

Minoru Yamasaki, internationally recognized architect, explains details of the Northminster master plan at a building committee meeting.

Northminster Presbyterian Continues Faith, Space Building

This will be a memorable year for members of the Northminster Presbyterian church and its pastor, W. Mackay "Mac" Taylor.

New construction recently began on the church property (Big Beaver road, just east of Adams) and it is scheduled for completion by early fall. A new church school wing and a fellowship hall will be included.

THE NEW units are only a part of the long-range plans that will eventually include a new sanctuary, lounge and additional church school units.

Perhaps one of the most thrilling aspects for church members is guidance of Minoru Yamasaki who is the architect for the building program.

THE RAPIDLY growing congregation of Northminster necessitated the move from their temporary

Presbyterians Slate Season Observances

Holy Week services at First Presbyterian church begin with special Palm Sunday message from Dr. W. Glen Harris, pastor. He will preach on "The King Cometh" at all three services—8:30, 9:45 and 11:15 a.m. The chapel and Candelaria choir will process with the chancel choir, singing "The Palm" by Faure.

Maundy Thursday and Good Friday at 8 p.m. special Holy Week communion services will be held. At this time a class of 78 young people and 98 adults will be received as church members. On Thursday when the young people will be received, the Junior high girls choir will sing and on Friday evening the adult chancel choir will sing.

THE COMMUNITY Tre Ore service will be held from noon until 3 p.m. Good Friday at First Presbyterian under the sponsorship of the Birmingham council of churches. Dr. W. Glen Harris, Dr. Arnold F. Runkel of the First Methodist and the Rev. Raymond Jenner of the Congregational church of Birmingham will preach. Officiating at the three different hours will be the Rev. Mackay Taylor of Northminster Presbyterian church, the Rev. Roy A. Pitts of Beverly Hills Baptist church and Dr. Homer Armstrong of the First Baptist church of Birmingham.

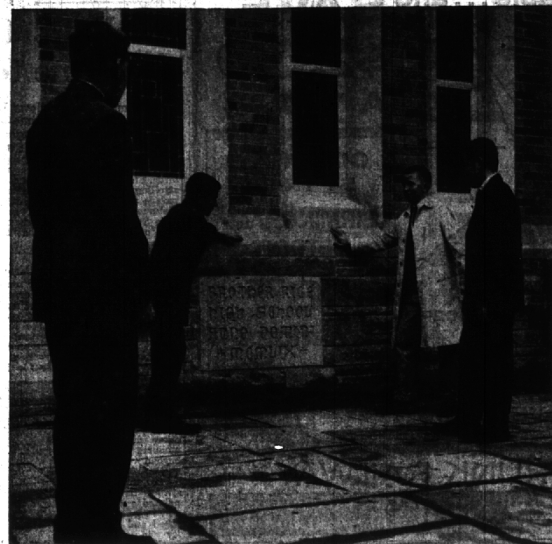
The chancel choir of the First Presbyterian church will sing portions of "The Seven Last Words" by DuBois and will be assisted by Mildred C. Ritter at the organ and Joan Gasaway, organist. The choir will be under the direction of L. Robert Slusser, organist.

EASTER DAY services at First Presbyterian will begin with the regular 8:30 service advanced to 8:15 a.m. The other two services will be as usual at 9:45 and 11:15 a.m. Dr. W. Glen Harris will preach at all three services and the mixed choir will sing the traditional "Hallelujah Chorus" from Handel's "Messiah." "Praise the Lord" by Cesar Franck will be sung by the chancel choir and there will be a brass quartet, tenor and the organ accompanying the choir.

Unitarians Plan Duplicate Services

The Birmingham Unitarian church will hold duplicate services at 9:30 and 11:15 for the next three Sundays, April 10, 17 and 24. The church school and nursery will be on the new schedule for those Sundays also.

The Rev. Lester Mondale will speak at both services on "Why Must Chessman Die?"



Admire New Rice High School

WEST BEVERLY—Four young men admire the structure that will become their alma mater next fall. It will be their duty to establish the traditions at the Brother Rice high school for boys at Lincoln and Lahser. The boys (from left) James Burkholder, 16907 Birwood; Don Naughton, 2933 Bradford; Chuck Devine, 1133 Wakefield

and Mel Gentile, 31883 Carl Elders, are among 250 enrolled for the first ninth grade class. Registrations are taken from the five Catholic parishes that have participated in the building projects. Persons outside the parishes will be admitted if openings remain. The Christian Brothers of Ireland will be instructors at the school.

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Manhasset, N.Y. Choir To Sing Here April 20

The Pilgrim Fellowship of the Congregational church of Birmingham is sponsoring a sacred and secular music concert by the Pilgrim Fellowship choir of the Congregational Church of Manhasset, N.Y.

The concert will be April 20 at 8 p.m. at the Birmingham community house auditorium.

THIS CHOIR of high school young people was organized in 1962 with eight young people; it has grown under the leadership of its director, Robley Lawson, to more than 100 voices.

The group has toured the eastern half of the United States, has done nationwide television shows and made a tour of Europe in the summer of 1958. This summer they will make a return trip to Europe.

DONATION TICKETS of one dollar for adults and 75 cents for children under 12 are available through the Congregational church office or from members of the Pilgrim Fellowship.

The public is invited to attend.

Baptist Women To Present Fashion Show

"Fashions, Fads and Fancies," the Goodwill Industries fashion show, will be presented at 1 p.m. April 12 at the First Baptist church.

The show is sponsored by the women's mission union to benefit its scholarship fund which provides funds for Michigan girls to attend the Baptist Missionary training school in Chicago.

COMMITTEE MEMBERS handling arrangements include Mrs. George Wright, Mrs. James McGuire, Mrs. Richard Diederich, Mrs. Fraser Pomeroy, Mrs. Earl Beaubien, Mrs. L. W. Crier, Mrs. George Athuloh, Mrs. Henry Harwood and Mrs. Robert Marker, chairman.

Tickets for the show must be purchased in advance. According to Mrs. Marker, the program is a near-sellout.

Methodists to Show 'King of Kings' Film

Cecil B. DeMille's immortal masterpiece, "The King of Kings," will be shown at Metropolitan Methodist church, 8000 Woodward, Detroit at 7:30 p.m. on April 11, 12, 13, 14 and 15 and at 2:30 and 5:15 p.m. on Good Friday.

The simple Christian story of the life of Christ, beginning with the conversion of Mary Magdalene and continuing through the Resurrection, is portrayed with reverence, beauty and great power. Although the picture was made in 1927, it was filmed so well under the direction of Mr. DeMille that it has become the most enduring motion picture of all time. It is estimated that a billion people have seen this great picture in showings around the world.

There will be no admission charge, but a free will offering will be taken.

S'field Minister Heads Services At Northland

The Rev. Paul H. Sutton of Southfield United Presbyterian church is the general chairman of the noon Lenten services at Northland auditorium.

The services are held from 12:10 to 12:50 p.m. weekdays at the auditorium.

Passion Week Youth Rally

Thursday, April 14

on the lawn of the

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Wheeler Utley, Presiding

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Church School 9:45 A.M.

Morning Worship 11:00 A.M.

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Sunday Broadcast

WPON Pontiac, 9:30-10:00 A.M.

First Church of Christ, Scientist

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191 N. Chester — Birmingham, Michigan

Sunday Morning Services — 9:30 and 11:00

Sunday School — 11:00

Infants' Room (in Reading Room) — 9:15 and 10:45

Wednesday Evening Meeting — 8:15

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MORNING WORSHIP 10:00 and 11:30 A.M.

CHURCH SCHOOL, 2 years Old thru 3rd Grade, 10:00 A.M.

4th Grade thru 10th Grade, 11:15

Robert J. Searls, Minister

Assistant to the Minister, Constance D. Pipok

NORTH CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Northwestern Highway and Ralph Road

MINISTER: Dr. LaRue H. Leader

11:00 a.m. Palm Sunday Service of Worship

Church School (Nursery through Senior High)

April 14, 1960

8:00 p.m.—Maundy Thursday Communion Service

THE SACRED CANTATA Sung by Chancel Choir

("The Seven Last Words" — Theodore Dubois)

ALL ARE WELCOME

St. James Episcopal Church

355 W. Maple — Birmingham, Mich.

SERVICES DURING LENT

WEDNESDAYS

7:30 A.M. and 11:00 A.M.—Holy Communion

8:00 A.M.—Morning Prayer and Sermon

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9:15 and 11:00 A.M.—Church School and Infant Nursery

8:00 P.M.—Confirmation Instruction (Adults)

8:00 P.M.—Young People's Fellowship

Clergy—K. H. Goss—W. F. Russell—David B. Van Duyn

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