

SUNDAY SERMON TOPICS

SUNDAY, SEPT. 19

First Presbyterian

"Into All the World" has been selected by the Rev. W. Glen Harris, Ph.D., who has as his text, Mark 16:15, "Go ye into all the world, and preach the gospel to every creature." Dr. Harris will show that, when these words were spoken, the foundation for all Christianity was laid. Services are at 9:45 and 11:15 a.m.

Community Church

The Rev. John D. Rose will speak on "Life Has Purpose," a part of his series on "Making Sense Out of Religion." The church has added an additional church and church school services, meeting now at 9:30 and 11 a.m.

Christian Science

How we may prove and experience man's God-given dominion over material bondage of all kinds—sin, disease and limitation—will be brought out in the sermon on "Matter." The text is from Galatians 4: 6, 7, "And because ye are sons, God hath sent forth the Spirit of his Son into your hearts, crying, Abba, Father. Wherefore thou art no more a servant, but a son, and if a son, then an heir of God through Christ."

Unitarian

Is it necessary to dilute and distort truth in order to maintain our institutions and heritage without question? This will be the question answered when the Rev. Russell L. Lincoln speaks on "Need Truth Be Feared?" Services are held in the YMCA building, East Lincoln.

First Baptist

The annual homecoming sermon of the Rev. Emil Korte will be "Nails from the Divine Carpenter." His text will be from Isaiah 22:25, "And I will fasten him as a nail in a sure place." The sermon will show that, does one believe in God and let Him guide his life, his work will be in its best field.

Following the service a dinner for all members of the congregation will be served at 12:30, with an afternoon program planned, also.

Franklin

Another in the sermon series on the Parables will be preached by the Rev. Robert J. Seals, when his topic will be "God's Investment in You," based on the Parable of the Talents.

Congregational

At the 11 a.m. service, the Rev. Robert D. Dewey will speak on "A Greater Thing," taking his text from 1 Corinthians 13: 1, "but if I have not love..."

Fall Programs Open For Women's Units At Congregational

The lazy pace of summer is giving way to the brisk pace of fall at the Congregational church these days.

Circle 4 of the Women's Fellowship met at the home of Mrs. Harry Houck, Jr., 1857 Sheffield, on Sept. 15.

Circle 2 will hold a pie sale at the church in Sept. 17. This same group will meet at the home of Mrs. James K. Flack, 18196 W. 13 Mile road on Sept. 21 at 12:30 p.m., when they will have an opportunity to discuss the outcome of their sale.

Circle 1 will meet at the new home of its chairman, Mrs. John Kinney, 2782 Hyland drive, on Tuesday, Sept. 21 at 12:30 p.m. Mrs. Leroy Rumbaugh will serve as co-hostess.

Circle 3 will meet the same day at 8 p.m. at the home of Mrs. David Coleman, 2807 Manchester. Circle 5 will meet at 12:30 p.m. on Sept. 21, at the home of Mrs. John Allen, 17325 Dunblaine.

Mariners' Clambake To Be Held Sept. 17

The Mariners, young married group of Community church, Congregational, Southfield, will have a clambake at the cottage of Mr. and Mrs. George Hardin, Wolverine Lake. The affair is scheduled for Friday evening, Sept. 17.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Cork, Mr. and Mrs. Brewster Sedgwick and the Rev. and Mrs. John D. Rose are the committee in charge.

In addition to the menu of lobster and clam, an evening of games and singing is planned.

SMYC Meet Sept. 23

Thursday, Sept. 23, is the date for the next regular business meeting of the St. Michael's Youth club. It will be held in the basement of the rectory, across the street from St. Michael's school. Because of limited space, no activity has been planned after the meeting.

Church Training

On Wednesday, Sept. 22, at 8 p.m. there will be a meeting of prospective church members for the Congregational Church of Birmingham.

This is the first of two sessions to be held for people planning to join the church at the Oct. 3 service. It is for the purpose of better acquainting them with the aims and organization of the church. A coffee hour will follow the meeting.



HOLLY DINGLER DORIS STACEY LEE KASS Modeling for St. James Fall festival (Eccentric Photo)

Fall Fashion Show Sponsored by Guilds

The Women's Auxiliary of St. James Episcopal church is in the final planning stage for its second annual fashion show. The affair will be held at the Birmingham Community House beginning at 1 p.m., Sept. 23.

Individual desserts will be served prior to the show. Local models displaying the gowns from Hilda's will include Mrs. Edward Dingler, Mrs. Harry Wieting, Mrs. Charles Kass, Mrs. Owen Andrews, Mrs. Robert Stacey, Mrs. Louis Olshesheimer, Mrs. Colin John, Mrs. George Fox, Mrs. Maxwell Matthews and Mrs. James St. Croix.

THEIR APPAREL will include high fashions for fall and winter.

An added attraction will be the demonstration of the latest dance steps by Mr. and Mrs. Roy Dodge, professionals operating a local dance studio.

Mrs. Frank Adams, chairman of the affair, said bride and canasta would follow the fashion review.

She has been assisted by Mrs. Ralph Hunt, Mrs. T. P. Russell, Mrs. S. Buckner, Mrs. J. Williams and Mrs. Sam Henderson.

Ticket sales are in charge of Mrs. Frank Gibiser.

Methodist WSCS Units Schedule Opening Meets

As fall programs swing into full force at the First Methodist church, the several units of the Women's Society for Christian Service are planning Sept. 22 meetings.

The Sara Allen group will have Mrs. W. F. Anderson, 820 Suffield, as hostess of their first fall session. Her assistants will be Mrs. F. J. Watkins, Mrs. Walter Lange and Mrs. J. H. Graham.

Mrs. Russell McBride, 1412 Inwood Circle, is entertaining the Anna Bird unit. Co-hostesses here will be Mrs. E. O. Haskall, Mrs. J. M. Macrea, Mrs. Elmer Rosenberg and Mrs. John K. Bishop.

The Hattie Evans group is to meet with Mrs. William Jaenen, 5700 Adams road, assisted by Mrs. R. T. K. Burg, Mrs. C. C. Olin and Mrs. G. E. Jones.

Mrs. Thomas Harris, 1424 Pierce, will be assisted by Mrs. Grover Brown, Mrs. Charles Baker and Mrs. Frank Althouse assisting when the Carrie Murray group meets.

THE CORA Simpson members are to have a pot luck luncheon at the home of Mrs. E. A. Heacock, 1251 Leona road. Her assistant hostesses will be Mrs. Roy Smith, Mrs. James Wilson and Mrs. Thomas Kinmerly.

Mrs. Mel Haugh, 684 Puritan, is entertaining the Mary Utter group. She will be assisted by Mrs. R. M. Broder, Mrs. J. W. Jacobs and Mrs. Addie Ayers.

The Kate Wagner group is meeting with Mrs. Howard Willett, 655 Pilgrim. Co-hostesses here will be Mrs. Perrin Shattuck, Mrs. Karl Brinson and Mrs. Chester Wisniewski.

Mrs. Fred Fallberg, 6154 Lantern Lane, will be assisted by Mrs. Wilfred Malone, Mrs. John E. Wright and Mrs. Merwin Teague when the Savannah Wesley group meets at her home.

Church News Deadline is 5 p.m. on Thursdays.



BISHOP M. REED

Will Preside At Opening Of Church

Members of the Big Beaver Methodist church will hold the formal opening of the newly constructed church on Sept. 19, observing also their annual Homecoming Sunday.

A full day's schedule is planned, beginning with the worship service at 10 a.m. when Dr. Benjamin Holme will preach. Special music, solos and anthems are planned for the service according to the Rev. Reginald Hocking, minister.

PRESBYTERIAN

Kirk in the Hills

1310 West Long Lake Road BLOOMFIELD HILLS

Dr. Harold C. DeWindt, Minister
Identical Services — 9:30 - 11 A.M.

Dr. Stanley Harker, Preaching
President of Alma College

Church School — 9:30 o'clock

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Sunday school classes for all ages will follow the morning worship at 11:15 a.m. Immediately after this, a co-operative all-church dinner will be served.

THE AFTERNOON service will be presided over by Bishop Marshall Reed, who will ritually open the church and be the guest speaker.

Among the invited guests will be the Rev. Howard Snell, former pastor, ministers of Methodist churches in the area, Dr. Gordon Phillips of the Methodist Union of Greater Detroit, and those who have had an active part in the construction of the building.

OTHER SPECIAL guests will be those members of the church who have stayed active during the years since the building was destroyed by fire in 1945.

Mr. Hocking said a number of booklets had been prepared which will contain a history of the more than 100 years which the church has served, worship programs, a story of the new church, pictures and other pertinent information.

New Junior Choir

The junior choir under the direction of Mrs. Carl Vigstedt, will hold its rehearsals on Wednesdays at the Congregational Church of Birmingham from 4 to 5 p.m. This group is for children in grades three to six.

Early cops for church activities makes it better for us and better for you. Don't wait until the deadline, please.

Seek Material Now For Future Sales

Ladies of the Congregational Church of Birmingham are being asked to plan now for articles which will be donated for the October rummage sale. Mrs. John Allen will arrange for pickup if the material cannot be kept in the homes.

Another need is for extra jars and glasses of all sizes. These will be used to package jams and jellies for the December bazaar.

Guild to Meet

Eastminster guild of the First Presbyterian church has scheduled its regular meeting for Sept. 21. It will be held in the youth room at the church, beginning at 12:45 p.m. Following the dessert luncheon, guild members will join the two Trowbridge guilds in their presentation of Folic & Sanderil, guest speaker from India.

Franklin Community Church (Methodist)

26109 German Mill Road
1 Block East of Franklin Rd.

9:30 a.m. Church School, Grades 1-8
10:15 a.m. Church School, Nursery through 3rd Grade
10:15 a.m. Morning Worship
Robert J. Seals, Minister

CHURCH OF CHRIST

1152 Benaville
Birmingham, Michigan
L. C. Utley, Minister

10:00 A.M. Sunday Bible Class
11:00 A.M. Sunday Worship
6:00 P.M. Sunday Evening Service
7:30 P.M. Wednesday Evening Bible Study

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