

RELIGION



SCRIPTURE OF THE WEEK
EPHESIANS: Chapter 3

New Pastor: New Fellowship

by Mattie Ann Callier-Spears

One year ago this month, Rev. Ernest Thompson, Jr. and his wife Ruth moved to Portland, Oregon. Was it on an impulse? A whim? "The Lord led me here to lead His people" answers Rev. Thompson.



Rev. Ernest Thompson

Born in Walterboro, South Carolina, Ernest Thompson, Jr. was born into a very large family of eleven children. He has five sisters and five brothers. His parents Ernest Norman Thompson and Minniebelle Fields Thompson.

In 1961, Rev. Thompson was called into the ministry. He pastored the Healing Stream Revival Church in Los Angeles, California.

Rev. Thompson and his wife, Ruth (has her degree in music and serves as the Minister of Music) have purchased a church building in Oregon City located at 14257 Maple Lane Court. The new name of the church is — **Oswego Fellowship Church.**

This is a 'Faith Healing' ministry. In 1963, while working as a Practical Male Nurse, through a healing prayer that was prayed by Rev. Thompson—a man was brought back to life. Since then, many people have been healed because of his prayers. Since he has been here in the Northwest, he has healed a woman of a kidney ailment—here in Portland, at Rev. Flower's church.

He invites you to come and worship and bring your ills; but, more important bring your FAITH—and be HEARD.

COMMUNITY HAPPENINGS

ANTI-GANG AND CRIME RALLY PLANNED: AMA will sponsor an Anti-Gang and Crime Rally on Sunday, Oct. 30, at 4:30 in the afternoon. The rally will be held at the Morning Star Missionary Baptist Church, 106 N.E. Ivy, Portland, Oregon. Theme: Unity in the Community. The guest or keynote speaker will be the Dr. Clarence Hill of Inglewood, California. For further information, call 281-4925. Rev. T. L. Lewis, pastor.

RADIO MINISTRY: Beginning with the first Sunday in Nov., the Mt. Olivet Baptist Church will be heard on KPDQ-AM 800 on the radio dial. The program will air each Sunday from 10:00 p.m. to 11:00 p.m. Dr. James Martin, pastor.

FALL REVIVAL: Fellowship Missionary Baptist Church will hold its Fall Revival on Nov. 14 through Nov. 18. Services will begin at 7:00 p.m. each night. This year's revival will feature guest evangelist Rev. Danny Nance from Atlanta, Georgia. He is the pastor of Mt. Zion Baptist Church. Come on! Come All! to a great soul winning experience. Rev. Johnny Pack, IV, pastor.

SANTA'S CHRISTMAS TREE FARM: Now's the time to place your orders for your wreaths and Christmas trees, self-watering tree stands, and Decor Paks. Call **Waverly and Sheila Davis at 620-9431.** Nobles and Douglas Firs are available.

JOB OPENING: A high school male is needed September through May for the after-school program at the Mallory Avenue Christian Church, 126 N.E. Alberta from 3 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. Call 288-5173 for further information.

BLOOD PRESSURE CLINIC: Bethel AME Church, 5828 Northeast 8th Avenue, hosts a Blood Pressure Screening Clinic in conjunction with Community Care every Tuesday, 8 a.m. - Noon. Visit the Clinic to prevent increased risk of stroke, heart failure, kidney and heart attack.

One Church, One Child

On Nov. 30, the 'One Church, One Child' and the Oregon Children's Services Division are sponsoring a press conference and Kick-Off. Governor Goldschmidt will be an honored guest, along with other state and local dignitaries. The conference is expecting over 500 people from across the country.

The 'One Church, One Child' Program is a national recruiting model developed under the leadership of the Illinois Department of Children and Family Services for the purpose of finding adoptive homes for Black children. The basic principle of 'One Church, One Child' is quite simple: specifically, to find at least one Black family, per Black church, to adopt at least one Black child.

The Oregon Children's Services Division (CSD), in partnership with the Albina Ministerial Alliance and the 'One Church, One Child' board of directors, consisting of twenty-two (22) interdenominational ministers, will outreach to Black congregations around the state to find families for more than 80 Black

children awaiting adoption in Oregon. The 'One Church, One Child' program is rated highly on Governor Goldschmidt's Children Agenda.

Always Near You

When you go to church on Sunday
Though you know He's everywhere,
Don't you feel that more than ever
God is really, truly there?
Isn't there a certain something
in that solemn atmosphere,
That inspires you to thinking
God is somewhat extra near?
Don't you hear the angels singing
When you listen to the choir,
And don't all your good intentions
Rise at least a little higher?
Yes, of course, you have that feeling,
But it is not church on Sunday,
For that's just a time for worship
You would seldom take on Monday.
You could always be inspired
If you spoke to God each day,
And remembered every moment
He is never far away.

by James J. Metcalfe



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Evening Services - 6:30 p.m.
Tuesday - Bible Study
Rev. Ernest Thompson - Pastor

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HEBREWS 12:14

<p>Tuesday: Bible Band 7:30 p.m. Thursday: Choir Rehearsal 7:00 p.m.</p> <p>Sunday: Sunday School 9:15 a.m. Morning Worship 11:15 a.m. Y.P.W.W. 6:30 p.m. Evangelistic Worship 8:00 p.m.</p> <p>Tuesday - Friday Noon Day Prayer</p> <p>Friday "The Pastor Speaks" 7:30 p.m.</p> <p>Saturday Morning Prayer 9:00 a.m.</p>	
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A.R. HOPKINS
Jurisdictional Bishop



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Jurisdiction No. #1
Headquarters Church C.O.G.I.C.

★ COMING EVENTS ★

Pastor and Wife Anniversary • Oct. 27, 28 & 30, 1988
Cornerstone Comm. Church • Supt.: B. E. Johnson, Pastor
2216 N.E. Killingsworth St. • Portland, OR 97211 • 281-4587

Pastor and Wife Anniversary • Nov. 4 thru 6, 1988
Salem Mission • Supt.: A. Shankle, Pastor
4308 Hill Rose St. • Salem, OR 97309 • (503) 399-0088

Looking For A Support Group

J.A.D.A.
(Jesus Against Drugs & Alcohol)
MONDAYS AT 6:00 P.M.
For More Information Call - 286-9624
Christ Memorial Church C.O.G.I.C.
1552 N. Killingsworth • Elder: R. L. Tate, Pastor

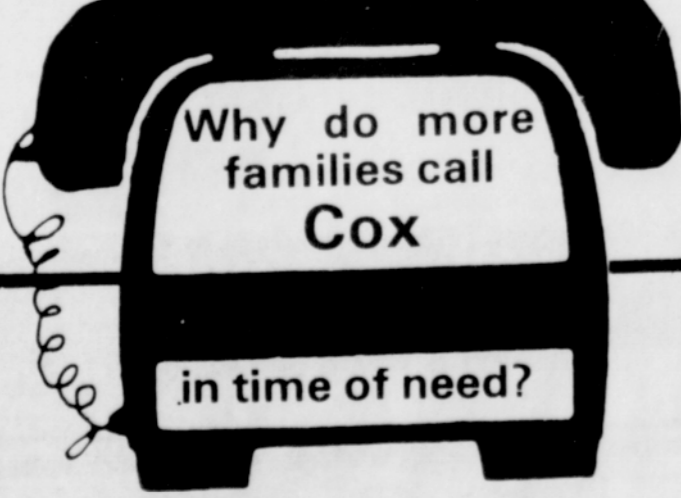
"Funds Are Needed"
Jurisdiction #1 is asking for your contributions in the remodeling of McKinney Temple • Elder: E. C. Suell, Pastor
Please send your tax-deductible check or money order to:
"Remodeling McKinney Temple"
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Beginning November 13, 1988 on Rogers Cable Television
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Under the Direction of... Minister Chris Stevens
Sundays — 6:00 to 7:00 P.M. — Channel 27
Wednesdays — 4:30 to 5:30 P.M. — Channel 11
Saturdays — 9:00 to 10 P.M. — Channel 27

CHURCHES IN DISTRICT

<p>Jurisdiction #1 Headquarters Church Greater Solid Rock Bishop A. R. Hopkins 1705 N. E. Dekum St. Portland, OR 97211 283-1524</p> <p>Greater Peace Supt.: E. Wilson 4009 N. Missouri St. Portland, OR 97227 249-7335</p>	<p>McKinney Temple Elder: E. C. Suell 1737 N. E. Alberta St. Portland, OR 97211 282-8522</p> <p>Williams Temple Elder: M. Walker 241 N. E. Hancock Portland, OR 97212 281-1340</p>	<p>St. Luke Memorial Elder: L. Adams 2700 N. E. Sumner St. Portland, OR 97211 284-0710</p> <p>Nazarene C.O.G.I.C. Supt.: L. Dotsey 9119 N. Drummond St. Portland, OR 97217 286-4272</p>	<p>Light House C.O.G.I.C. Elder: T. Moore 1123 N. E. Fremont Portland, OR 97211 281-3875</p> <p>Cornerstone Comm. Church Supt.: B. E. Johnson 2216 N. E. Killingsworth St. Portland, OR 97211 281-4587</p>	<p>Christ Memorial Church Elder: R. L. Tate 1552 N. Killingsworth St. Portland, OR 97217 286-9624</p> <p>Bethel Temple Supt.: A. Shankle 1545 South Brooklyn Ave. Eugene, OR 97403 343-7303</p>	<p>Free Will Church For All Nations Elder: Thurman Holmes 420 Market St. Klamath Falls, OR 97603 882-1303</p> <p>La Grande C.O.G.I.C. Elder: I. D. Lowe 1303 "T" Street La Grande, OR 97850 963-4736</p> <p>Salem Mission C.O.G.I.C. Supt.: A. Shankle 4308 Hill Rose St. Salem, OR 97309 399-0088</p>
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