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Church hosts Second Annual Counsels at Sanctuary *Bishop's appointments to be announced in June*

The Second Annual Counsels of The Church were held last June 26 & 27. The proceedings commenced at sunrise on Saturday and concluded toward sunset on Sunday.

Assemblies convened out-of-doors at the Seven Churches of Prophecy and at the Seven Churches of Revelation, respectively located in the Northland and the Southland at the desert Consecrated Sanctuary at Red Rock. The final meeting of the assembly was held in Reno, in the newly constructed Episcopal Cathedral See.

The Right Reverend Gene Savoy, Head Overseer of The Church and First Disciple of The Child, officiated and presented readings from newly received Revelations.

The Revelations form part of the soon-to-be published *The Book Of God's Revelation*, the concluding volume of eight prophetic publications. The previous seven are: *Prophecy to the Americas*, Vols. I & II; *Prophecy to the Races of Man*; *Prophecy to the Christian Churches*; *Prophecy of the End Times*; *Prophecy on the Golden Age of Light and the Nation of Nations*; *Prophecy of the Universal Theocracy*; and *Prophecy on the New Covenant*.

In attendance were Consociates representing thirty-two states of the Union, The Phillipines, and several nations of the free world. Among those countries represented were: Canada, Panama, Venezuela, Taiwan, and Kuwait.

During the oral presentations at the Counsels, the Head Bishop emphasized the New Age of Light upon the world and the role of the Second Advent Ministry

during this era.

The Reverend Savoy told ministers in attendance that the Church has labored for twenty-five years to contact the pre-ordained, those forming the Presbytery of the Ministry, and others who are to take the message of the Second Advent of God's Appearance to the world and establish Churches and Communities of Light. In following the divine command of The Child Christ Jamil, authorized Consociates will take up their own ministries to contact those pre-ordained to hear each of them.

The Rev. Savoy further explained the importance of the Parent Church as an ecclesiastical center for bridging theory and practice, which enables each minister to make the transition from student of theology to an active Minister of The Church. Once one's vocation has been assumed, the social and material paths of the secular world are broken.

In conclusion, ministers were reminded that The Church has performed the essential task of contacting and making them aware of the Teachings of Light, (See COUNSELS, page 4, col. 1)

Following the Sacred Calendar

The Church observes Easter and Pentecost

The Church celebrated Easter at the Red Rock Sanctuary Basilica April 11. Second Advent Easter was celebrated the following Sunday, April 18. Pentecost was observed on Sunday, June 6.

Two Paschal services were held for the public on the traditional date of April 11. A sunrise service was performed at the Church's desert Sanctuary at Red Rock, followed by a morning Communion Service held at 11 o'clock in the Memorial Chapel of the Holy Child.

Celebrants met under heavy rains at the Red Rock Basilica where the sunrise service was held. The Reverend Savoy officiated the Sacrament of Eucharist and delivered the Sermon *The Second Advent of Christ*. Those in attendance agreed that this Communion Service was one of the most moving ever experienced.

Due to the inclement weather, the Di-

vine Service, normally performed at sunrise with bells, was incorporated into the indoor services held later that morning. Thus, the mid-morning Sunday service combined the Divine Service and the Children's Handbell Choir, in accompaniment, with the formal Litany and music of the Chapel Communion Service. Rev. Savoy's sermon for this service was entitled *The Meaning of the Resurrection*.

Second Advent Easter, April 18, was celebrated with regular services observed at sunrise at the Consecrated Sanctuary and at 11 o'clock in the Chapel.

Pentecost was celebrated on June 6, forty-nine days following Second Advent Easter. Traditional services were held both at Red Rock and at the Chapel of the Holy Child in Reno. On this occasion, the thirteen players of the Children's (See SACRED CALENDAR, page 2, col. 2)

Construction completed

Episcopal See for the Ordained dedicated with Counsels assembly

The Episcopal Cathedral See construction project was completed on schedule during the week of June 15. This renovation, begun in early spring to convert one of the Church's properties, has produced a magnificent facility.

The primary function of the Episcopal Cathedral See, located at 626 Ralston St., will be to provide the proper assembly room for meetings of the Bishops and for theological lectures. It will also serve as a temporary home for The Sacred College of Jamilian Theology and The Jamilian University of the Ordained.

The Episcopal See was inaugurated on Sunday, June 27, as ministers assembled for the final session of the Counsels being hosted by The Church at that time.

The interior of the See is beautifully crafted with oak, specially patterned stained glass windows, indirect lighting, large

teakwood doors, carpeting, and tile.

Amphitheater seating accommodates one hundred persons under a seventeen-foot high vaulted ceiling. The Cathedra, or Bishop's Chair, is placed on a staticum under a canopy and occupies the frontal-center of the main assembly hall.

The building also includes the Bishop's office, ambulatory, and communion table with appointments for services.

At the entrance, three engraved bronze plaques, each 26 by 14 inches, mounted in concrete designate the Episcopal Cathedral See, The Sacred College of Jamilian Theology, and The Jamilian University of the Ordained.

Two large brick planters, wrought iron gate and fence will surround a courtyard landscaped with cedar and juniper trees.

This valuable addition to the facilities of The Community has been possible by

the dedication, love, and devotion of the men of The Church, who labored most diligently under Designer and Master Builder, Reverend Nelson Duscheneau. Foreman for the project was Reverend Richard Floyd. ♦

CHRISTENING

Erica Jalayne and Michael Shane Grady were Christened at 12 noon, on traditional Easter Sunday, April 11, in the Memorial Chapel of the Holy Child.

Jalayne and Shane are the children of Reverend JoAnn Hainline and Mr. Gerald Edward Grady of Iowa.

Godparents to Jalayne were The Right Reverends Gene and Sylvia Savoy. Reverend Gene Savoy also officiated at the Christening Service.

Reverends Gary and Elaina Drake stood as Godparents for Michael Shane.

The traditional *A Baptismal Hymn* and *Music for a Christening* were played at the organ by Reverend Gary Buchanan, Music Director. ♦



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SACRED CALENDAR

Handbell Choir performed *The Sun of Pentecost*, written especially for the service by Reverend Gary Buchanan. Ship's bells and windchimes were played in addition to the handbells. The Reverend Savoy delivered the Litany to the accompaniment of the sacred music. He was assisted by Reverends Phillip W. Snyder, Sylvia Ontaneda de Savoy, and Elizabeth Reece.

The cycle of Pentecost, seven weeks following Easter, is a major date in the Sacred Calendar of the Church of the Second Advent. From the *Decoded New Testament*, Chapter 7, we learn: "The gift of the Holy Spirit at Pentecost replaced forever the value of the blood sacrifice. This gift was the bread of life come from the spiritual Light of God through the sun of the material world, and was the true baptism of fire given for the purification of man to wash man's material nature and his Dark nature . . ."

It was at Pentecost that the apostles of Christ Jesus met on a high place to await the promised Appearance of Christ. And as they waited together, there " . . . suddenly came a sound from heaven as of a rushing mighty wind, and it filled all the house where they were sitting. And there

appeared unto them cloven tongues like as of fire, and it sat upon each of them (upon their heads)" (Acts II: 2-3). This event is known as the *outpouring of spirit*, and is the hope of all true Christians following the Teachings of Light.

The Pentecontad cycle of fifty days is also a link between Messianic Christianity and the early Essaei of Qumran. The Solar Calendar of the Essenes, that of the early Christians, is the very same now in the possession of the Church of the Second Advent, a fact which helps to establish the authority of the New Age Ministry. April 18 is the fixed date for Easter in the Second Advent Solar Calendar, and Pentecost is set at June 6.

Easter, principal festival of the Christian Church, celebrates the resurrection of Jesus. Its counterpart in Judaism is the observance of Passover, given as 14 Nisan [April] in the Hebrew lunar Calendar.

Western Churches celebrate Easter according to the Calendar established by the Roman Catholic Church, the Gregorian, which follows annual mathematical sequences based primarily upon Metonic, lunar tables. The Eastern Churches observe different dates mainly determined by the Old Style, or Julian, Calendar. ♦

Feathered Serpent II arrives in Nevada for restoration as Church museum

The Ship of Light, obtained six years ago by The Church, has been transferred from its berth in Honolulu to the grounds of the Rectory-Abbey.

The *Feathered Serpent II*, which has played an important role in the history of the Ministry, arrived in Reno last July after a 3,000 mile journey from Hawaii on board a freighter. In order to be transported safely, the Ship was cut in two and each part placed in a large storage chest. The Church plans to construct a museum around the Ship, which will also house the navigational hardware.

The Ship of Light has served The Community as a focus of scriptural and evangelical activity during its mission across the seas. Prophecies and Sayings, along with Commentaries, have been received and given to The Mariners and Companions of The Way on board ship. During this time contact has been made with the pre-ordained of nations visited by the Ship and its crew, thus enriching the Second Advent Ministry.

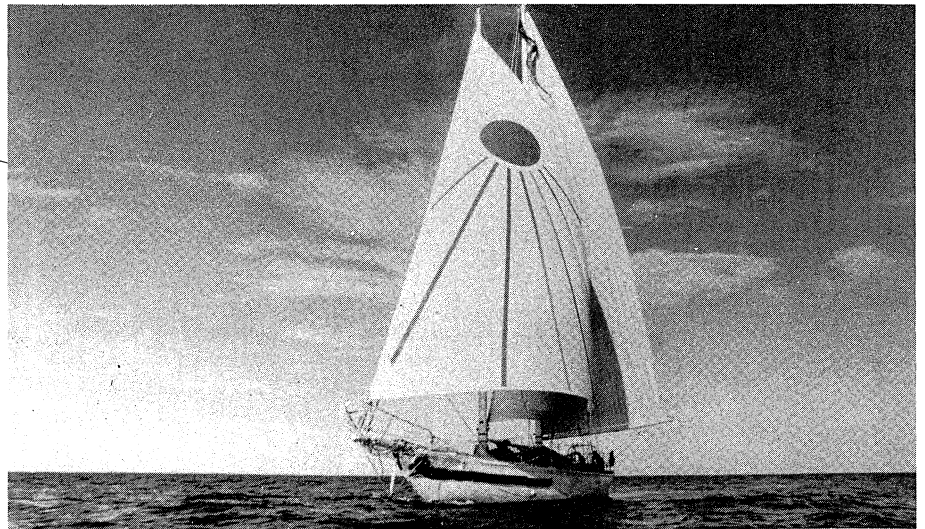
The first "oracle ship," *Feathered Serpent I*, a reed boat of ancient design, disappeared without a trace in 1969 after having completed a 64-day voyage from Peru to Central America, following the ancient sea route that linked the Inca and Aztec civilizations. The instructions to build the *Feathered Serpent I* and the purpose of its voyage is recorded in the *First Prophecy to the Americas*.

The *Feathered Serpent II* set sail from the east coast of the continental United States five and a half years ago for Panama, where the first Ship of Light ended her voyage.

From Panama, she continued along the original course set for the *Feathered Serpent I*; north to Mexico and, ultimately, to the Pacific Islands.

The purpose of the second Ship and the manner of its voyage are given in the *Second Prophecy to the Americas*.

Although The Reverend Gene Savoy remained Captain of the Ship, crews of the *Feathered Serpent II* varied during the various legs of its journey. However, Reverends Phillip W. Snyder and Robert de la Cruz were the only crew members



who remained constant throughout the entire sea voyage. Other crew members included Patrick Newman, Chris Radzik, Wayne Langley, John Mahan, Chris Brett, Bob Rohler, and Kjell Sveen.

After the final mooring in Hawaii, The Reverend de la Cruz stayed on board as Officer in Charge of the floating Chapel, until June, 1982, at which time the Ship was decommissioned and prepared for transport to the continent.

The *Feathered Serpent II*, with a crew of eight, departed from Florida, June 16, 1977, bound for Venezuela. En route the Ship visited Key West (Florida), and the Providenciales Island (British West Indies). The Ship arrived in La Guaira, Venezuela, in July, remaining there for five months.

This episode is recounted in the *Prophecy to the Races of Man*, that tells of the Voice of the Holy Child Christ Jamil giving instructions to The Man to seek the Emerald Isles of the Sea — a Vision experienced in Caracas.

In November the Ship and a crew of five sailed from the Atlantic to the Pacific through the Panama Canal and harboured in Balboa (Panama). There, on November 27, The Mariners received the 10th, 11th, and 12th Sayings.

The following year, on September 16, The Man revealed to them the 13th, 14th, and 15th Sayings on the Island of the Holy Spirit, an island among the Islas de las Perlas, off Panama.

Setting sail from where the *Feathered*

Serpent I had ended her voyage, the Ship and crew forged north to Costa Rica and on to Acapulco, Mexico, where they remained for another year.

With course set at due west, headed for Hawaii, the Ship departed Mexico on May 11, 1979, arriving in Honolulu, June 3, Day of Pentecost.

The 23-day leg from Puerto Vallarta (Mexico) to the Hawaiian Islands is described in the *Prophecy of the End Times*; in fact, much of the Prophecy given in this volume was received during the trip across the Pacific.

Beginning on Pentecost, the 16th, 17th, and 18th Sayings were revealed to The Mariners.

A few months later, on the evening of November 11, 1980 The Mariners and other Companions of The Way gathered to receive the 20th and 21st Sayings.

In 1981, Mariners assembled on board ship while it was berthed at Honolulu. Early on the morning of October 12, the 22nd Saying was given, and on the third day following, six disciples gathered at the home of a Companion of The Way in Honolulu to receive the 23rd Saying.

Also in 1981, the *Prophecy of the Universal Theocracy* was received and recorded in Hawaii; thus the series of scriptural and prophetic activities surrounding the *Feathered Serpent II* was completed.

At present the Ship remains at the Rectory-Abbey, and plans are underway for the museum project. ♦

Arabic Edition of the *Prophecy of the End Times* readied for publication

The prophecy of the final days, *Prophecy of the End Times*, has been translated into Arabic by the honorable Saba Nabih Qaisieh of Kuwait.

The *Prophecy of the End Times* was revealed by The Child Christ Jamil to The Man, Gene Savoy, during the Christmas Season of 1978 while the Prophet and Companions of The Way sojourned in Jerusalem.

These members of The Community were on a pilgrimage of celebration occasioned by the unprecedented peace initiative of the Egyptian statesman and peace maker, the late Anwar Sadat. This was announced by Jamil, and recorded before-time in the *Prophecy to the Races of Man*.

Mr. Qaisieh has also translated *Jamil: The Child Christ*, which was published in 1976, following publication of the English Edition.

The Arabic Edition of both volumes will undoubtedly serve a great purpose in the Ministry of Light to the peoples of the Middle East. ♦

Parochial School presents awards

The Jamilian Parochial School held its first annual Awards Program on Saturday, June 19.

A half-hour of musical performance by the Children's Handbell Choir, followed by Communion Service, preceded the award ceremony.

Parents, the Ordained, and Community members gathered on the school lawn to see the children receive awards for their performance during the school year in the areas of academic achievement, special projects, attendance, and outstanding dedication.

The administrators of the School, Reverends Robert Petrovich and Barbara Snyder, introduced the Award Program. Certificates were presented by Reverend Doctor Kenneth Ehler and Reverend Belinda Chauvin.

At the conclusion of the Program, the Parochial School students acted as hosts, offering refreshments and inviting all to view a display of the children's art work.

The Jamilian Parochial School was first established as a tutorial program in 1976 at the request of the Head Overseer, who

saw the need for a religious school where children of the Ordained, born into The Community, could be educated. In subsequent years, the program grew from a small, tutorial, primary level into a complete educational program with a preparatory curriculum that leads to enrollment in the Sacred College of Jamilian Theology and the Sacred College Jamilian University of the Ordained.

The School is a religious institution organized under universal Canon Law of The Church through the Office of Educational Affairs. Pre-seminarial education, i.e., primary and high school levels, is governed directly by the Sacred College of Jamilian Theology and by the living Liturgy of The Church.

Students are educated by the Ministry to prepare them for an adult life dedicated to the service of God.

The Parochial School provides for the education of children whose parents or guardians are ministers under vows, who have dedicated their lives to God and work full-time to the benefit of The Church of the Second Advent. ♦

1982 INVOCATION & INTERCESSION SERVICES

The Memorial Chapel of the Holy Child

January		April		June	
Wed., 20	Dorothy Felice Raymond Suber	Sat., 4	Denise Sheiman Janet Roberts	Wed., 2	Don Opdyke Sarah Johnson Lee Strekow
February		Sun., 5	Kenneth Yee		
Wed., 3	Elvira Spohn Jeanne Huston	Wed., 7	Anna Conrad Kenneth Yee	July	
Wed., 10	Marcel & Irene Lavoie	Wed., 14	Paul Emerald Kenneth Yee	Sat., 3	Cortland Waite
Wed., 17	Robert Chauvin Jr.	Sat., 24	George Gadda	Wed., 7	Billie Lou Price Harold Price
Sat., 20	Robert Chauvin Jr.		Gail Fosbury & mother		
Wed., 24	Irene Lavoie Frank Vallette James Whitney	Wed., 28	Paul Opdyke Jr. Nickie Br�w Denise Sheiman Jeanette Roberts Marilyn Puckett Thelma Miller	August	
March				Wed., 4	Jim & Terry Whitney
Wed., 3	Bev Opdyke Jeff Sharp	May		September	
Sun., 7	Mrs. O'Neal Carols Chapa Charles Mallie	Sun., 2	Carol Rawlinson	Sun., 4	Dorothy Young Jeanne Huston JoAnn Hainline Lisa Chavez
Wed., 10	Mrs. Reid White Gail Fosbury & mother Stella Huston	Sat., 8	Kenneth Dunavan Frieda Nelson William Emerine Juanita Hamilton Reid C. White Carol Rawlinson Theresa Andronis Lee Strekow	Sat., 11	Jim & Terry Whitney Enrico Castell Raymond Suber Kandas Coesens Tau-Mie Nielsen Carol Salverson
Sat., 14	Patricia Smith	Wed., 19		Wed., 15	
Sat., 20	Sandra Redward	Sat. 22		Wed., 22	
Wed., 24	Julius Nowak			Wed., 29	
Sun., 28	Karin Ann Quilan	Wed., 26			
Wed., 30	Mary Barr Margaret Catron				

*Upon request, services of invocation and intercession are held for names submitted to the Secretary of The Church.

OFFICIATING MINISTERS OF CHURCH SERVICES SPRING AND FALL SEASONS

RED ROCK SANCTUARY

Seven Churches Of Revelation

Sunday 9:00 A.M.

Seven Churches Of Prophecy

Sunday 10:00 A.M.

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 11 Rev. Belinda Chauvin
 18 Rev. Elaina Drake
 25 Rev. Penny Floyd
 May 2 Rev. Richard Floyd
 9 Rev. Phillip Snyder
 15 Rev. Robert Petrovich
 23 Rev. JoAnn Hainline
 30 Rev. Judith O'Neal
 Jun. 6 Rt. Rev. Carol Salverson
 13 Rev. Gary Buchanan
 20 Rev. Michael O'Neal
 27 Rev. Kenneth Ehler
 July 4 Rev. Betty Brooks
 11 Rev. Billie Walker
 18 Rt. Rev. Elena Baugh
 25 Rev. Ted Staver
 Aug. 1 Rev. Robert Roy
 8 Rev. Robert Petrovich
 15 Rev. Sun Cha Kong Huss
 22 Rev. Victoria Skinner
 29 Rev. Jackie Carrothers
 Sep. 5 Rev. Tom Rees
 12 Rev. Larry Coesens
 19 Rev. Phillip Snyder
 26 Rev. Harry DeSilva

CHANCELLERY COMPLEX

The Memorial Chapel Of The Holy Child

Sunday 11:00 A.M.

Officiating Minister

The Rt. Rev. Gene Savoy

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 18 Rev. Betty Brooks
 25 Rev. Billie Walker
 May 2 Rev. Victoria Skinner
 9 Rev. Robert Roy
 16 Rev. Tom Rees
 23 Rev. Larry Coesens
 30 Rev. Sun Cha Kong Huss
 Jun. 13 Rev. Kandas Coesens
 20 Rev. Harry DeSilva
 July 4 Rev. Robert de la Cruz
 11 Rev. Sung Cha Staver
 18 Rev. Robert de la Cruz
 Aug. 1 Rev. Phillip Snyder
 8 Rev. Phillip Snyder
 15 Rev. Gary Buchanan
 22 Rev. Gary Drake
 29 Rev. Kenneth Ehler
 Sep. 5 Rev. Robert Petrovich
 12 Rev. Nelson Duscheneau
 19 Rt. Rev. Sylvia O. Savoy
 26 Rev. Elizabeth Reece

CHANCELLERY COMPLEX

The Memorial Chapel Of The Holy Child

Wednesday 12:00 M.

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 14 Rev. Elizabeth Reece
 21 Rt. Rev. Elena Baugh
 28 Rev. Nelson Duscheneau
 May 5 Rev. Roger Weld
 12 Rev. Stanley Fortmeyer
 19 Rev. Robert Petrovich
 26 Rev. Elaina Drake
 Jun. 2 Rev. Clare Mead
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 16 Rev. Kenneth Ehler
 23 Rev. Jackie Carrothers
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