

# AT COMMUNITY CONGREGATIONAL Church to Dedicate Organ

Community Congregational Church's new Allen organ, a gift and memorial to Mrs. Ida Stefan Stark, will be officially dedicated in Lathrup Village at 3 p.m. Sunday.

Although the organ has been completely installed for over a month, this dedication service had been delayed until Mrs. Stark's return from her winter in Florida with her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Dorrance Threthic of Lathrup Village. However, Mrs.

Stark died shortly after her return home.

**GUEST SOLIST** for the dedication service will be tenor Charles E. Grayner, a longtime friend of the Stefan family. He is currently affiliated with the Fort Street Presbyterian Church and is secretary of the Orpheus Club with whom he has been singing a number of years. He was formerly soloist with Christ Church, Cranbrook.

Both adult choirs of Community Congregational Church of Lathrup Village will take part in the service and the church's director of music, Darryl Pedersen, will be at the organ.

Working together to make this tribute to Mrs. Stark a memorable one are the Rev. Philip Gentile, minister of the church, Fred O. Johnson, chairman of the Gifts and Memorials Committee, and Darryl Pedersen, director of music. The public is cordially invited.

## St. Thomas More Plans Open House

In an expression of community spirit in action, more than 100 civic, religious and educational leaders from Bloomfield Township, Birmingham and Troy are expected to attend a reception and open house at St. Thomas More Catholic Church in Troy, Sunday, June 7.

"We are anxious to get to know all the people in the area adjacent to our parish," the Reverend Fr. Wm. L. Anderson, St. Thomas More pastor said in announcing the party. "And we want them to get to know us," he added.

A TOUR of the present facilities is on the agenda and plans for future growth of the parish will be reviewed for the first time to the community leaders during the reception.

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The annual meeting of Community Congregational Church will be held at 8 p.m. Friday in the church's Fellowship Hall. All members are urged to be present in order to keep informed of the progress of the church.

**THE REV. James Lyons** will be guest preacher at both the 9:30 a.m. and 11 a.m. services at Community Congregational Church Sunday, Associate pastor at the First Congregational Church in Royal Oak, Rev. Lyons is also with the Department of Religion at Wayne State University.

The North Central Parents Without Partners chapter is sponsoring a workshop conference on May 24 at the Central Methodist Church, 23 E. Adams, Detroit, from 9:30 p.m. to 11 p.m.

## Single Parents Plan Conference

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The chapter, as one of 12 participating chapters of the Parents Without Partners, is taking an active part in the conference.

**THE GROUP** is being formed in the metropolitan area to aid in combating an increasing sociological problem. The theme of the conference workshop is "How To Be A More Effective Single Parent."

Ed Stanic, director of counseling services at the Wayne County Circuit Court, will give the keynote speech. More information may be obtained by calling JU 8-0115.

## Begin Work On Nardin Park Church

The Corner Stone will be laid on Sunday at 3 p.m. for the new Nardin Park Methodist Church at 11 Mile Road just west of Middlebelt Road. Officiating at the service will be Bishop Marshall R. Reed, Bishop of the Michigan Area of Methodism.

## Receives Medal

Charles Rozmarek, president of the Polish National Alliance and president of the Polish American Congress, will be the recipient of the "Fidelitas Medal" during the 75th commencement exercises of St. Mary's College and Preparatory May 30. The award is presented annually by the Stodoluski Seminary of the Orchard Lake college.

## St. James To Honor Minister

The Rev. W. Eugene Snoxell, Associate Rector of St. James Church, will observe the completion of 25 years in the ministry on Sunday, May 24. He will be honored on that date by the parishoners at a reception in the Undercroft of the church following the 11 a.m. service.

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Rev. Snoxell was ordained on Trinity Sunday, 1932, in the Cathedral of St. John the Divine in New York City by Bishop Wm. T. Manning. Before coming to St. James in 1955, he was Rector of Holy Trinity Church, Tiverton, R.I.

## Set Registrations At Congregational Nursery School

Nursery School registrations are being accepted at Community Congregational Church of Lathrup Village for the fall semester. Those parents who have a preference as to which session they wish their children to attend are urged to apply early.

## Local Resident Attends Council

The quarterly meeting of South Oakland Deacons, Detroit Archdiocesan Council of Catholic Women, was held Thursday, May 14, at 8 p.m. in St. Marys High School Gymnasium, Royal Oak.

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

**UNITY**  
1152 Benaville at Woodward  
(Opp. Lincoln and 14 Mile Road)  
EVERETT A. DELL, Minister  
Worship Service ..... 9:30 a.m.  
Sunday School ..... 9:30 a.m.  
"This Is Your Life"  
Tues. Class 8 p.m.  
"Metaphysical Bible Study"  
Wed. 8:30 p.m.  
Fri. Prayer Class 7 p.m.

**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.  
Pastor: 169 Pleasant St.  
Rev. John A. Rees, Pastor  
Phone: MI 6-4119  
A National Lutheran Council Church

**PEACE LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
17029 W. 13 Mile Road  
(between Greenfield 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 6-4148

**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)  
Monday through Saturday 1-9  
Thursday Evening 7-8

**BIRMINGHAM UNITARIAN CHURCH**  
Woodward at Lone Pine  
Bloomfield Hills—MI 7-2280  
Robert Marshall, Minister  
"SHORTCOMINGS OF THE GOOD SAMARITAN IDEA"  
Services, Church School, Nursery at 10:30

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

**Bloomfield Hills Baptist Church**  
3600 Telegraph Road  
Just North of W. Long Lake Rd.  
10 A.M. Sunday School  
11 A.M. Morning Worship  
"LIBERTY WITH LIMITS"  
9 P.M. Youth Groups  
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Sunday School: 9:30 A.M.  
Rev. Donald G. Zill, Pastor  
MI 6-5041 MI 6-5124

**The Congregational Church of Birmingham**  
(In Fellowship with the United Church of Christ)  
388 North Woodlark Avenue  
9:30 A.M. and 11:00 A.M.—Services of Worship and Church School  
Nursery through Senior High  
7:00 P.M. Confirmation  
MINISTER: Rev. Raymond A. Fanna  
MI 6-4511

**THE LUTHERAN CHURCH OF THE MASTER**  
(Lutheran Church in America)  
Temporary Meeting in the Poppleton School  
CHURCH OF THE MASTER  
PASTOR: REV. G. WILLIAM PEPPER, Pastor  
Rev. C. William Pepperson, Pastor  
2500 Yorkshire Phone 646-0222

**ST. PAUL METHODIST**  
155 E. Square Lake Rd.  
Morning Worship 10 A.M. and 11:15 A.M. (Nursery Provided)  
Church School 10 A.M.  
Sundays and Intermediates, 8 to 9 P.M.  
REV. JAMES A. MCGILGIB, Minister

**Cross of Christ Lutheran Church**  
1100 Lone Pine at Telegraph  
SERVICE OF WORSHIP 11:00 A.M.  
CHURCH SCHOOL 9:45 A.M.  
Rev. Dewayne H. Pauling 646-5232 or 646-5287

**CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICES**  
Bloomfield Hills  
Sunday morning at 11:00  
Wednesday evening meetings at 8:15  
(near Middlebelt Road)

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Bates and Whittie Ministers: Birmingham, Mich.  
Dr. Homer J. Armstrong Rev. William W. Sutterlin  
Rev. Charles J. Griffith  
Church School—9:45 A.M. Morning Worship—11:00 A.M.

**FIRST METHODIST CHURCH**  
1558 West Maple  
Worship Services—8:15; 9:30 and 11:00 A.M.  
Church School—9:30 and 11:00 A.M.  
Sermon: "THE MISSION OF FIRST CHURCH IN A CHANGING WORLD"  
G. Ernest Thomas, Th. D.

**FIRST PRESBYTERIAN**  
1055 WEST MAPLE at CHESTERFIELD (MI 4-2040)  
8:30, 9:45 and 11:15 a.m. "The Christian in a Non-Christian World"  
Rev. Mr. Angerman  
W. Glen Harris, Jack W. Angerman,  
Robert D. Bayniss, L. Robert Slusser  
Church School 8:30, 9:45 and 11:15 a.m.  
DIAL-A-PRAYER—MI 6-1717

**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**  
Northwestern Highway and 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

**Franklin Community Church**  
On Franklin's Village Green  
Morning Worship—9:30 and 11:00  
"A FAITH OF OUR OWN"  
Church School for all ages.  
Ministers: Kenneth Callis  
O. Price Taylor

**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)  
5:00 P.M.—Young People's Fellowship  
Church School—9:15 and 11:00 for infants through 9th grade  
Midweek—Holy Communion—Wednesdays 7:00 and 11:00 A.M.  
Clergy—The Rev. Kenneth H. Gass; D.D.; Rector  
The Rev. W. Eugene Snoxell, Associate  
Rev. Peter Watkins, Assistant  
Kent McDonald, Organist and Choirmaster  
11:00 A.M. Service Broadcast—Radio WHYY-FM 94.7

## To Occupy Pulpit

A blind man and his seeing-eye dog will be welcomed at Lutheran Church of the Redeemer Sunday, Adolph Loeb, a member of First Lutheran Church of Hot Springs, Ark., will be in the pulpit at the 9:30 a.m. and 11 a.m. services. Jewish by race and Christian by conversion, Loeb has taken an active part in Spiritual Life Missions throughout the country. He will speak Sunday on the theme: "What Christ Means to Me." The 50-voice Children's Choir of Redeemer Church will sing in the first service "Thy World is but a Garden, Lord." In the second service the senior choir will sing the anthem: "I Will Praise Thee, O Lord."

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## Esther Circle Ends Bridge Tournament

The final round of the Esther Circle bridge tournament occurred Monday night, May 11, at Community Congregational Church.

AFTER refreshments of home-made pies, made by Circle members, and coffee, the canasta fans and bridge fiends settled down to their last chance to raise their scores.

This year's co-chairmen, Mrs. Jay Beat and Mrs. Clarence Gildersleeve, did an outstanding job of lining up players and partners and making a successful fund raising project for their circle.

Of the 16 canasta players, prizes went to: 1st place, Mrs. Sheldon Burgess and Mrs. Clarence Beck, 2nd place, Mrs. Edward Martin and Mrs. Richard Cogger, 3rd place, Mrs. Elmer Craig, Mrs. Robert Girvin.

THOSE of the 64 bridge players who won prizes were: 1st place, Mrs. John Williamson and Mrs. Robert Pratt, 2nd place, Mrs. Evelyn Robinson and Mrs. John McLaughlin, 3rd place, Mrs. Andrew Casper and Mrs. Edward Long.

Next year's co-chairmen, Mrs. John Williamson and Mrs. Edwin Smith, are already at work signing up players and preparing the list of monthly hostesses for the tournament's beginning in September.

Sincerity is more successful than genius or talent.  
—Mary Baker Eddy

## Christian Women Hear DIT Director

"Heavenly Admissions" were discussed by Robert Garfield at the Christian Women's Club luncheon May 13 at 12:30 p.m. at Greenfield's in Birmingham.

Garfield, director of admissions at the Detroit Institute of Technology, compared preparation of the spiritual life to preparation in the academic field where one must ask to be admitted, recognize a need and seek help.

His REMARKS were based on scripture found in Isaiah 65, verse 6.

Mrs. J. P. McKenzie of 2425 W. Lincoln assembled flower arrangements for the luncheon and a violin duet, "In Thee Is Joy" and "Beyond the Sunset" was played by Mrs. Paul Whaley and her daughter, Carol.

Hostesses were Mrs. B. Hoffiz, 718 Parkman Drive, Bloomfield Hills, and Mrs. Carl Wilkard, 1975 Imperial Highway.

## Elect New Officers

The Birmingham Unitarian Church elected the following church officers at its annual May meeting: President, Peter Finn; Vice-President, Peter Finn; Treasurer, Paul M. Reid; Robert Vandenberg, and Sidney C. Coole; and Nominating Committee, Mrs. James Van Doren, Gerald Freeman, Richard Hallied, Mrs. Edward T. Raney, and Robert Schlorff.

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