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A crowd favorite during the Homecoming Celebration was the float entered by Dr. Mike Hinze, DDS. Celebrating his 20th year in practice in Hale Center, Dr. Hinze is exhibiting a drill technique on Gary Bizzell.

City's Efforts Fall Short For Water Improvement Grant

Despite a plea by the City Council to the South Plains Association of Government (SPAG) for a grant to improve the city water system, Hale Center was way down the list for a grant.

The City Council was among the 36 area towns asking for a grant. City fathers were asking for a grant in the amount of \$250,000 for a new well and stand pipe storage facility.

Of the 36 cities applying, Hale Center ranked 27, well out of the race for a grant. All the cities applying to SPAG for a grant were asking for improvements for water

and sewer improvements.

Coming out on top were the cities of New Deal, Hockley County, Slaton, Spur and Anton. New Deal posted a score of 331.714 compared to Hale Center's total of 287.571. As many as 15 cities could receive help in the way of grants for improvements.

City fathers made a sound presentation to the SPAG board, stating that well production was down and that the downtown water tower needed to be replaced. The downtown above ground tower was built in 1927.

Falling on deaf ears of the SPAG board, a question that appeared to be a determining factor in grading was the low water/sewer rates compared to other cities. Locally rates, \$14 for residential minimums, are among the lowest if not the lowest of the area towns applying for the grants.

In reply to the question, Mayor Russell commented that 68 percent of the city population was on fixed or low income, and that the low rates were made available to keep the water and sewer charges from being a burden on

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Beautification Association Wins State Award For Efforts

The Hale Center Beautification Association recently received a state award for their efforts. Receiving the award during the annual convention of the Keep Texas Beautiful were Dr. Ray Freeman and wife Marjorie. The award is among the highest environmental awards program in the state.

"There were over 125 applicants for these awards, and because all of the entrants had such strong commitment to improving their community and environment, the judges had a difficult task in selecting winners," said Keep Texas Beautiful President Shara Hotchkiss. The blue-ribbon panel of judges was comprised of community, business and government leaders from throughout Texas.

The local Association was awarded top prize in the Beautification and Property Improvement category. The applicants in this category competed with cities and towns across Texas, regardless of population or size.

During the convention, held in Austin, Dr. Ray Freeman,

president of the Hale Center Association was asked to make a presentation on "Painting Murals". He was one of ten people asked to make a special presentation.

In it's brief life span of 14 months, the Hale Center Beautification Association has set upon it's self to reclaim, refurbish and beautify the community. In a little over a year the Association has built the Library Plaza; planted 50 Bradford pear trees along the north access road complete with drip system; planted 13 clumps of pampas grass near Bell Cactus Park; Repaired and repainted five walls on businesses in preparation for painting murals; painted three murals and began work on a fourth; purchased and planted 10 barrels along Main street; installed a sprinkler system at Caudle Lake; and is currently involved in a project with the Dept. of Transportation for landscaping the south entrance to the city.

With the completion of the third mural "Down Town", a fourth mural is being planned on the American Legion Building. In all the Association is planning 10 murals. Each mural will be approved by

the mural committee and will depict some aspect of Hale Center's early history.

The Association presently has

93 members. Heading the organization is Dr. Ray Freeman, Claude Burnett Jr. vice president and Sherry Harrell secretary/

treasurer. Board members include officers and Dick Lemond, Mary Lou Nivens, Margorie Freeman and Mary Jane Brashear.



Hale Center Beautification Association board members with awards-Dick Lemond, Junior Burnett, Mary Lou Nivens, Dr. Ray Freeman, Sherry Harrell, Marjorie Freeman and Mary Jane Brashear.

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GRANT..... residents.

The following chart shows cities applying for the grant and their ranking.

Table with 5 columns: City, Activity, RRC Score, State, Match. Lists 36 cities and their grant applications.

School Board Meets

SPECIAL CALLED MEETING:

The Board of Trustees for the Hale Center Independent School District met in a special called meeting at 7:30 a.m. on Friday, June 25, 1999...

- 1. President Tommy Horsford called the meeting to order at 7:38 a.m.
2. Invocation was given by C.H. Keeton.
3. Butch Harrell moved to approve employment for the following...

Local Lions Elect Officers

Gene Latham, past 1st vice president of the Hale Center Lions Club, was recently elected to direct the local Lions membership.

Selected as the Lions Club Sweetheart was high school senior Lauren Sims. An outstanding student, Miss Sims has held offices in FFA, FHA and Student Council.

school faculty to attend Girls State. Her other outside the school activities also include helping with Meals-On-Wheels.

Assisting Latham in his duties is Hale Center graduate Ronnie Sherrod. Sherrod was selected as the Lions 1st vice president and secretary.

Other officers include Wayne Morren, Tall Twister; Speck Cox, Membership Chairman; Raul Flores, Lion Tamer; and Jackie King, Song Leader.

Serving on the Board of Directors will be T.C. Clark, Lon Jones, Ross McDowell, Kim Norris, Harvey Pennell and Bob Brown.

Heading special projects for the organization are Claude Burnett flag chairman and Cripple Childrens Camp. Director for sales and promotion is Claude Burnett.

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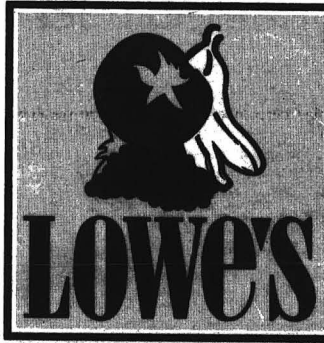


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Monday, July 12 Brisket, Scalloped Potatoes, Fried Okra, Pickles, Apricot Cobbler, Wheat Roll

Tuesday, July 13 Fish, Lima Beans, Carrots, Coleslaw, Oranges & Bananas, Corn Bread

Wednesday, July 14 Baked Chicken w/Mushroom Sauce, Mashed Potatoes, Broccoli, Lemon Cake, Wheat Roll

Thursday, July 15 Lasagna, Italian Vegetables, Tossed Salad, Banana Pudding, Garlic Bread

Friday, July 16 Fried Chicken, Corn, Spinach, Tossed Salad, Frosted Cake, Hot Roll

The Hale Center Senior Citizens are still enjoying delicious meals and good visiting at noon each day. We also had a real nice 4th of July weekend. Did you enjoy the parade? It was real nice from Golden Oldies (Class of '36) to lovely restored "old" cars, to twirlers and Miss Hale Center.

The Senior Citizen booth did real good. We appreciate everybody-the ones that brought homemade ice cream and the bake sale. We sold completely out.

Also thanks to those who bought from us. We appreciate all who helped "set up" the trailer and shade and the salesman who worked during the day.

Robert Rawls from Lubbock called the other day and said he enjoyed the report in the paper every week. We're glad.

Bernice Dutton, now from Lubbock, is in the hospital there. Our best wishes to her. Ludy Owens is in the hospital here. Our best wishes to her, too.

Visitors have been Carmen Minguica, Raul and Vickie's son and family-Richard, Tracy, Nathaniel, and Jacob, Jake Bourland and Dell Morrison again and Harry, Trula Jean and David Palmer.

Our Seniors this week are Jake and Margaret Bourland. He was born at Matador, went to school in Gilpin and graduated in Oklahoma.

He moved to Cotton Center in 1929 and married Margaret Madera in 1939. They have three girls and a boy, 17 grand and great-grandchildren. He worked

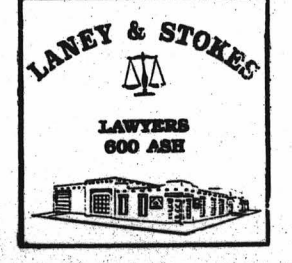
for Burgess Oil for 18 years; for the City 7 years and the County 18 years.

Margaret was born in Hubbard City, Texas and graduated from Cotton Center. After they moved to Hale Center she worked for Burgess Oil Company for 22 years and was Hale Center city Secretary for 18 years.

Both of them are charter members of the Senior Citizen Organization. We enjoy them when they can come.

Monday noon is our business meeting. Monday night is Pot Luck for July birthdays and anniversaries.

The following memorials have been given to the Center: In memory of Velma Dorman from Norma Pierce. In memory of Carolyn Rogers from Marie Lewis.



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Owls Are Tabbed To Make Playoffs

Hale Center Owls are tabbed to make it back into the playoff picture again next season, according to the Texas high school football authority, *Dave Campbell's Texas Football*. The publication has the Owls pegged at the number three hole in District 4-AA.

Last year's publication was right on target in the forecast for the 4-AA district as it predicted Sundown, Farwell and Hale Center all to

make it into post season play. All three teams are forecasted to make the playoff again.

Competing in the second year of the two year alignment, coach Paul Chandler's Owls will face the same squads in league play. The district 4-AA loop includes squads from Olton, Sundown, Farwell, Bovina and Morton.

Last year was the first year that the UIL expanded the playoff teams in class AA to the top three teams. The state will also have two state champions, Division I and Division II. Hale Center, the largest school enrollment in district 4-AA with an enrollment of 222, will compete in the Division I if they make it into post season play.

District 4-AA has two of the smallest schools in the state competing in Class AA. Bovina has the second lowest enrollment with 163 and Farwell is the ninth smallest school in the state with an average daily enrollment of 171.

Three of the Owls regular season opposition are slated to make another playoff appearance for the upcoming season. The New Deal Lions are a second place pick in 7-AA, the Petersburg Buffalos are the favorites in 4-A, and Post is projected to climb in Division I post season play representing 3-AA.

The remaining two regular season opponents are AAA Lubbock Roosevelt and A Spur. Roosevelt is picked for the cellar in its district and Spur is predicted for the middle of the district.

Competing for district honors in ranking of projected finishes are Farwell, Sundown, Hale Center, Bovina, Morton and Olton. With the school term beginning August 9, the Owls should know their opening opponent well: The Owls will host Roosevelt in the season opener Sept. 3.

Looking Back 50 Years

Fifty years ago this week the news was:

Work was being completed on new street lights for the city.

Twenty-two teachers had signed contracts with Hale Center ISD. Administration was still looking for three teachers to fill the staff.

Dick Sturdivant and Harmon White were offering crop dusting services to area farmers.

Hale Center Lions Club members Wayne Brown, Al LeMond and Orville Jones attended the International Lions Club Convention held in New York City.

George E. Darling was named as minister of the Church of Christ. Twenty-four members of the Hale Center Merchants Association met in the Owl Cafe. President of the group was Gwynne Owen.

Showing at the PIX was Wallace Berry's last film, "Big Jack".

Harvest of the 320 acres of potatoes had started.

Store Specials: Struves-dresses, \$4.49-\$9.98; Walters-summershoes, \$5.95; Moons' Dry Goods-38-piece Royal Ruby Dinner Set, \$4.98; Field's Radio-600 lb. capacity upright freezer, \$505; Baker's Flash O Gas-propane, 7¢ gallon

The Sunshine School District, the only dormant school district in Hale County was consolidated with Cotton Center, Hale Center and Olton. The Hale Center School district gained 7 1/2 sections to the tax rolls.



A popular event during the Celebration was the antique and muscle car show. Put together by Phillip Law, the car and motorcycle show had a steady flow of spectators throughout the day.

Public Information For Memorials or Donations

Contact or Mail To:

Hale Center Beautification Assn.
RR2 Box 236 Phone: 839-2265

Hale Center Cemetery Assn.
Box 549 Phone: 839-2414

Hale Center EMS
Box 1027 Phone: 839-2081

Hale Co. Farm & Ranch Museum
Box 834 Phone: 839-2556

Hale Center Fire Dept.
Box 549 Phone: 839-2414

Hale Center Public Library
Box 214 Phone: 839-2055

Hale Center Senior Citizens Assn.
Box 205 Phone: 839-2428

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St. Theresa's Church Slates Jamaica Bike Owners Win Awards

St. Theresa's Catholic Church will be hosting its annual Jamaica Sunday, August 8. The annual fund raiser will be held on the church grounds.

A talent show is being planned for the event. Person interested in

entering the talent show need to contact Madeline Aguirre after 5:00 p.m. at 839-2303.

Candidates seeking the title of Miss St. Theresa's Queen are Natalie Martinez and Ariel Garcia.

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Natalie is the eight year old daughter of Terry Gomez Martinez and the granddaughter of Florencio and Raquel Gomez of Hale Center. She is a third grader at Akin Elementary.



A third grader at Akin Elementary, Ariel is the daughter of Gaudalupe Garcia of Hale Center and Phillip Wayne Henderson of Plainview. She is the granddaughter of Isabel and Martin Garcia of Hale Center and Jean Williams of Plainview. Ariel is eight years old.

Christi Ward Member Of Honor Squad

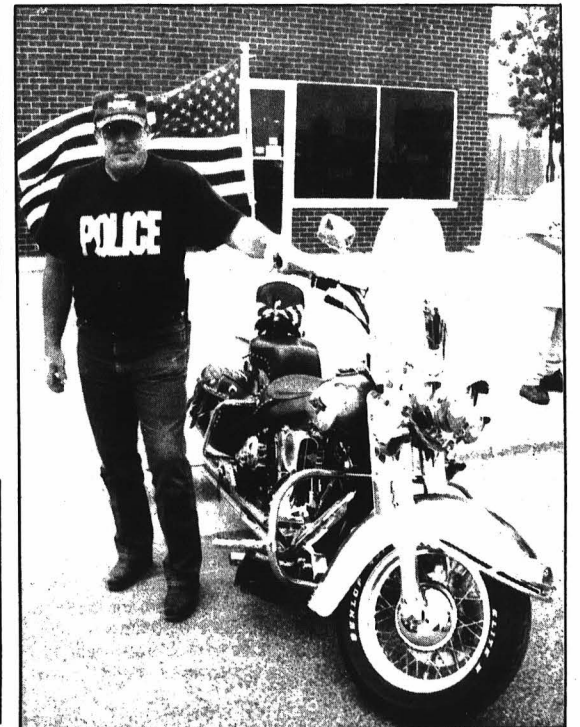
Christi Ward, a high school freshman, was a member of the Extreme Cheer cheerleading squad that won honors at the National Cheerleaders Association summer camp held at North Texas State University in Denton.

The team won the National Championship Bid Award that is given to teams exemplifying the best technical skill and cheerleading technique. The bid is extended to teams to compete at the NCA National High School Championship in Dallas.

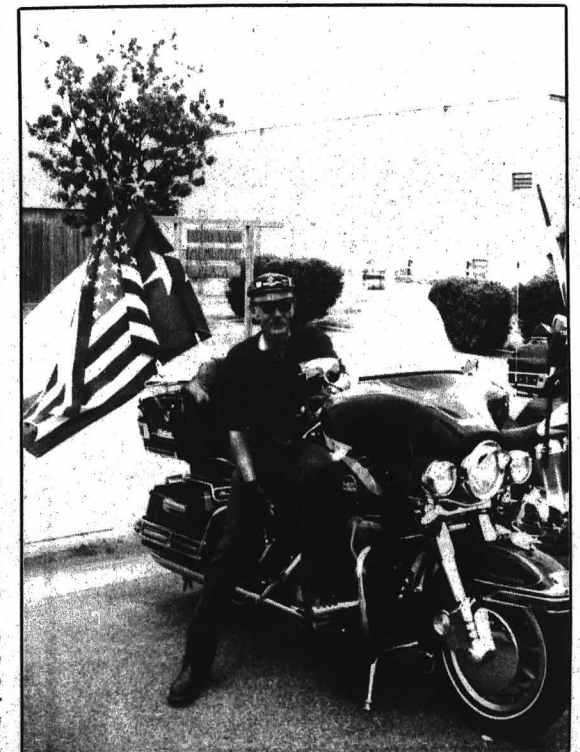
Miss Wards team was also awarded a Superior Award. The honor is given to teams which stand out during the entire camp as being superior in all areas.

To highlight the camp, Christie was named All-American Nominee Status. The honor is given to cheerleaders displaying superior qualities in certain aspects of cheerleading including leadership, showmanship and technique.

She is the daughter of Jerry and Susan Ward.



Police Chief J.T. Harrison pictured with his award winning Harley Davidson Motorcycle. The bike recently won its class during a MDA benefit in Lubbock and during the local Homecoming Celebration was voted as "People's Choice".



Roy Uptergrove, another Harley Davidson owner won the "People Choice" award during a contest held in Plainview recently.

ABC SCRAMBLE

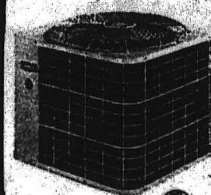


Monday evening we had five teams out to play in the Scramble. After playing nine holes we had three teams tied for first place. The teams were: Don Barrick, Troy Johnson and Elwanda Borchardt; Dennis Mooney, Roy Stone and Zane Ellis; and Tommie Rogers and Bill Kirby. Taking one hole in a playoff to decide first place, the team of Mooney, Stone and Ellis won the prize. The other teams played one more hole to determine second place. The second place winner was Barrick, Johnson and Borchardt. Be sure to make plans next week to play in the Monday Scramble. Betty Black

Local Boys Selected To All Star Team

Two Hale Center Middle School students were recently selected to play on two Olton all star baseball teams. Selected to play on all star squads were Bryston Jimenez and Marc Puente. Bryston Jimenez were chosen for the 10-year old all stars. Playing for the Olton Coop Gin Mets, he was selected for his play in the outfield. He is the son of Eddie Jimenez and Chere Bradley and the grandson of Emilo and Clara Jimenez. He will be a fifth grader in Hale Center Middle School. Puente, a seventh grader in Middle School, was elected to the 11-12 year old all stars. He was selected for his performance at pitcher and short stop while playing for the Olton Coop Gin Mets. He also exhibited power at the plate, credited with seven round trippers for the year. He is the son of Jerry and Amy Puente and the grandson of Emilo and Clara Jimenez. Rounding out the all star selections was Eddie Jimenez as an all star coach for the 10-year olds. He helped coach the Olton Coop Gin Mets to a 9-1 season and league championship.

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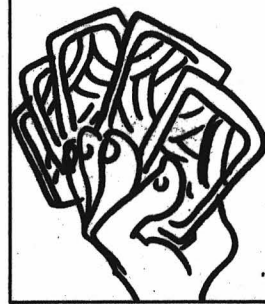


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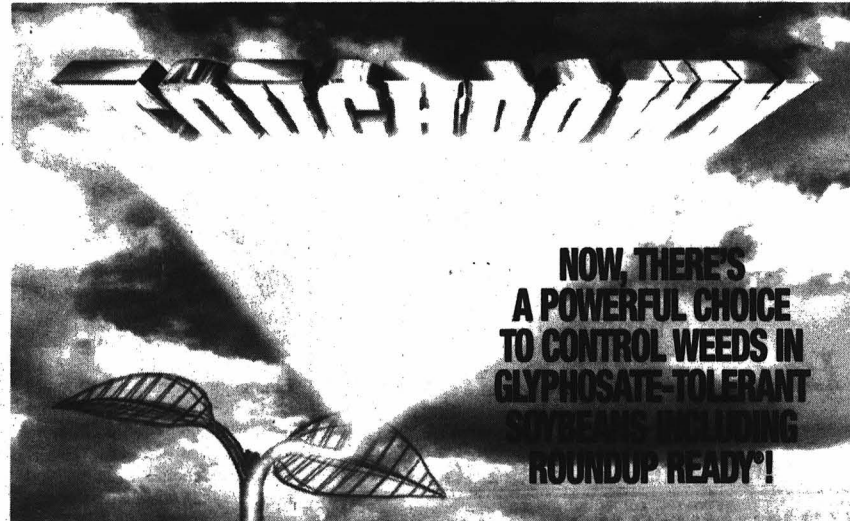
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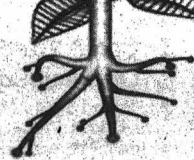
The phrase "according to Hoyle," meaning "by the rules," refers to Edmund Hoyle an 18th century authority on card games.

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The City of Hale Center has been notified by the Texas Department of Health that the water supplied by its system exceeds the maximum constituent level for Fluoride established by the Department's "Drinking Water Standards" which were promulgated as required by the "Safe Drinking Water Act" Public Law 93-523 (US). The limit for this area has been set at 1.6 milligrams of Fluoride per liter of water. The samples of water from the hale Center system contain 2.8 milligrams of Fluoride per liter. There is no immediate health hazard for drinking water containing Fluoride at this level. The Fluoride may cause mottling (brown staining) of the teeth of children under 14 years of age. The City is investigating available treatment techniques to lower the Fluoride to allowable levels.



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Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary for the Estate of JAMES ANDERSON, Deceased, were issued on the 29th day of June, 1999, in Cause No. 12669, pending in the County Court of Hale County, Texas, to: BERTELLE ANDERSON. All persons having claims against this Estate which is currently being administered are required to present them within the time and in the manner prescribed by law to such Independent Executrix in care of the attorney of said Independent Executrix:

H. M. LaFont
LaFont, TUNNELL, FORMBY, LaFont & HAMILTON, L.L.P.
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Plainview, Texas 79073-1510

DATED the 29th day of June, 1999.

Bertelle Anderson
BERTELLE ANDERSON, Independent Executrix of the Estate of James Anderson, Deceased

Cotton Center Churches

First Baptist Church
Randy Land, Pastor
879-2301
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:55 a.m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Auxiliaries 3:30 p.m.

Hale Center Churches
First Baptist Church
Gene Meacham, Pastor
305 W. 6th 839-2405
Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:55 a.m.
Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday Services 7:00 p.m.

First United Methodist Church
Ken Rowland, Pastor
202 W. Stevenson 839-2480
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.

Church of Christ
Matt Swanson, Preacher
202 W. 4th 839-2404
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.
Evening Worship 5:00 p.m.
Wednesday Services 7:30 p.m.

Lone Star Baptist Church
Ira Charles Boones, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Monday Missions 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Services 6:00 p.m.

Friendship Holiness Baptist #2
W.L. Griffin, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 12:00 Noon
Evening Service 3:00 p.m.
Wednesday Services 8:00 p.m.
Friday Missions 7:00 p.m.

Church of the Valley
Eliseo Saldana, Pastor
1201 N. Main 839-2300
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:30 a.m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Services 7:30 p.m.

SEEDS FROM THE SOWER

Michael A. Guido

Navy scientists are working on ways of changing the direction of storms to send them to the enemy. But God has been using storms since the beginning.

One day He said to Jonah, "Go to Nineveh." "No," he answered, "I'm going to Tarshish." Did he get there? No. No one can run away from God.

God sent a storm to stop him and a fish to swallow him. Then he went to Nineveh.

No one is safe in his sinning. God's arsenal of wind and weather will be used to deal with the disobedient.

When the Lord calls you, obey Him. It's dangerous to be disobedient.

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Evening Worship 6:30 p.m.
Wednesday Services 7:30 p.m.

St. Theresa Catholic Church
Rev. Rey Sorgon, Pastor
1308 Ave. C 839-2310
Mass 11:00 a.m.
Wednesday Services 7:00 p.m.
Christian Education 6:00 p.m.

Church of God of the First Born
Sergio Bernal, Pastor
322 E. Stevenson 839-2276
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship 6:30 p.m.
Wednesday Services 7:30 p.m.

Jerusalem Baptist Church
Mel Gomez, Pastor
East Cleveland 839-1434
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship 5:00 p.m.
Wednesday Services 7:00 p.m.

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