

Baptists Set Bible Study

The First Baptist Church of Washington will present Sunday at 7 p.m. its January Bible Study for ages three to 103 (a nursery will be provided for those younger than three).

Courses being offered are: "My Church" (three year-olds), teacher: Mrs. C. B. Carowan; "God's Plan for People" (four and five year-olds), teachers: Mrs. A. B. Rouse, Jr. and Mrs. Thomas Davidson; "The Story of Joseph" (younger children, grades one-three), teacher: Mrs. Kenneth Samuelson; "In the Land Where Jesus Lived" (older children - grades four-six), teacher: Mrs. Thomas Singleton; "Book Alive" (youth), teacher: Bill Modlin and "Colossians: Christ Above All" (adults), teacher: Rev. Otis Colston.

"We are fortunate in having special guests leading the Youth



REV. R. OTIS COLSTON

and Adult classes," a church spokesman said. They include the Rev. R. Otis Colston of Norfolk, Va. and Bill Modlin of this city.

Mr. Colston was born in South Mills to the late Rev. and Mrs. J. F. Colston. He graduated from Campbell College in 1949 and Wake Forest University with a B. A. degree in English, and for a while Mr. Colston was

involved in retail merchandising. In 1961, he entered the Southeastern Baptist Theological Seminary where he was graduated in 1964.

During his seminary days he was Minister of Education at Fuquay-Varina Baptist Church in Fuquay-Varina and pastor of Sandy Run Baptist Church of Roxobel. Since then he has pastored the Fort Lawn Baptist Church in Fort Lawn, S. C. and the Crewe Baptist Church in Crewe, Va. He is presently serving as pastor of Central Baptist Church in Norfolk, Va. where he has served for the last four years.

Mr. Colston is the brother of Mrs. Charles (Margaret) Hester of Washington.

Mr. Modlin is the Director of Music, Educational Assistant and Youth Director at the First Methodist Church in Washington. He will be leading the Youth in the study: "Book Alive." Mr. Modlin, a native of Washington, received his Bachelor of Music in Education Degree from East Carolina University in 1971.

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