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CBMC of Terrell Historical Notes

(Part 1)

Shortly after moving to Terrell from Ohio in September of 1968, Len Mohnkern, who had been an active member of the CBMC of Warren, Ohio, was contacted by Evon Hedley, who was then executive director of CBMC International, and was asked to try to organize a CBMC in Terrell.

In October, 1969, Mohnkern and Bill Pirtle, who was his employer at the time, started visiting Christian businessmen in Terrell and telling them about the ministry of CBMC. Those who were interested were invited to a prayer meeting set for 7 a.m. Saturday, Nov. 15, at Terrell Pharmacy.

Attending the prayer meeting were Mohnkern, Pirtle, Sandy Cowart, Jack Jones, Tommy McClain, Dr. Bruce Wilson, and Dr. J. Bennett Hooker. The group voted unanimously to establish a CBMC in Terrell, and agreed to hold prayer meetings at 7 a.m. every Saturday at Terrell Pharmacy. Prayer meetings have been held weekly ever since.

An organizational meeting was scheduled for Monday, Nov. 24, 1969, at Pirtle's home, 222 Elm Drive in Terrell. Attending that meeting were Pirtle, Mohnkern, Cowart, Jones and Wilson. Officers for the rest of 1969 and all of 1970 were elected. Named were Mohnkern, chairman; Pirtle, vice chairman; Cowart, secretary; Jones, treasurer; and Wilson, associate vice chairman.

An explanatory luncheon was held Friday, Dec. 12, 1969, at Chris' Cafe. In attendance were Mohnkern, Pirtle, Cowart, Jones, Wilson, Bernard Self, Dr. Royce Mull, Frank Crain, D. R. Pulley, Art Fineout, Chas. L. Mohnkern, A. W. Thomas, Joda Wilson, Lloyd Dixon, Bill McClung, Charles Mull, Casey Perry, Harold Prinz, Walter Waldie III and Dick Bernet.

Mohnkern talked about the purposes of CBMC. Waldie, who was then secretary of CBMC of Dallas, told what CBMC had meant in his life. Prinz, also from the CBMC of Dallas, challenged the new Terrell committee, stating that if the members would have confidence in each other, the organization would be successful.

The CBMC of Terrell's application for a charter was sent to CBMC International at Glen Ellyn, Ill., on Dec. 15. Charter members were Cowart, Jones, A. M. Mafrige, McClain, Mohnkern, Dr. Mull, Pirtle, Thomas and Dr. Wilson. The charter was issued in early January, 1970, and was presented to the group during a ladies' night banquet held March 6, 1970, at Chris' Cafe.

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37th Anniversary issue

CBMC holds prayer meets

CBMC of Terrell holds a prayer meeting at 7 a.m. every Saturday in the studios of Radio Station KPYK in the Town West Shopping Plaza in Terrell. The studios are in the northwest corner of the shopping center, adjacent to the Mekong Chinese Restaurant.

Prayer Chairman Henry Green says all interested men are invited to attend the prayer sessions, which last one hour, dismissing at 8 a.m. Coffee and doughnuts are provided at all of the prayer meetings, according to Green.

The meetings consist of fellowship, prayer, Bible reading and singing.

Following are attendance figures for meetings that have been held since our last report:

October 7	4
October 14	4
October 21	3
October 28	4

Something to think about . . .

Contentment is not the fulfilment of what you want, but the realization of what you already have.

One of the greatest laborsaving inventions of today is tomorrow.

Anniversary meet is set for Nov. 10

The 37th Anniversary luncheon meeting of the Christian Business Men's Committee of Terrell will be held at 12 noon on Friday, November 10, in the meeting room at Cici's Pizza, 1896 West Moore Ave. in Terrell.

The speaker for the meeting had not been confirmed in time to include his name in this issue of *Terrell CBMC News*, but will be announced later on Radio Station KPYK (1570 kHz.).

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Plan Ahead . . .

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 10, CICI'S PIZZA -- CBMC of Terrell 37th Anniversary luncheon meeting; speaker to be announced.

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 11, KPYK STUDIOS -- CBMC of Terrell prayer meeting.

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 18, KPYK STUDIOS -- CBMC of Terrell prayer and business meeting.

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 25, KPYK STUDIOS -- CBMC of Terrell prayer meeting.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 2, KPYK STUDIOS -- CBMC of Terrell prayer meeting.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 4 -- CBMC of Terrell First Monday Day of Prayer and Fasting.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 5 -- Next issue of *Terrell CBMC News*.

PRAISE and PRAY

Praise the Lord for:

Answered prayer.
His goodness to us.

Prayer is requested for:

Ivan Johnson.
Essie Smith.
Alma Ruth Love.
Kenneth Potter.
Winford Belcher.
Roger Price.
Flora Moorehead.
Carolyn Williams.
Faye Dabney.
S. T. Randal.
Jessie Mumphrey.
Gilbert Willie.
Bill Taylor.
Gloria Williams.
Joanne Culver.
Josh Fuller.
Dennis Johnson.
Linda Hensley.
Steven Daniels.
Keithian Daniels.
Kevin Daniels.
Faye Daniels.
Warren Daniels
Reginald Daniels.
Jo Daniels
.Jack Gardner.
James Spencer.
David Tettleton.
Kevin Battle..
Corletha Allen.
Margie Nell Turner.
James Turner.
Chad Cole.
Steve Wriggle.
Rodney Kennedy.
Michael Pinson.
Robert Gardner.
Chris Gardner.
Cedric Gardner.
Virginia O'Dell..

David Crone.
Eric Crone.
Charlie Nutter.
Betty Nutter.
Dan Nutter.
Liz Mohnkern.
Chuck Mohnkern.
Len Mohnkern.
Geneice Cowart.
Erma Brannon.
Joe Elliott.
A. B. George.
Bernice Moore.
Kim Ly's father.
Ella Martin's son-in-law.
Floyd Shumpert.
Willie Stewart..
Willie Strange.
Mrs. Bertie Harvey
Paul Parker..
Cora Hubbard.
William Berry.
Mrs. William Berry.
Willie B. Spencer.
Veronica Smith.
Larry Gardner.

The November 10 luncheon meeting, and the speaker as he prepares to present his testimony.
The situation in the world today.
Our servicemen.
More Christian businessmen to become interested in our ministry and in joining CBMC of Terrell.
Radio Station KPYK.

Anyone who has a prayer or praise request for this column should contact Henry Green, prayer chairman, 706 N. Park St., Terrell, TX 75160, Telephone 972-563-7170.

Something to think about . . .

How come "fat chance" and "slim chance" mean the same thing?

If women ruled the world, TV sports news would never run longer than one minute.

CBMC lunch is held Oct. 13

Warren Daniels, vice chairman of the CBMC of Terrell, was the speaker at the organization's October 13 luncheon meeting, which was held at the Cici's Pizza meeting room.

Daniels was introduced by Chairman Len Mohnkern, who presided at the meeting.

Cornetist Chuck Schorlemmer, associate member of Terrell CBMC, played "Hill Called Mount Calvary" during the luncheon. Trumpeter Bob Snyder, who attends the luncheon meetings regularly, played "America the Beautiful" and "When the Roll is Called Up Yonder."

Attendance was nine -- four members and five visitors.

Business session set

A business meeting is planned by the CBMC of Terrell at 7 a.m. Saturday, November 18, in the studios of KPYK, Town West Shopping Plaza in Terrell.

Luncheon planned Nov. 10

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Everyone is invited to attend the luncheon, being held in observance of the CBMC of Terrell's 37th anniversary, according to Chairman Len Mohnkern.

Put on the whole armour of God, that ye may be able to stand against the wiles of the devil.

--Ephesians 6:11

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TO PRESENT Jesus Christ as Savior and Lord to business and professional men.
TO DEVELOP Christian business and professional men to carry out the Great Commission.

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