

Three Youth Groups Plan Active Program

After a summer of evaluating existing youth programs, the staff and the Board of Christian Education of the Congregational church of Birmingham are ready to launch into a revised ministry of youth, reaching young people of both junior and senior high school age. Three separate youth groups will meet during the coming year and will be coordinated through the church's educational board.

Youth of senior high age will meet weekly in the Pilgrim fellowship. Planning the youth schedule for this group is the Pilgrim fellowship cabinet, consisting of president, Judy Burns, vice president, Mike Jordan, secretary, Donna Conrad, and treasurer, Keith Harts. Other members include Diane Ferguson, Nancy Ferrell, Nancy Riemann, Owen DuVal, Marilyn Sturgeon and Carol Warner.

THE CABINET meets regularly under the guidance of the church's ministry to youth. It is the creation of a separate youth fellowship for high school freshmen. This group, meeting weekly, will be similar in structure to the Pilgrim fellowship, but will have its own officers, committees and advisors.

The schedule of the new Fellowship will include both educational and social programs and members will join with the other group for special work projects and activities during the course of the year.

The ministerial staff feels that such a group will give younger teenagers an opportunity for a junior high school experience, over-shadowed by older senior high youth. It will make possible a program more closely meeting the needs of boys and girls who are not really junior high, nor senior high, but in a class by themselves.

The third group will be the junior high youth fellowship. It will meet monthly, with a program of major social events. It will be under the direction of a junior high youth advisory committee with Mrs. Gloria Shaffer as chairman.

THE ADVISORY committee consists of both adults and junior high youth, and meets with the church's minister of education, Mr. Bailey, to plan the scheduled activities under the leadership of Mr. Bailey, dealing with subjects of interest to the young person completing his high school career.

As an extension of the church ministry in metropolitan Detroit, the Highland Park Baptist church is starting a branch church on Sunday, Oct. 2, in the Alice M. Boring building, 10000 Highland Park, at the intersection of 10000 Mile and Evergreen in Southfield.

A schedule of services has been set up that will permit Dr. Lehman Strauss, pastor of Highland Park Baptist, to preach at the Sunday morning service and teach at the midweek prayer meeting.

The church's activities include a morning service from 9 to 10:15 a.m.; a Bible school from 10:30 to 11:30 a.m.; young people's groups from 5:45 to 8:45 p.m.; evening services from 7 to 8:30 p.m. and a midweek prayer meeting from 7:30 to 9 p.m.

VARIOUS speakers will be used in the Sunday evening services. Dr. Donald Brown, Detroit dentist, will be the speaker at 7:30 p.m. and chairman of the board of the Detroit Bible college, will speak during the month of October. Rev. Fred C. Renick, assistant general director of Missionary Internship, will speak at 8:30 p.m.

It is expected, according to Paul Pickard, program director of the church, that the new church will erect a permanent building on the church property, located on 10000 Mile Road.

The establishing of an branch church is directly under an expansion program of the church, which is sending every phase of church life at Highland Park Baptist. Garnet Richardson is chairman.

H. P. Baptist Starts Branch In Southfield

Final Arrangements Made for Fall Show

A meeting was held recently at Mrs. S. D. Bassett's of 6035 Bryn Mawr road to discuss the final arrangements for the Fall fashion show and tea to be given at the First Presbyterian church on Wed. Oct. 5 at 1:30 p.m. by Denney's of Highland Park. The show will be sponsored by the Sarah Hunter guild.

Tickets may be obtained by contacting Mrs. W. F. Shively, 6995 Georgia or Mrs. R. S. Graham, 17929 Buckingham, both of Beverly Hills.

Reception Sunday For New Members At North Church

Church activities at North Congregational church will include a Thursday, Sept. 29, at 7:30 p.m. and also planned is a reception for new members at 10:30 a.m. in the sanctuary.

Christ and Sunday was observed Sept. 25, with all classes from third grade through senior high inclusive attending church services. Following the service, there was a coffee hour in the women's lounge to enable members to meet the church school staff.

Women's activities included the monthly luncheon meeting of the Women's association Tuesday, Sept. 27, with Mrs. John A. Moorhead leading the devotional service. Mrs. Robert Shields spoke on "Trends on Geriatrics."

Also on Tuesday, was a meeting of the Board of deaconesses.

Thursday Meeting At 1st Baptist For Mission Union

The Women's mission union of First Baptist church, Birmingham will meet Thursday, Oct. 6 at 9:30 a.m. in the church.

The program, "No. 6 Concerned," will be led by Mrs. Robert B. Bowers. She is working with International students at Wayne State university. Devotions will be led by Mrs. Farno Green of Birmingham.

The Miriam circle is in charge of the October meeting. The circle chairman is Mrs. Leland Hale. A nursery is provided for preschool children.

BIRMINGHAM COMMUNITY CHURCH
MEETING AT
Birmingham Y.M.C.A.
400 E. Lincoln
Sunday School 8:30 A.M.
Morning Worship 9:00 A.M.
Evening Worship 7:00 P.M.
Midweek Prayer 7:30 P.M.
Study—8:00 P.M.
Gordon J. Dowdison

BIRMINGHAM UNITARIAN CHURCH
651 Woodward at Lone Pine
Duplicate Service,
Church School, Nursery
9:30 and 11:15
"THEODORE PARKER AND THE SOCIALIZING OF RELIGION"
The second in a series of talks on Unitarianism
LESTER MONDALE
Minister LI 6-7862

Kirk in the Hills
BIRMINGHAM BRANCH
Dr. Harold C. DeWitt
MINISTER
Sunday Service
9:30 and 11:30 A.M.
Carillon Recital
Sunday, Sept. 28 4 P.M.

NATIVITY EPISCOPAL CHURCH
21222 West 14 Mile Road
(Half way bet. Cranbrook & Lahar)
8:00 A.M. Holy Communion
9:30 and 11:15 A.M. Morning Prayer
Nursery and Church School
9:30 and 11:15 A.M.
Minister: Rev. Louis C. Gillette
MA 6-6666 MI 6-7627

NORTH CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH
Northwestern Highway and Lahar Road
11:00 a.m. Morning Service of Worship
MINISTER: DR. RALPH H. READ
11:00 a.m. Church School (Toddlers through Senior High)
Nursery care provided
ALL ARE WELCOME

Franklin Community Church
On Franklin's Village Green
1 block west of Franklin Rd. at Willington and Normandy
MORNING WORSHIP 10:00 A.M.
Nursery through 3rd grade at 10:30 A.M.
4th grade through Junior High School at 11:15 A.M.
Hugh Clifford White, Minister
John L. Carlson, Director of Youth Activities

Dr. Amorosio to Talk
Dr. Alfred Amorosio, world famous dentist, will be the speaker at the first dinner meeting of the St. James couples club on Thursday, Oct. 6 at 1:15 p.m. Reservations may be made by calling the church office.

Hold Smorgasbord Tonight at Church
The Westminster guild of the First Presbyterian church will hold a smorgasbord dinner in the social hall of the church tonight from 6:30 to 7:30.

Tickets may be obtained from Mrs. Howard C. 1632 Webster, Birmingham. Proceeds will be used for the guild mission work.

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ST. PAUL METHODIST
143 E. Square Lake Rd. PK 5-8333—FE 2-5763
Morning Worship 10 A.M. and 11:15 A.M.
Church School 9:30 A.M.
Seniors and Intermediate 10:30 A.M.
Rev. James A. McLaughlin, Minister
SUPERVISED NURSERY—ALL SERVICES—AMPLE PARKING

Beautiful Saviour Lutheran Church
North Adams Road, Southfield, Michigan
10:30 A.M. Church School
Sunday Worship Services 8:30 A.M. and 11:00 A.M.
Sunday School 9:30 A.M.
Rev. Donald G. Zill, Pastor MI 6-5041-MI 6-5124

NORTHBROOK PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
19850 W. Twelve Mile Road, Southfield, Michigan
10:30 A.M. Church School
10:30 A.M. Morning Worship
"QUIET—DO NOT DISTURB"
Minister
The Rev. William H. Downey Elgin 7-2930

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST
Christian Science Services
191 N. Chester — Southfield, Michigan
Beginning Sept. 11th and during our remodeling
Sunday Service Community House, 380 Bates Street 10:30 A.M.
Sunday School Church, 191 N. Chester 10:30 A.M.
Wednesday Evening Church, 191 N. Chester 8:15 P.M.
Infants' Room (365 E. Maple) 10:00 A.M.
Reading Room, 355 E. Maple Street
Open 10:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. Except Sundays and Holidays
Evenings 7:00 to 9:00 Except Wednesdays and Saturdays.

St. James Episcopal Church
355 W. Maple—Birmingham, Mich.
Sunday Services
8:00 A.M.—Holy Communion
9:15 A.M.—Morning Prayer and Sermon
11:00 A.M.—Morning Prayer and Sermon
5:00 P.M.—Young People's Fellowship
Church School and Nursery—9:15 and 11:00
Midweek—Holy Communion—Wednesday 11:00 A.M.
Clergy—K. H. Gass—W. E. Snodgrass—David B. Van Dusen
Mus. Dir.—Kent McDonald

Unity Center—BIRMINGHAM
affiliated with Unity School
Lee's Summit, Mo.
TEMPORARY ADDRESS—
Conference Room
Birmingham Hotel, 1000
Hester & Maple
Sunday Service Fri. Class
11 A.M.
For Information—MI 6-1433
MI 6-2566

PEACE AMERICAN LUTHERAN CHURCH
13 Mile Rd. between Greenfield and Southfield
Worship 10:45
Edward E. Brown, Pastor
Telephone: MI 6-1418

ST. ANDREW LUTHERAN CHURCH
United Lutheran Church
6255 Telegraph, 1/10th of a Mile North of Maple
Church School 9:30 A.M.
Worship Services
8:30 and 11:00
Parsonage: 1400 Pleasant St.
Phone: MI 6-1411
Rev. John A. Root, Pastor
A National Lutheran Council Church

First Baptist Church
Bates and Willis
Ministers: Birmingham, Mich.
Dr. Homer J. Armstrong, Rev. William W. Sutterlin
Church School 9:45 A.M.
Morning Worship 11:00 A.M.
Dial—A. Devotion
MI 6-5254
Sunday Broadcast
WPON Forties, 9:30-10:00 A.M.

Wonderful Opportunity for All Students of Christian Metaphysics
For the first time—Divine Science College of Denver, Colorado—is offering its course in FUNDAMENTALS—through affiliated Church in Birmingham under an extension school plan—with full credit towards graduation from the Denver School. Evening class to commence Monday, October 3rd at 7:30 p.m. Inquiries by mail only. 1125 West Maple, Birmingham, Michigan.

How Christian Science Heals
Steffin Clinic
800/4K
Sunday 9:45 A.M.

You are cordially invited to a Free Public Lecture on Christian Science . . .

Subject: Christian Science Reveals Man's Unlimited Abilities

By: NEIL H. BOWLES, C. S. B.
of Atlanta, Georgia
Member of the Board of Lecturership of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass.

Sunday, October 2, at 8:15 P.M.
IN THE BIRMINGHAM COMMUNITY HOUSE
380 SOUTH BATES STREET

Under the Auspices of First Church of Christ, Scientist
Chester at Willis • Birmingham, Michigan

Honored by Award

With more than 10 years of Sunday School attendance at Our Shepherd Lutheran Church to her credit, Annette Faye Bennett, left, 13-year-old daughter of the Sherman Bennetts, of Clawson, received a bar for her Cross and Crown pin on Rally Day, Sept. 18. The Rev. H. G. Alward made the presentation.

Women Key Institute To International Theme

"Into all the World Together" is the theme the United church women will present for study at Missions institute on Friday, Oct. 7 at St. James Episcopal church. The purpose of the Institute is to promote study materials for the year and to strengthen the understanding and support of the interdenominational work of the churches at home and abroad.

Teachers and leaders of local churches and other groups will receive training in the use of this material.

Following registration at 10 a.m., the Rev. John Angermeyer, Minister of education at the First Presbyterian church, will speak on "The World Scene from the Tower of Babel to the Atomic Age." Dr. Kenneth H. Gass of St. James Episcopal church, will conduct the devotional period.

MRS. GEORGE B. FINCH will present the study material. After lunch, Mrs. Florence Willett, Mayor of Birmingham, will give her views on the role of United church women in local politics. The presidents of all church women's organizations will serve as hostesses at the luncheon table.

Mrs. Ernest Nathan, chairman of the Kirk in the Hills, will present the study material. After lunch, Mrs. Florence Willett, Mayor of Birmingham, will give her views on the role of United church women in local politics. The presidents of all church women's organizations will serve as hostesses at the luncheon table.

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Mrs. Esslinger Heads Group Planning Fair

The Altar guild of St. Hugo of the Hill church has planned a book fair to be held from Oct. 3 to Oct. 8 at the school. The purpose of the fair is to stimulate interest in books, spiritual, science and current literature.

Mrs. John O. Esslinger of Birmingham, is chairman. Committee members are: Mesdames Charles Bayliff, Lora Curried and Joseph Rabalman and James Kennedy.

Children of all grades are participating in a poster contest to give added interest to the fair.

There will be a coffee honoring new members of St. Hugo altar guild Tuesday, Oct. 4 from 10 to 11 a.m. at the home of Mrs. Glen W. Obermeyer, Bloomfield Hills.

At least 20 new parishioners are invited to attend the meeting of the altar guild and its new members. This will be the third in a series of four coffees to be held throughout the year.

A tea and a pantry shower for the Sisters of St. Hugo school will be given Friday, Oct. 7, from 1:30 to 3:30 p.m. at the school. Mrs. Kenneth H. Duerr will be chairman and extends an invitation to all women of the parish to participate in the affair.

This is an opportunity for all members to meet with the Sisters and personally welcome them.

Committee members for the tea are: Mesdames Charles Bayliff, Lora Curried and Joseph Rabalman and James Kennedy.

Stanley Billeki, Nicholas Klayo and John Brooks.

Mrs. John Raymond, president of St. Hugo altar guild, has announced that the guild will stage a luncheon and fashion show at noon Nov. 15, at the Birmingham country club.

Co-chairmen are Mrs. George Morris, Jr., and Mrs. Anthony Anzies. They will be assisted by Mesdames James P. Tomlinson, James Kemp, David Comstock and Austin Sansone. Mrs. Comstock is coordinator of models.

Church Uses Week To Study, Enrich Spiritual Life

Attention is being focused on the Sunday school educational program during Christian education week at the Congregational church of Birmingham.

Inaugurating the week's activities, was a church school staff retreat on Sept. 25 and 26, held at Drake house, Drake and Maple roads. Starting with dinner on Friday evening, the two-day session had as its theme, "God Was In Christ."

Featured were three lectures—discussions under the leadership of the Rev. Raymond A. Fenner, minister of the church. His presentation followed the church school curriculum emphasis for the year.

A vesper communion service, led by the Rev. Mead M. Bailey officiating, closed the retreat program.

FURTHER activities of Christian education week included a dedication of all Christian education personnel at the morning worship hours on Sunday, Sept. 25. Church school classes were suspended and pupils joined parents for family worship in the sanctuary.

A church-school family night program, under the sponsorship of the Board of Christian education, will be held Sept. 29 and will conclude the week's activities. The program will feature a panel discussion on the subject, "Church-Home Relationships in Christian Education," moderated by Dr. Russell Burroughs, chairman of the educational board.

PANELISTS will be Mrs. Dalt Lamb, general superintendent of the Sunday school church school; Mrs. Raymond A. Latimer, teacher, primary department and Mr. Fenner and Mr. Bailey, the ministers.

Following the program an opportunity will be given for parents to meet church school teachers and to view current curriculum material.

Day Circles Plan Luncheon, Workshop
Day circles of the Women's Association, Congregational Church in Lathrup Village, will meet Wednesday, Oct. 26, for luncheon at 12:30 p.m. and workshop at 1:30.

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