



By JULIE CANDLER

With the baby sitter shortage being what it is, many mothers of young children could not possibly attend church services and other events if our churches didn't make provisions for nursery care.

Over at Peace American Lutheran church recently, they found a good way to care for the little folks. Following a family dinner, the young people's Luther league took charge of all the children in a separate room while their parents heard a discussion of church plans.

"It worked out very successfully," says the Rev. Paul Wietzke.

While the small fry were being kept happy by the teenagers, their parents learned the identity of the mysterious "5-D's" which had been posted around the church before the dinner.

Each of the "5-D's", it turned out, represented a spiritual dimension. The church members learned that five committees would begin special activity in connection with the five D's during the next few months.

Committees ranged in emphasis from parent education to evangelism and stewardship.

This important message about the church's coming program was revealed to many who, but for the nursery care, might never have been able to attend.

The nursery area over at First Presbyterian church last Sunday evening was labeled the "Calf Pen." Cowboy in charge was Mrs. Margaret Machin, director of Christian education. The Western theme stemmed from the subject of Dr. W. Glen Harris's talk on his ministry at cowboy camp meetings out West last summer.

A week from Sunday another family night is coming up at First Presbyterian church. After a snack supper at 5 p.m., parents and children will view a film, "This High Calling", on the place of the church in family life.

## Lutheran

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## CHURCH OF CHRIST

1152 Bennaville Birmingham, Michigan  
G. Wheeler Utley, Minister LI 2-0655

10:00 A.M. Sunday Bible Class  
11:00 A.M. Sunday Worship  
6:00 P.M. Sunday Evening Service  
7:30 P.M. Wednesday Evening Bible Study  
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"COMPLETE THE BUILDING" is the project under discussion here as plans for the First Methodist church building fund campaign are completed. Working on the project are (standing, from left) Dick Bailey, John Wilson, Coy Eklund and Ted Guething. Seated are Dr. Olen Hunt, fund director (left) and William H. Younger, chairman. Organizational dinner meetings scheduled Oct. 11, 17 and 18 will precede what is believed to be a final building fund drive opening Oct. 21. Funds raised are to provide additional church school classrooms and nursery, additional office space for Dr. Arnold F. Runkel and his ministerial staff, expanded choir room area for the church's 11 choirs, and a chapel with side entrance.

## Presbyterians' High School Choir Brings Total to 8

A new choir has been organized at First Presbyterian church, bringing the church's total to eight choirs, five youth and three adult. The new high school choir of 55 held first rehearsals recently with L. Robert Slusser, church organist and choirmaster.

Officers elected were Harry Altick, president; Julie Hoover, vice president and Pat Fuller, secretary-treasurer. Sue Conway and Ellen Rossett are librarians, and Carol Van Harsveldt, Debbie Hutchings, Harry Altick and Tom Chope are section leaders.

Pat Hogan, Judy Austin and Carol Decker make up the social committee. The new choir plans to appear at special services, and at regular worship services in the sanctuary on the first Sunday each month.

Also planned are musical entertainment at events other than church activities. A "Crusader choir" of third and fourth grade children was also added to the church's choir program recently.

## Bham Unity Center Acquires Property

Services in a newly-acquired building are expected to begin shortly after the first of the year for the congregation of Birmingham Unity Center.

Rev. Frank Glabach said this week that the church was not yet free to announce the location of the new property. The Unity group currently holds Sunday services at the local YMCA.

"We are outgrowing the YMCA," Mr. Glabach, who is an Oak Park attorney on weekdays, told The Eccentric.

## Detroit Church Begins Services At Area School

Another new congregation is forming in the Birmingham area, with services beginning recently at the Lathrup school at 27700 Southfield.

The Evangelical Covenant church of Detroit is holding suburban Sunday morning services there, with "increasing interest and attendance," according to the Rev. Melvin A. Bahststrom, pastor, who conducts the services.

"The beautiful auditorium and the well-equipped classrooms provide facilities that are attractive and adequate," said Mr. Bahststrom.

FIRST SUNDAY'S attendance was approximately 140, with 125 in the Sunday school.

Worship service is at 9:45 a.m., and the Sunday school meets at 10:30 a.m., with nursery accommodations provided at both services.

A large adult class is taught by Dr. Robert Byberg, of Huntington Woods. James C. Olson, of 187 Cranbrook road, Birmingham, is superintendent of the Sunday school.

Further information can be obtained by phoning Mr. Olson.

## Congregationalist Rummage Sale Set

The Women's Fellowship of the Congregational church will hold their annual rummage sale next Thursday, beginning at 9 a.m. at the church.

No definite hour has been established for the sale, close Mrs. F. N. Hilton, publicity chairman, states that the sale will probably continue until late afternoon, or "until the rummage is all sold."



T/LINK OVER the Holy Name Altar society's biggest project of the year, a round robin card party, are (from left) Mrs. Edward R. Hayes, and Mrs. Frank C. Eastford, co-chairmen, and Mrs. James R. Harrison, one of the party hostesses. Twelve members of each of the 12 guilds will be hostess to two tables of bridge or some other card game. Each of those guests, will, in turn, be hostess to one table. The fund-raising project is scheduled from Oct. 7 through 21.

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## Mrs. Tighe To Discuss 'Hot Spot'

"It's the hot spot of the world," says Mrs. William F. Tighe, of 439 Park, Birmingham, in describing southeast Asia.

Mrs. Tighe, well known local speaker and an active worker in church activities for many years, will discuss the important geographical area tomorrow at the Missionary Institute of the United Church Women.

Mrs. Tighe's talk at 10:30 a.m. at First Methodist church will be followed by luncheon at noon, with the Rev. Sheldon Rahn of the Detroit Council of Churches scheduled to speak on "Mission: Detroit" in the afternoon.

THE LOCAL churchwoman's discussion will be based on mission-study material presented at a World Mission Institute she attended in Lake Forest, Ill., last summer. Among sponsors of the institute are the United Church Women of the National Council of Churches.

Pointing out examples gained from her studies, Mrs. Tighe will explain that the revival of the ancient religions in southeast Asia make it imperative that Christianity assume an aggressive role in that area.

Practically all of the area's islands and nations have gained their independence since World War II, Mrs. Tighe says. Now they are streamlining their ancient religions, making them more flexible and adaptable to modern man.

AMONG the interesting information Mrs. Tighe learned in extensive reading she has done in connection with her subject is an item about Buddhist teaching.

"They say that for 19 centuries the Christians have torn the world asunder with war. And they claim Buddhism is the only ancient religion that hasn't shed blood to accomplish its spread," Mrs. Tighe related.

Such examples as that should give Birmingham women a clear understanding of the important mission of the church today.

## HOW CHRISTIAN SCIENCE HEALS

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## To Mark Anniversary

Rev. Edward F. Majeske, pastor of St. Vincent DePaul Catholic church, 2040 Fourteenth street, Detroit, has issued a call to former parishioners, high school graduates and others to attend the 90th anniversary celebration of the parish on Sunday, Oct. 7, beginning with solemn high mass of thanksgiving at 12:15 p.m.

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

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