



# Church News & More

## New Life Bible Church dedicates Allen S. and Norma T. McLaughlin Family Life Center



City Councilwoman Val Applewhite (l) Dr. Norma T. McLaughlin & Pastor Dr. Allen S. McLaughlin (Photo by JJ Jones)

ing college. Once he graduated, he worked in human resources for 20 years. He held positions with the Employment Security Commission, Offender Aid and Restoration, and Cumberland County Workforce Development. He focuses on ways he can help. McDougald's solid work ethics and personality define who he is as Christian. He is a graduate of Fayetteville State University, as well as Campbell University Divinity School with a Masters in Divinity. He's been married to Alice for more than 39 years, and they have two children, six grandchildren and two sons-in law.

The McLaughlin Family Life Center is a symbol of the dedication, commitment, conviction and vision by the faithful members of New Life Bible Church. The facility is 10, 000 sq. ft., and is designed to host a variety of specialized programs and community activities. Actually, the center also serves as an extension of how New Life Bible Church has been operating. Where goodness and Christian Fellowship prevail. Of New Life Bible Church, Dr. Allen McLaughlin said, "We serve a caring congregation who strongly believes in reaching out beyond themselves to spread and apply the Gospel of Jesus Christ. You will find a warm welcome and ample opportunity to grow in your relationship with Jesus and His Church." Both Drs. Allen McLaughlin, pastor of New Bible Church and Norma McLaughlin, the first lady, were obviously appreciative.

On the day of the dedication, the McLaughlins said it best, "To the pastoral clergy, deacons and deaconess, members of the church staff, devoted leaders of the many min-



Allen S. and Norma T. McLaughlin Family Life Center

istries which compose the New Life Church family, to those who are the beloved of the Christ our God and to all whom these greetings might come, we salute you today in the name of the Calvary's matchless Lamb, Jesus Christ, our Lord. It has been a pleasure to have served you these thirty wonderful years." They continued, "As we journey through the new century our vision of what God has called us to do remains clear and steadfast. However, we do realize it is not our task to predict the future. Our task is to remain ready for God to order our steps as He guides us where He wants us to go. Our task is to remain aware that He which began a good work in us will perform it until the day of Jesus Christ (Phil 1:6). Our task is to remember on this day of Homecoming Celebration, 'Eye hath not seen, nor ear heard, neither have entered into the heat of man, the things which God hath prepared for them that love Him.' (I Cor. 2:9). For New Life, the best is yet to come."

Visit New Life Bible Church and Allen S. and Norma T. McLaughlin Family Life Center, 1420 Hoke Loop Road in Fayetteville. Call 910-868-9640.

<http://newlifebiblechurch.org/>

### Become A Member of The Fayetteville Cumberland County Ministerial Council

**History** - The Fayetteville/ Cumberland County Ministerial Council, Inc. (FCCMC) was organized in 1957 on Christian principles, to conduct its business as a Christian, nonprofit organization for charitable and educational endeavors in Fayetteville and surrounding communities.

**Philosophy** - To promote unity surrounded by diversity- with inclusiveness for all people. To support all creeds and religious groups, with regards to community service involvement and awareness.

**Purpose** - To promote the spirit of Christian fellowship and to encourage spiritual and intellectual growth among council members. It shall be the purpose and aim of this organization to inspire interdenominational cooperation among the churches of the city and county, without regard to race or nationality, and to give serious consideration to all matters of social, civic, moral, spiritual welfare, and best interest of the community.

- To expand the opportunities available, such as educational development for ministers, pastors, lay persons, church groups, and to establish training programs especially to those who are economically under-privileged; to assist said groups in developing church administration and management skills necessary for the successful operation of their churches and church ministry, and to assist said groups in obtaining such financial support from other sources.

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II Corinthians 13:13

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Church Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Church Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

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**\*Please check the committee you would like to serve on and return to the Secretary\***

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\*Your information will be placed on the website and for third party person to use.\*  
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## TRUE VINE MINISTRIES

### FOOD PANTRY

5401 Morganton Rd \* Fayetteville, NC 28314

Hours:

Tuesday & Thursday 11:30 am – 1:30 pm

Phone: (910) 578-9074

### St. Luke A.M.E. Church



522 Hillsboro Street - Fayetteville, NC 28301  
910-485-7794

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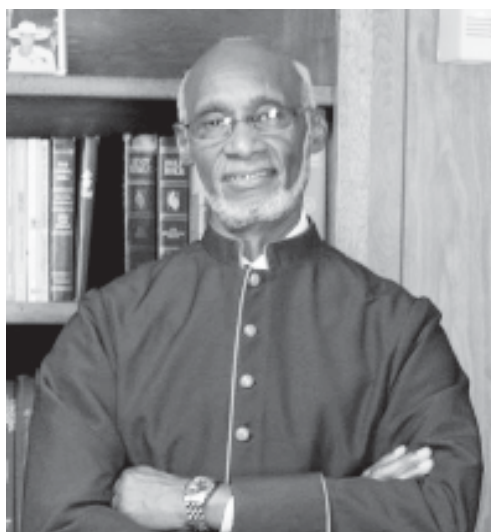
#### Worship Services

Church School 9:00 a.m.

Sunday Morning Worship Service - 10:30 a.m.

Midweek Services - 11:30 a.m.

Bible Study - Wednesday - 6:30 p.m.



**Pastor David L. Morrison Sr.**

**"Enter to Worship, Depart to Serve."**

### Emmanuel Bible College & Herbal Academy

Emmanuel Bible College

Classes: Tuesday 6pm - 8pm \* Saturday: 3pm - 5pm



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#### LEARN TO MAKE YOUR WORK EASY

*Nobody does good work who tugs and strains and is rigid about it. "Easy does it" is the proper method.*

The person who works the easiest, does the most in the shortest time and his work shows the mark of skill. Don't live and work the hard way. So we suggest that you study and master the following rules for making your work easy.

1. Drop the idea that you are Atlas carrying the world on your shoulders. The world would go on even without YOU. Don't take yourself so seriously.

2. Tell yourself that you like your work. It may be difficult to make yourself believe that, for you may have talked yourself into hating it. Or you may be a "fighter of the job," that is to say, you struggle against it rather than with it. This emphasis on liking your job will tend to make it a pleasure instead of drudgery. Perhaps you do not need to change your job. Change yourself and your work will seem different.

3. Plan your work for today and every day, then work your plan. Lack of system produces that "I'm swamped" feeling. To arrange work in an orderly way and perform it in the same manner makes the total job infinitely easier.

4. Decide that you will not try to do everything at once. That is why time is spread out. Repeat the wise advice from the Bible, "This ONE thing I do." Say that to yourself NOW, three times, emphasizing the word ONE. One step at a time will get you there much more surely than haphazardly leaping and jumping. It is the steady pace, the consistent speed that leads most efficiently from start to destination.

5. Practice becoming expert in correct mental attitudes, remembering that ease or difficulty in your work depends upon HOW you think about it. Think it is hard, and it is hard. Think it is easy, and it is easy. So spend a minute now in the practice of thinking of your work as easy.

6. Determine now to re-study your job, for "knowledge is power" (over your job). It is always easier to do a thing right. Make your own job analysis to discover more right ways of doing things. The right way is right because it meets less resistance and is therefore easier than the wrong way.

7. Practice being relaxed about your work. Again, remind yourself that "Easy always does it." Do not press or strain. Take your work in stride. One way to do this is to repeat such a work formulas as the following: "I can handle this job. I know this material or this business. I am well informed about it and am competent to deal with it; therefore, I will have no fear or nervousness about it and besides, God is with me to help me." This will give you a feeling of peace and confidence, and you can do the job in a relaxed frame of mind.