Deacons. The following were appointed: Dr. and Mrs.B.Y.Tyner, Mrs.Ralph Moody, Dr. and Mrs.Broadus E.Jones.

RECOMMENDATIONS FROM THE BOARD OF DEACONS

1. That a tentative budget for 1954 be set at $100,000.00,
   55% of the budget to be spent on local needs and
   45% of the budget for the cooperative program.

2. That the services of a temporary janitor be retained for the month of October and that the wages of the janitor be set at $168.00 per month.

Both recommendations were carried.

Changes in the church roll for the month of October:

Membership as of September 30,1953	1,838
Received by letter	41
Received by baptism	4
Received by statement	1
Lost by letter	21
Lost by death: Mr.Carter Hanbury -Sept.18,1953	

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Raleigh, North Carolina

October 7,1953

Four under the watchcare of the church, but not enrolled
Membership as of October 31,1953----------1,862

Conference was adjourned to enter into the prayer service.

Broadus E. Jones

Broadus E. Jones, Moderator

J. Everett Hunter

J. Everett Hunter, Church Clerk

CHANGES IN CHURCH ROLL FOR MONTH OF OCTOBER, 1953

Received by Letter

Miss Joyce Stephens
Meredith College

Mr. Tommy Hartis
Wake Forest College

Mr. Marvin Crow
State College

Mr. Ronnie Crow
State College

Miss Ann McRackan
114 Woodburn Rd.

Miss Catherine McRackan
Meredith College

Miss Rebecca McRackan
Meredith College

Miss Jane Lambert
Meredith College

Mr. Donald Huggins
State College

Mr. Alva Eugene Warren
1814 Park Dr.

Miss Dorcas Hatcher
Meredith College

Mr. George Kahdy
308 Pace St.

Mrs. George Kahdy
308 Pace St.

Miss Donnie Simons
Meredith College

Mrs. E. C. Rountree
1809 Arlighton St.

Mr. Mann L. Wood
State College

Miss Shirley Mew
Rex Nurses Home

Miss Belva Jean Hodges
Rex Nurses Home

Miss Ann Land
Rex Nurses Home

Miss Billie Suitt
6-D Shelton Apts.

Mrs. Harold Sutton
316 N. King Charles Rd.

Mr. Charles L. Helms
State College

Miss Peggy Marie Morgan
D-6 Shelton Apts.

Mr. William Rogers
State College

Mrs. Sewanie W. Tigar
1606 Bickett Blvd.

Mr. Jack Smith
Box 385, Zebulon, N. C.

Miss Jo Ann Smith
839 Bryan St.

Mrs. Ruth S. Tant
1608 Pineview St.

Miss Rovilla Myers
Meredith College

Miss Corinne Lowery
Meredith College

Rev. Paul Lemons
311 Cutler St.

Mr. Bryce Moore
State College

Mr. Howard Taylor
State College

Miss Louisa McCall
Meredith College

Miss Virginia Newsom
Meredith College

Mr. Prentice R. Barber
State College

Mr. L. M. Lancaster
314 E. Park Dr.

Mrs. L. M. Lancaster
314 E. Park Dr.

Mr. A. T. Kester
Box 864, Wake Forest

Mrs. ~~A. T. Kester~~ see dec. 1953 Baptism
~~Box 864, Wake Forest~~

Miss Nina Ruppelt 4
Meredith College

Received by Baptism 4

Miss Edith Ipock
1013 St. Mary's St.

Wayne Rives
537 E. Jones St.

Mrs. Lula Hobby
1220 Courtland Dr.

Mrs. Ruth Bumgardner
218 Georgetown Rd.

Received by Statement 1

Mrs. C. R. Wright
405 Polk St.

Watchcare 4

Miss Nancy Drake
Meredith College

Miss Nancy Young
Meredith College

Miss Mary Ann Braswell
Meredith College

Miss Barbara Stallings
Meredith College

(Changes in Church Roll for Month of October, 1953) 21

Lost by Letter

Mr. R. M. Allen, Jr.
Mr. & Mrs. S. G. Riley
Mr. John Elliott Hollowell
Mr. & Mrs. James D. Bradford
Miss Sarah M. White
Mr. & Mrs. W. C. Fuller
Miss Susan Ratliff
Mr. & Mrs. L. F. Waymack
Mrs. D. R. Sylvia (nee Mary F. Gilbert)
Miss Betty Brewer
Mrs. Geo. A. Leonard (nee Daphne Eller)
Miss Nan Frink
Miss Virginia Blount
Mrs. David McDonald (nee Eleanor Tucker)
Miss Elizabeth M. Parker
Mrs. James R. Rogers, Jr.
Miss Betty Jo Smith

Lost by Death

Mr. Carter Hanbury sept. 18, 1953
(date of death unknown--probably some other month.
We were notified of his death this month.)

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Raleigh, North Carolina
November 4,1953

The Church met in regular conference and the minutes of October 7,1953 were read and approved.

The following letters were granted:

Name	To Join
Mrs.Samuel G.Breeland	Mt.Vernon Baptist Church, Mt.Vernon, Ga.
Mr.Raymond T.Buckner	First Baptist Church, Belmont, N.C.
Mr.John Everett Hunter,Jr.	First Baptist Church, Martinsville, Va.
Mr.Ivan Joslin	Mars Hill Baptist Church, Mars Hill College, N.C.
Miss Jo Ann McCain	First Baptist Church, Kinston, N.C.
Mr. and Mrs.R.L.Rabb	Pullen Memorial Baptist Church, Raleigh, N.C.
Mr. and Mrs.R.W.Sasser	First Baptist Church, Wilmington, N.C.
Mrs.Frances Oldham Tunstall	Tabernacle Baptist Church, Raleigh, N.C.

CERTIFICATES OF MEMBERSHIP

Miss Janie Claybourn Smith	Western Boulevard Presbyterian Church, Raleigh,N.C.
Mrs.Rosemary E.Wall	Westminister Presbyterian Church, Raleigh, N.C.
Mrs.Minnie Grace Olive Wingo	St.Simons's-on-the-Sound Episcopal Church, Fort Walton, Florida

Copies of the Treasurer's Report were distributed to the membership and copies given to the Church Clerk for record.

RECOMMENDATIONS FROM THE BOARD OF DEACONS

1. That $1,000.00 be given to the Raleigh Baptist Association for the purchase of a lot on Ridge Road, on which a new Baptist church is to be built.
   The recommendation was approved.

2. That $200.00 be sent to Dr.H.H.McMillan, our missionary to Bahama, who is a patient in a Richmond, Virginia hospital. That such funds as may be necessary be transferred to Missions to take care of this expenditure.
   The recommendation was unanimously approved.

3. That the employment of temporary janitors be continued through the months of November and December at a salary of $168.00 per month.
   The recommendation was approved.

4. That a ten member committee be appointed to include the present Personnel Committee, to serve with the pastor in matters of church policy. The pastor is to have authority to appoint this committee.

Upon motion by Mr.George Dowell and duly seconded, the pastor and the chairman of the board of deacons were requested to name the messengers to the Baptist State Convention to be held in Greensboro, beginning Tuesday morning, November 10th. The following messengers were appointed:
Claude Gaddy, Miss Ruth Provence, T.W.Brewer, W.L.Wyatt, Waldo Cheek, Carroll Weathers, B.Y.Tyner, E.L.Layfield, Dr.J.Clyde Turner, and Dr.Broadus E.Jones

The Conference directed that the pastor and the chairman of the board of deacons appoint the committee on committees

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Raleigh, North Carolina
November 4,1953

Changes in the church roll for the month of November:

Membership as of October 31,1953---------- 1,862
Received by letter---------- 16
Lost by letter---------- 13
Lost by death:

Mr.Herbert Burton Winston
November 10,1953

Under watchcare (not enrolled)
Miss Mary Lillian Calhoun

Membership as of November 30,1953---------- 1,864

We adjourned conference to enter into prayer service.

Broadus E.Jones, Moderator

J.Everett Hunter, Church Clerk

CHANGES IN CHURCH ROLL FOR MONTH OF NOVEMBER, 1953

Received by Letter

Marion H. Ballard
118 Woodburn Road

Miss Vivian Byrd
Meredith College

Mr. James Gilbert Sims
Chemical Eng. Dept., State College

Miss Betty Branch
Blind School

James Steelman
State College

Miss Martha Ann Roberts
Meredith College

Miss Peggy Jo Williams
Meredith College

Miss Barbara Allen
Rex Nurses Home

Rosalind Davis
Meredith College

Jos. T. Pearson, Jr.
State College

Mrs. Doris Ann Carter
2310 Fairview Rd.

Miss Carolyn Branch
Rex Nurses Home

Mrs. Lela Elise Jones
N-1-C Cameron Ct. Apts.

Walter Hunter Jones, Jr.
N-1-C Cameron Ct. Apts.

Mr. Ward Jones
207 N. Blount St.

Mrs. Ward Jones
207 N. Blount St.

Received by Watchcare

Miss Mary Lillian Calhoun
Meredith College

Lost by Letter

Mrs. Samuel G. Breeland (nee Sara Tucker)
Mr. Raymond T. Buckner
Mr. John Everett Hunter, Jr.
Mr. Ivan Joslin
Miss Jo Anne McCain
Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Rabb
Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Sasser
Mrs. Frances Oldham Tunstall
Miss Jannie Claybourn Smith
Mrs. Rosemary E. Wall
Mrs. Minnie Grace Olive Wingo

Lost by Death

Mr. Herbert Burton Winston (11-10-53)

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The Church met in regular conference, and the minutes of November 4th were read and approved.

The following letters and certificates were granted:

Name	To Join
Mrs.R.E.Hendrick (nee Miss Verda Sommerville)	First Baptist Church, Bowling Green, Ky.
Mr. and Mrs.A.S.Myrick	First Baptist Church, Greensboro, N.C.
Mr.William P.Lawrence,Jr.	First Baptist Church, Dunn, N.C.
Mr. and Mrs.Donald Winecoff	St.John's Baptist Church, Charlotte, N.C.
Mrs.C.R.Cook	Mocksville Baptist Church, Mocksville, N.C.
Miss Jessie Lee Beard	Wilder Baptist Church, Knoxville, Tenn.
Mrs.James H.Lee	Forest Hills Baptist Church, Raleigh, N.C.
Mr. and Mrs.T.R.Howerton	First Baptist Church, Southern Pines,N.C.
Mrs.Jack Hinsley (nee Miss Dru Morgan)	Calvary Baptist Church, Raleigh, N.C.
Mrs.William T.Edwards	Calvary Baptist Church, Raleigh, N.C.
Mr. and Mrs.Frank D.Garrett,Jr.	James Island Baptist Church, Charleston,S.C.
Mrs.J.M.Cutliff	The church of her choice, Raleigh,N.C.
Mr. and Mrs.Richard T.White	Marion Baptist Church, Marion, Va.
Mrs.Sybil B.Salter	Tabernacle Baptist Church,Raleigh, N.C.
Dr.J.Y.Joyner	LaGrange Baptist Church, LaGrange, N.C.

CERTIFICATES OF MEMBERSHIP

Mrs.J.W.Martin (nee Miss Emily Lou Smith	Arlington Methodist Church, Arlington, Va.
Mr.V.H.Underwood	Edenton Street Methodist Church, Raleigh,N.C.
Mr.Charles Aycock Poe	Christ Episcopal Church, Raleigh,N.C.
Mrs.Lois A.Davis	Honea Path Presbyterian Church, Honea Path, N.C.
Mrs.Elmer Yow (nee Miss Ala Wilson)	St.Michael's Episcopal Church, Raleigh, N.C.

Copies of the Treasurer's report were distributed to the membership, and two copies left with the Clerk for record.

A letter from Mrs.Leila McMillan was read to the Conference. Mrs.McMillan expressed her gratitude to the First Baptist Church for the recent gift sent to Mr.McMillan while a patient in a Richmond hospital.

RECOMMENDATIONS FROM THE BOARD OF DEACONS

1. That the Finance Committee be reorganized as follows:
   The Finance Committee shall consist of 33 members of which six shall be ex-officio as follows:
   Chairman of Board of Deacons
   Director of Budget Campaign
   Chairman of Repair Committee
   Chairman of Supplies and Purchases Committee
   Church Treasurer
   Treasurer of the W.M.U.

   The remaining 27 members shall be divided into three groups of 9 persons each. Each group shall consist of 6 men and 3 ladies, and shall serve for three year terms, except for 1954, one such group shall be elected for one year, one for two years, and one for three years.

No member except ex-officio members, shall be eligible for re-election until one year after his term shall have expired. It is recommended that members shall include only very few deacons.

The recommendation was carried.

2. That the Purchasing Committee be authorized, after reasonable investigation, to purchase a new mimeograph machine for the Church office - the cost to be charged to the Contingency Fund.

The recommendation was approved

3. That in the face of $16,000.00 in outstanding bills over and above funds available for the auditorium improvement, the Treasurer be authorized to obtain a 90 day loan not to exceed $17,000.00 from a local bank, and that the Building Fund Committee find a solution for long-range financing prior to the date on which the 90 day loan comes due. (See attached copy of the Resolution as prepared by W.H.Weatherspoon, and read in full before the Church Conference on December 9,1953).

The recommendation and the Resolution as read was approved.

4. R.B.Carpenter, Chairman of the Finance Committee, presented the 1954 Budget as recommended by the Board of Deacons as follows:

1. Current Expenses		$52,730.00
Administrative Expenses	$ 31,430	
Operating and Maintenance of Plant and Parsonage	9,500	
Choir Expenses	4,270	
Sunday School Expenses	2,275	
Women's Missionary Union Expenses	1,037	
Baptist Training Union Expenses	1,300	
Charity	845	
Contingencies	1,373	
Purchase of Equipment	700	
2. Home Missions		1,822
W.M.U.Special - Annie Armstrong Offering	1,822	
3. State Missions		1,778
Women's Missionary Union Special	1,478	
State Missions - Direct	300	
4. Baptist Hospital		1,700
Through pledges	1,500	
*Special Mothers' Day Offering	200	
5. Baptist Orphanage		1,900
Through pledges	1,400	
*Special Thanksgiving Offering	500	
6. Baptist Home for the Ageing		300
7. Foreign Missions		5,749
W.M.U. Special - Lottie Moon Offering	3,549	
Foreign Missionary's Salary	2,000	
Miscellaneous through the Sunday School	200	

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8. Associational Missions		2,400
Contribution for Salary and Expense of Missionary	$ 900	
Contribution for expansion (New Church)	1,500	
9. Community Missions		3,305
Baptist Student Union - Meredith College	275	
Baptist Student Union - N.C.State College	400	
American Bible Society	100	
Miscellaneous through the Sunday School	310	
Miscellaneous through the W.M.U.	520	
Good Will Center	1,100	
Student Aid - Southeastern Seminary	600	
10. Heck-Jones Memorial		1,246
11. Baptist Hospital - Building Fund		400
12. Wake Forest College - Enlargement Program		1,500
13. Y.W.C.A. - Room Equipment		500
14. Contingencies		670
Total Missions and Benevolences		23,270
15. Cooperative Program		20,000
Total Missions, Benevolences and Cooperative Program		43,270
Total Current Expenses, Missions, Benevolences and Cooperative Program		96,000
Deduct:		
Women's Missionary Union's Special Items	$8,095	
Baptist Hospital Special Offering	200	
Baptist Orphanage Special Offering	500	8,795
Balance to be paid through pledges and loose collections		$ 87,205

* Offerings will be taken at the special services on Mother's Day and Thanksgiving Day to afford those in attendance who do not contribute through the envelope system the opportunity to make contributions to the Baptist Hospital and the Baptist Orphanage.

DESCRIPTION	Modified Unified Budget, 1954	
Administrative and General Expenses:		
Pastor's Salary	$ 8,000	$
Director of Education's Salary	3,900	
Office Secretary's Salary	2,580	
Secretary	2,160	
Youth Director's Salary	4,200	
Church Hostess Salary	2,100	
Supervisor of Nursery Salary	125	
Supply Pastor's Remuneration and Expenses	350	
Retirement Plan	175	
Pastor's Automobile Expense Allowance	420	
Director of Education Auto Expense Allowance	300	
Youth Directors Auto Expense Allowance	300	
Traveling Expenses	250	
Special Religious Services	500	
Printing and Postage	2,400	

Telephone	$ 320	$
Office Supplies and Expenses	500	
Auditor's Fee	200	
Visual Education	200	
Special College Bus	1,100	
Flowers	100	
Kitchen Supplies and Expenses	100	
Other Administrative and General Expenses	700	
Social Security Tax	300	
Vacation Bible School	150	31,430
Total Administrative and General Expenses		
Operation and Maintenance of Plant and Parsonage:		
Fuel	1,000	
Lights and Water	1,700	
Insurance	800	
Sexton's Salary	1,980	
Maid's Salary	1,320	
Sexton's Helpers Salaries	700	
Building Service Supplies	500	
Repairs - Parsonage	1,000	
Repairs - Church Building	500	
Total Operation and Maintenance		9,500
Choir Expenses:		
Director of Music - Salary	2,400	
Other Salaries	1,320	
Music	150	
Other Choir Expenses	400	4,270
Sunday School Expenses		2,275
Women's Missionary Union Expenses		1,037
Baptist Training Union Expenses		1,300
Charity:		
Authorized by the Board of Deacons	210	
Miscellaneous through the Sunday School	635	
Total Charity		845
Contingencies		1,373
Purchase of Equipment		700
Total Budget for Current Expenses		$ 52,730

The Budget as presented was approved.

The following deacons and deaconesses were elected to serve through December,1957: W.B.Dowell, C.F.Gaddy, Rufus Hunter, W.T.Joyner, W.F.Morris, Oliver Smith, Carroll Weathers, and Edgar Wyatt. Deaconesses: Miss Ellen Brewer, Mrs.Foy Farmer, and Mrs.C.B.Taylor. Mrs.J.Clyde Turner was declared a Life Member.

M.G.Joslin was elected to serve through,1954, taking the place of Hugh Johnson [illegible], a Life Member, and Charles Hostetler was elected to serve through 1955, taking the place of B.Y.Tyner, a Life Member.

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RESOLVED: That C.J.Curry, Treasurer of this Church, be hereby authorized, in the name of and for account of this Church, and on such terms and conditions as he may deem proper, to borrow from the First-Citizens Bank & Trust Company, any sum of sums of money not in excess of $17,000.00, to sign, execute and endorse such notes and any renewal or renewals thereof as may he necessary or required by said Bank to evidence such indebtedness; to discount or rediscount with said Bank any of the bills receivable held by this Church; to apply for and obtain from said Bank letters of credit and to sign and execute agreements to secure said Bank in connection therewith; to pledge and/ or mortgage any moneys on deposit or any moneys otherwise in the possession of said Bank, and/or any bonds, stocks, bills receivable or other property of this Church to secure the payment of any indebtedness, liability or obligation of this Church to said Bank whether due or to become due and whether existing or hereafter incurred, howsoever arising; to withdraw and/or substitute any property of this Church held at any time by said Bank, and to sign and execute trust receipts forthe withdrawal of same when required; and generally to do and perform any and all acts and sign any and all agreements, obligations, pledges, and/or other instruments necessary or required by said Bank for its protection in its dealings with this Church.

RESOLVED: That all transactions by any of the officers or representatives of this Church, in its name and for its account with said Bank prior to this meeting be hereby approved and ratified.

RESOLVED: That said Bank be furnished with a certified copy of these resolutions and be hereby authorized to deal with the officers hereinabove named under said authority unless and until it be expressly notified in wiriting to the contrary by this Church, and shall in writing acknowledge receipt of such notification; and said Bank shall at all times be protected in recognizing as such officers the persons named in a certificate signed by any offocer of this Church.

North Carolina
Wake County

I, J.Everett Hunter, Clerk of the First Baptist Church of Raleigh, North Carolina, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true transcript of the minutes of the regular business meeting of the membership of the First Baptist Church of Raleigh held on the 9th day of December,1953.

J.Everett Hunter, Church Clerk

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this the 14 day of December,1953.

Notary

My Commission Expires 11-4-'55.

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The Chairman of the Committee on Committees, R.McIver Allen, presented the following nominations of officers and committees for 1954:

Church Clerk:	J.E.Hunter Wade Jenkins, Assistant
Church Treasurer:	(C.J.Curry resigned and the new Treasurer is to be announced) T.A.Upchurch, Assistant
Custodian of Special Funds:	W.G.Briggs R.D.Beam, Assistant
Church Trustees:	Carroll W.Weathers, Chairman Dr.Clarence Poe Wade M.Gallant W.L.Wyatt, Sr. T.W.Brewer W.T.Joyner W.H.Weatherspoon
Church Representative to Executive Council of Raleigh Baptist Association:	Dr.Braodus E.Jones R.N.Simms,Jr.
Raleigh Baptist Council:	Earl H.Hostetler, Chairman Mrs.Ira B.Mullis Miss Ruth Provence Miss Annie Bailey Jones J.Yates Parker Dr.B.Y.Tyner
Baptisms:	M.G.Joslin, Chairman Mrs.W.J.Clark Mrs.Jack Bagby,Jr. Mrs.J.L.Norris Van Dawson Durrett Fabius Haywood Briggs Mrs.H.L.Barrett Mrs.Herman Senter
Choir Apparel:	Mrs.Hammie Spigner, Chairman Mrs.Annie B.Edwards Mrs.E.B.Page Miss Meredith Byrd Mrs.Jack White Mrs.W.B.Gilbert
Church Records:	W.C.Lassiter, Chairman J.E.Hunter Mrs.Warren M.Cratch Miss Carolyn Stevens

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Communion:	Mr. and Mrs.P.J.Schwarz, Co-Chairmen
	Mrs.D.E.Schreffler
	Mrs.Mary Broughton
	Mrs.Carr Senter
	Miss Beatrice Brewer
Evangelism:	Chairman of Board of Deacons
	General Supt. of Sunday School
	Director of B.T.U.
	President of W.M.U.
	Chairman of Music Committee
	Educational Director
	Youth Director
	Publicity Chairman
Finance Committee - Ex-officio Members:	Chairman of Board of Deacons
	Director of the Budget
	Chairman of Repair Committee
	Chairman of Supplies and Purchases
	Church Treasurer
	Treasurer of W.M.U.
To Serve One Year:	R.B.Carpenter
	L.N.Hutchinson
	R.D.Bean
1954	Wendell Murray
	Oliver Smith
	Yates Parker
	Mrs.Clyde L.Smith
	Mrs.E.H.Simpson
	Miss Ruth C.Wilson
To Serve, 1954-1955	Wilbur Robbins
	Dr.Howard Branch
	W.T.Joyner
	Cooper B.Taylor
	Orville Smith
	W.L.Wyatt,Jr.
	Mrs.Thomas B.Reynolds
	Mrs.Carroll W.Weathers
	Mrs.L.C.Liles
To Serve, 1954-'55-'56	Paul Yelverton
	Dr.W.B.Dewar
	Roy Purser
	Dr.Hugh McManus
	Dr.Gordon L.Sinclair
	Clyde A.Douglass
	Mrs.W.D.Spencer
	Mrs.R.N.Simms,Jr.
	Mrs.R.M.Allen

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Pulpit Supply:	Carroll Weathers, Chairman
	Mrs.Orville Smith
	Charles Hostetler
	J.Everett Miller
	Mrs.Foy J.Farmer
Repairs:	W.F.Morris,Chairman
	Mrs.L.N.Hutchinson
	Mrs.Robert Yancey
	Mrs.H.Royster Chamblee
	W.B.Gilbert
	Miss Gladys Dewar
	T.B.Gunter,Jr.
Suppers:	Church Hostess in Charge
Flowers for tables -	Mrs.C.B.Tayler & Mrs.W.T.Ward, Co-Chm.
	Mrs.W.A.Parker
	Mrs.Leon Harris
	Mrs.Luther Yost
	Miss Catherine Yarbrough
Table Setting -	Mrs.Hugh McManus, Chairman
	Circle No. 12
Kitchen Help -	(To be announced)
Training Union Suppers	Young People in the Department will serve
Serving -	Miss Mary Norwood, Chairman
	Miss Eleanor Brooks, Assistant
Sunday Morning Refreshments:	Mrs.W.L.Woltz, Chairman
	Miss Helen Bailey
	Mrs.Walter Pierce
	Mrs.A.V.Foskey
Supplies and Purchases:	Chas. Lee Smith, Chairman
	Edgar Wyatt
	Sam Jones
	Graham Dobbin
	Dan Bland

Senior Ushers: E.H.Simpson, Chairman

John Bikle	W.G.Robbins
Russell Nipper	G.W.Dobbin
R.L.Rice	Mike Karmazin
Mack Perry	Herbert Barnes
Bill Fleming	Henry Barrett
D.A.Bland	Robert Ott
Burr Patchell	R.C.Courtney
M.B.Medlin	W.F.Morris,Jr.
C.C.Buchanan	Roy B.Williams
M.G.Joslin	Dick Woodward
D.R.Graham	Larry E.Ball
W.M.Cratch	Judson Creech

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Flowers:	Miss Ellen Durham, Chairman Miss Helen Bailey, Assistant Mrs.E.L.Layfield Mrs.Roger Marshall Miss Ora Alford Mrs.Elmo T.Williams
Funeral Music:	Mrs.N.E.Davis, Director
Greeters:	Henry Faucette, Chairman Lee Parker DeVan Barbour John Ludwick James Womble W.D.Holoman Joe Garrett
House Committee:	Robert Ponton, Chairman W.F.Morris,Jr. Mrs.O.L.Carpenter Mrs.Royster Chamblee Mrs.Victor Stonebanks
Local Church Benevolence:	Mrs.Geo.Dowell, Chairman Mrs.E.H.Simpson Mrs.Josephine Adams Miss Susan Dewar Miss Florine Boone Mrs.D.L.Strickland
Music:	Dr.H.Royster Chamblee, Chairman Mrs.Ralph Moody Mrs.Coite Jones Curtis Craver Miss Nell Barker Miss Thelma Riley Dr.L.A.Peacock Robert A.Ponton Mrs.Herman Senter Miss Lovie Jones Henry Perry
Parsonage:	Mrs.Wade Gallant, Chairman Mrs.J.R.Pointer Luther Yost Jesse Page,Jr. Mrs.R.M.Allen
Publicity:	Dr.Edwin S.Preston, Chairman Miss Kate Matthews R.E.Williams Robert Brooks Mrs.Carl Goerch

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Senior Ushers (Continued)
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Dave Carson	Dr.A.M.Alderman
Wm.Bradshaw	Anglin Nicholson
Charles Gaddy	C.C.Cameron
Don Freeman	J.Norwood Smith
Tom Broughton	Gordon Riddick
Thomas Rand	E.T.Currin
Bob Yancey,Jr.	Gene Hooks
Jesse Helms,Jr.	Harry Prevette
Jack Bagby,Jr.	L.M.Lancaster
Dr.S.B.Towler	Carroll Weathers,Jr.
Dr.L.C.Liles	James L.Bland,Jr.
Dr.Hugh McManus	

Junior Ushers: M.B.Koonce, Chairman

Henry Helms,Jr.	Robert Singleton
Carlyle Adams,Jr.	John Johnson
Lemuel Shirley,Jr.	George Fairbanks
Jim Harrill	Tommy Park
Kenneth Woodruff	Horace Bone
Lee Pridgen	Neal Hutchinson
Scottie Swindell	Joseph Y.Parker,Jr.
Arthur Bone	Charles Taylor,Jr.
Arnold Joslin	Billy Hunter
Larry Foskey	Jack Godwin
Tommy Teague	Bobby Haley
Randle Carpenter	

Changes in the Church Roll for the month of December:

Membership as of November 30,1953	1,864
Received by letter	3
Received by Baptism	5
Lost by letter	25
Membership as of December 31,1953	1,847

We were dismissed with prayer by the Pastor.

Broadus E.Jones, Moderator

J.Everett Hunter, Church Clerk

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SUNDAY SCHOOL OFFICERS

General Superintendent:	H.A.Helms
Associate "	Luther Yost
General Secretary	(To be announced)
Associate Secretary	Clyde Eby
Budget Director	T.W.Brewer
Associate Clerk	Nathan Moseley
Adult Department:	
Superintendent	L.N.Hutchinson
Associate Supt.	W.L.Wyatt,Jr.
Young People:	
Superintendent	William H.Simpson
Intermediates:	
Superintendent	Miss Faye Brooks
Associate "	Dr.H.Royster Chamblee
Juniors:	
Superintendent	Mrs.D.W.Merritt
Associate Supt.	
Primary:	
Superintendent	Mrs.Luther Yost
Associate "	
Beginners:	
Superintendent	Miss Ellen Brewer
Associate "	Mrs.J.P.Brassfield
Nursery B:	
Superintendent	Mrs.J.L.Bland
Associates -	Mrs.Sidney C.Paschall
	Mrs.L.E.Ball
Nursery A:	
Superintendent -	Mrs.Parke Thomas
Associates	Mrs.W.K.Hunter
	Mrs.J.E.Allen
Cradle Roll:	
Superintendent	Mrs.J.E.Hunter
Extension:	
Superintendent	Hugh Johnson
Associate "	Mrs.M.A.Huggins
Primary Story Hour:	Mrs.J.D.Mitchell, Director
	Mrs.R.E.Dixon, Associate
Beginners Story Hour:	Mrs.Gene Walters, Director
	Mrs.Chas. McMillan, Associate

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All of the foregoing officers and committees for both the Church and Sunday School were elected as nominated.

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Membership as of November 30,1953----------1,864

CHANGES IN CHURCH ROLL FOR DECEMBER, 1953 - - - -

Received by Letter

Mr. Thomas C. Bray
210½ Groveland Ave.

Mrs. Thomas C. Bray
210½ Groveland Ave.

Mr. Robert Lyles Zealy
8 St. Mary's St., Apt. 11

Received by Baptism

Miss Ann J. Charney
727 W. Morgan St.

Mrs. Chas. A. Hostetler
E-3 Raleigh Apts.

Mrs. A. T. Kester ✓
Box 864, Wake Forest, N. C.

Mr. Bobby J. Mooneyham
404 W. North St.

Mrs. James Steelman (nee Nancy Caveness)
1405 Canterbury Rd.

Lost by Letter

Miss Jessie Lee Beard
Mrs. C. R. Cook
Mrs. J. M. Cutliff
Mrs. Lois A. Davis
Mrs. Wm. T. Edwards
Mr. & Mrs. Frank D. Garrett, Jr.
Mrs. R. E. Hendrick (nee Verda Sommerville)
Mrs. Jack Hinsley (nee Dru Morgan)
Mr. & Mrs. T. R. Howerton
Dr. J. Y. Joyner
Mrs. James H. Lee
Mrs. J. W. Martin (nee Emily L. Smith)
Mr. & Mrs. A. S. Myrick
Mr. William P. Lawrence, Jr.
Mr. Charles Aycock Poe
Mrs. Sybil B. Salter
Mr. V. H. Underwood
Mr. & Mrs. Richard T. White
Mr. & Mrs. Donald Winecoff
Mrs. Elmer Yow (nee Ala Wilson)

Dear Mr. Wyatt:

Your letter of Nov. 6th with its enclosure came in due time. This gracious gift from the First Church and the prayers "for Hudson's early recovery" are more deeply appreciated than can be expressed, but the strength and healing and blessing coming from such remembrance are mine in a very blessed and wonderful way. God bless the First Church, its every member, and every Kingdom interest.

We are deeply grateful to our Heavenly Father for the encouraging word about Hudson's condition, for all that He has provided for them in this time of great need, and for

Jesus' healing and restoring power.

Gratefully,

Leila McMillan