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SUNDAY SERMON TOPICS

SUNDAY, AUG. 15

Congregational

Preaching at the Congregational Church of Birmingham will be Mrs. Raymond G. Worster, an ordained minister and wife of the pastor of Toledo's Washington Congregational church. Her topic will be "Belief before Action."

Unity Center

Waldred Taurinen will make another appearance before this group Sunday morning, when his subject will be "Wanted — Explorers". Services are to be held in the reading room at the Theater building.

Christian Science

That true happiness is to be found through understanding the spiritual laws which govern the universe, including man, will be brought out in the sermon on "Soul". The text is from Isaiah 55:12, "For ye shall go out with joy, and be led forth with peace: the mountains and the hills shall break forth before you into singing, and all the trees of the field shall clap their hands."

First Baptist

A chaplain in the Royal Canadian Air Force, stationed at London, Ont., will be the guest speaker at the 11 a.m. service here. The Rev. Donald Quigg will occupy the pulpit while the Rev. Emil Kontz attends the World Council of Churches meeting at Evanston, Ill.

First Presbyterian

"Living Life to the Limit", has been selected by the Rev. Robert W. Gibson, Jr., for the 9:45 a.m. service.

First Methodist

Coming from Bad Axe, the Rev. Robert E. McLean will preach at the 11 a.m. service. Although there is but one preaching service during the summer months, church school sessions continue at 9:30 and 11 a.m.

United Brethren

The Rev. Willis Bishop will have for his morning message a sermon on "Seeking the Source of Giving."

Franklin Community

The Rev. Robert J. Searls has elected to speak on "Destruction or Devotion?" at the morning service here.

Franklin Church Sponsors Unique Youth Program

Under the chairmanship of Grant Sivier, the planning committee of the Franklin Community church has instigated a unique summer project of youth activities.

Last winter the committee faced the problem of too many free hours for young people. Recognizing the area as one where homes are far apart and casual fellowship is somewhat hampered, the committee sought a means of arranging a summer schedule for youth.

AN ITEM OF $500 was included in the church budget to provide funds and a special committee appointed with Richard Caskey as chairman, to set up a program.

A University of Michigan student, John Buck, was engaged to set up the program. Parental cooperation in transportation and supervision helped round out his plans.

Starting on Aug. 3 with a trip to Walled Lake, the group has also visited the Ford Rouge plant, Greenfield Village, swimming parties, golf, tennis, softball and other affairs. The program will continue along similar lines until the end of the month.

Two Church Groups Plan August Meets

An August 17 meeting has been scheduled for 8 p.m., by the Women's Fellowship Circle III of the Congregational Church of Birmingham. Mrs. George Ball, 87189 Buckingham, Southfield township, will be hostess.

Circle IV is meeting at the same hour the following evening with Mrs. S. Tenny McGraw, 2682 Buckingham.

St. Michael's Youth Group Plans Party

Under the sponsorship of the Youth club, St. Michael's church, Southfield township, a "rumble-nicht" will be held at the home of Elaine Sorensen, 18800 San Diego on Aug. 15.

Starting at 5 p.m., the evening will feature dancing, refreshments and games.

Lutheran Unit Meets

Slides on life in India highlighted the Tuesday meeting of the Ladies' Missionary guild, Peace American Lutheran church last Tuesday evening. The affair was under the direction of Mrs. Clarice Morrison and Mrs. Anne Marchand, with Mrs. Jean Karp leading the devotions.

Are you thinking of buying a new home? Then read the "For Sale Houses" columns on the Classified Ad page of this week's Eccentric.

RAIN MARRED the groundbreaking ceremonies for Ascension Lutheran church Sunday noon, but did not stop the Rev. Paul Shippert froom turning that all-important first hit of sod. The ceremony marks the first step toward the group's goal of a church building after having held services in what will be the manse for the past two years. The 14 Mile road site has been Lutheran property since 1950. (Eccentric Photo)

Adventist Group Is Not Disbanded

Members of the Seventh-day Adventist group in the area have taken exception to a recent story on "Birmingham Background" which stated in effect that their organization was no longer active in the area.

"It is true," Mrs. Thomas J. Edgar of Royal Oak said, "that we do not have a church in Birmingham, but that does not mean we have disbanded.

"The local church was disbanded because of financial difficulties and, rather than wait and see it through, the congregation divided. Part of the local membership now attends services in Pontiac, the rest going to Detroit."

Special Communion

At the Aug. 15 service of St. Michael's church, Southfield township, members of the Youth club will attend in a group and receive communion at the 8:30 mass.

Business Meeting For Young People

St. Michael's Youth club is holding its first business meeting of the month on Aug. 12. Bowling league, activities after business meetings and club dues will be discussed.

The evening will close with a film on the teenage use of telephones in the home.

Presbyterians Plan Building of Second Church in Vicinity

For the first time in its history the immediate Birmingham area will be served by two units of the Detroit Presbytery.

Plans for the construction of a Presbyterian church to serve the northeast area have taken their major forward step, with a possible fall starting date for the building of the first unit.

The Rev. Mac Taylor, assigned as pastor of the new church, said this week that a survey would be made, probably Sept. 29, of the 700 families which constitute the area bounded by the Grand Trunk lines, Derby, Coolidge and Maple.

"The survey will be made mostly by the Men's club of the First Presbyterian church," Mr. Taylor said, "and should give us a perfect picture of what potentials we have there now.

"THE CONSENSUS is that the area is growing rapidly and that there is already a need for another church there. It will also, to a certain degree, remove some of the load from the church in Birmingham.

"We hope that in the very near future we will have plans of the new building to present to the people and show them what we are aiming for in the life of the church home."

Mr. Taylor said the first unit will probably cost about $50,000, with funds coming from the Presbytery church expansion funds. The original tract of 20 acres has been cut to six acres, the remaining land being sold to defray costs of extending utilities to the property.

"AT THE present moment," he said, "I am a pastor without a church. However, we are looking for some location for temporary services which may start as Sunday school classes only. In the meantime, I am able to devote my entire time to working on the new building and making myself acquainted with the people in the area."

Woman Will Occupy Pulpit Here Sunday

The 10 a.m. service at the Congregational Church of Birmingham on Aug. 15, will have Mrs. Raymond G. Worster as guest speaker. Her topic will be "Belief before Action," with scripture passages from Isaiah.

Mrs. Worster is the wife of the pastor of Washington Congregational church, Toledo, and is an ordained minister. She was graduated from Union Theological Seminary in New York and, with her husband, was ordained at Danville, Vt.

Bargains galore in Want Ads.

Localites Attend Church Conclave At Evanston, Ill.

The Rev. and Mrs. Emil Kontz and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Griffin will represent Birmingham's First Baptist church at the ecumenical meeting of the World Council of Churches in Evanston, Ill.

Opening Aug. 15 and continuing for 15 days, the Council will have representatives there from all parts of the Christian world, with a special ceremony at Soldiers Field expected to attract about 125,000 persons.

Mr. Kontz said the organization, founded in 1938, now has a fellowship of 161 churches from 48 nations.

IT HAS furthered the understanding of beliefs among the various religious groups within its organization as well as taking an aggressive part in promoting the welfare of mankind.

The Council has sent over $21,000,000 and 25,000 tons of clothing and food to Christian victims of world war. In addition, numerous meetings have been sponsored by the Council to study conditions in today's world and take steps to improve them if possible.

Following his return to Birmingham, Mr. Kontz will report on Council activities to his church and the community.

Church Guild Wants Cancer Pad Material

St. Anne's guild, Holy Name church, has run out of material.

This group has been meeting regularly all summer to sew cancer pads, and now finds itself with no more cloth to work with. An appeal has been made for donations, especially old sheets and pillowcases. Mrs. Norman B. Stanton, 1075 Oxford, is handling collection of material.

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DR. DeWINDT, Preaching
Church School — 9:30 o'clock

LEGAL NOTICES

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62,945

STATE OF MICHIGAN — The Probate Court for the County of Oakland.

In the Matter of the Estate of CECIL I. JENKINS, Deceased.

At a session of said court, held at the Probate Court in the City of Pontiac, in said County, on the 27th day of July A. D. 1954.

Present: Honorable Arthur E. Moore, Judge of Probate.

Order appointing time for hearing Claims.

Notice is hereby given and it is hereby ordered that the time and place for hearing on claims against the above estate shall be the 1st day of November, 1954, at nine o'clock in the forenoon at the Probate Court in the Court House at the City of Pontiac, Michigan;

All creditors or claimants against the above estate are further notified and ordered to prove their claims at said hearing and prior to said hearing to file written claim therefor, with this Court and with the fiduiary of this estate, under oath, containing sufficient detail reasonably to inform the fiduciary of the nature and amount of the claim.

ARTHUR E. MOORE,
Judge of Probate.
21-22-23

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62,563

STATE OF MICHIGAN — The Probate Court for the County of Oakland.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Pontiac, in said County, on the 28th day of July A. D. 1954.

Present: Honorable Arthur E. Moore, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of ALFRED R. SMITH, Deceased.

Detroit Trust Company having filed a petition praying that the instruments filed in said Court be admitted to Probate as the last will and testament of said deceased, and Codicil thereto and that administration of said estate be granted to Detroit Trust Company and Robert G. Campbell, the executors named in said Will, or to some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That the 30th day of August A. D. 1954, at 9 o'clock, in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy hereof, once each week, for three successive weeks, previous to said day of hearing, in the Birmingham Eccentric, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County, and that proponent cause a copy of this notice to be served personally or by registered mail, return receipt demanded, to each of the known heirs at law, legatees and devisees at their last known place of address at least ten days prior to said day of hearing.

ARTHUR E. MOORE,
Judge of Probate.
21-22-23

Oliver H. Kirk, Atty., Wabeek Bldg., Birmingham
62,073

STATE OF MICHIGAN—In the Probate Court for the County of Oakland.

In the Matter of the Estate of MARY SCHANITE, Deceased.

At a session of said Court, held at the Court House in the City of Pontiac, in said County, on the 24th day of July A. D. 1954.

Present: Honorable Arthur E. Moore, Judge of Probate.

Stanley Todd, executor of said estate having filed in said Court his final account and petition praying for the examination and allowance thereof, determination of the heirs of said deceased, assignment of the residue of said estate, and the discharge of said executor:

It is Ordered, that the 23rd day of August A. D. 1954 at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Court in the Court House in the City of Pontiac, Michigan, be and is hereby appointed as the time and place for hearing said petition;

It is Further Ordered, that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, once each week, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Birmingham Eccentric, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County, and that notice be given to the unpaid devisees and legatees and creditors whose claims have been allowed but not fully paid by personal service of a copy of this order, or by serving the same by registered mail, with return receipts demanded, addressed to their respective, last known addresses as shown by the files and records in this cause.

ARTHUR E. MOORE,
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20-21-22

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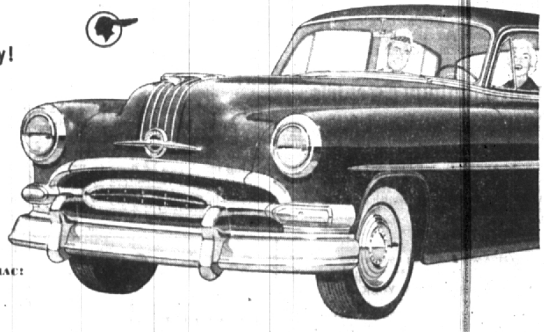

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