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Church and Sunday School

St. James Episcopal Church
Second Sunday in Advent. Holy Communion, 8 a. m. Morning prayer and confirmation by the Bishop, 11 a. m. Church School, Junior Department, 9:30 a. m. Primary and kindergarten, 11 a. m.

Spethfield United Presbyterian Church
Rev. W. T. Armstrong, Minister
Preaching services, 11 a. m., Sabbath School, 12 o'clock. Mr. Chas. Parks, Supt. Young People's Meeting, 8 p. m. The Women's Missionary Society will meet on Thursday, Dec. 2nd, at the home of Mrs. John Brooks. Dinner will be served at 6 o'clock.

Redeemer Lutheran Church
Lincoln at Woodward
Rev. P. Boesler of Detroit will preach at the morning service on next Sunday, in the absence of the resident pastor, who is officiating at an anniversary service. In the evening, Pastor Schuessler will deliver his second sermon in the series of the "Threefold Office of Christ." His topic for Sunday evening is, "Christ our High Priest" or "The Christian's Office of Christ." A Christmas Sale will be given by the Redeemer Ladies' Aid Society on Thursday, Dec. 10th, from 2 to 10 p. m. You are welcome. This Church is large enough to accommodate you, small enough to appreciate you.

The First Baptist Church
Bates at Willett Street
Pastor, Thomas J. Edwards
Morning worship at 10 o'clock. The Pastor will speak on, "The Christian's Divine Union." The Communion service and the Commemoration of the Lord's Death.
The Bible School will follow at 11:15 o'clock. There are excellent classes for all. The Pastor teaches the class for young men.
In the evening at 7:30 o'clock, the

Pastor will speak on "The Pagans in Birmingham."

"We will have a good song service and you will receive a spiritual uplift if you come."
Birmingham Gospel Tabernacle
Maccabees' Hall, corner of Woodward and Maple Avenues
Communion Service at 10:30, "Christ's Complete Conquest."
Sunday School at 11:45.
Special service at 7:45, "Birmingham's Greatest Evil." You are cordially invited to hear this address.

United Presbyterian Church
Sabbath School, 2 p. m. Public Worship, 3 p. m. Rev. U. J. Grimes, D. D., of New Concord, Ohio, will bring the message.
The Presbyterian Church
North, Woodward Ave.
Floyd Emerson Logee, Pastor
The Bible School of the church meets at 10:00 o'clock. The Morning Worship is at 11:00 o'clock. Kindly note this change in the hour of the services. The pastor will preach at the morning worship. There will be no evening service for the present. In the Bible School there is a special class for the young married people. They invite you to bring the children to the Bible School and remain with them in this class. Strangers will find a welcome at every service. We cordially invite all without church home to worship with us. Bring your friend.

The Methodist Church
Maple Ave. at Henrietta
Robert Marcus Atkins, Minister
The Reverend W. L. Northridge, M. A., Ph. D., Editor of the Irish Christian Advocate, and Fraternal Delegate from Irish Methodism to the Methodist Episcopal General Conference, will preach Sunday night, Dr. Northridge is one of Ireland's most eminent ministers and a brilliant speaker. In Belfast he preaches to two and three thousand people Sunday nights.
At 11 a. m., the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be administered. The Sunday School at 9:45 a. m., with classes for everyone.
Youth League at 6:30 p. m. for young people.
During the morning service a nursery is conducted for young children in the Primary Room at the rear of the Church.
Mid-week service Wednesday, at 7:30 p. m.

BUILDS STATE'S SECRET SERVICE BUREAU LARGER

COMMISSIONER STRAIGHT OF DEPT. OF PUBLIC SAFETY TRAINS NEW MEN

State Detectives Assist Local Officers in Solving Crimes
Many calls have recently been made upon the Secret Service Division of the Michigan Department of Public Safety by local officers for assistance in solving crimes occurring in their communities. Success has been quite generally attained these cases.

E. G. Ramsay, a veteran of the State Police, is the new head of the division succeeding John S. Palmer, who resigned to enter private business. He has a record of success in many crime cases in the state.

Uses Latest Methods
The great advantage of such a division is that its members have full opportunity to employ the latest methods of criminal investigation. Full cooperation is afforded by the state identification bureau, also a part of the Department of Public Safety. The state detectives also have the opportunity for chemical analysis when required in poisoning and arson cases and others of like nature.
Fred Armstrong who is assistant chief of the division, was formerly in the state marshal's office as investigator and has a splendid record in investigation of arson cases. He has also the solution of several difficult murder cases to his credit.
Others in the division who have distinguished themselves are George Waterman, Charles Burnham and Edgar T. Adams, all of whom have advanced extremely difficult cases since joining the state service.

Promote Best Troopers
Troopers of the State Police who show a particular aptitude for criminal investigation will be promoted by appointment to the Secret Service Division. Their service in different counties of the state and knowledge of criminals and criminal methods secured while troopers will make them especially useful in detective work wherever they may be sent.

Two men who have recently been transferred to the investigation work on probation, are N. R. Black and Herman Kays, both of whom did excellent work as troopers.
A new scale of pay for men in the state secret service has been adopted. While this is not as high as the salaries paid to detectives in the larger cities, it is higher than the scale for men in the uniformed division.

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COMMUNITY HOUSE NEWS

Friday, Dec. 4. Miss Smith's dancing classes, 2:30 to 8 p. m.
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Saturday, Dec. 5. Boys, 10:30 to noon.
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Sunday, Dec. 6. Sunday School, 11 a. m.
Monday, Dec. 7. Board meeting, 9 a. m.
Miss Bonstelle's dancing classes, 8:30 to 9 p. m.
Scout indoor examination, 8:15 p. m.
Tuesday, Dec. 8. Civic Club, 2:30; Blue Birds, 4:15.
Wednesday, Dec. 9. A. A. U. W. Children's Party, 2:55-3 p. m.
Teachers' social evening, 8 p. m.
Thursday, Dec. 10. Business Girls' luncheon.

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Beautiful Slippers for Women	95c to \$1.65
Beautiful Slippers for Children	79c to \$1.40
Beautiful Slippers for Men	95c to \$1.85
Women's 4-Buckle Galoshes	\$2.95
Men's 4-Buckle Galoshes	\$3.50 to \$4.75
Men's 1-Buckle Galoshes	\$1.95
Boys' and Children's 4-Buckle Galoshes	\$2.45 to \$2.95
Women's Strictly First Quality Rubbers	85c
Men's Strictly First Quality Rubbers	\$1.25 to \$1.95
Shoes for Boys	\$2.45 to \$3.95
Shoes for Girls	\$2.45 to \$3.95

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