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Training Sessions At Baptist Assembly

Mrs. Fletcher D. Street, Jr., 2799 Pembroke road, was a teacher-trainee June 27-July 11 at the laboratory school for administrators and workers with children at the American Baptist Assembly held at Green Lake, Wis.

Sessions were held in the Assembly's children's center. The teacher-trainees worked with children from the nearby communities of Green Lake and Princeton as well as children of the delegates.

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Methodist Minister Plans Tour of Europe, Holy Lands

Visits to the shrines of early Christianity and the birthplace of their own Methodist religion will highlight a two-month tour of Europe and the Holy Lands which will begin Wednesday for the Rev. and Mrs. Arnold F. Runkel.

The couple will be with a group of 30 ministers and educators who will participate in the Methodist Good Will tour sponsored by the Southern Illinois Methodist conference.

The trip is an expression of appreciation and recognition from the congregation of the First Methodist Church, Birmingham, where Dr. Runkel has spent 15 years as minister.

The tour will leave New York by plane July 23 for Paris where they will spend four days before going on to Milan, Venice and Florence.

IN ROME the group will attend morning worship in Rome's Methodist church and be guests at a special program at a Methodist orphanage.

Other trip highlights include a visit with the Bible Society and refugee leaders, an evening reception at the U.S. embassy in Beirut, and a tour of the Methodist Publishing house in Zan.

The visitors will receive Holy Communion August 13 at a morning worship service in the Garden tomb in Jerusalem at Jordan.

IN ENGLAND Dr. Runkel will preach at a London church service and visit Methodist shrines including the Wesley museum, Epworth Press and the "Methodist Recorder" and City Temple.

At the end of the tour the Runkels will remain in Europe for a visit to Ireland and Scotland and return by ship in mid-September.

Bible School Slated By Grace Baptist

Daily vacation Bible school for children ages 4-15 will be held at the Grace Baptist church, Lincoln and Edgewood, Birmingham, July 20-24 according to the Rev. Charles Whitfield, pastor.

The school will be daily, 9-11:30. Transportation is available.

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Come to the Fair

Mrs. Kelso Taeger and Mrs. Allan R. Malcomson of Birmingham discuss final plans for the Episcopal Church fair sponsored by the Angelus and St. Mary's guilds of St. Mary's of the Hill's church. The fair will be held July 25 from 11 a.m. to 7 p.m. on the church grounds at Lake Orion. Features include sketches by Robert Herzberg, a display of early American antiques, a refreshment stand, supervised play for children and many other colorful booths.

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Lathrup Man Elected Officer Of Association

Gordon W. Kingsbury, 28634 Lathrup boulevard, Lathrup, was elected moderator of the National Association of Congregational Christian churches at its annual meeting June 30-July 2 in Los Angeles, Calif.

"Congregationalism is going forward and upward," Kingsbury said at the meeting. "Strength seen here at our annual meeting assures future growth of our fellowship."

Kingsbury is an associate professor emeritus of Wayne State university. He retired in June, 1959. Before joining the faculty at Wayne he worked on the advertising staffs of several Michigan companies.

Dr. Frehse Guest Speaker Sunday

Dr. Robert M. Frehse will be guest minister for the second week Sunday at the Congregational church of Birmingham during Rev. Raymond Fanner's vacation. The sermon topic will be "Where Do You Live?"

His wife, Lydia, will be soloist at the service.

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9:30 and 10:00
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On Franklin's Village Green
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MORNING WORSHIP 10:00 A.M.
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Dr. Homer J. Armstrong
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SUMMER WORSHIP—9:30 A.M.
(Church School—10:45 A.M.)

St. James Episcopal Church
355 W. Maple—Birmingham, Mich.
SUMMER SCHEDULE
Sunday Services
8:00 A.M.—Holy Communion
10:00 A.M.—Morning Prayer and Sermon
(1st Sunday of the month Holy Communion)
10:00 A.M.—Nursery
Holy Communion Each Wednesday at 11:00 A.M.

NORTH CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH
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Sunday Morning Service 10:00 A.M.
Sunday School 10:00 A.M.
Infants' Room (in Reading Room) 9:45 A.M.
Wednesday Evening Meeting 8:15
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