

## New Pastor Installed At Incarnate Word

The Rev. Frank P. Madsen, D.D., president of the Michigan Synod of the Lutheran Church in America, will formally install the Rev. Robert L. Franklin as pastor of the Lutheran Church of the Incarnate Word on Oct. 4 at the 11 a.m. worship service.

The congregation is temporarily holding service in the East Hills Junior High School in Opdyke Road at Kensington.

Pastor Franklin was called by the Lutheran Church of the Incarnate Word to be its pastor in April. He and Mrs. Franklin arrived in the end of August and Pastor Franklin assumed his duties on Sept. 1.

**PASTOR FRANKLIN** is a graduate of the University of Michigan with a degree in engineering physics. He received his B.D. degree from the Lutheran School of Theology in Chicago. He has spent one year in graduate study at the seminary after graduation.

He has served several congregations in the Detroit and Chicago areas as youth director and vicar. His last position before coming to Bloomfield Hills was that of assistant pastor at St. John's Lutheran Church in Joliet, Illinois. Mrs. Franklin is also a graduate of the University of Michigan with A.B. and M.A. degrees in Spanish. She taught at the University for two years as a teaching fellow.

While in Joliet, she taught Spanish at the College of St. Francis for two years.

### REV. FRANKLIN

Born in Riga, Latvia, Mrs. Franklin was forced to flee with her family when their homeland was overrun by the communists. They spent five years in displaced persons camps in Germany.

IN 1949 SHE and her family came to Grand Rapids where she later met Pastor Franklin. They were married in 1962 in a bilingual marriage service.

Just before coming to Bloomfield Hills, Pastor and Mrs. Franklin were able to go to Europe for a month, visiting some 10 different countries.

## Church School Director Appointed in Lathrup

New administrative director of the Church School of Community Congregational Church of Lathrup Village is Mrs. Chester A. Furstenberg.

This position was created and approved by the executive board of the church during its regular meeting Sept. 24. Mrs. Furstenberg will work with the church school superintendents, Fay Gifford and Robert Rouriche, thus relieving Rev. Philip Gentile, minister of the church, of the details of the church school.

Introduced as the new administrative director of the Church School to the congregation at both services on Dedication Sunday, Sept. 27, Mrs. Furstenberg is nevertheless not new to the members of the church.

HER TEACHING of church school classes dates back 15 years when she started teaching classes at Bushnell Congregational Church and served as the pastor's assistant for three years.

There was an interruption of three years during which time the Furstenberg family moved into Lathrup Village and son, Jim, was

## Fiesta Opens Season for 1st Methodist

The Woman's Society of Christian Service, First Methodist Church, will celebrate a Spanish Fiesta at its first general meeting of the fall, Wednesday, Oct. 7. A menu featuring Latin American foods will be served at the 12:30 p.m. luncheon.

The film "Amigos Latinos" will be shown and narrated by Mrs. William W. Dalee, 845 Pleasant. It is designed to acquaint the women with the cultural background of our Latin American neighbors and to introduce a study course to begin at the church in October.

The study course, "Spanish Speaking Americans," will be offered from 9:30 to 11 a.m. on Mondays, Oct. 12, 19, 26 and Nov. 2. Mrs. Dalee will teach with the assistance of Mrs. John Locklin, 6270 Malvern.

**BOTH WOMEN** attended the conference school of missions at Albion College last summer in preparation to teach. Beverly Hills Methodist Church women have been invited to attend also.

At the Oct. 7 meeting each circle has been asked to prepare a display table representing a different Latin American country. A bulletin board will feature snapshots of the missionaries adopted by the circles for correspondence in all parts of the world.

Mrs. Fritz Finis, 667 Oak, will present devotions. A worship setting will be arranged by Mrs. John Moseley, 385 Yarmouth, and Mrs. Richard Sneed, 848 Madison. Circles one and three with Mrs. S. D. Nettles, 5210 Echo Rd., Bloomfield Hills, and Mrs. John Holmes, 614 Wattles Rd., as chairman will serve the luncheon.

RESERVATIONS for lunch may be made with Mrs. Park Smith before Monday noon. Mrs. C. Wells will accept nursery reservations. The Executive Committee will meet at 9:30 a.m. in the Martin Room for its regular meeting.

born and kept her closer to home. In 1955 Mrs. Furstenberg resumed her church school teaching, starting with the third grade at Community Congregational Church. She was then asked to become worship leader of the 9:30 a.m. classes and after three years became co-superintendent of the church school, a position she also held for three years.

During this time she was also in charge of the summer church school sessions and oftentimes filled in for teachers when the occasion arose. Last year she was elected to the Christian Board of Education as the church school personnel representative.

MRS. FURSTENBERG'S interest in youth is not limited to church work. She is a former Girl Scout leader and in addition, for the past six years, has been doing recreational therapy work with the emotionally disturbed teenage boys in the psychiatric department of Pontiac State Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Furstenberg make their home in Lathrup Village and have three married daughters, two grandchildren, and a 12-year-old son Jim. The daughters are Mrs. James S. Lee of Mt. Clemens, Mrs. Frank Dombrowski of Royal Oak who teaches first grade at the church, and Mrs. James Conley of Detroit.

## Sunday School Classes Held For Retarded

Sunday School classes for mentally handicapped children which are conducted by Birmingham Church School for Special Children began the current school year on Sept. 13.

There are two classes: one for children up to 12 years and a second for teenagers. The classes run from 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. each Sunday in rooms provided by the First Baptist Church in Birmingham.

THE CLASSES themselves are interdenominational and are taught by teachers of Christian background with training in special education. The fact that classes continue until 12:30 p.m. provides the opportunity for parents to attend the church of their choice.

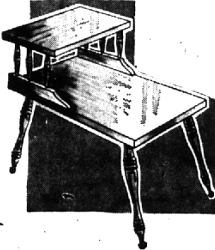
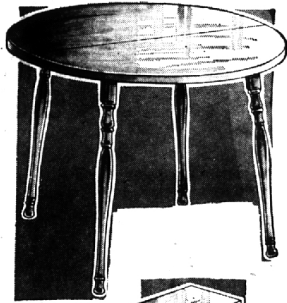
The Birmingham Church School for Special Children was the first organization in this area to sponsor classes for the mentally retarded and has found that children in attendance enjoy the sense of participation these classes inspire.

The emphasis is not on the abstract side of religion but on the sharing of meaningful experiences which are related by the teachers to truths of Christian living. For instance, a series of class sessions were held on the five senses which involved the creation of a mural of pictures depicting each of the senses. The marvels of nature were illustrated by a project which had the children planting tulip bulbs and later watching them grow.

ANYONE WHO might desire further information is encouraged to call Ross Michel, the president of Birmingham Church School For Special Children.

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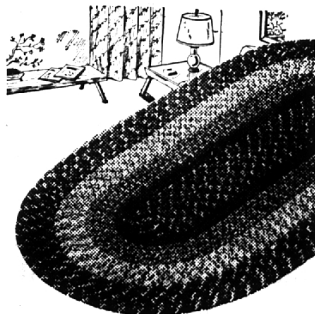


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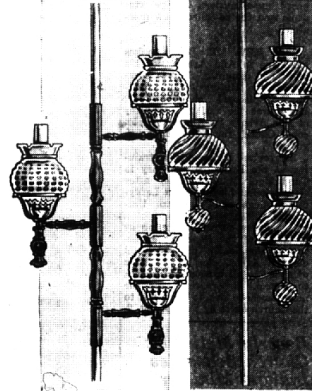
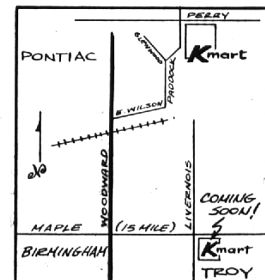
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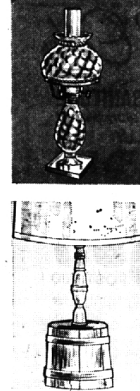


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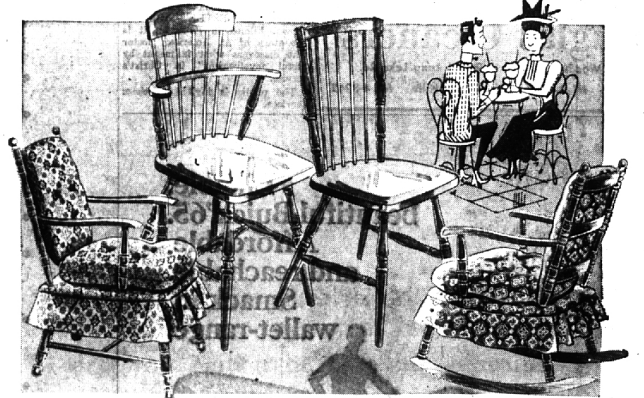
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