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Journal and Minutes  
of the  
NINTH  
ANNUAL CONFERENCE



1959

Pilgrim Holiness Church

## CHURCH DIRECTORY

### ABILENE

Rev. R. E. Nible, District Superintendent . . . 1525 Victoria St., Abilene, Texas  
Church Location . . . . . 1525 Victoria St., Abilene, Texas  
Phone . . . . . OR 3-8824

### AMARILLO

Location . . . . . NE 16th & N. Seminole Streets  
Pastor: Rev. Eugene McLane . . . . . 1410 N. Seminole, Amarillo, Texas  
Phone . . . . . DR 2-8289

### BORGER

Location . . . . . 1111 W. Roosevelt  
Pastor: Rev. H. A. Downing . . . . . 1111 W. Roosevelt, Borger, Texas  
Phone . . . . . BR 3-9904

### CORPUS CHRISTI

Location . . . . . Corner of Sunnybrook & Helen Streets  
Pastor: Rev. Lily Penny . . . . . 4633 Helen St., Corpus Christi, Texas  
Phone . . . . . TE 5-0615

### DALHART

Location . . . . . Fourth & Otis Streets  
Pastor: Rev. Charles Mayfield . . . . . 515 Margaret, Dalhart, Texas  
Phone . . . . . CHestnut 9-4759

### DALLAS

Location . . . . . 3326 Fordham Road  
Pastor: Rev. Russell Manship . . . . . 3320 Fordham Rd., Dallas 16, Texas  
Phone . . . . . FR 4-4777

### HILLSBORO

Location . . . . . 202 South Houston Street  
Pastor: Rev. Elmer W. Mollie . . . . . 204 S. Houston, Hillsboro, Texas  
Phone . . . . .

### HOUSTON EAST SIDE

Location . . . . . 1005 Maxey Road  
Pastor: Rev. John Abernathy . . . . . 1013 Maxey Rd., Houston 15, Texas  
Phone . . . . . GL 3-1114

### HOUSTON NORTH SIDE

Location . . . . . 10232 Fulton Street  
Pastor: Mrs. Frances Purselley . . . . . 7558 Werner St., Houston, Texas

### RAYMONDVILLE

Location . . . . . Fourth & Raymond Streets  
Pastor: Rev. S. Allen Thomas . . . . . Box 692, Raymondville, Texas  
Phone . . . . . MU 9-2876

### SAN ANTONIO

Location . . . . . 3231 Linn Road  
Pastor: Rev. Anatole Ferlet . . . . . 3231 Linn Road, San Antonio, Texas

# OFFICIAL DIRECTORY

## GENERAL SUPERINTENDENT

Rev. W. H. Neff, 230 E. Ohio St. . . . . Indianapolis 4, Ind.

## GENERAL SECRETARY OF CHURCH EXTENSION

Rev. R. C. Hawkins, 230 E. Ohio St. . . . . Indianapolis 4, Ind.

## DISTRICT SUPERINTENDENT

Rev. Roy E. Nible, 1525 Victoria . . . . . Abilene, Texas

## DISTRICT SECRETARY

Rev. S. Allen Thomas, P. O. Box 692 . . . . . Raymondville, Texas

## DISTRICT TREASURER

Rev. John Abernathy, 1013 Maxey Road . . . . . Houston 15, Texas

## ADVISORY MEMBERS OF THE COUNCIL

Rev. Charles Mayfield, 515 Margaret St. . . . . Dalhart, Texas

Rev. Anatole Ferlet, 3231 Linn Road . . . . . San Antonio, Texas

## EXAMINING AND EDUCATIONAL BOARD

Rev. R. E. Nible, Ex Officio . . . . . Rev. Allen Thomas, 1 year

Rev. John Abernathy, 2 years . . . . . Rev. Lily Penny, 3 years

## SUNDAY SCHOOL EXECUTIVE SECRETARY

Rev. Charles Mayfield, 515 Margaret St. . . . . Dalhart, Texas

## DISTRICT TRUSTEES

Rev. R. E. Nible, Ex Officio . . . . . Rev. John Abernathy, 1 year

Mr. W. A. Reed, 2 years

## EXECUTIVE YOUTH DIRECTOR

Rev. Russell Manship, 3320 Fordham Rd. . . . . Dallas 16, Texas

## COMMITTEES

Auditing . . . . . Manship, Penny

Editing . . . . . District Council

Resolutions . . . . . Ferlet, Mayfield, Downing

Ways and Means . . . . . Abernathy, Thomas, Manship

Statistician . . . . . Rev. Allen Thomas, Box 692, Raymondville

Zone Chairmen . . . . . Zone 1, Abernathy; Zone 2, Downing

## JOURNAL OF PROCEEDINGS

Rev. R. E. Nible, Superintendent of the Texas District of the Pilgrim Holiness Church, called the ninth annual conference to order on Tuesday morning at 8:30; he asked Sister Penny, pastor at Corpus Christi, to lead the song service. The ministers and delegates present sang with enthusiasm "Since Jesus Came Into My Heart," and "He Keeps Me Singing." Brother H. A. Downing, pastor at Borger, led us to the Throne of Grace in prayer. Brother Nible then presented Dr. R. C. Hawkins, General Secretary of Church Extension, as the chairman of this conference. Brother Hawkins read from the Scripture, Colossians 1:21-28, bringing out some very precious thoughts to be found in this beautiful passage.

The chairman requested the secretary to call the roll, after which Rev. Thomas moved and Rev. Nible supported a motion to seat Mr. W. A. Reed and Mr. Stanley Ritter as delegates from Corpus Christi and San Antonio, respectively. Carried. Dr. Hawkins ruled that since the conference was so small, and since the churches were not advised that pastors' wives could not be seated as delegates from the local churches, this conference could for this time receive and seat said pastors' wives as delegates, and the conference seated the following: Mrs. R. E. Nible from Abilene, Mrs. Charles Mayfield from Dalhart, and Mrs. John Abernathy from Houston East Side.

The conference bar was set to include the first five seats on each side of the church and the platform, and all ministers and delegates were instructed to take a seat within the conference bar. Rev. Nible presented Rev. & Mrs. H. A. Downing, Rev. Lily Penny, and Rev. Eugene McLane to the conference, and moved to seat them as members of the conference pending receipt of their transfers from the districts of which they were formerly members. This action was supported and carried. The time of the sessions of the conference was set as 8:30 to 11:45 A.M., 1:30 to 5:00 P.M., and 7:30 P.M. for the evening service of Ordination.

The report of the District Superintendent was called for, and was appreciatively received with a hearty "Amen."

The report of the Auditing Committee was read and accepted, after which the report of the District Treasurer was read by Brother Abernathy. The motion carried to accept this good financial report.

The Statistician's report was read. There was some discussion about the discrepancies between the reports received this year from the churches and reports printed in last year's minutes. Each pastor was urged by our chairman to audit his church report before mailing it to the Statistician. The report was approved as read.

The Sunday School promotional Secretary read his report. This was received with sobering regret for the losses encountered this year. We

## MINISTERIAL DIRECTORY

### ORDAINED MINISTERS

Abernathy, John . . . . . 1013 Maxey Road, Houston 15, Texas  
Downing, H. A. . . . . 1111 W. Roosevelt, Borger, Texas  
Downing, Mrs. H. A. . . . . 1111 W. Roosevelt, Borger, Texas  
Ferlet, Anatole . . . . . 3231 Linn Road, San Antonio, Texas  
Gwaltney, Orval J. . . . . 112 Setka Drive, Security Village,  
Colorado Springs, Colorado  
Manship, Russell . . . . . 3320 Fordham Rd., Dallas 16, Texas  
Mayfield, Charles . . . . . 515 Margaret St., Dalhart, Texas  
McLane, Eugene . . . . . 1410 N. Seminole, Amarillo, Texas  
Nible, Roy E. . . . . 1525 Victoria St., Abilene, Texas  
Penny, Mrs. Lily . . . . . 4633 Helen St., Corpus Christi, Texas  
Thomas, S. Allen . . . . . P. O. Box 692, Raymondville, Texas

### FOURTH YEAR LICENTIATE

Aeschliman, Francis . . . . . 3867 Clay, Denver 11, Colorado

### SECOND YEAR LICENTIATE

Kiblinger, Robert . . . . . 11121 Catamore, Houston 22, Texas

### ORDAINED DEACONESSES

Coates, Lola Mae, For. Miss. Dept. . . . . 230 E. Ohio St., Indianapolis 4, Ind.  
Johnson, Mrs. Flora . . . . . Box 123, Black Canyon Star Rt., Phoenix, Ariz.

### SONG EVANGELIST COMMISSION

Morris, Elsie E. . . . . Box 692, Raymondville, Tex.

### LAY DELEGATES TO THE 1959 CONFERENCE

Abilene ----- Mrs. Roy E. Nible	Hillsboro ----- Mrs. Zella Phillips
Amarillo ----- No Delegate	Houston East Side --- Mrs. J. Abernathy
Borger ----- Mrs. Jo Norvell	Houston North Side ----- No Delegate
Corpus Christi- W. A. Reed	Raymondville ----- No Delegate
Dalhart ----- Mrs. Charles Mayfield	San Antonio ----- Stanley Ritter
Dallas ----- Mrs. Nina Cash	

Examining Board. The ballots were counted, and Sister Penny was declared elected for the three year term, and Brother Abernathy for the two year term.

The Council nominated W. A. Reed and Anatole Ferlet for District Trustee. W. A. Reed was duly chosen.

The council brought in some recommended changes to the resolutions pertaining to church Government. Their advice concerning Resolutions Nos. 1 and 2, was adopted, as also was their proposed change of Resolution #3 Under Conference.

It was suggested that since our District Superintendent is to be the representative of the Department of Church Extension at the Colorado Springs Camp meeting and Rocky Mountain District Conference, that he carry the greetings of this conference. He was authorized to carry said greetings and best wishes.

It was moved and seconded that we adjourn. The motion carried with a standing vote, and Rev. Allen Thomas was asked to dismiss with prayer.

#### ORDINATION SERVICE

The evening service began with Brother Ed Smith leading the conference and visiting friends in singing. After prayer by Brother Abernathy, the offering was received, and Sister Penny sang a beautiful Gospel Song, "How Far Shall I Go?" The ordination council consisting of Rev. R. E. Nible, Rev. Allen Thomas, Rev. John Abernathy, Rev. Charles Mayfield, were called to the platform, and the district superintendent presented the candidate for ordination, Rev. Russell Manship, to Dr. Hawkins. Revs. Thomas, Abernathy, and Mayfield read assigned Scripture lessons, after which Brother Hawkins gave a stirring charge to the candidate and other ministers present. It was a sacred time of visitation of the Holy Spirit as Brother Manship knelt at the altar and laid his hand upon the Word of God, as Dr. Hawkins and the ordinating Council laid their hands on him to commission him to "preach the Word as found in the Scriptures and according to the manual of the Pilgrim Holiness Church." The presence of the Blessed Holy Spirit was felt in the fellowship that followed as the conference and friends greeted the newly ordained minister. The conference was dismissed with prayer by Brother Banz.

#### REPORT OF THE DISTRICT SUPERINTENDENT

To the members of this 9th Annual Conference, of the Texas District, and to Rev. R. C. Hawkins, General Secretary of the Church Extension, greetings, in the Name of our Saviour, Jesus Christ. I present my report, with praise in my heart for His goodness to us, this past Conference year.

promised by the grace of God to put forth renewed efforts in the coming year to recoup our gains both in the Sunday School and Church Membership reports.

The Educational & Examining Board gave a partial report, pending an interview with another Licentiate. Their report was approved.

The Resolutions committee was called upon to report. Their change in Resolution #1 under Church Government was approved as read. Resolution #2 was tabled until the afternoon sitting, pending action by the District Council on recommendations for next year's conference. All other resolutions were to remain the same for the ensuing year, save for the addition and amendment to the Sunday School Resolution to include contacts with the pastoral calls. This action was approved by common consent.

The Ways & Means Committee reported a recommended change in the district budget for the coming year, and their report was approved and recommendations adopted.

We were dismissed with prayer by Brother W. A. Reed of Corpus Christi.

## SECOND SITTING

The afternoon session was opened with Brother Manship leading the members of the conference in singing "Help Somebody Today." Brother Ferlet led in prayer.

The minutes of the morning sitting were approved as read. The Educational and Examining Board gave the conclusion of their report, which was approved. The Resolutions Committee read their miscellaneous Resolutions, which were adopted. A memorial to Rev. W. H. Penny, who died during the past year at Corpus Christi, was read, and the conference stood in a silent memorial to this man of God, and then Dr. Hawkins led us in prayer.

The conference chairman then reported that the General Board had appointed the following district officers for the following year: District Superintendent, Rev. Roy E. Nible; District Secretary, Rev. S. Allen Thomas; District Treasurer, Rev. John Abernathy. The District Superintendent appointed Brothers Mayfield and Kiblinger as tellers. Ballots were then cast for the two places on the council. The chairman declared Anatole Ferlet and Charles Mayfield elected. The council was excused to bring in some nominations for places vacant on the Examining and Educational Board and the District Trustees. While they were out, Dr. Hawkins lectured on the proposed merger with the Wesleyan Methodist Church, which will vote at its conference the last part of June.

The council in returning nominated John Abernathy, Lily Penny, H. A. Downing, and Russell Manship for election to the Educational and

The church at Hillsboro is the oldest one on the District. They have had a real struggle to keep their doors open; but, thank God, they are still open, though they have been without a resident pastor for a number of months. Rev. Francis Aeschliman was hurt in a cotton gin and had to give up the pastorate during the year.

The Houston I Church continues to go forward under the leadership of their fine pastor, Rev. John Abernathy. They have the largest membership and also the largest Sunday School on the District. This is an aggressive church, and new people are coming and finding God.

The Houston II Church was started after a tent meeting, which was held in May of 1958. They worshiped in a house that was being built for about three months; then a building was rented where we have had services since. The Sunday School has averaged in the twenties during the year. Rev. Robert Kiblinger pastored this church until April. Brother and Sister J. B. Purselley are keeping the work going. They have a nice Sunday School of children, but need some help in the way of teachers.

Our Raymondville church has the second largest Sunday School on the District. Rev. and Mrs. Allen Thomas pastor this All Mexican church, and they are doing a splendid work. Miss Van Metre is helping them, and has been a real blessing in the work there. They have built on to their small church and it was dedicated the evening of June 7th. Rev. R. C. Hawkins was there for the Dedication service. Their Sunday School averaged seventy for the year.

Brother and Sister Ferlet are pastors of our little church at San Antonio. We held a tent meeting there last September. While we were holding the tent meeting, we remodeled a small bird-house, which was about the size of a two-car garage, into a little Chapel. Brother and Sister Ferlet have carried on faithfully. Not many churches start in what was originally a bird house. Even when it looked discouraging, they continued on. We are glad to say that the future is looking brighter, for San Antonio church.

My personal report is as follows: I preached 94 times and conducted two funerals. We have had 24 seekers. Sister Nible and I held 14 Church Extension services. I held one tent meeting in San Antonio and passed out 420 hand bills in Revivals. I also held a 6-day Revival at Campo, Colorado, and an 8-day revival at Borger, Texas. I have done 415 hours of manual labor at different churches.

I traveled 15,724 miles for the District; 3,025 miles for Church Extension. I traveled 2,350 miles to the General Conference and 1,436 miles in Revival work, making a total of 22,535 miles traveled this year.

Respectfully submitted,

R. E. Nible--District Supt.



I am reminded of the words of the Psalmist, David, when he said, "The Angel of the Lord encampeth around about them that fear Him, and delivereth them." Surely we have much to be thankful for. God has not left us to fight our battles alone, but promised to be with us, even unto the end of the world.

This has been a trying year for some of our churches, but God has manifested His presence and help, during the adverse circumstances.

Our church at Amarillo had their pastor resign last November. Bro. & Sister Eugene McLane, came from the Colorado District and took over the work the middle of November. There were no adults left, and it has been a hard struggle for the McLanes.

The Abilene work was started again, the first Sunday in February. A Sunday School and Morning Service has been held every Sunday, since it was started.

Lots of work has been done on the property. The Chapel has been finished inside and a paint job on the outside. Plans are being made to build the chapel 24 feet longer. The forms are already fixed, to run the concrete slab for the structure. The parsonage has been given two coats of paint, which makes it look very nice. In another year's time, this work will make a nice place for some young preacher to live and work, for the Kingdom of God.

The Borger Church has had its trials, but it has had some wonderful victories, too. Our pastor left there in September. They were without a pastor for a few Sundays. We were able to secure Brother & Sister Downing, formerly from Iowa, to take over the work. It was a real challenge, as the church was not able to pay a salary. We could only promise them a nice place to live; but God surely has blessed the Downings, in their labors there. The Sunday School has averaged in the forties, the past few months.

Corpus Christi has had a good year. Their good pastor, Rev. Harold Penny slipped away to be with Jesus during the year, but Sister Penny, who is also a preacher, has carried on nobly the rest of the year and received a call for another year as pastor. They have plans made to do some painting on their parsonage and church, as soon as I can get away from other responsibilities to help them.

The Dalhart Church gave Brother and Sister Mayfield a unanimous call as pastors for the coming year. They recently had a Revival, with Brother B. F. Durham as the Evangelist.

Dallas, where this Conference is being held, is a fast growing city, with the need of many Pilgrim Holiness Churches here. Brother and Sister Manship received a call as pastors for another year.

3. We recommend that the traveling expense of the District Superintendent be paid by the district at the rate of six cents per mile. We further recommend that a free-will offering be taken by each church at the time of his regular visit, the same to be applied to his traveling expense.

4. We recommend that the phone and utility bills of the District Superintendent be paid by the district.

5. We recommend that each church be assessed \$10.00 for conference expenses, to be raised by the pastor.

6. We recommend that prior to the Annual Workers Convention each church receive a free-will offering to defray the expenses of the said convention.

7. We recommend that the district pay the mailing expense of the Sunday School Promotional Secretary and Executive Youth Leader, and any traveling expenses authorized by the District Superintendent.

8. We recommend that each pastor raise an offering in his church each year of the quadrennium, of an amount at least equivalent to 50¢ per member, same to be sent to the District Treasurer for General Conference Expenses.

## REPORT OF THE RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE

### CHURCH GOVERNMENT

1. We recommend that the annual business of the church be closed on May 15th. We also recommend that the District Treasurer's books be closed on May 31, and that each church send all funds to the District Treasurer before May 31.

2. Be it resolved that the Annual Conference be held June 6-8, 1960, the place to be set by the District Council.

3. We recommend that a quarterly bulletin be compiled by the District Superintendent, and sent to each church at the beginning of each quarter. Be it further resolved that the amounts of budget paid by each church in that quarter be published in said bulletin.

4. We recommend that a Worker's Convention be held during the year, the time and place to be agreed upon by the District Superintendent and the General Secretary of Church Extension.

5. We recommend that each church set aside one service each month as a time for pounding the pastor, announced by a deacon or deaconess of the local church as provided for by the manual, page 28, Section 50.

6. We recommend that the location of the churches and parsonages appear in the minutes. We further recommend that where the parsonages are equipped with telephones, the name of the pastor and the Pilgrim Holiness

## IN MEMORIAM

Rev. W. Harold Penny was born at Walnut Ridge, Arkansas, July 22, 1915, to James A. and Rosa Penny, and departed this life on December 1, 1958.

Brother Penny was married in 1936 to Mary Ellen O'Connor of Jonesboro, Arkansas, and to this union were born four children, three of which, along with his wife, preceded him in death.

He was converted at the Pilgrim Holiness Church at Jonesboro, Arkansas at the age of 23 years. Within a year he felt the Lord leading him into the ministry, and as he saw the multitudes as sheep having no shepherd, he seemed compelled to show them the way of righteousness and true Holiness.

Brother Penny pastored Pilgrim Holiness Churches in Nebraska, Missouri and Idaho. After his first wife's tragic death due to a car accident, he entered the evangelistic field, where he had a fruitful ministry. He was ordained in 1951. In 1953 he was married to Lily Van Slaven, and they accepted the call to pastor the church at Blackwell, Oklahoma, where their daughter, Dawn, was born. Later they moved to Hopeton.

Brother and Sister Penny accepted a call to Corpus Christi, Texas, in July 1958. Failing health cut short his ministry there, although he carried the burden for the church up until the very end.

Left to mourn his passing are his wife, Lily, two daughters, Vallie Jo and Dawn, his mother, Mrs. Rosa Penny, three brothers, John R., Maurice, and Haurice, and one sister, Mrs. Atha Goss.

He was a good and earnest preacher, a kind father, a patient sufferer, and a thoughtful husband. Our loss is heaven's gain.

The funeral service was conducted at the Pilgrim Holiness Church at Corpus Christi, Texas. Interment was in the family burial ground at Jonesboro, Arkansas.

## REPORT OF THE WAYS & MEANS COMMITTEE

1. We recommend the following plan for raising the District Budget: that every church be assessed seven per cent of the total receipts including Sunday School and Young People's offerings, but with the exception of monies received for missions, evangelists, or Bible School; we further recommend that the local church treasurer, with the assistance of the pastor, see that the budget be paid by the fifteenth of the month succeeding that in which it was received.

2. We recommend that the District pay \$50.00 per month on the salary of the District Superintendent.

## MISCELLANEOUS

1. Whereas Almighty God has given us another year of splendid progress in our District, and has permitted us to enjoy another gracious conference: therefore, be it resolved that we express our appreciation to God by standing and saying, "Praise the Lord."

2. Whereas our conference has enjoyed the efficient and spiritual leadership of our General Secretary of Church Extension: therefore be it resolved that we show our appreciation to him by standing and saying, "God bless you."

3. We recommend that we show our deep appreciation to Rev. Roy Nible, our beloved and faithful District Superintendent, by standing and giving him a rising vote of thanks for his untiring service for God and the District.

4. Our efficient secretary, Rev. Allen Thomas, has served faithfully this conference year: therefore, be it resolved that we express our sincere appreciation by a rising vote of thanks.

5. Be it resolved that this conference show its deep appreciation to our efficient District Treasurer, Rev. John Abernathy, who has served faithfully this conference year, by saying a hearty, "God bless you."

6. Be it resolved that we show our appreciation to our Sunday School Secretary, Rev. Charles Mayfield, by giving him a rising vote of thanks.

7. We recommend that a rising vote of thanks be given to the cooks and all who assisted them during this conference.

8. Be it resolved that the local church be accorded our appreciation for the entertainment enjoyed by this conference and Brother Manship's untiring efforts to properly house us, and that the District Treasurer be authorized to pay the local church \$15.00 to help defray the cost.

## REPORT OF THE EDUCATIONAL AND EXAMINING BOARD

We recommend that Rev. Russell Manship be ordained to the ministry by this conference. We further recommend that Rev. Francis Aeschliman be granted Fourth Year License, and that Rev. Robert Kiblinger be granted Second Year License.

We further recommend that Miss Elsie E. Morris be granted a Song Evangelist's Commission.

We recommend that Rev. James Mulkey be dropped from our list of licentiates, inasmuch as he has joined another denomination.

## REPORT OF THE AUDITING COMMITTEE

This is to certify that we have audited the District Treasurer's book, and have found it correct.

(Signed) Mrs. Harold Penny

(Signed) Russell E. Manship

Church be listed in the directory, and also that the number appear in the minutes.

7. Be it resolved that the churches of the Texas District be zoned as follows: Zone I, Corpus Christi, Dallas, Hillsboro, Houston I, Houston II, Raymondville, and San Antonio; Zone II, Abilene, Amarillo, Borger, and Dalhart.

### SUNDAY SCHOOL

We recommend that there be a Sunday School Promotional Secretary. We further recommend that each pastor send him a report on Monday following the last Sunday of each month, including average Sunday School attendance, church attendance, total calls and contacts made by the church and pastor, and other interesting news from his church, which the promotional secretary shall include in a monthly bulletin to be issued to each of the churches.

### CONFERENCE

1. We recommend that there be an editing committee composed of the District Council. It shall be the duty of this committee to publish the minutes of the conference.

2. We recommend that the church entertaining the District Conference provide lodging for the pastors, their wives, dependent children, lay delegates, and others if possible. We further recommend that any expense incurred for the same be taken care of by the District Treasurer.

3. We recommend that each pastor see that the yearly reports be in the hands of the statistician by May 25th.

4. We recommend that each pastor report in full to the General Secretary of Church Extension and District Superintendent on blanks provided by the General Secretary.

5. We recommend that each pastor be granted a two weeks vacation with pay.

6. We recommend that no pastor shall call an evangelist outside our church without the approval of the District Superintendent.

7. We recommend that immediately following the conference the District Treasurer shall mail to each pastor an itemized notice of the financial responsibilities of his church to the District for the year, giving the address of the District Treasurer.

PASTOR'S REPORT

NAME	Abernathy	Downing	Ferlet	Kiblinger	Manship	Mayfield	McLane	Nible	Penny	Thomas	Totals
Time on present field (Yrs.-Mos.)	3-8	0-7	1-5	0-11	1-10	1-3	0-6 1/2	0-4	0-8	7-6	1-11 Ave.
Licensed-Ordained	Ord.	Ord.	Ord.	Lic.	Lic.	Ord.	Ord.	Ord.	Ord.	Ord.	
Sermons Preached	103	73	73	92	87	106	48	12	69	68	731
Prayer Services Conducted	10	61	38	43	51	28	13		19	45	306
Total Pastoral Calls	2194	370	297	718	580	386	360	113	250	271	5539
Revivals Conducted	1		3		1	2					7
Seeking Regeneration	35			6	3				7	120	171
Seeking Sanctification	20			2	2				4	15	43
Dealt with in Personal Work				5						105	110
Prayed with for Healing					5					25	30
Communion Services	3	1			3	1			3	1	12
Children Dedicated	14	8								6	28
Marriages	3					1					4
Funerals	5					1		1			7
Pastor's Salary	2670.00	280.00		1100.00	2302.00	1295.00	455.00		1175.00		9277.00
Expense Allowance	30.00			48.00							78.00
Donations, Gifts, Fees	95.00	146.57	180.00	25.00		170.00	40.00		25.00	100.00	781.57
Parsonage Supplied	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	All Yes
Utilities for Parsonage	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	All Yes
Total Support	2795.00	426.57	180.00	1173.00	2302.00	1465.00	495.00		1200.00	100.00	10136.57

## DISTRICT TREASURER'S REPORT

Receipts - June 1, 1958 to May 31, 1959

Balance brought forward . . . . .	\$ 268.23
From Church Extension Dept. . . . .	\$6,410.35
Budgets . . . . .	489.08
Ministerial Tithes . . . . .	774.14
Foreign Missions . . . . .	639.48
Church Ext. (From the Churches). . . . .	190.74
District Supt. Tithes. . . . .	288.75
Cash Offerings . . . . .	70.24
Dist. Supt. Travel Exp. . . . .	19.00
Conference Expense . . . . .	15.00
Ministerial Convention Exp. . . . .	34.21
Gen. Conference Exp. . . . .	5.00
District Minutes . . . . .	3.90
Pension Plan. . . . .	8.77
Col. Springs Bible School . . . . .	119.67
Rally Day (S.S. & Youth) . . . . .	30.46
United Stewardship Fund . . . . .	135.26
<b>Total Receipts. . . . .</b>	<b>\$9,234.05</b>
<b>Grand Total . . . . .</b>	<b>\$9,502.28</b>

### Expenditures

Dist. Supt. Salary . . . . .	\$3,437.50
Dist. Utilities. . . . .	291.65
Dist. Supt. Travel Exp. . . . .	326.00
Pastors' Salaries (From Dept.) . . . . .	2,445.00
Paid out on Abilene Property . . . . .	540.90
Foreign Missions . . . . .	639.12
Church Extension (Send to Dept.) . . . . .	190.74
Ministerial Convention . . . . .	60.10
1958 Conference Exp. . . . .	85.26
Pension Plan . . . . .	8.77
Rally Day (S.S. & Youth) . . . . .	30.46
Printing Minutes . . . . .	58.00
Moving Pastors . . . . .	185.00
Traveling Exp. (Delegates to Gen. Conf.) . . . . .	169.57
United Stewardship Fund . . . . .	135.26
Bible School (Colo. Springs) . . . . .	119.67
Church Rent (Houston 2nd, Ch.) . . . . .	315.00
Miscellaneous. . . . .	253.19
<b>Total Expense . . . . .</b>	<b>\$9,321.55</b>
<b>Balance in Treasury . . . . .</b>	<b>\$ 180.73</b>

CHURCH TREASURER'S REPORT

	Arlene	Ararillo	Borger	Corpus Christi	Dalhart	Dallas	Hillsboro	Houston East Side	Houston North Side	Raymondville	San Antonio	Totals
Cash Brt. Forward		36.26	102.44	20.29	5.08	24.96	9.03	-10.47	45.56	1.01		234.16
Regular Offerings	237.51	442.81	1599.99	2357.16	2090.20	3367.41	905.60	6911.80	1097.50	1296.31	655.08	20961.37
Special Offerings	48.21	88.31	1012.35	977.73		757.34	20.09	746.85	367.93	186.50	159.35	4364.66
Building Fund										488.47		488.47
Total	285.72	567.38	2714.78	3355.18	2095.28	4149.71	934.72	7656.65	1510.99	1972.29	884.42	26127.12
Transferred from S.S.			113.66	138.49	242.00	683.40		719.16			69.99	1966.70
Transferred from Y.P.		2.55	17.90	28.00								48.45
Transferred from Miss. Soc.				39.10				411.93				451.03
Local Expenditures												
Pastor's Salary			280.00	1190.00	795.00	2302.00	396.11	2670.00	80.00			7713.11
Pastor's Exp. Allow.			51.57	19.00				30.00	66.00			166.57
Rents									983.00			983.00
Interest & Insurance			60.49				22.47	517.31				600.27
Improvements	199.70		82.29	84.54			62.50	461.59	99.58	496.88		1487.08
Paid on local indebt.		120.00	1371.58	1315.86	540.00	1500.00		755.19		798.93	613.08	7014.64
Evangelists		38.48	185.31	150.00	125.00	100.00		475.00	62.00	10.00		1145.79
Miscellaneous		10.58	188.99	249.86		89.94	18.21	1752.10	5.58	27.08	244.72	2587.06
Pilgrim Pension Plan		8.77										8.77
S.S. Literature					60.81	51.71	21.14			195.32		328.98
Utilities		316.22	326.80	360.52		459.93	196.77	347.32	194.25	197.01		2398.82
District Budget	7.35	8.48	54.23	70.71		44.16	26.90	228.74		59.56		500.13
District Supt.		3.90		10.97						2.83		17.70
Tithe		57.50	30.00		119.67	220.00	20.09	267.00				714.26
Conf. & Conv.		5.00	1.50	1.60				10.00		18.09		36.19
Bible Schools	21.21	1.00		2.13	11.84	22.27		15.46		7.37	15.52	96.80
Gen. Stewardship Fund	18.00		30.00		32.01	38.25	22.00	16.00		36.00	6.00	198.26
Foreign Missions			8.51	39.10				411.93		50.92	2.00	512.46
Church Extension	27.00		8.36	52.88				83.60		18.11	41.00	230.95
Sunday School			120.00	5.61		3.54				13.32		142.47
Total Expenditures	273.26	569.93	2799.63	3552.78	2325.04	4831.80	765.05	8509.73	1490.41	1931.42	857.80	27906.85
Cash on Hand	12.46		82.53	7.99	7.14	1.31	169.67	267.54	20.58	40.87	26.62	636.71



CHURCH STATISTICAL REPORT

	Abilene	Amarillo	Borger	Corpus Christi	Dalhart	Dallas	Hillsboro	Houston East Side	Houston North Side	Raymondville	San Antonio	Totals
Members on Roll Last Report	9	18	14	19	21	29	6	44	0	24	0	184
Names Dropped from Roll	4	9-	0	0	7			1		8		29
Transferred by letter		6				10						16
Deaths	1			1				1				3
Total Removals	5	15		1	7	10		2		8		48
Additions by letter	2	2				3		2			1	10
Additions by Faith			1	1			1	8				11
Present Membership												
Ordained Ministers	2	1	2	1	2	1		1		1	1	12
Licensed Ministers						1	1					2
LOCAL Ministers						1		2				3
Deaconesses	1							1				2
Probationary								6				6
Members in Full Standing (Non-Ministerial)	4	3	13	17	11	19	11	42		15	2	137
Non-Voting Members		1		1	1	3		14				20
Total Membership This Report	6	5	15	19	14	22	12	52		16	3	164
Gain (or Loss)	(3)	(13)	1		(7)	(7)	6	8		(8)	3	(20)
Preaching Services	18	109	123	103	102	107	55	130	113	103	96	1059
Church Prayer Meetings		32	69	48	48	48	15	48	52	48	38	446
Cottage Prayer Meetings				4		1		3				8
Other Services	1	3		36	20	30		10		42	18	160
Total Services	19	145	192	191	170	186	60	191	165	193	151	1663
Advocate Subscriptions		1	7	6		2		12		2	1	31

### YOUTH SOCIETY REPORT

	Amarillo	Borger	Dallas	Totals
<b>STATISTICAL</b>				
Membership Last Report			18	18
Present Membership: Active	3		13	16
Associate			1	1
Honorary			4	4
Total Membership This Report	3		18	21
Gain	3			3
Loss				
Meetings Held	17		52	69
Avg. Attendance Last Report			30	30
Avg. Attendance This Report	9		30	30
Is Your Society Chartered?	No		No	No
<b>FINANCIAL</b>				
Cash Brought Forward	2.55		25.24	27.79
Offerings Received		66.00	95.84	161.84
Total Receipts	2.55	66.00	121.08	189.63
Local Expenditures		22.46	32.44	54.90
District Expenditures				
Pilgrim Youth Miss. Project		13.94		13.94
Transferred to Church Treas.	2.55	17.90	66.17	86.62
Miscellaneous		3.52		3.52
Total Expenditures	2.55	57.82	99.61	159.98
Cash on Hand		8.18	22.47	30.65

### MISSIONARY TREASURER'S REPORT

	Borger	Corpus Christi	Dalhart	East Side Houston	Totals
Cash Brought Forward		2.60			2.60
Offerings Received	7.76	31.09	55.21	411.93	505.99
Total	7.76	33.69	55.21	411.93	508.59
Expenses Local		12.00	.30		12.30
District			12.45		12.45
Gen. Ch. Ext.					
Foreign Missions		12.69	42.12	411.93	466.74
Total Expenditures		24.69	54.87	411.93	491.49
Cash on Hand	7.76	9.00	.34		17.10
Value of boxes sent locally					
Church Extension		10.00			10.00
Foreign Missions			3.00		3.00
Total value of boxes sent		10.00	3.00		13.00

SUNDAY SCHOOL REPORT

	Abilene	Amarillo	Borger	Corpus Christi	Dalhart	Dallas	Hillsboro	Houston East Side	Houston North Side	Raymondville	San Antonio	Totals
<b>STATISTICAL REPORT</b>												
Teachers & Officers	3	3	7	9	5	10		12	3	9	4	65
Active Enrollment		11	52	46	23	75		215	28	130	15	595
Cradle Roll		1		6	3			42				52
Home Department												
Avg. Wkly. Att. Last Report		35	30	47	20	64	16	128		61		401
Avg. Wkly. Att. This Report	14	17	36	44	22	50	11	111	22	70	9	406
Gain	14		6		2				22	9	9	
Loss		18		3		14	5	17				Net 5 gain
Sessions	18	53	53	52	52	52		52	53	53	51	489
Scholars Converted				3				20		10	1	34
Joined Church				1				6			1	8
Books in Library												
<b>FINANCIAL REPORT</b>												
Cash Brought Forward	24.00	19.02		6.42					22.16			71.60
Regular Offerings	43.59	73.15	128.93	283.08	242.00	683.40		719.16	145.19		69.99	2388.49
Birthday Offerings		2.19	6.22	11.25					2.71			22.37
Special Offerings		7.13	8.36						110.15			125.64
Rally Day Offerings					7.99							7.99
Total Receipts	67.59	101.49	143.51	300.75	249.99	683.40		719.16	280.21		69.99	2616.09
Expenditures												
Literature	32.75	101.41	1.14	121.36				245.44	77.19			579.29
Equipment				13.33				253.05	45.00			311.38
Transferred to Church Treas.				80.00	242.00	683.40					69.99	1075.39
Dist. Budget			8.36									8.36
Gen. Budget									13.00			13.00
Gen. Rally Day Off.				5.61								5.61
Miscellaneous	19.20		105.30	182.07					69.12			375.69
Total Expenditures	51.95	101.41	114.80	262.07				498.49	204.31			1233.03
Cash on Hand	15.64	.08	28.71	38.68					75.90			159.01

SUMMARY OF TOTALS BY DEPARTMENTS

	Abilene	Amarillo	Borger	Corpus Christi	Dalhart	Dallas	Hillsboro	Houston East Side	Houston North Side	Raymondville	San Antonio	Totals
<b>Receipts</b>												
Reg. Church	285.72	569.93	2612.34	3560.77	2090.20	4149.71	934.72	7646.18	1423.06	1972.29	661.58	25906.50
Sunday Sch.	67.59	101.49	143.51	300.75	242.00	683.40		719.16	368.14		69.99	2696.03
Youth Soc.		2.55	66.00			121.08						189.63
Miss. Soc.			7.76	33.69	55.21			411.93				508.59
Grand Total	353.31	673.97	2932.05	3895.21	2387.41	4954.19	934.72	8777.27	1791.20	1972.29	884.42	29556.04
<b>Expenditures</b>												
Reg. Church	273.26	569.93	2799.63	3552.78	2325.04	4837.80	765.05	8011.24	1490.41	1931.42	824.75	27381.31
Sunday Sch.	51.95	101.41	1.14	262.07				498.49	204.31		33.05	1152.42
Youth Soc.		2.55	57.82			99.61						159.98
Miss. Soc.				24.69	54.87							79.56
Grand Total	325.21	673.89	2858.59	3839.54	2379.91	4931.41	765.05	8509.73	1694.72	1931.42	857.80	28767.27
<b>Cash on Hand- All Depts.</b>												
	28.10	.08	88.20	55.67	7.48	22.78	169.67	267.54	96.48	40.87	26.62	803.49

PROPERTY STATEMENT

Church Value	1500.00	15000.00	15000.00	30000.00	6000.00	10000.00	4000.00	22000.00		8000.00	500.00	112000.00
Debt		2810.50	418.36	10200.00	1660.69	3680.18		6670.00		3900.00		29339.73
Equity	1500.00	12189.50	14581.64	19800.00	4339.31	6319.82	4000.00	15330.00		4100.00	500.00	82660.27
Parsonage Value	6100.00		7556.00	5500.00	3500.00	12000.00	1500.00	10000.00		5500.00	12000.00	63656.00
Debt	3000.00				927.69	5281.41		5100.00			6500.00	20809.10
Equity	3100.00		7556.00	5500.00	2572.31	6718.59	1500.00	4900.00		5500.00	5500.00	42846.90
Total Value	7600.00	15000.00	22556.00	35500.00	9500.00	22000.00	5500.00	32000.00		13500.00	12500.00	175656.00
Debt	3000.00	2810.50	418.36	10200.00	2588.38	8961.59		11770.00		3900.00	6500.00	50148.83
Equity	4600.00	12189.50	22137.64	25300.00	6911.62	13038.41	5500.00	202.30		9600.00	6000.00	125507.17

EVANGELISTS, SINGERS, & UNSTATIONED MINISTERS REPORT

Type of Credentials	O. J. Gwaltney	E. E. Morris
	Ordained	Song Evangelist
Sermons Preached		3
Songs Sung	1	74
Prayer Meetings Conducted		
Calls Made	75	5
Revivals in Pil. Hol. Church		2
Revivals Elsewhere		
Total Meetings		2
Seeking Regeneration		
Seeking Sanctification		
Total Seekers		40
Prayed with for healing		
Children Dedicated		
Weddings		
Funerals		
Support		22.50
Miles Traveled		2500
Advocate Subscriptions	1	

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