



ARTIST Shari Brush and her subject, the Rev. Arnold F. Runkel, D.D., First Methodist church minister, pose beside the oil painting of Dr. Runkel. Mrs. Brush was commissioned by a church family to do the painting which has been dedicated and will be hung in the church. The special ceremony came with the quarterly conference session two weeks ago.

Foreign Students Are MYF Guests

First Methodist MYF plans its monthly supper meeting Nov. 14, with four international students to speak.

Toh Bin Lim, a native of China whose family was forced to flee the Red regime, is from Rangoon, Burma. His father is district superintendent of the Methodist church there.

Joon Min Kim, from Seoul, Korea, has had some experience under United Nations occupation there.

Lavinia Hayashida, an exchange student from the University of Hawaii, is from Honolulu, and has been active in that city's Methodist Youth Fellowship.

Consuela Montoya's home is in Lima, Peru. She, like the others, attending Adrian college. Ms. Sidney Eva, field representative of Adrian's public relations department, will accompany the group and introduce them.

DELENE DOMES, Barbara's "ripps," Phil Russell and John Carter are MYF's planning the program with Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Boling and Mr. and Mrs. Don Gleichmann, adult advisors.

Mrs. Waldo Byam, church hostess, will be assisted by Mrs. Grant Fisher, Mrs. Melvin Dadd, Mrs. Gerald Domes, Mrs. Harold Hayes and Mrs. Dwight LaBarra, MYF workers.

SUNDAY SERMON TOPICS

Redeemer Lutheran
"What Makes a Christian?" is the subject, chosen by the Rev. Theodore Waggener for both morning sermons. His text is from Deuteronomy 33:29, "... who is like unto thee, O people saved by the Lord..."

Congregational
"The Virtue of Unrespectability" will be the topic of the Rev. Robert D. Dewey's sermon.

Northminster Presbyterian
Bearing his remarks on the eighth Commandment, the Rev. Mackay Taylor will preach on "You Can't Cheat an Honest Man."

Franklin Community
"Is Church Membership Really Important?" will be answered by the Rev. Robert J. Sears in his morning sermons.

First Presbyterian
The Rev. W. Glen Harris, Ph.D., will speak on "Having Them Gifts" at 9:45 and 11:15 a.m. His text, "Every one... shall give an offering unto the Lord," is taken from Exodus 30:14.

People and their friends are asked to purchase tickets before the Monday date.

Christian Science
The spiritual basis of man's health and life will be brought out in the sermon on "Mortals and Immortals." The text is from Matthew 15:30.

Unity Center
Meeting in the Y.M.C.A. building this group will hear Frank Glabach speaking on "Her at Law," at the morning service.

First Baptist
"The Sick Meet the Master" will continue the sermons on "Meeting the Master" when the Rev. Finn Korte, D.D., speaks at the 11 a.m. service. His 7:30 p.m. topic will be "Inheritance and Investment," another in the "Good News of Our Times" series.

First Methodist
Speaking at both morning services, the Rev. Arnold F. Runkel, D.D., will have as his topic, "Door-step Miracles."

Unitarian
Meeting at 4:00 Mandalay, Royal Oak, at 10:30 a.m., the Rev. Russell L. Lincoln has elected to speak on "Thoughtfulness for the Lesser."

Detroit to Speak

Men's Fellowship of the Congregational Church of Birmingham will meet November 10, for a 6:45 p.m. dinner and program. The Rev. Albert Chage, pastor of Central Congregational Church, Detroit's newest addition to Congregationalism, will speak.

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

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Urges Women To Support Missionaries

Speaking before Birmingham's United Church women at their annual World Community Day observance Friday, Mrs. David Baker urged their support of foreign mission fields.

"The offerings you make of clothing and money," she told them, "is a true expression of Christianity. It is inter-racial, inter-denominational in its expression."

As a member of the World Fellowship team sponsored by U.C.W. Mrs. Baker, editor of "The Church Woman," visited a dozen countries, observing conditions first hand and was sickened by the utter want

and poverty she saw.

"These are four foreign women in this country now," she said, "who will speak in Cleveland next week at a church women's convention. A few days ago I met them in a New York airport and took them on a short tour of that huge city."

"AS I WATCHED them looking at the glittering displays of costly jewelry, rich furs and beautiful clothes I felt ashamed of the abundance we have."

"In their countries, I saw hospitals which have nothing by our standards, saving lives and performing miracles. I saw Christian women take over virtually abandoned colleges and turn them into hospitals and surge farther into the field of helping others."

"We in the United States should learn to live with our abundance and do good with it, rather than spend so much looking ourselves up luxuriously with material things—could easily do without. It is up-to church women to lead the way and help establish the salvation of the world," she concluded.

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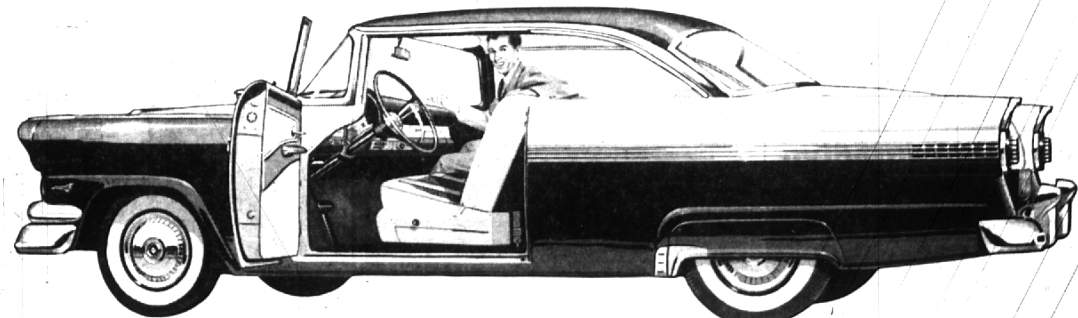
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