

**SUNDAY
SERMON
TOPICS**

SUNDAY JAN 30

Unity Center
"About Will Power" has been selected by Frank Glueck for the topic of the Cantor's meeting in their Birmingham Theater reading room.

United Brethren
Following the 10 a.m. church school, the Rev. Willis Bishop has chosen to speak on "The Secret of Security" at the 11 o'clock service. In addition to these programs, a Gospel Fellowship hour is held at 7:30 each Sunday evening, with cottage prayer meetings Wednesday nights at members' homes.

First Presbyterian
Preaching at both the 9:45 and 11:15 services, the Rev. W. Glen Harris, Ph.D., will speak on "God Pleases Himself." "God," he will show, "has no obligation to any one. He is not indebted to any man. God is the Creator of all things, and all things in the Universe are subject to His mercy. The text is from Genesis 1:1-5. "God pleases Himself in the nature of His being, in the character of the Universe, and in the hope that men will believe Him, serve Him, and in Him inherit life eternal."

Christian Science
Divine Love's inexhaustible supply of good for man will be brought out in the sermon "Love." The Bible text is from Psalms 102:1-4. "Bless the Lord, O my soul, and forget not all his benefits: Who forgiveth all thine iniquities; who crowneth thee with living kindness, and tender mercies."

Embury Methodist
Taking his text from II Timothy concerning the "word of truth," the Rev. Reginald Becker has elected to speak on "The Book of the Month."

Community
The Rev. John D. Rose will begin a series of four sermons on the Gospel of St. John, with his first title selected as "The Values of the Gospel."

First Methodist
At the 9:30 a.m. service, the Rev. Arnold F. Bankel, D.D., will speak on "On Resolving the Conflict of Youth." Speaking at 11 o'clock, Mrs. Hettie Huff, director of Christian Education, will have as her topic, "The Plus in Life."

First Baptist
In observance of National Youth Week, the Rev. Emil Kontz will speak on "The High Call of God," taking his text from Philippians 2:14. "I press toward the mark for the prize of the high calling of God in Christ Jesus."

LEGAL NOTICES
Donald McGalley, Atty. 316 Pierce St., Birmingham, Mo. 64257
STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Oakland.
At a session of said Court, held at the Court House in the City of Pontiac, in said County, on the 10th day of January, A.D. 1955.
Present, Honorable Arthur E. Moore, Judge of Probate.
In the Matter of the Estate of Marie E. Himmelsbach, Deceased.
William H. Himmelsbach having filed in said court a petition praying that the said estate be administered to the heirs-at-law named in the petition, and that notice be granted to the petitioner or to some other person named in the petition.
It is Ordered, That the 14th day of February, A.D. 1955, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at 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 publishing a copy of this order once each week, for three successive weeks previous to the day of hearing, in the Birmingham Evening News, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county, and that notice be given to the heirs-at-law named in the petition, and that a copy of this order be mailed to each of the persons named in the petition, and that return receipts be demanded, addressed to their respective last known addresses, as shown by said petition.
ARTHUR E. MOORE,
Judge of Probate.
45-45-47

Philip J. Elzer, Attorney, 406 Fisher Bldg., Detroit 2, Michigan
STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Oakland.
At a session of said Court, held at the Court House in the City of Pontiac, in said County, on the 10th day of January, A.D. 1955.
Present, Honorable Arthur E. Moore, Judge of Probate.
In the Matter of the Estate of RAGNAR HELLENUS, Deceased.
Dorothy Hellenus having filed a petition praying that she be appointed as administratrix of said estate, and that administration of said estate be granted to Dorothy Hellenus or to some other suitable person.
It is Ordered, That the 14th day of February, A.D. 1955, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at 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 successive weeks, previous to said day of hearing, in the Birmingham Evening News, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County, and that the petitioner cause a copy of this notice to be served personally or by registered mail, return receipts demanded, to each of the persons named in the petition, and that return receipts be demanded, addressed to their respective last known addresses, as shown by said petition.
ARTHUR E. MOORE,
Judge of Probate.
45-45-48

Cassidy & Lund, Atty., 1506 Dime Bldg., Detroit 26
STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Oakland.
At a session of said Court, held at the Court House in the City of Pontiac, in said County, on the 10th day of January, A.D. 1955.
Present, Honorable Arthur E. Moore, Judge of Probate.
In the Matter of the Estate of RAGNAR HELLENUS, Deceased.
Dorothy Hellenus having filed a petition praying that she be appointed as administratrix of said estate, and that administration of said estate be granted to Dorothy Hellenus or to some other suitable person.
It is Ordered, That the 14th day of February, A.D. 1955, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at 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 successive weeks, previous to said day of hearing, in the Birmingham Evening News, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County, and that the petitioner cause a copy of this notice to be served personally or by registered mail, return receipts demanded, to each of the persons named in the petition, and that return receipts be demanded, addressed to their respective last known addresses, as shown by said petition.
ARTHUR E. MOORE,
Judge of Probate.
45-45-49



CURTIS SNIDER JACK A. CLARK
Moderators, new and old (Eccentric Photo)

Congregationalists Elect
The history of their church in slides was presented when members of the Congregational Church of Birmingham met for their second annual meeting on Jan. 20. Starting with "only a handful of interested persons" less than two years ago, the church today has a membership of 346 persons. Jack A. Clark, moderator since the formation, is to be succeeded by Curtis Snider, with Robert Thompson, treasurer; Tenney McGraw, assistant; Robert Gerity, financial secretary; Leon Jackson, auditor; Mrs. Lon King, clerk, and Mrs. Carl Nielson, church school superintendent.
The Rev. Robert Dewey reported on the general church activities, with other summaries being given by heads of boards, committees and Fellowships relative to the growth and work of their divisions.

Methodist Tots Host Family Night Dinner
A family night potluck supper will be sponsored by the 930 primary department of the First Methodist church on Jan. 30, from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m.
The youngsters have just finished a project of writing letters to Korean children so will see a color movie on Methodist mission work in that country on "Korean Victory."

Detroit Zoo Head Is Dinner Speaker
A verbal visit to the Detroit Zoo is in store for those attending the father-daughter banquet at First Methodist church on Jan. 28.
Frank McInnis, director, will speak, telling the problems of running a community made up of animals. His appearance here has been arranged by Don Cummings, program chairman.

A Free Lecture ENTITLED "CHRISTIAN SCIENCE: THE OPERATION OF DIVINE PRINCIPLE IN OUR BEHALF"
By Ralph E. Wagers, C.S.B. of Chicago, Ill.
Member of the Board of Lecturers of the Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Massachusetts.
in Fifth Church of Christ, Scientist 17425 Second Boulevard
Monday Evening, Feb. 7 at eight o'clock

Everest & Jennings WHEEL CHAIRS
Fold to 10 inches
RENTAL & SALES
• HOSPITAL BEDS
• BED SIDES
• WHEEL CHAIRS
• WALKERS
• CRUTCHES
MICHIGAN FIRST AID
Invalid needs—sick room supplies
LI 2-3027 Jd 1-6847
1621 S. Woodward, R. O. 3 doors north of 10 Mile

REMODEL NOW!

- ✓ Recreation Rooms
- ✓ Attic Bedrooms
- ✓ Porches

CALL US FOR FREE ESTIMATE

NO MONEY DOWN

We re-screen and repair porches. All types of storm windows. All types and sizes of screens made and repaired.

ALL WORK FULLY GUARANTEED

OAK SASH and SCREEN

2317 West 12-Mile Road, Berkley LI 2-2226
OPEN DAILY TILL 5:30 — FRIDAY TILL 9 P.M.

Franklin Names Fund Drive Head

With a goal of \$195,000 established for the construction of a new Franklin Community church, D. J. Crawford has accepted the general chairman post to head volunteer groups of solicitors.
The Rev. Robert J. Searls commented, "Crawford has the thanks of the entire congregation and we are confident that he will lead us on a successful campaign."
"Knowing that others feel as I do," Crawford said, "I am certain of community-wide cooperation in our campaign. No one will deny that overcrowded, uncomfortable classrooms and sanctuary do not detract from the benefit we and our children get from our studies and sermons."

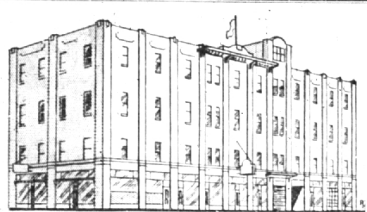
HE SAID THE campaign would work on three fronts, those who are affiliated with the church, those who are not formal members of the church but do take part in its life and work, and friends who desire to see the success of the campaign.
The first step is to recruit large numbers of volunteers, enough so no one person will be asked to spend a great amount of time on the job.
"In the church division, for example, there are one hundred fifty prospective donors. We expect a third of this number."

THIS PHASE of recruit enlistment is getting underway and is expected to be completed in the next few weeks. The date of the canvass will probably be late next month.
Franklin church was organized in 1849 with the present building on German Mill road built in 1949. An addition to meet the needs of the expanding community, was built in 1949.

The rapid growth of recent years has once more over-taxed the building's capacities. Church school increased 100 per cent between 1943-46. It has doubled again since 1948. Worship service attendance has increased proportionately so that now two services are needed each Sunday.
The Rev. Robert J. Searls commented, "Crawford has the thanks of the entire congregation and we are confident that he will lead us on a successful campaign."
"Knowing that others feel as I do," Crawford said, "I am certain of community-wide cooperation in our campaign. No one will deny that overcrowded, uncomfortable classrooms and sanctuary do not detract from the benefit we and our children get from our studies and sermons."

PRESENT PLANS call for a groundbreaking ceremony on Easter Sunday, April 10. The colonial-type building will be erected on a Village Green site, donated to the church by Mr. and Mrs. George Weingarten Smith.
Grant Siver, building committee chairman, said architects are J. MacDonaid Jacobs and associates. Harry Barr, finance chairman, said donors will be asked to make subscriptions payable over a two-year period ending February, 1957.

To buy or sell a used automobile, read and use Eccentric Classified Ads.



You Are Cordially Invited to Inspect OUR MODERN STORAGE
Built Especially to Store Household Goods
Local and Long Distance Moving
Gaulker Storage Co.
9 Orchard Lake Ave., Pontiac, Mich.
Dial "O" ask for Enterprise 6305

'India' Is Topic For WSCS Meeting
"India" will be the topic on which Mrs. Marshall Reed will speak at the general meeting of the Women's Society for Christian Service, Feb. 2.
The meeting opening with a luncheon is in charge of the Kate Wagner group, will be held in the church. Mrs. Robert Lynd is chairman with Miss Charles Martz in charge of devotions.
Early tips for church activities makes it better for us and better for you. Don't wait until the deadline, please.

SHIRTS LAUNDERED 4 HOUR SERVICE

BIRMINGHAM CLEANERS
Woodward at Adams Rd.
(We Give S&H Green Stamps)

For the big story on Mercury power—

let's begin at the end

NEW 1955 MERCURY MONTCLAIR AND MONTEREY—FIRST CARS IN THEIR PRICE CLASS WITH DUAL EXHAUST AS STANDARD EQUIPMENT

What turns Mercury's high low-power into a car without performance? It begins at the end of the car—the new dual-exhaust system that's built right into the massive rear bumper assemblies. Dual-exhaust performance is something you find as standard equipment only on the most expensive cars, up to now. But now it's yours at no extra cost on every Mercury Montclair and Monterey.

The dual-exhaust plus new developments in Mercury's vacuum-controlled Hydramatic Junior help set new performance standards with the new 196-hp and 157-hp 200-cu-in. V-8 engines. And to let you use that power with greater safety, there are further improvements in Mercury's ball-joint front suspension, for even easier, stiffer turning and cornering, even greater road stability.

At hundreds of Mercury showrooms all over the country, public enthusiasm for Mercury power is matched by admiration for Mercury's all-new styling for 1955. With entirely new bodies on a new platform, Mercury's lower fenders and sleek Mercury's clean design line make it a car that will look new for years to come. Come in and get the full story—at our showrooms now!

MERCURY

IT PAYS TO OWN A MERCURY FOR FUTURE STYLING, SUPER POWER

Don't miss the big television hit, "TOAST OF THE TOWN," Sunday evening, 8:30 to 9:00, station WJZ-TV, Channel 2

SEE YOUR NEAREST MERCURY DEALER!