

The Birmingham Eccentric

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Arnett Addresses 1st Presbyterian Forum

"Women, NAG, NAG, NAG" was the theme through-out the address of Judd Arnett as he spoke to the Supper Club of First Presbyterian Church on Feb. 11.

Arnett gave a discourse of the American scene in these changing times. He said the percentage of women in politics is too small and pointed out Margaret Chase Smith and Martha Griffiths as outstanding examples.

The women who can't or don't choose to be active in public life themselves should at least encourage their husbands to be active, he said. "Women have earned the right to vote, now they should make the most of it."

"There is much to be done in education," he said. Arnett pointed to the German system as being very effective, indicating that teenagers need to be taught by those who owe the world something and do have a debt to society.

Arnett said that we spent 100,000,000 dollars on foreign aid and very little to alleviate the slum conditions, which breed crime and for which we all pay, and further indicated that 36,000,000 people living in slums—7,000 acres worth in New York city alone—certainly presented a tremendous problem to the American people.

We also need to find a new approach to the civil rights issue, he said, emphasizing that we spend about half our national (Federal) income for defense and very little to alleviate domestic problems.

As for culture, our country is really just getting started, Arnett pointed out, indicating that there is a great field here for women. Arnett ended his speech by saying that women know less, but understand more, and that in our world women must take a greater part—even to nagging their husbands.

The Supper Club enjoyed as guests from Metropolitan Methodist Church, Mrs. Joan Eccles, Soprano; Mr. Tom Gamble, Tenor; and Dr. Dudley Verner, Minister of Music and composer of the song, "Sweetheart of Sigma Chi." These

Presbyterians Present Play

Church Family Night Dinners are continuing at First Presbyterian Church for Lent with the program "Cry Dawn in Dark Babylon" on Feb. 27 and March 5. This is a Chancel drama written by W. P. Turner and presented by the Presbyterians, a talented Drama Group from the Bedford Presbyterian Church under the direction of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Livingston.

It is a contemporary play about death, the Resurrection and the Church. It describes a Christian society that actually is more concerned with Dark Babylon where the golden calf is worshipped than it is with the faith in a resurrected Lord; a society where church members fail to stand for a real Christ or to be more accurate, fail to allow the real Christ to stand for them.

The play is unique in that it is presented in the Sanctuary of the Church. The stage is the Chancel and the scenery is the redwood. Few costumes and very few props are used. Several of the cast play different roles and the scenes change simply by the words of the speaker.

On Feb. 27, the Calvin Choir will sing under the direction of L. Robert Slosser. On March 5, Betty Fitzgerald will direct the Cecilia Choir. The dinner begins at 6:15 p.m. and reservations may be made at the Church Office.

Experience and Integrity



VASU-LYNCH

Funeral Home

4375 N. Woodward Between 13 and 14 Mile Road
Liberty 9-0500

Detroit-Area Baptist Leaders Set Conference in Birmingham

Detroit area leaders of Baptist church-school programs are meeting in Birmingham this weekend to discuss new ways to fulfill religious needs of young people and adults. The basic task of the group is to relate centuries-old religious traditions to shifting pressures of modern society.

Sponsor of the weekend program is the Detroit Association of American Baptist Churches whose president, Fraser E. Pomeroy, lives at 32717 Robin Hood Drive, Birmingham. Dr. Selwyn Smith, 17289 Cornell, Southfield, is executive secretary of the association.

Keynote speaker Friday evening, Feb. 28, is Dr. William W. Wattenberg, professor of education, psychology and director of the Delinquency Control Center at Wayne State University.

Nationally known authority on juvenile delinquency problems, Dr.

DR. WATTENBERG

Wattenberg recently published "Child's Mental Health," a booklet to help parents interpret questionable actions of their children.

Also speaking Friday evening is Dr. James E. Fidler, director of

leadership education for the American Baptist Convention. He will highlight problems in teaching adult Sunday school classes.

Saturday will be devoted to group discussions, workshops and displays of current literature and audiovisual equipment. In the evening, Rev. Paul McFarland will speak. He is minister of Christian education at First Baptist Church of Detroit, located at 21300 Southfield Road, Southfield.

Sunday, the Detroit area adult leaders will test their theories when they observe unchallenged youth classes in operation at Birmingham's First Baptist Church. Afterward there will be an evaluation of the experience under guidance of the program leaders.

Rev. William W. Satterlin, minister of Christian education at the Birmingham church, played an important role in planning and organizing the weekend program. Residing at 644 South Bates, he is chairman of the youth education committee for the Detroit Association of American Baptist Churches.

Edward F. Whitney, 796 Robin Hood Circle, and Dr. Harry Cates, 18596 Chelton Drive, have also served on the weekend planning committee. They are respectively chairman of youth work and adult work at Birmingham's First Baptist Church.

Lake Orion Pastor Big Beaver Guest

The Big Beaver Methodist Church will have the Reverend Robert Huggins as guest speaker at a mid-week Lenten Devotion on March 5 at 7:30 p.m. Mr. Huggins is the Pastor of the Lake Orion Methodist Church. He came to this post in 1962, after serving for 20 years in the pulpit of the Romulus Methodist Church.

On Sunday, March 1, the sermon topic at the Big Beaver Church will be, "Inspiration From God's Word." This is the third in Pastor Hartog's current series on "Aids To Spiritual Health."

PEACE LUTHERAN CHURCH
17829 W. 12 Mile Road
(Between Grandchild and Southfield)
Sunday Worship
8:00 & 11:00 a.m.
Sunday School (all ages)
9:00 & 10:00 a.m.
Edward E. Brown, Pastor
Phone MI 6-4146

Kirk in the Hills
BLOOMFIELD HILLS
DR. HAROLD C. DWINDT, MINISTER
MORNING SERVICE
AND
CHURCH SCHOOL
9:30 and 11:00 O'CLOCK

BIRMINGHAM COMMUNITY CHURCH
2284 W. Maple
Sunday School 10:00 A.M.
Morning Worship 11:00 A.M.
Evening Worship 7:00 P.M.
Guest Speaker:
Mr. Fred Reich
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 626-7831
Sunday School 10 A.M.
Worship 11 A.M.
Evening Service 7 P.M.
Prayer Service (Thurs.) 7:30 P.M.

First Church of Christ, Scientist
Franklin-Meadowdale
Maple at Inkster Roads
SUNDAY—11 A.M.
SUNDAY SCHOOL—11 A.M.
WEDNESDAY EVENING
TESTIMONY MEETING—8:15
READING ROOM
(In Church Edifice)
Monday through Saturday 1-5
Thursday Evening 7-9

Bloomfield Hills Baptist Church
3600 Telegraph Road
Just North of W. Long Lake Rd.
10 A.M. Sunday School
11 A.M. The Lord's Supper
"HIS WOUNDED SIDE"
6 P.M. Youth Group
6 P.M. Evening Service
"DESPERED AND REJECTED"
(Scripture in Isaiah 52-53)
Rev. Harold W. Giesche, Pastor
Telephone 647-3463

Unity Center—Birmingham
1152 Beaverville at Woodward
(Between Lincoln and 14 Mile)
Sunday School 11:00 A.M.
Sunday Service 11:00 A.M.
Lesson Subject
"The Third Day"
Tues. 8 p.m. Class "Reconciliation"
Fri. 2 p.m. Prayer Class

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
8:30 and 11:00 A.M.
Personage: 169 Pleasant St.
Rev. John A. Root, Pastor
Phone MI 6-4119
A National Lutheran Church

BIRMINGHAM UNITARIAN CHURCH
Woodward at Lone Pine
Bloomfield Hills — MI 7-2380
Robert Marshall, Minister
"A UNITARIAN LOOK AT DEATH"
Service, Church School, Nursery
at 10:30. Coffee Hour follows

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN
1600 WEST MAPLE at CHESTERFIELD (MI 4-2040)
8:30, 9:45 and 11:15 a.m. "God Insists On Success"
Dr. Harris
(Wed., Mar. 4) 12:05 p.m. Noonday Lenten Service
(Thursday, March 5) 6:15 p.m. Family Night Dinner
W. Glen Harris, Jack W. Angerman,
Robert D. Baynham, L. Robert Slosser
Church School Services—8:30, 9:45, 11:15
DIAL-A-PRAYER—MI 6-1717

ST. PAUL METHODIST
166 N. Square Lake Rd.
Morning Worship 10 A.M. and 11:00 A.M. (Sturdy Provided)
Church School 10 A.M.
Seniors and Intermediates, 6 to 8 P.M.
REV. JAMES A. McCLUNG, Minister

The Congregational Church of Birmingham
(In Fellowship with the United Church of Christ)
288 North Woodward Avenue MI 6-4511
9:00 A.M. and 11:00 A.M.—Services of Worship and Church School
4:00 P.M. Confirmation Class, 7:00 P.M. Christian Education
MINISTERS: Rev. Raymond A. Finner

Beautiful Savior Lutheran Church
North Side Road (1/4 Mile North of E. Long Lake Rd.)
Morning Worship 9:30 and 11:00
Sunday School: 9:30 A.M.
Rev. Donald G. Zell, Pastor MI 6-6041—MI 6-5124

THE LUTHERAN CHURCH OF THE MASTER
(Lutheran Church in America)
Temporarily, Worshiping in the Protestant School
CHURCH and CRISTAL ROAD
FAMILY WORSHIP 11:00 A.M.
Rev. G. William Parsons, Pastor

Cross of Christ Lutheran Church
11th Lane Pine at Telegraph
SERVICE OF WORSHIP 11:00 A.M.
CHURCH SCHOOL 9:45 A.M.
Rev. Delayne H. Pauling 646-8822 or 646-5887

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICES
Bloomfield Hills
Sunday morning at 11:00
Wednesday evening meetings at 8:15
2364 W. Long Lake Road
(near Middleboro Road)

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
1589 West Maple
Worship Services—8:15, 9:30, 11:00 A.M.
Church School—9:30 and 11:00 A.M.
Sermon: "THE RESURRECTION AND SALVATION"
Rev. G. Ernest Thomas, Th.D.

BEVERLY HILLS METHODIST CHURCH
20,000 W. 13 MILE ROAD
AND EVERGREEN ROAD
MORNING WORSHIP—9:00-10:15
CHURCH SCHOOL—11:15
ROBERT W. BOLEY, MINISTER

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

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

Franklin Community Church
On Franklin's Village Green
Morning Worship—9:30 and 11:00
Church School for all ages.
Ministers: Kenneth Collis
O. Price Taylor

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.

"WHAT ABOUT THE HOLY SPIRIT?"
Is the Holy Spirit a "third" God? How can one believe in the Trinity and be monothestic also? What about people who claim to speak in tongues and say that certain modern religious movements are disturbing both Protestants and Catholics on this matter? What is the Gospel truth about the Holy Spirit? Did the early Christian church have difficulties with this matter?

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)
5:00 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 Snoxall, Associate
Rev. Peter Watkins, Assistant
Kent McDonald, Organist and Choirmaster
11:00 A.M. Service Broadcast—Radio WHFI-FM 94.7

Scottish Rite Choir Sings Out

The 22-voice Scottish Rite Choir performed in concert at the Stake Center last Thursday for The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints. The touring group appeared here to help raise funds for the

Roseville ward of the local church. Secular and religious arrangements were presented. The program included selections from "My Fair Lady."

St. James Organist to Give Recital

Kent McDonald, organist and choirmaster at St. James Church, will be the speaker at the monthly dinner meeting of the Couples Club on Thursday evening, March 5.

"An Evening With The Great Pipe Organ" will be a three-part program, beginning with a thorough history of the organ in the Christian church through the ages, a short discussion on organ construction, electronic versus pipe organs and a demonstration of the various sounds available on the instrument.

Following this will be a short recital of selections that will demonstrate the various tones of the pipe organ, including some numbers that never will be heard during a church service. The final feature of the evening will be an organ crawl—a trip through the organ loft to see the inner workings of the pipe organ, how the organ is assembled and where the 3,000-plus pipes of the St. James organ are placed. For the latter, Mr. McDonald suggests the ladies wear flat heels!

MR. McDONALD, WHO came to St. James in 1950, is a versatile performer who injects a great deal of humor into the serious business of church music. In addition to being an organ virtuoso, he is an accomplished pianist and accompanist.

He received his early musical training in Phoenix, Arizona, and later received a scholarship to study piano with the eminent pianist, Helene Morawitz in New York City. Mr. McDonald received his bachelor and master's degrees from the Eastman School of Music, Rochester, New York.

He is currently serving his third term as Dean of the Detroit Chapter, American Guild of Organists.

Christian Women's Club Hears Detroit Bible College Head

"The Hope of the Christian, The Risen Christ and the Empty Tomb" were the themes of the Detroit Bible College at the Christian Women's Club luncheon Feb. 19 at Devon Gardens.

"The Holy City" and "God So Loved the World" were played by violinist, the Rev. Mr. John Toroni, of Pontiac. He was accompanied on the piano by Mrs. Douglas Liefield, 9244 Marion Crescent.

A fashion show of spring hats by Demery's of Birmingham was the special feature of the program. Models from the club were: Mrs. Harold MacDonald, 1261 Club Drive; Mrs. Robert Nelson, 4339 Chamberlain; Mrs. Laurence Flora, 1567 Island Lane; Mrs. George Pascoe, 9009 Greenfield; Mrs. Claude Olin, 1045 Mayfield Drive; and Mrs. James Garfield, 1053 Willow Lane, all of Birmingham.



DR. HENRY CRANE

First Baptist Hosts Third Union Service

The Rev. Henry H. Crane, DD, will be the guest preacher for the Third of Four Union Lenten Services March 4 at 8 p.m.

The special service will be held at the First Baptist Church in Birmingham. The final service, a week later, will be held at The Congregational Church of Birmingham.

Dr. Crane was appointed to the moderator of the Central Methodist Church, Detroit, in June, 1958, and has identified himself with many liberal community enterprises.

HE IS A GRADUATE of the Boston Latin School, the oldest educational institution in America. He took his undergraduate degree at Wesleyan University, his masters work at Boston University School of Theology and his graduate work at Harvard.

He has had conferred upon him, the degrees of Doctor of Laws and Doctor of Humaneities.

Huntwork 1st Speaker At Northminster Series

Dr. Bruce L. Huntwork will be the key speaker at the first Lenten series dinner at Northminster Presbyterian Church on Wednesday evening.

Since 1959, he and his wife have served as Christian fraternal workers with the United Presbyterian Church, working in the hospital and with young people in Meshed, Iran. Sharing in the program will be Mrs. Huntwork who, before her marriage, was appointed on a special term as fraternal worker to the Philippines from 1954 to 1957.

AFTER THEIR marriage, the Huntworks were transferred to Meshed, located in a wide valley in the northeast corner of Iran. Meshed, noted as a Moslem shrine visited annually by thousands of pilgrims, is also known for its Christian hospital. The church's outreach in this city was first established through the means of medical work in this hospital.

The building contains 50 beds and is staffed by four nurses and four doctors from the United States.

Area Women Take Part in Convention

Sunday, March 1 will mark the opening of the 25th Annual Convention of the Detroit Arabo-Christian Council of Catholic Women to be held at the Statler Hilton Hotel. The convention will continue through Monday evening, March 2.

Pope Paul's urgent call to the Catholic laity for increased apostolic work will be reflected through the convention by the theme, "Now Is The Hour." Informative panel discussions, exhibits and workshops will be attended by an expected 3,000 or more women from the diocese of Metropolitan Detroit.

Exhibits will be open Sunday evening and all day Monday until 10 p.m. Registrations begin Monday at 8 a.m. and continue through 7 p.m. Full daytime sessions run from 9:30 a.m. to 10 p.m., while the evening session lasts from 7 to 10 p.m.

Non-Catholic laity are urged to attend both the Convention Mass at St. Aloysius Church, Sunday, March 1, at 8:00 p.m., and the Monday evening panel on "Christian Reunion" at 7 p.m. Six concurrent workshops dealing with "Areas of Tension" will be featured.

Several Birmingham-area women have made direct contributions to the convention. Mrs. Donald Serivon is the banquet chairman and Miss Rosemary McMillan is Advertising Chairman for the Convention Program Booklet. Serving as registrar will be Mrs. J. O'Connor.

Culture is the habit of being pleased with the best and knowing why.
—Henry Van Dyke