

BULLETIN BLOOPERS #8

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Thank God for church ladies with typewriters. These sentences actually appeared in church bulletins or were announced in church services.

- 1) he Fasting & Prayer Conference includes meals.
- 2) The sermon this morning: 'Jesus Walks on Water.' The sermon tonight: 'Searching for Jesus.'
- 3) Our youth basketball team is back in action Wednesday at 8 PM in the recreation hall. Come out and watch us kill Christ the King.
- 4) Ladies, don't forget the rummage sale. It's a chance to get rid of those things not worth keeping around the house. Bring your husbands.
- 5) The peacemaking meeting scheduled for today has been cancelled due to a conflict.
- 6) Remember in prayer the many who are sick of our community.
- 7) Smile at someone who is hard to love.
- 8) Say 'Hell' to someone who doesn't care much about you.
- 9) Don't let worry kill you off - let the Church help.
- 10) Miss Charlene Mason sang 'I will not pass this way again,' giving obvious pleasure to the congregation.
- 11) For those of you who have children and don't know it, we have a nursery downstairs.
- 12) Next Thursday there will be tryouts for the choir. They need all the help they can get.
- 13) The Rector will preach his farewell message after which the choir will sing: 'Break Forth Into Joy.'
- 14) Irving Benson and Jessie Carter were married on October 24 in the church. So ends a friendship that began in their school days.
- 15) A bean supper will be held on Tuesday evening in the church hall. Music will follow.

Plainly, don't get short changed. Let's be ready to meet our Maker. The Bible (in Acts) teaches that to avoid hell and gain heaven - one must:

- 1) Believe In Jesus As Savior (16:31)
- 2) Repent Of Sins (17:30)
- 3) Confess Christ Audibly (8:37)
- 4) Be Baptized In Water (2:38)
- 5) Live A Christian Life (14:22)
- 6) Be Active In the Church (2:47)

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