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Armed Forces Day

Observed May 18

Charity
Horseshow
Saturday

Christian Folk Musical At Shelby Junior High

"Good News", the Christian Folk Musical will be presented by the young people of First Baptist Church, Shelby, Friday and Saturday at 7:30 in the Shelby Junior High School Auditorium.

There is no admission charge.

With 90 teenagers participating, this musical speaks to teenagers on their level. All teenagers and adults are encouraged to attend.

"Good News" is patterned after the patriotic "Sing-outs" of a year or more ago. The difference is, the text is Christian.

The musical will be accompanied by a piano, guitars and drums. Van H. Ramsey, minister of music, of the church is directing.

In summary Ramsey says about "Good News":

"I believe the reason it "speaks" to teenagers as dramatically as it does is because, the music and the text sounds as

if they were written by a teenager, to be sung by teenagers, for teenagers. In other words, it speaks their language. I have

yet to hear a recording or direct a rehearsal of this musical but what God's convicting love pierced my heart to cause me to walk each day closer to Him. I have never seen young people so excited and moved as this musical has caused ours to be. It would be good if the entire family could come and hear one or both of these presentations."