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SUNDAY SERMON TOPICS

SUNDAY, FEB. 12

United Brethren

Rev. Paul A. Graham, pastor of Warrendale United Brethren church, Detroit, will be guest speaker at Sunday services, when communion will be observed.

Northminster Presbyterian

The Rev. Mackay Taylor will deliver the communion meditation on "The Christian's Caution," with Corinthians 10:16 as text, at 10:30 a.m. services at Poppleton school.

First Methodist

Prominent guest preacher Dr. E. Z. Tuck will have as his topic "The Christian Witness in a Divided World" at both services.

Unitarian

The sermon topic of the Rev. William D. Hammond of Gross Pointe Unitarian church will be "Your Investment in Religion." Mr. Hammond is exchanging pulpits for the day with the Rev. Russell L. Lincoln.

Redeemer Lutheran

The Rev. Theodore Wagnans will speak on "Divine Forgiveness" at 9:30, 10:45 and 12 noon services.

Congregational

The Rev. Robert Dewey will give the communion meditation entitled "My Peace I Give You," following Holy Communion service at 11 a.m. There will be a reception of new members.

Community Congregational

"The Religion of Lincoln" will be the topic of the Rev. John D. Rose's sermon for both services.

Christian Science

"Soul" is the subject of the lesson-sermon on the availability of true joy and harmony in spite of seeming discord.

Embury Methodist

The Rev. Reginald Becker's sermon is titled "The Stewardship of Life," with text from Matthew 6:33, "Seek first His Kingdom in His righteousness, and all these things shall be yours as well."

First Presbyterian

"Men God Made Great" will be the title of the sermon by the Rev. W. Glen Harris.

First Baptist

"Behaving Like Brothers" will be the topic of the Rev. Emil Kontz at morning services, when baptism will be held. Topic at evening services will be "Motto for a Christian."

Franklin Community

"Are Today's Youth Running Away from God?" will be the topic of the Rev. Robert J. Searis.

Unity Center

The sermon topic chosen by the Rev. Frank Glabach will be "Saviors of a Lifetime," at 11 a.m. services in the YMCA building.



REV. ERNEST E. TUCK

To Participate In Mission Month Observance Here

The Rev. Ernest E. Tuck, D.D., director of the advance program of the Methodist division of world missions, will be guest speaker at both services of First Methodist church Sunday, Feb. 12, climaxing First Church's annual observance of Mission month.

Dr. Tuck has viewed the mission field as a pastor, administrator, and missionary to India and the Philippines. He and his wife were living in Manila when the Japanese captured that city, and were interned. Dr. Tuck was mission superintendent and treasurer for the Methodist church in the Philippines for 16 years. He had a major part in planning the postwar evangelistic, educational, and reconstruction program of Methodism in the Philippines and knows the problems of that young republic.

New Northminster Congregation Gets Building Report

At their first annual meeting, members of Northminster Presbyterian church heard a report that their church building under construction is expected to be completed by the end of April. Services in the first unit of the structure can probably begin in May, the building committee reported at the meeting held recently at First Presbyterian church.

Three elders elected were P. W. Buechler, Lester L. Phayer, and H. M. Stern. Mrs. William A. Leyden and H. M. Stern were voted to the post of deacon. The new church's membership has increased to 98.

Christian Science Lecture Slated

"Christian Science: The Revelation of God's Sustaining Love" will be the topic of Elizabeth Carroll Scott, C.S.B., when she visits Birmingham to speak at First Church of Christ, Scientist, Tuesday, Feb. 14 at 8:15 p.m.

The prominent lecturer, from Memphis, Tenn., is a member of the house of lecturers of the First Church of Christ, Scientist, Boston.



ENJOYING THEIR WORK as they prepare for the fashion show, dessert and bridge set by St. Hugo of the Hills Altar society, Mrs. Joseph F. Flaherty (left), Mrs. John J. Ellwood and Mrs. Harold P. Turner look over spring fashions to be modeled. Mrs. Flaherty holds a navy costume featuring a wool jersey coat lined with same polka-dotted surrah of the dress.

Valentine Fashion Show Set By St. Hugo Guild

Valentine's day is an important date on the calendars of women in the Altar Guild of Saint Hugo of the Hills parish, who will hold their annual fashion show, dessert and bridge that day.

Models from Boutique of Furs by Robert will parade in the newest spring suits, dresses and accessories when their audience of women from Bloomfield Hills, Birmingham, Grosse Pointe and Pontiac gather in St. Hugo of the Hills school gymnasium at 1 p.m.

Mrs. Phillip Monaghan is in charge of fashions, and general co-chairman for the event are Mrs. William E. Macke and Mrs. T. F. MacManus, Jr.

Holy Name Church Fund-Raising Drive Begins This Sunday

A drive to erase the balance of the debt on the new church building gets underway this Sunday at Holy Name church.

John J. Kelley, president of the Ubers' club, is in charge of the solicitation committee seeking to raise the \$250,000 balance remaining through two-year pledges. The \$700,000 church was formally dedicated Nov. 20, when first services were held there. It seats 900 people.

Next Sunday afternoon between two and four, 300 men from the parish will contact all members who have not yet returned pledge cards mailed to them last week.

Entertains Ass'n

Mrs. Pearl Devaney, of Bird street, last week entertained members of the Women's Missionary association of United Brethren church. The book, "The Gift Is Rich," a study of the American Indian, was reviewed. The film, "Strangers In Their Own Land," was shown.

Unitarians Invite Minoru Yamasaki

Following a pot-luck dinner tomorrow evening, Birmingham Unitarians will view a program presented by members of the building committee, with architect Minoru Yamasaki scheduled as the main speaker.

Church members will gather at Embury Methodist church for dinner at 6:30 p.m.

MRS. DAVID SPALDING, building committee chairman, will present a layout of the church building site. Yamasaki will discuss architecture and show Japanese slides.

Yamasaki's talk is part of the building committee's program to present to the congregation different points of view on types of architecture.

Book Review Tea Date Set by Guild

Thursday, Feb. 23 is the date set for the annual book review tea of St. Agnes guild at St. James Episcopal church.

Again this year by popular request, Mrs. W. C. Sears will give the book review, at 1:30 p.m. in the church undercroft.

MRS. THOMAS DOWLER is chairman for the tea, with Mrs. D. A. Sprague, co-chairman. Chairmen of tickets, which are one dollar, is Mrs. Cecil Buckner. A bake sale will be an added feature at the event, and Mrs. A. F. Plant and Mrs. H. H. Brown are handling arrangements.

Counselor to Speak

Dr. Norman Henderson of Wayne university will speak to the youth of Community Congregational church Sunday evening, Feb. 12, 7 p.m., on "How American Tomlinson, tickets; Mrs. J. G. Shannon, patronesses; Mrs. G. M. Pierce, parking, and Mrs. Ralph C. Conlan, publicity.

Franklin Community Church

26109 German Mill Road
1 Block East of Franklin Rd.
IDENTICAL MORNING WORSHIP SERVICES
9:30 and 11:00 A.M.
9:30 a.m. Church School, Grades 4-8
11:00 a.m. Church School Nursery through 3rd Grade
Robert J. Searis, Minister

Day of Recollection Planned Saturday

Saturday, Feb. 11, Rev. Father Cletus Suttman, O.F.M. will conduct a Day of Recollection for men, sponsored by the St. Elizabeth chapter of the Third Order of St. Francis at Duns Scotus college, West 3 Mile and Evergreen. Father Suttman's topic will be: "On Preparing for Lent!" Starting at 2 p.m., the one-day retreat consists of spiritual talks, meditation and supper, followed by an open-forum and a Holy Hour with the student friars. Activities are concluded at 8:30 p.m.

Northminster Presbyterian Church

Temporary Location — Poppleton School
Located on Big Beaver rd. at Crooks rd.
MACKAY TAYLOR — MINISTER
WORSHIP SERVICES & CHURCH SCHOOL 10:30 a.m.
Communion Meditation Sunday, February 12th
"The Christian's Caution"
1st Cor. 10:16

NORTH CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

21600 West 10 1/2 Mile Road
February 12, 1956
11:00 A.M. The Service of Dedication of the Church to the Local Congregation
Sermon: Dr. Charles Haven Myers
8:00 P.M. The Service of Installation of Rev. Ralph H. Read
Sermon: Dr. Phillip W. Saries
Church School 11:00 A.M.
All Are Cordially Invited

CHURCH OF CHRIST

1152 Benaville Birmingham, Michigan LI 2-0855
G. Wheeler Utley, Minister
10:00 A.M. Sunday Bible Class
11:00 A.M. Sunday Worship
6:00 P.M. Sunday Evening Service
7:50 P.M. Wednesday Evening Bible Study
"THE HERALD OF TRUTH"
WXYZ—Each Sunday 1:00-1:30 P.M.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICES

First Church of Christ, Scientist
191 N. Chester Street — Birmingham, Michigan
Sunday Morning Services 9:45 and 11:30
Sunday School 9:45 and 11:30
Infants' Room (in Reading Room) 9:30 and 11:15
Wednesday Evening Meeting 8:15
READING ROOM, 355 East Maple Ave.
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