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CHURCHES

First Church of Christ Scientist
Northwest Corner Chester and Willetts

Sunday Morning 10:30 o'clock.
Sunday School 10:30 a. m.
Wednesday evening 8:00 o'clock.

Reading Room in church building open 11:30 a. m. to 4:30 p. m. daily except Sundays and Holidays. Wednesday evening 7:00 p. m. to 7:30 p. m.

Southfield United Presbyterian Church
Rev. W. T. Armstrong, Minister

Preaching Service, 11 a. m.
Sabbath School, 12 o'clock. M. Clyde Cass, Supt.

St. James' Church
The Reverend Warner L. Forsyth
549 West Maple Ave.

18th Sunday After Trinity.

Sunday October 16th.—8:00 a. m. Holy Eucharist; 9:45 a. m. Church School; 11:00 a. m. Kindergarten and Primary School; 11:00 a. m. Morning Prayer and Sermon; 12:30 p. m. Baptisms.

Monday—4:00 p. m. Service Program of the Church School.

Tuesday—1:00 p. m. Meeting St. Margaret's Guild at the home of Mrs. Stowe D. Baldwin, Dorchester road. Mrs. Baldwin and Mrs. H. F. Royal, hostesses.

Wednesday—4:00 p. m. St. Cecelia's Choir Practice.

Thursday—8:00 p. m. Choir Practice. Confirmation Instruction of Junior and Adult classes postponed until Sunday, October 23.

Strangers and visitors are cordially invited to attend all Services.

First Methodist Episcopal Church
Maple Avenue, West, at Henriett
Robert Marrens Atkins, Minister

The Folk of the Methodist Episcopal Church cordially invite all who have not a church home to worship with them at the Sunday services.

10:00 a. m. Sunday School—Classes for everyone. The Men's Bible Class meets at this hour and all men who are interested will receive a cordial welcome to this class.

11:00 A. M. Morning Worship—Mr. Atkins' theme will be "The Security of The Adventurer." Mr. H. H. Roberts will be the soloist.

There is a nursery conducted in the Primary Room at the rear of the Church so that all parents who desire to leave their young children may do so and know that they are properly supervised.

12:00 The Young Woman's Class, under the leadership of Mrs. M. M. Morgan.

5:00 p. m. The Family Hour—Mr. Atkins' theme will be "A Christian Community." Mr. E. E. Edwards will conduct the Family Hour Song Service.

6:15 p. m. Epworth League for Young People—The Reverend Mr. Henry S. Evans, of the United Presbyterian Church, will be the leader.

Wednesday evening, at 7:45 our midweek service, The Pastor earnestly desires that all who are vitally interested in the religious program of the church will come and take a part in this midweek service.

Music for Sunday Services
Eleven O'Clock

Organ Prelude, "Sonata of Joy," Ashford.
Anthem, "Ye That Stand in The House of The Lord," Spinney
Organ Offertory. "Andante," Brede.
Offertory Solo, Selected, Mr. H. H. Roberts.
Organ Prelude "God Thou Art Great," Spohr.

Family Hour 5:00 p. m.

Organ Prelude, "Prelude," Reinhard.
Anthem, "Father Lead Me Day by Day," Strother.
Organ Offertory, "Contemplation," Andre.
Organ Postlude, March, Lyon

Southfield Methodist Church
Calvin M. Thompson, Minister

The pastor announces as follows: This Thursday evening, Oct. 13, Rev. Frank L. Fitch of First Methodist Church, Pontiac will preach and sing. He can do both well. Friday evening Rev. Joseph Chapman of Walled Lake and Rev. H. G. Bushong of Franklin will deliver addresses and Mrs. H. M. Schultz of Birmingham will sing.

Sunday morning at 10:30, the pastor will preach. Sermon topic, "How Can These Things Be?"

Bible School at 11:30.

At 7:30, Mr. Walter Bosanko of Detroit with his group of evangelistic workers, will speak and sing. They are well worth hearing. Everybody invited. The Rally Week Services are proving a fine success.

The Presbyterian Church
Floyd Emerson Logee, Minister

We invite you and your friends to join in our services of study and worship. The Bible School meeting at 10:00 o'clock is graded in its study from the kindergarten to the adult class led by Mr. Earl Potter. Bring your children and remain for a discussion of Religion and Business. The Morning Worship follows the Bible School at 11:00 o'clock a Junior Church and Kindergarten being provided for the children during the sermon. Morning subject: "Building With Faith." The young people meet at 7:00 o'clock in their devotional service to discuss "How Far Should I Follow Community Ideals in Choosing An Occupation?" The church begins its evening services this Sunday at 8:00 o'clock. The pastor will seek in these evening services to bring Christ into our present day relationships. He speaks this Sunday on "Christian Snobbery." You are invited to bring your friends.

Musical Numbers for Sunday Oct. 16 1927. First Presbyterian Church.

Morning Service

Prelude, "At Evening," Kinder.
Anthem, "Hark! Hark My Soul," Shelley.
Offertory "Idyll," Kinder.
Solo "Thou Wilt Keep Him, In Perfect Peace," Case.—Mrs. Harry Newell.
Postlude, March, Shelley.

Evening Service

Prelude, "Evensong," Johnston.
Tenor Solo, "Lead, Kindly Light," Sullivan
Offertory, "Song of Joy," Frysinger.
Postlude, Gounod.

United Presbyterian Church
On Woodward at Forest
Henry E. Evans, Minister

Bible School, 10 a. m. Classes for everyone.

Morning Worship, 11:15 a. m. In this service the pastor will preach about a few unreasonable objections to Christian service. This service lasts one hour. We extend an invitation to anyone who has no other church home to come and worship with us. Strangers are especially welcome.

Redeemer Lutheran Church
Lincoln and Ann
R. F. Scaer, Minister

Regular services Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. Sunday School at 9:30 a. m. The Redeemer Luther League meets every Thursday at 7:30 p. m. With the Lutheran Church it is ever the unchanging Gospel, "If ye continue in my word, then are ye my disciples indeed; and ye shall know the truth, and the truth shall make you free."

First Baptist Church
Bates and Willetts Sts.
Rev. David L. Woodward, B. D., Minister

Morning worship, 10 a. m. Subject of sermon by pastor,—"The Inspiration of Possibilities." Miss Mae Brumstead is the director of our choir, and it is expected that the special music will be both beautiful and appropriate.

Bible School, 11 a. m. There is a class for every one and special organized classes for adults. A welcome awaits you at the Sunday School.

Evening Worship, 7:30 p. m. Our pastor, Rev. D. L. Woodward, will give an interesting and helpful sermon on "One Hundred Years From Now." Special music by the choir. You will receive a warm welcome at this popular Sunday evening service.

Official Board Meeting, Monday 8 p. m.

Mid-week Prayer Service, Wednesday 7:45 p. m. This will be a combination business and devotional meeting of the church. Every member is urged to attend.

ORIGIN OF FIRE STILL MYSTERY

Flames Consume Buildings In Troy Township At Midnight; Loss Not Estimated

Mystery today surrounds the origin of a fire which Sunday night burned up a shed, two automobiles and some farm implements, on the Everetts farm, on Monroe road in Troy Township.

The fire was discovered by passers-by, who turned in the alarm. It began about midnight, Sunday. No estimate of the loss is given.

Realtors Announce Large Sale Of Land

Another important piece of close-in Pontiac acreage was sold this week when Colgrove, Buck & Tillotson purchased for Angus Smith of Detroit 80 acres of property situated on the Perry road, known as the Schreiter farm.

This property has a quarter of a mile frontage on the Perry road and is crossed by the Rochester road, adjoins the large holdings of Wesson Seyburn.

While the price is not announced, it is understood that this brought, considerably over $1,000 an acre.

AUTOMOBILES CRASH ON BIG BEAVER ROAD

Two cars escaped with slight damages in a collision in Troy Township Sunday. The cars, driven by Thomas McCauley, of Highland Park, and H. Marry, of Nine Mile road, came together at Rochester and Big Beaver roads.

THEATERS

CASS

The Theater Guild success, "The Silver Cord," one of the finest plays ever staged by that famous organization, will remain another week at the Cass Theater where it has won unanimous approval from Detroit theatergoers. This thrilling dramatic comedy was written by Sidney Howard who is well known as the author of "They Knew What They Wanted," the Pulitzer prize play of 1925. His two succeeding plays further his high reputation, and last year "The Silver Cord" established him pre-eminent among contemparary American dramatists. The play ran all last season in New York and this fall is the reigning hit of London. "Tense, exceptionally powerful and brimful of novel situations and dialogue," says the London Times.

Comedy and a deep note of realism are combined in "The Silver Cord." Though laughter is not lacking, its unusual strength and power lies in its emotional appeal. The plot concerns a pretty, charming well-to-do mother who cannot and will not realize that her sons are no longer children. She wants to continue to dominate their lives, to rule and dazzle them, to chose their wives as she did their toys. The clash comes when she is faced with Robert's fiancee and the wife David brings home from abroad. Her welcome, so suave on the surface, soon reveals itself as subtle warfare, which is combatted by Hester and Christina with modern frankness. "An evening of exciting truths—a play for the unafraid," says the New York Sun.

The richly diversified, fascinating role of Mrs. Phelps is played by Laura Hope Crews, the distinguished comedienne, who created this part in New York. In support of Miss Crews, John Cromwell presents an excellent cast including Vera Allen, Hal Thompson, Hazel Stone, Eric Kalkhurst and Jerschel Williams, Jr.

LAFAYETTE

William Hodge, the perennial stage favorite who knows the world loves to laugh, will be seen at the Shubert Lafayette Theater, Detroit, Sunday night, Oct. 16, in a comedy that deviates somewhat from his usual offering. The play is entitled "The Man at Home." There is present Mr. Hodge's well-known wit and humor, but the play unfolds a murder mystery story and thereby promises thrills as well as laughter.

The setting of the comedy is a county estate, thirty miles from New York. The first act reveals a room in the house which is still in the hands of the builders. Carpenters, painters and plumbers are busy trying to complete the place which is to be the new home of a noted actor, the role played by Mr. Hodge. In this disorder and confusion, further chaos is threatened by the subtle wiles of a vampish female interior decorator and the commission of a crime which brings a bungling detective into the action.

Mr. Hodge's latest vehicle can be said to maintain the elements of high art, if the first essential of high art is to reflect the truth. "The Man at Home," Gene Thomas, as head of his family, builds a house and as a famous actor he searches for a play. Were someone to ask Mr. Hodge how he spent his summer, his answer would be: "I built a home and I looked for a play."

In support of Mr. Hodge is a very unusual cast including Helen Holmes, Utoy D-Tyl, Nicholas Joy, Betty Byrne, William F. Culien, Abbott Adams, Robert Byers, Emil Hoch, Carol March and Paul Jacchia.

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WALTER Y. STANLEY.

My commission expires July 22, 1929.

PRECEDENT SET FOR ROAD WORK

The village will maintain Tarvia pavements the same as cement, according to a decision reached by the village commission at the meeting Monday. Manager James W. Parry brought up the matter, asking for a precedent in regard to maintaining the pavement on Oxford road, Kennesaw and Mohegan avenues. He was instructed to proceed with arrangements for the repair. This custom will be followed when the property owners have paid five-sixths of the cost, it was explained.

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