-Lexington Church of Christ

Box 144, Lexington, Massachusetts 02173

September 5, 1982

Elders

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Evangelists Kip McKean Steve Johnson

Doug Blough Deacons

Gordon Douglas
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Telephone 862-5921

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Sunday 11:30 a.m. Wednesday 7:30 p.m.

Sponsoring Campus Ministries at

Bentley College
Berklee School of Music
Boston College
Boston University
Brandeis
Bridgewater State
Fisher

Framingham State Harvard/Radcliffe Lesley College M.I.T.

N. E. Conservatory Northeastern Pine Manor Salem State Simmons Suffolk Tufts U. of Massachusetts

Wentworth Institute



Report: Paris and London

On arriving there, they gathered the church together and reported all that God had done through them and how he had opened the door of faith to the Gentiles . . .

Acts 14:27

On the evening of August 18, Doug Blough, the Director of the Paris Mission Team, and I departed on the "red-eye special" that flies from Boston to Paris. We arrived the next morning. tired but anxious to begin our task. During our one week stay in Paris we spent considerable time with Glen Dupont, the American missionary who serves the Deodat congregation in northern Paris, trying to learn about French culture and the history of the French-speaking work in Europe. (The Frenchspeaking work includes France, as well as parts of Belgium and Switzerland.) We also spent a day in Nantes, France with Bobby Grigg and Buddy Jones, the missionaries at this very respected congregation that is located some 250 miles west Paris. The support from these men in France and the information gathered during this initial trip were quite encouraging. The missionaries in the French-speaking work in Europe are a courageous group of men who have as their hearts' desire to see the French speaking area of Europe won for Christ. All nine of the congregations in France are endowed with a tremendous spirit Consequently, we assured the brethren that we wanted to learn as much as possible from them as this was a new challenge to us and also that we wished to become a harmonious part of the French-speaking work.

Though the visits to the Louvre, the Eiffel Tower, the Arch of Triumph, Notre Dame, and the American Embassy were exciting, the walks down the streets of Paris and our strolls through the Latin Quarter convinced us all the more of the need to build a church that would not only help to reach the 12,000,000 lost souls of Paris, working side by side with the other two churches there, but to initiate a work on the campuses of the University of Paris that is located on thirteen different campuses with 260,000 students! Indeed with the (continued on the next page)

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reception we received by the brethren and the Parisians in general, we believe God has opened the door for us to begin a church in Paris in June 1984.

After a week in Paris, we crossed the English Channel and proceeded to London to visit and encourage the church that began just seven short weeks ago. Jim and Doug are in the midst of building a most excellent work. Their wives and the rest of the team are also striving in great ways for the Lord. Already their attendance has gone from 17 on the initial Sunday of July 4, to 41 this past week! Four already have been baptized into Christ--one of them, Doug Jacoby's boss, is a University Administrator for London University. After addressing the church on Wednesday evening and participating in the fellowship, I became all the more convinced of God opening the door of faith in this great city as well.

After this brief two-day visit, Doug and I flew back to Boston only to be received by more good news. Twenty-eight people were baptized into Christ during the "summer slump" month of August at the Lexington congregation. This brought the number of people baptized during the first eight months of 1982 to 195. Indeed, the door of faith is wide open right here at home in Boston.

We look forward to Doug and Jim speaking to us for our first World Missions Seminar on October 7-9. Pray for their work, the preparation of the Paris team, and our own work for the Lord here in Boston.

Kip

"They devoted themselves..." Acts 2:42

Attendance	Sunday	664
	Wednesday PM	500
Contribution	175	\$8,087
Budget		\$8,000

"The harvest is plentiful..." Matthew 9:37

Baptized

8/27 Dr. Edward Yeh 11 Peabody Terrace #608, Cambridge, 02138, 864-5119

8/27 Dr. Hui-Ming Chang Yeh (Edward's wife)

8/29 **Karen Dooley** 50 Fairmont Ave., Saugus, 01906, 233-3087 8/29 **Rae Gettner** 24 Hancock St., Winchester, 729-2948

9/1 Diane Walker 128 Longwood Ave. #1, Brookline, 02146, 731-2597

Placed Membership

 8/29
 Amby Bowles
 126 Warren St. #31, Brighton, 02135, 783-2720

 8/29
 Bob Petties
 134 Beach St. #6, Boston, 02111, 423-1243

 8/29
 Ken Pipkin
 452 Park Dr. #10, Boston, 02215, 256-4584

Freedom Singers Auditions

Auditions for the Freedom Singers will be held from 3-5 pm today and next Sunday. All are welcome to try out; a piano accompanist is also needed. Please see Kevin Darby for further information.

Boston-World Mission Seminar

October 7-9 are the dates for the First Annual Boston-World Missions Seminar, to be held at the Tremont Temple building in Boston. Lexington members, remember to take Friday off work to be able to attend this meeting of the body. The excellent speakers and class teachers are too numerous to mention, but brochures will be out soon. Call Ellen at the church office for details.

Bring Your Neighbor Day

Now is the time to invite your friends and neighbors to our next "Bring Your Neighbor Day", coming up in just four weeks. Printed invitations will be out next week, but let's make the most of every opportunity and start working now to invite as many people as possible. A fellowship meal will be served afterwards.

Nursery

The following sisters have been assigned to work in the nursery for the Sundays of September 12 and 19: Sherri Barlow, Blanca Casas, Mimi DeAnda, Sheila Karonis, Pam Kimble, Patty Concannon, Sharon Laskey, Karen Lay, Dierdre Macauley, Diane Lee. The following sisters are needed for Wednesday, September 8: Thais Faller, Becky Feldman, Mickey Floyd, Marcia Gove. If you have any questions or problems, please contact Janet Magnuson. Thanks!

Directory Changes

Please make the following changes to your directory: Martin Bannon, 5 Maple Terrace, Delmar, NY, 12054, (518)439-5352; Rob & Debbie Maher, 61 Park Dr. #20, Boston, 02215, 267-4727; SMike Toppins, 48 Saxton St. #1, Dorchester, 02125, 265-9368, work # 353-9020; Hugh Cahill, 30 Leonard Rd., Boxboro, 01719, 263-8969.

Shower

There will be a come and go baby shower for Kim Thomas, Thursday evening, September 9th at 7:30. The location is 119 Winthrop St., Medford. For gift ideas, please contact Nancy Farrell or Janet Magnuson. There will also be a baby shower for Lynn Dumas on Saturday, October 2, and one for Maureen Butts (locations and date to be announced).

Dates to Remember

September 5 & 12 September 11 September 16-18 September 18 September 23-25 September 25 September 26 October 7-9 October 24 November 5-6 December 12 Freedom Singers Auditions
Singles Cookout
Ganderbrook Women's Retreat
Congregational Playday
Ganderbrook Men's Retreat
Piper Try-outs
Bring Your Neighbor Day
Boston-World Missions Seminar
Elders, Deacons, & Staff Dinner
Retreats
Albert-Gregorie Wedding

Bible Talks & Other Bible Studies

Senior Adult

Monday 7:00 pm 1221 Cambridge St., Cambridge Adult Mixed Doug Blough

Thursday 8:00 pm Thursday 8:00 pm Thursday 8:00 pm Wednesday 1:00 pm Thursday 12:00 noor Monday 12:00 noon 104 Baker Bldg., Deaconness Hospital 1st Natl. Bank, 11th Floor, Boston 108 Columbus #2, Waltham 19 Park St., 3rd Flr., Brockton Franklin Street, Apt. 702, Cambridge 29-33 Wellington #303, South End 245 Summer St., Stone & Webster 176 Presidents Lane #401, Quincy 1800 Comm. Ave. #27, Brighton 1302 Comm. Ave. #22, Allston Eastgate #4G, MIT, Cambridge 13A Beacon Village, Burlington 8 Menotomy Dr. #3, Arlington 158 Ashmont St. #1, Dorchester Arthur D. Little, Cambridge 212 Comm. Ave. #3, Boston 231 Nashoba Road, Concord 158 Jacque St., Somerville 445 Concord Road, Bedford 10 Stone Ave., Somerville 10 Stone Ave., Somerville Lindberg St., Marblehead 19 Terry St., Nashua, NH 38 Salem St., Wakefield 84 Allen Rd., Billerica 89 Bullard St., Sharon Wyman Rd., Lexington 501 Gorwin, Hanson RCA, Burlington R. Hulbert/S. Morehead H. Kreide/S. Gregorie K. Darby/J. DeBiase Stanfield/B. Sullivan Blough/J. Wendell Tonnis Wildeboer Chris Efstathion Jim Granberry Gordon Blasius Steve Johnson Gary Knutson Henry Kriete Dave Traver Kevin Darby Doug Blough Clegg Dyson Kip McKean Kelly Moore Kip McKean Bob Gempe Phil Murray Phil Murray Fred Faller Jay Miselis Tim Tracey Jeff Mount Fred Faller Don Lee Don Lee

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Adult Womer

156 Lafayette, Salem

John Hanson

Thursday 6:30 pm

Thursday 7:30 pm Thursday 7:00 pm Thursday

5:00 pm

Thursday 10:00 am Thursday 10:00 am Thursday 10:00 am Tuesday 12:00 noon John Hancock Bldg., T-10 Conf. Rm 6 Century Street #3, Somerville Riverside Street, #G-6, Watertown 1800 Comm. Ave. #27, Brighton 1398 Comm. Ave. #10, Allston 6 Elmbrook Circle, Bedford 445 Concord Road, Bedford 452 Park Drive #5, Boston 191 Winthrop St., Mediord 7 Cazenove St. #3, Boston 39 Lee St. #2, Cambridge 1 Wyman Rd., Lexington 42 Albemarle, Lexington 5 Maddison Ave., Lynn 94 Alley St., Lynn 8 S. Mueller/J. Allison Murray/F. Stafford Irene McDonnel Betty Morehead Elena McKean Debbie Miselis Jeanne Crosby Denise Vaudo Candy Blough Ellen Hoadley Claire Travis Lisa Johnson Pat Gempe Betty Dyson Becca Hines

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College Men

Tuesday 9:30 pm Tuesday 8:00 pm Monday 8:30 pm 121 St. Stephen's St. #16, Northeastern 171 Hemenway #18, Northeastern 333 Mass. Ave. #1213, Boston

Tonnis Wildeboer Grant Henley Sal Camuglia

College Women

Music Rm., McCormick, MIT

Patty Concannon

Monday 9:00 pm

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139 College Ave., Tufts C. Glenney/L. Hembree Syntcha Darby Claire Travis Lisa Johnson Sue Lee

Teen

Thursday 7:30 pm Tuesday 7:30 pm Tuesday 7:00 pm Tuesday 7:00 pm

5 Robinson Drive, Bedford 557 Morton St., Stoughton 70 Clearview Ave., Lynn 31A Heffernan, Allston

Frank Kim Frank Kim Mo Adame Dan Dean

Other Bible Studies

Adult Bible Talk Leaders Meeting

Kip McKean Kip McKean Kip McKean

Wednesday 7:30 pm Wednesday 7:30 pm Wednesday 7:30 pm Wednesday 9:00 pm Wednesday 9:30 pm Friday 7:30 pm Friday 8:00 pm

> College Bible Talk Leaders Meeting Congregational Devotional Teen Leaders' Meeting K. McKean/S. Johnson

Boston School of World Missions

First Principles Class Acts Class

The Family

F. Faller/R. Gempel Steve Johnson Kip McKean