

## We Need Your Help . . .

To get copy in early for next week's issue. Can you get it to us today or tomorrow (Thursday or Friday)? It would help immensely.

### Young Presbyterian Memorial Day Camp Plans Are Completed

High school age members of the First Presbyterian church have completed plans for their traditional Memorial Day outing. The group this year will visit Clear Lake camp, near Oxford. They will leave the church at 12:30 p.m., Sunday, returning Monday night.

Cochairmen Ann Gardner and Bob Horner have planned a full schedule of activities. Recreation will include boating, swimming, tennis, badminton, volleyball and other general sports.

An innovation to the program will be the election and installation of Westminster Fellowship officers. Charter members of the group will be inducted in a special candlelight service.

## SCHOOL DISTRICT OF THE CITY OF BIRMINGHAM OAKLAND COUNTY, MICHIGAN

### NOTICE OF LAST DAY OF REGISTRATION

WHEREAS, the annual election is to be held in said school district on the 13th day of June, 1955;

THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that Friday, the 3rd day of June, 1955, up to 5:00 o'clock P.M., Eastern Standard Time, is the last day on which unregistered persons may register in order to be eligible to vote at said election.

Application for registration should be made to the clerk of the city or township in which the elector resides.

Persons already registered upon the registration books of such city or township clerk, need not re-register.

Amos F. Gregory,  
Secretary of the Board of Education

Dated: May 19, 1955.

## Plan to Start Church Building Early in June

Sealed bids for the construction of the new Franklin church will be opened at the May 27 meeting of the building committee. Bids will be received until 5 p.m. that day.

Allowing time for approval of bids by church trustees and concluding financial arrangements, the Rev. Robert J. Searls said construction will be started as early in June as possible.

Mr. Searls urged that outstanding pledges be made as soon as possible to assure the building committee of the \$100,000 in cash or tangible assets, necessary to start construction.

HE SAID the committee currently lacked nearly \$20,000 of this and in order to assure the amount will need to mortgage present church holdings.

"If those who can will pay part or all of their pledges now," Mr. Searls said, "we can have a substantial amount by reducing interest payments on loans and mortgages."

"We ask financial aiders to turn in all cards immediately so we may complete the financial study and know exactly what we have to work with."



FEATURING THREE of its members the Holy Name church boys' choir will present Mozart's "Bastien and Bastienna" as a part of their May 27 program at Cranbrook. Roger Bouchard will sing the role of Bastien, with John Rossier as Bastienna. The magician's role will be sung by John Robertson, who stands to receive character makeup application from Mrs. Warren Sumner. This program, under the direction of the choir founder, Gilbert Gervais, will bring the current season to a close. (Eccentric Photo)

### Presbyterian Units Schedule Meetings

A mother-daughter dinner is slated for 6:30 this evening in the First Presbyterian church social hall, sponsored by the Jennie Keyes guild.

The Sarah Hunter guild is meeting at 8 p.m., at the home of Mrs. Robert Ellery, 835 Oakland.

### 'Christian Life' Theme for Presby Vacation School

First Presbyterian daily vacation school plans were announced this week by Mrs. Margaret R. Machin, Christian education director.

"Jesus, Our Guide in Daily Living" is the theme of the interdenominational theme this year. The local school program is to be based on Westminster Press materials of the Faith and Life curriculum.

THE PROGRAM is to give students a lab experience in Christian living. To create and assure such church trustees, church and presby situation, enrollment will be limited.

### Community Church Names New Officer

Moderator of Community Church, Congregational and executive board chairman, is Nelson H. Kimberly, 18160 Coral Gables.

The vice-president of the Michigan Liability Insurance company, Kimberly has been chairman of church trustees, church and presby situation, enrollment will be limited.

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## Notice of Annual Election

TO THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT OF THE CITY OF BIRMINGHAM OAKLAND COUNTY, MICHIGAN:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the annual school election will be held in the School District of the City of Birmingham in the County of Oakland and State of Michigan, on Monday, the 13th day of June, 1955, from 7:00 o'clock A.M. to 8:00 o'clock P.M., Eastern Standard Time, for the purpose of electing two members of the Board of Education for a term of 4 years each, for which office the following persons have been nominated:

Amos F. Gregory  
Kathryn T. Loomis  
John V. Nahabedian

and to vote upon the following proposition:

Shall the School District of the City of Birmingham, County of Oakland, State of Michigan, borrow the sum of not to exceed Five Million Five Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$5,500,000) and issue its bonds therefor, for the purpose of defraying the cost of erecting and furnishing five new elementary school buildings, erecting and furnishing additions to five existing elementary school buildings, completing the high school and the new junior high school buildings, remodeling the older parts of the Adams, Barnum, Pierce, Quarton, Bloomfield Village, Franklin, and Walnut Lake school buildings, and acquiring sites and additions to sites, all in said school district?

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN, that the voting places for said election will be as follows:

Precinct No. 1—Adams School  
Precinct No. 2—Quarton School  
Precinct No. 3—Barnum School  
Precinct No. 4—Pierce School  
Precinct No. 5—Franklin School  
Precinct No. 6—Bloomfield Village School  
Precinct No. 7—Walnut Lake School  
Precinct No. 8—Birmingham High School  
Precinct No. 9—Torry School

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN, that the Board of Education of said school district has estimated that Five Million Five Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$5,500,000) is the amount of money necessary to be borrowed for the project for which said bonds are to be issued.

Amos F. Gregory  
Secretary of the Board of Education of said school district

Dated: May 23, 1955.

## SUNDAY SERMON TOPICS

SUNDAY, MAY 29

Unitarian  
"I Love My Country" has been selected by the Rev. Russell L. Lincoln, who continues, "Because it believes all men are created equal, because it believes a man is innocent until proven guilty; because it believes in the ability of a man to make good choices."

Community Congregational  
Taking for his text, "As a hart longs for flowing streams, so longs my soul for thee, O God," the Rev. John D. Rose will speak on "The Vacuum into Religion Can Fill."

Christian Science  
Divine healing which casts out evil and restores harmony on the basis of God's unflinching power and goodness will be shown in the service. The Bible passage is to be found in Acts 5:12-16.

Unity Center  
Frank Glabach, leader of this group will speak on "There's a Lot in What You Say." Services are held in the Center's reading room, Birmingham tower building.

First Presbyterian  
Taking as his scripture reading the first nine verses of Exodus 19, and for his text the ninth verse, ". . . And Moses told the words of the people unto the Lord," the Rev. W. Glen Harris, P.D., will speak on "When God's People Pray."

Franklin Community  
Observing Pentecost Sunday and the reception of new members, the

Rev. Robert J. Searls has chosen to speak on "From Rabel to Pentecost."

United Brethren  
At the morning service the Rev. Willis Bishop will speak on "The Poor Wise Man," taking his text from Ecclesiastes 9:15. For his evening topic he has selected "The Great Invitation," the text being Matthew 11:28.

First Methodist  
Speaking at both morning services, the Rev. Arnold F. Eukel, D.D., has selected for his topic, "Conditions for Peace."

Northminster  
The Rev. Max Taylor will take II Corinthians 9:8, 7, for his text Sunday when he speaks on "The Hilarity of Givers." Services are held in Poplar school, Big Beaver road.

Congregational  
"Ye Are My Friends," is the subject on which the Rev. Robert Dewey will speak. The reception of new members and a communion service will highlight the service. A coffee hour will be held in the social hall.

First Baptist  
"Horsepower, Manpower and Spiritpower," is the sermon subject for the Rev. Emil Kozis, whose text will be Acts 1:8.

At the 7:30 p.m. service Richard Kozis will speak on "Let Your Vanity Show." Other church youth will assist.

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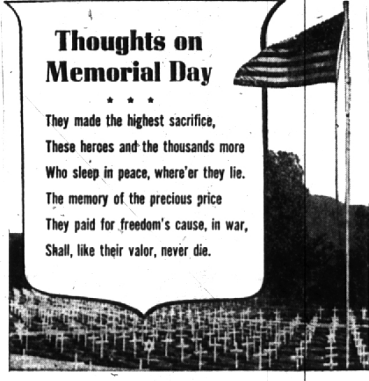
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### Thoughts on Memorial Day

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The memory of the precious price  
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