



THE REV. EUGENE PADDOCK officiated at the cornerstone ceremony for the new Holy Name church last week. He was assisted by the Rev. Edward Schwenger, assistant in parish duties. The bronze has placed in the stone contains two crosses and the tabernacle veil used in the first Holy Name church, pictorial and written records of the present church and school, the Dec. 30 issues of the Michigan Catholic and Birmingham Eccentric, three coins, two holy cards, and medals of St. Therese, St. Pius and St. Francis of Assisi. (Eccentric Photo)

Speaks at Toledo

The Rev. Russell L. Lincoln, pastor of the Birmingham Unitarian Fellowship, spoke at the Toledo Unitarian church Thursday evening. His subject was "The Administration of Religious Education."

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



ONE OF THE NUMEROUS acts now in rehearsal for the Jan. 21-22 variety show of the First Methodist Youth Fellowship, spotlights Sue Smith and Marilyn Embury. Director Tom K'burg says the show is the biggest entertainment attempt yet made by MYF, and promises an excellent program of wide variety. Both shows will be held in the church social hall.

SUNDAY SERMON TOPICS

SUNDAY, JAN. 16

First Presbyterian

The Rev. W. Glen Harris, Ph.D., will officiate at the communion and reception of new members scheduled for this church at both 9:45 and 11:15 a.m. services.

Unity Center

Frank Glabach, leader of this group, has elected to speak on "Not Good if Detached." Services will be held in the Center's reading room, Birmingham Theater building.

First Baptist

The Rev. Emil Kuntz has listed his 11 a.m. sermon topic to be "Beat Sickness and Sure Cure." At 7:30 p.m., he will speak on "A Passion for People."

Christian Science

How spiritual understanding of God as divine life opens the door to healthier, happier living will be shown in the sermon on "Life." Excerpts from the Bible, the Psalms and the Gospels will be read. The voice of His praise to be heard; His love and His grace to be felt; His power and His glory to be seen; His will to be done; His kingdom to be established on earth as it is in heaven.

First Methodist

The Rev. Allen E. Wittman will officiate at both the 9:30 and 11 a.m. services.

Congregational

The Rev. Robert D. Dewey announced his topic for the 11 a.m. sermon as "Christian Freedom." The text is John 8:31, "The wind blows where it wills, and you hear the sound of it, but you do not know whence it comes or whither it goes; so it is with everyone who is born of the Spirit."

Unitarian

The Rev. Russell L. Lincoln will present a sermon celebrating the 63rd birthday of this saint of our times, when he speaks on Albert Schweitzer. Services are held in Upton school, 4300 Mandalay, Royal Oak.

Congregationalists Will Review Year At Annual Meeting

Members of the Congregational church of Birmingham look forward to their second annual congregational meeting on Jan. 21 with a membership of 325.

The church school members 200 now with 45 people in the Junior and Senior high youth groups. The annual meeting will be preceded by an all-church dinner.

Mimeographed reports of all phases of church work will be presented and slides will be shown of the life of the church in the past year.

This has been a year of real growth and activity. Much refurbishing has been done especially on the lower level of the church. Walls have been painted by members, new colorful drapes made by the women, the church kitchen has had a face-lifting.

Most recent is the tile on floors throughout the entire lower level.

New Presbyterian Church Considers Spring Work Date

Late spring or early summer has been tentatively set for the start of construction for a new Presbyterian church to serve the eastern section of Birmingham.

The Rev. Mac Taylor, pastor, said the building committee included M. P. Leinbach, Robert O. Williams, James G. Palmer, Robert Hoffman, P. G. Whelan, I. Thayer, Paul Van Cleave, John Edwards, Samuel Fittes and Charles Amman.

Mr. Taylor, with committee members are working with several architects to discuss plans for the new building.

He added that in the near future steps would be taken to choose church officials and launch the organization of men's and women's groups within the church.

Women's Fellowship To Meet in Detroit

On January 21, at 10:30 a.m., the Women's Fellowship of the Congregational association of Detroit will have its annual meeting at Bih-shnell Congregational church, Southfield Rd., Detroit. A 12:30 p.m. luncheon will follow the meeting.

Dr. Tracy M. Pullman, member of the Detroit Board of Christian and Jews will speak on "The Role of Women in Brotherhood." Mrs. A. Z. Mitchell, 347 Westchester Way, is taking reservations for the affair.

Presbyterian Women Install Officials At Annual Meeting

The Women's Association of the First Presbyterian church held its annual business meeting on Jan. 6, with the installation of new officers.

Mrs. R. F. Giffels will be president for 1955, with Mrs. A. N. McCall as first vice president, Mrs. Carl Black, second vice president, and Mrs. E. Scott, third vice president.

Mrs. Charles James Jr. will be corresponding secretary; Mrs. Arthur Priest, recording secretary, and Mrs. H. G. Wood, treasurer. Following the business meeting and luncheon, Mrs. J. E. Salisbury, president of the National Council of Presbyterian Women, spoke. Her message was well received for new officers, outlining how they might better serve their own families, community, country and other nations.

Evening Units Plan Joint Dinner Meet

A joint program has been scheduled for Jan. 18 by members of the three evening groups, First Methodist church. The evening will open with a pot luck supper at 6:45 p.m.

The missionary program to be given by Mrs. W. Ray Smith, who will show pictures illustrating her talk on "Around the Mediterranean."



RICHARD KUNTZ

Named to State Baptist Office

At a recent conference of the Baptist Youth Fellowship, in Lansing, Richard Kuntz, son of the Rev. and Mrs. Emil Kuntz, Larchdale drive, was named vice president of this state organization. The group is the youth division of nearly 200 Baptist churches in Michigan.

Kuntz, who plans to become a minister, a senior in Birmingham high school, has long been active in youth work.

HE HAS SERVED two terms of president of the BYF at the First Baptist church and has been president of the northern district of the entire Detroit area.

Another honor which has come to the youth recently was when he won the junior division of the Baptist speech contest with entries from nearly 60 Baptist churches in the metropolitan area.

Kuntz is a member of the Baptist basketball team affiliated with the local church league.

Four Presbyterian Units Plan Meets

Missionary A will meet at the home of Mrs. T. A. Henshaw at 2 p.m. on Jan. 19, with Mrs. Robert Crawford as co-hostess. Mrs. Alfred L. Wallwork, new president, will preside.

Mrs. C. S. Kinnison, new president of Missionary B, announces that this group will meet for lunch at 12:45, Jan. 19 at the home of Mrs. R. C. Scott.

Mrs. M. P. Ferguson has chosen for her program of the afternoon, "The Magic of Words."

Susan Towbridge and Elizabeth Trowbridge guide will meet at 1 p.m. on Jan. 18 for luncheon in the social hall at the church building.

WMU Circles Outline January's Meetings

Jan. 18 and 20 are the dates set for the various groups comprising the Baptist Women's Mission Union meetings this month.

The Mary Martha group has its meeting at 8 p.m. Jan. 18, at the home of Mrs. Kenneth Kleinfelder, 15874 Lauderdale.

Other units will meet at 10:30 a.m. Jan. 20. Sessions will include a period of white cross work, luncheon and a program in the afternoon.

The Naomi Circle is meeting with Mrs. Raymond Smith, 1001 North Woodward; Esther Circle, Mrs. Charles Crouch, 758 West Long Lake; Miriam, Mrs. Murray Betts, 4008 Stoneleigh, Bloomfield Hills; Ruth Circle, at the First Baptist church; Mrs. Carroll Heath and Mrs. DeLois Service will be hostesses.

January Plans Set By Church Circles

Circles of the Women's Fellowship, Congregational Church of Birmingham, have scheduled meetings for the coming week.

On Jan. 18, 12:30 p.m. meetings are planned by members of Circle I, who will meet with Mrs. Harrison Goodhue, 18135 Dunbar; Circle II, with Mrs. L. E. Olin, 6044 S. Bates and Circle V, with Mrs. Herbert S. Roberts, 262 W. Maple.

Evening meetings will be held by Circle III, whose hostess will be Mrs. F. Judson Phelps, 32380 Lexington on Jan. 18, and Circle IV, with Mrs. Arthur Heil, 7520 Beverly, on Jan. 19. Both meetings are scheduled for 8 p.m.

Congregational Unit Plans Supper Meet

The Supper club of the Congregational Church of Birmingham will meet at the church on Friday, Jan. 14, at 6:45 p.m. After the annual supper hour, square dancing will be featured.

All members and friends of the church are welcome. Leon E. Jackson is taking reservations for the evening.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

1152 Bennoville Birmingham, Michigan
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6:00 P.M. Sunday Evening Service
7:30 P.M. Wednesday Evening Bible Study
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THE NEW AND THE OLD of the official family of Our Shepherd Lutheran church are represented by Eugene Shechner, incoming president and Charles E. Parrott, retiring head of the church officers. The new slate was formally installed earlier this month.

Unitarian Church Planning Election

Following the morning worship service of Birmingham Unitarian, Jan. 14, at 6:45 p.m. After the annual supper hour, square dancing will be featured.

All members and friends of the church are welcome. Leon E. Jackson is taking reservations for the evening.

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