

BEGINS IN BIRMINGHAM

Nine Area Churches Join In Workshop on Religion

A workshop on Religion and Social Issues is being offered by nine Birmingham-area churches in cooperation with the Michigan Region of the National Conference of Christians and Jews.

Groups, each limited to 14 participants, will meet at 8 p.m. Oct. 17 and 24 and Nov. 7, 14 and 21. Participating churches are: Beautiful Saviour Lutheran Church, Birmingham; Congregation Shaare Zedek, Southfield; Holy Name Catholic Church, Birmingham; New Bethel Baptist Church, Pontiac; Newman African Methodist Episcopal Church, Pontiac.

NORTHMINSTER United Presbyterian Church, Troy; Stephen's Episcopal Church, Birmingham; St. Thomas More Catholic Church, Birmingham; and Temple Beth Jacob, Pontiac.

First speaker in the series, which opens Oct. 15 at Beautiful Saviour Lutheran Church, 5631 N. Adams, Birmingham, will be Dr. Aaron Rutledge, leader, counseling and psychotherapy services, The Merrill Palmer Institute.

The theme that day is "Prejudice and Mental Health." Dr. Rutledge accepted his appointment at Mer-

ill-Palmer nine years ago, and prior to that, he worked in mental hospitals, general hospitals, outpatient psychiatric clinics, family therapy agencies, universities, and in private practice as a psychotherapist and marriage counselor.

MEMBERS of the workshop will meet in general session during the first part of each evening to learn from the experts who come to speak.

Small groups will meet during the latter part of each session to explore further the topic of the evening. No more than two from each sponsoring group will be in the same discussion group.

At the 11 a.m. worship service, Pastor Harold W. Gieseke will speak on the theme, "Are You Dead—Or Alive?" The church choir will sing under the direction of Jack White, and Mrs. J. Merle Antis will be at the organ.

Northminster Women Plan Study Session

The Women's Association of Northminster Presbyterian Church will hold its monthly meeting at 10:15 p.m. Tuesday.

"The Rim of East Asia," a study concerning Formosa, Hong Kong, Okinawa and Korea, has been a part of this year's program for the association. The speaker will be Mrs. Hallett D. Edson of Mydleton church who will talk about her experiences in Korea.

Prior to residing in Birmingham, Mrs. Edson lived in Korea for two years, where her husband was stationed with the U. S. Army.

HER MANY activities included organizing a "crazy ladies" group for volunteer work at the Presbyterian Hospital in Taegu.

A film strip will be shown, accompanied by a recording made by Howard Moffett, director of the hospital and a previous guest minister at Northminster church.

Presiding, Mrs. Edson's talk will be a luncheon, served by members of the Priscilla Circle. Mrs. Edson will be in charge of preparations.

A supervised nursery will be provided for preschool children.

Pick Winners In Lutherans' Poster Contest

Final winners in the poster contest sponsored by Redeemer, Our Shepherd and Ascension Lutheran churches in connection with the "World's Fair of Missions," now in progress, are as follows:

First grade, Lise Bratton, Ascension; second grade, Kathy Block, Redeemer; third grade, Peggy Hutchinson, Redeemer; fourth grade, Jo Ann Tylicki, Redeemer; fifth grade, Jim Block, Redeemer; sixth grade, Dale Rankin, Our Shepherd; and seventh grade, Susan Art, Our Shepherd.

THESE POSTERS are being displayed at the fair at the present time. The winning children will be awarded a pin, depicting a shield with an open Bible and small model of the world, designed especially for this occasion.

The fair continues, from 6 to 9:30 p.m., today and Friday at Redeemer Lutheran Church, 1800 W. Maple, Birmingham. It is open to the public without charge.

MEMBERS OF the Society's cancer aid sewing group will meet today at the home of Mrs. Joseph Gaskins, 31655 Marlin Court.

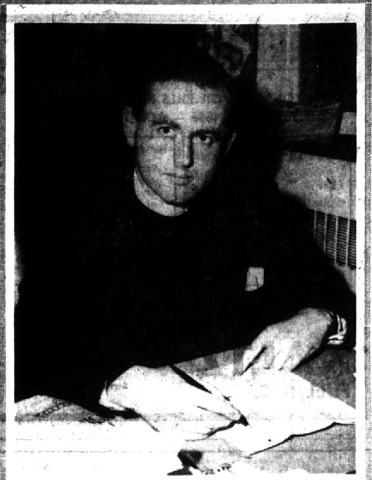
Four representatives from the group are attending the study course, "Christian Mission in Southern Asia," at First Methodist Church during the month of October for jurisdictional credit. They are Mrs. Byrn; Mrs. John Ferentz, 22259 Cross Bow; Mrs. Paul Maker, 22830 W. 14 Mile Road; and Mrs. Harold Reasner, 32344 Mayfair Lane.

Governor Romney To Participate in Race Convocation

Gov. George Romney of Bloomfield Hills is scheduled to be a principal participant when Michigan Methodists hold their Second Regional Convocation on Race October 19 at Lansing.

The state's chief executive will speak from the steps of the State Capitol where delegates from churches throughout Michigan will gather for a "Methodist Witness."

The "Witness" will emphasize the concerns of Michigan Methodists with problems demanding solution in the state and nation as a result of racial discrimination.



Minister Meets U.S.A., Baseball

By ETHEL SIMMONS Church Editor

The Rev. Peter Watkins had a quarter riding in the baseball pool. When I arrived for an interview with the new assistant minister from England, he was sitting in the St. James Episcopal Church office drinking not tea but coffee and watching on an eight-inch portable television set that old American pastime.

We adjourned to the study of the Rev. Kenneth H. Gass, rector of the Birmingham church, and Rev. Watkins explained that this was his first introduction to the United States and to baseball's world series.

REV. WATKINS, who replaces the Rev. David B. Van Dusen, arrived Sept. 30, and is presently staying with Rev. and Mrs. Gass.

A born and bred Londoner, he said he had two reasons for seeking out the mission in America that will last a minimum of two years.

"The approach here is different. For example, the laymen work in the church here, and they don't in England, which is too bad."

His second reason is the "Anglican communion. The Anglican church is more aware of itself as a unity."

ACTUAL differences between the church in America and in England have not yet been determined by Rev. Watkins, who will be "teaching the teachers" for Sunday

school classes and working in other capacities with children through high school age.

"The whole plant here is more elaborate," was his first observation. "It is so detailed. There you might have a church hall and a kitchen but nothing like this."

In England, Watkins has been a hospital chaplain, had an industrial mission and was only another St. James Church away — St. James, Piccadilly — before coming to the Birmingham church.

ST. JAMES, Piccadilly, was a "fashionable church," he said, not in a residential parish and was used for special church occasions. Several Archbishops of Canterbury had served there.

At Piccadilly, he "preached, endlessly," he said. He hopes to lecture in this area should the opportunity present itself, but he pointed out that "his first duty is to this parish."

Rev. Watkins started five years of theological study at Oxford, where he also represented the university in athletics as a runner.

"SINCE arriving here," he said, "I've been told I'll have to take up bowling (not yet popular in England) and that I must go skiing this winter. I should have come here on an athletic scholarship."

At the conclusion of the interview, Rev. Watkins gathered up our coffee cups. Back at the church office he received congratulations. He had just won the baseball pool.

Dr. Reuel Howe, 380 Lone Pine Road, Bloomfield Hills, is serving on the "Let's See" Committee, Department of Radio and Television, Metropolitan District Council of Churches.

Dr. Howe is director of the Institute of Advanced Pastoral Studies. "Let's See" began Sunday on WJHX-TV and will be seen from 9:30 to 10 a.m. each week. The first 13 weeks of the series deal with the race crisis, using the theme "The Church and Civil Rights."

Women of Parish To Hear Discussion Of New Convocation

Dr. Kenneth H. Gass, rector of St. James Episcopal Church, will speak to the women of the parish Wednesday following luncheon. His talk will deal with the philosophy behind the formation of the new convocation in the diocese of Michigan.

The Wednesday morning Bible classes conducted by the Rev. W. Eugene Snodell are now in session. His subject this fall is Peter, James, John and Jude.

The class period has been extended a half hour beginning at 9:30 a.m. to allow time for extra discussion.

Two kinds of gratitude: the sudden kind we feel for what we take; the larger kind — we feel for what we give.

— Edwin Arlington Robinson

Serving always with dignity, understanding and consideration . . .



VASU-LYNCH Funeral Home

4375 N. Woodway Ave., between 12 & 14 Mile Roads Liberty 9-0000

Baptist Youth Will Sing Out

The youth of the Bloomfield Hills Baptist Church, 3600 Telegraph Road, will sponsor a Singingpiration, to which all churches of the surrounding area are invited, at 9 p.m. Sunday.

Don Engram and his team from VCV Detroit will direct the "singing," with Jacques Bordeaux as master of ceremonies and J. O. Stewart at the piano.

Bordeau and the team will also

be present to speak and bring special music to the young people's service at 5 p.m. and the regular evening church service at 6 p.m.

SUNDAY MORNING at 10 a.m. also marks observance of Rally Day for the Sunday school. The entire school will be in the sanctuary for a program by the various classes.

Herbert Barsuhn, general Sun-

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Young Missionaries Begin B'ham Project

Elder Marvin D. Quinton and Elder Jay Manwaring, missionaries for the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints (Mormon), have recently moved into Birmingham and are visiting families as part of a two-year mission which they are fulfilling.

Quinton, from Ida's Falls, Idaho, attended State University prior to receiving his mission call, and Manwaring, from Denver, Colo., is attending Brigham Young University.

The purpose of their missionary work is to acquaint interested groups or individuals with the teachings of the Mormon Church. Both are reading at 1530 E. Webster.

THE TWO young men are in the second year of their mission work which is voluntary. A total of 13,000 missionaries are engaged in this work and half of these are in the United States and the other half overseas.

Elders Quinton and Manwaring are covering Birmingham, Bloomfield Hills and Troy. The Great Lakes Mission, including Michigan,



MANWARING, QUINTON

Ohio and Indiana, is being covered by 240 missionaries.

Manwaring, 21, previously was in Columbus, Ohio, for eight months. Quinton, 20, comes from Fort Wayne, Ind.

THEY CONTACT approximately 200 people a week through house calls and referrals and through members, surveys and speaking before groups.

They meet with interested persons, holding discussions with visual aids to teach about the church.

Planning Spare Time Will Be WSCS Topic

"Planning Our Spare Time" will be the program topic of the Women's Society of Christian Service of the Beverly Hills Methodist Church Wednesday.

Hostess for the meeting is Mrs. Glendon Sharpe, 32210 Auburn Drive. Dessert will be served at 12:30 p.m.

Mrs. Wilbur Mitchell will be the speaker. She is a member of the administrative committee of the Central Volunteer Bureau of the Women's Division of United Community Services.

DEVOTIONS WILL be given by Mrs. James Whitehouse, 20345 Harbor Lane, Southfield. Assisting the hostess will be Mrs. Robert Boley, 17179 Birwood and Mrs. Lloyd Jackman, 31198 Pickwick Lane.

The executive committee will meet at 10 a.m. at the home of

ST. ANDREW LUTHERAN CHURCH
Lutheran Church of America
6255 Telegraph, 1/10th of a Mile North of Maple
Church School 9:30 A. M.
Worship Services
9:30 and 11:00 A. M.
Pastor: 160 Pleasant St.
Rev. John A. Root, Pastor
Phone: MI 6-4119
A National Lutheran Council Church

Bloomfield Hills Baptist Church
2600 Telegraph Road
North of Long Lake Road
10 A.M. Rally Day Program
11 A.M. "ARE YOU DEAD—OR ALIVE?"
6 P.M. Special Program by Voice of Christian Youth, Detroit
9 P.M. Youth Singpiration
Rev. Harold W. Gieseke, Pastor
Telephone 647-9463

PEACE LUTHERAN CHURCH
17928 W. 18 Mile Road
(Between Greenfield and Pontiac)
Sunday Worship
8:00 & 11:00 a.m.
Sunday School (all ages)
9:00 & 10:00 a.m.
Edward E. Brown, Pastor
Phone: MI 6-2148

PILGRIM CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH OF BIRMINGHAM
Meeting temporarily at Community House
380 S. Bates, Birmingham
Church and Sunday School Services at 11 A.M.
Minister, Rev. Howard E. Bull
Telephone: 334-6770

Beautiful Savior Lutheran Church
North Adams Road (1/2 Mile North of Long Lake Rd.)
Morning Worship: 8:30 and 11:00
Sunday School: 9:30 A.M.
Rev. Donald G. Zell, Pastor MI 6-8043 - MI 6-2134

Kirk in the Hills
BLOOMFIELD HILLS - PRESBYTERIAN
Dr. Harold C. DeWind
MINISTER
Sunday Services
9:30 and 11:30 A.M.

The Congregational Church of Birmingham
(In Fellowship with the United Church of Christ)
888 North Woodward Avenue MI 6-4811
9:30 A.M. and 11:00 A.M. Services of Worship and Church School
Nursery through Sunday 9:30 A.M.
6:00 P.M. Cantata and Praise Music
MINISTER: Rev. Raymond A. Pauer

BIRMINGHAM UNITARIAN CHURCH
651 Woodward Avenue
at Lone Pine Road
Bloomfield Hills
MI 7-2390
Robert Marshall, Minister
THE UTOPIAN and THE PRAGMATIST IN SOCIAL REFORM
One service at 10:30 A.M.
Church School and Nursery
at same hour
Coffee Hour follows

NORTHMINSTER PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
3633 W. Big Beaver (2 blks. E. of Adams) MI 6-2613
Morning Worship and Sunday School 9:30 and 11 a.m.
The Rev. MacKay Taylor, minister

BEVERLY HILLS METHODIST CHURCH
meeting of Beverly Hills School
Beverly Rd. West of Southfield
MORNING WORSHIP AND CHURCH SCHOOL
10:00 A.M.
Robert Boley, Minister

ST. PAUL METHODIST
146 E. Square Lake Rd.
TE 1-8123 - TE 2-8158
Morning Worship 10 A.M. and 11:15 A.M. (Nursery Provided)
Church School 10 A.M.
Seniors and Intermediate, 4 to 6 P.M.
REV. JAMES A. McCLUNG, Minister

BIRMINGHAM COMMUNITY CHURCH
2284 W. Maple
Sunday School — 10:00 A.M.
Morning Worship — 11:00 A.M.
Evening Worship — 7:00 P.M.
Midweek Prayer Meeting (Wed.) — 7:30 P.M.
Bible Study — 8:00 P.M.

FRANKLIN BAPTIST CHURCH
In The Heart of Franklin Village
L. I. Mattis, Minister MA 4-5825
Sunday School — 10 A.M. Evening Service — 7 P.M.
Worship — 11 A.M. Prayer Service (Chorus) — 7:00 P.M.

First Church of Christ, Scientist
Franklin-Meadowlake
Maple at Inkster Roads
SUNDAY—11 A.M.
SUNDAY SCHOOL—11 A.M.
WEDNESDAY EVENING TESTIMONY MEETING—8:15
READING ROOM (In Church Edifice)
Mon., Wed., Sat. 1-4
Thurs., Evs. 7-9

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICES
Bloomfield Hills
Sunday morning at 11:00
Wednesday evening meetings at 8:15
2365 W. Long Lake Road
(near Middlebelt Road)

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FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Bates and Willis Ministers: Birmingham, Mich.
Dr. Homer J. Armstrong, Rev. William W. Sutterlin
Rev. Charles J. Griffith
Church School 9:45 A.M.
Morning Service 11:00 A.M.
Sermon Title: "FOUR O'CLOCK IN THE AFTERNOON"
(World Communion Sunday)

UNITY TRUTH TEMPLE
Residence at Woodward 647-3306
(7 Blks. N. of 14 Mile)
Affiliated with Unity School of Christianity
Sunday School — 11:00 A.M.
Sunday Service — 11:00 A.M.
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Guest Speaker Virginia Shipley
Tuesday Class, 7:45 p.m.:
The Science of Prayer

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN
1600 WEST MAPLE at CHESTERFIELD (MI 4-3040)
8:30, 9:45 and 11:15 a.m. "A Belief That Performs"
Dr. Harris
W. Glen Harris, Jack W. Angerman,
Robert D. Baynum, L. Robert Slusser
Church School Services—8:30, 9:45, 11:15
DIAL-A-PRAYER — MI 6-1717

Cross of Christ Lutheran Church
1100 Lone Pine at Telegraph
Rev. Delyane H. Pauling, Pastor 646-6832
CHURCH SCHOOL 9:45 A.M.
SERVICE OF WORSHIP 11:00 A.M.

NORTH CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH
26275 Northwestern Highway at Lahser Road
11:00 a.m. Morning Service of Worship
MINISTERS: Rev. Ralph H. Road
Rev. Joseph G. Gregory
11:00 a.m. Church School
(Nursery Through Senior High)
ALL ARE WELCOME

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
1559 West Maple
Worship Services—8:15, 9:30, 11:00 A.M.
Church School—9:30 and 11:00 A.M.
Sermon: "INTELLECTUAL FOUNDATIONS FOR FAITH"
Rev. G. Ernest Thomas, Th. D.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST
191 N. CHESTER — Birmingham, Michigan
Sunday Service — 10:30 a.m.
Sunday School — 10:30 a.m.
Wednesday Evening Testimony Meeting — 8:15 P.M.
Infants' Room (355 E. Maple) — 10:00 A.M.
Reading Room, 355 E. Maple Street
Open 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Except Sundays and Holidays
Evenings 7:00 to 9:00 p.m. 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 (H.C. 1st Sunday)
11:00 A.M.—Morning Prayer and Sermon (H.C. 1st Sunday)
6:00 P.M.—Young People's Fellowship
Church School—9:15 and 11:00 for infants through 9th grade
Midweek—Holy Communion—Wednesday 7:00 and 11:00 A.M.
Clergy—The Rev. Kenneth H. Gass, D.D., Rector
The Rev. W. Eugene Snodell, Associate
Rev. Peter Watkins, Assistant
Kent McDonald, Organist and Choirmaster
11:00 A.M. Service Broadcast—Radio WFLY-FM, 94.7