

NEWS of the CHURCHES

Extensive Plans Are Being Made For Palm Sunday

Will Commemorate Entry of Jesus Into Jerusalem in Pre-Easter Service March 20

Palm Sunday, the last Sunday before Easter, will be observed on March 20 in La Grande churches, with special activities planned in all the churches of the city. Musical numbers, interesting sermons and other types of worship will be enjoyed in commemoration of the triumphal entry of Jesus into Jerusalem, when the multitude strewed palm branches in his path.

St. Peter's Episcopal Church Fourth and O

Rev. James Opie will officiate at the morning prayer services at St. Peter's Episcopal church next Sunday at 11 o'clock, and his subject will be "Penitence and Faith Begeth Christians." Next Sunday is Palm Sunday, and appropriate music will be furnished by the choir, with Mrs. H. N. Ashby as organist.

Church school will be held at 9:45 o'clock, with Mrs. G. N. Tarkington

as superintendent.

Bishop William P. Remington, of Bendleton, will hold services at 11 o'clock Easter Sunday, and a cordial welcome is extended by members of the church to all interested in the services.

Presbyterian Church Washington and Sixth

Palm Sunday is the last Sunday in Lent, the first day of Holy Week and the Sunday immediately preceding Easter. It commemorates Jesus' triumphal entry into Jerusalem, accompanied by the multitude who greeted Him with hosannas, waving palm branches and scattering them before Him in the way. Let the church and her people rise to the occasion, and fill the sanctuaries of our city to do Him honor. Rev. J. George Walz urges.

They offer a service that they believe will bring blessing to all who attend, at 11 o'clock. The minister will speak on "The Christ Triumphant." Mrs. Harley Richardson will play the prelude "Prayer" by Harris. The chimes will be in evidence. The quartet will be present to assist in the songs of praise. W. W. Nubaum, baritone, will sing "The Palms" arranged by Saure, and Andrew Loney, cornetist, will play the offertory number.

At the 7:30 p. m. hour, Miss Gladys Miller will preside at the organ and play the prelude "Scherzo" by Rog-

ers, and the offertory prayer and "Response" by Rockwell, and R. L. Sken will sing "The Living God" arranged by Jeffrey O'Hara. The minister will speak on "The Word of Victory."

Sunday Bible school with classes for all ages, meets at 9:45 Sunday morning with Harold Finlay superintending the program. Junior Christian Endeavorers meet at 3 p. m., and Senior-Intermediate and Young People's groups meet at 6:15.

Central Church of Christ Seventh Street at Penn

Palm Sunday will be observed at the Church of Christ with appropriate and interesting services. The pastor, Paul De F. Mortimore announces that the subject of the morning sermon will be "The King of Kings." He says, "Palm Sunday should cause the world to stop and consider. The nations of the world are in great distress. The peoples of all countries are feeling more and more the oppression of iniquitable distribution of justice. Democracy is being seriously questioned as a panacea for governmental ills. Experiments being made in new forms of government are disappointing in their results. All of these things inevitably result from the turning away from the King of Kings. Until He shall establish His righteous kingdom upon the earth, there shall be unrest."

The services at the morning hour will be beautified with song and worship. The communion will be observed as is the custom of Churches of Christ. All Christians are privileged to participate in this holiest of ordinances. An anthem will be presented by the choir, and the pastor will bring the sermon.

The Bible school attendance last Sunday was 248, and it is expected that this number will be exceeded this week. Many new pupils are being enrolled in all departments. The superintendent of the school, Miss Dorothy Smutz, states that all who wish to engage in a study of the Bible are invited to this school. Every lesson is Bible centered. The teaching of the Bible and its application to life is the aim of the school.

The evening evangelistic service will be conducted along the usual plan, which is interesting such large crowds every Sunday. This service meets at 7:30 and opens with a prelude concert by the 20 piece orchestra. The music of this organization is winning many friends for

the evening service. The concert Sunday evening will include "My Savior" by Zamecnik, "Dear Heart" Serenade, by Mackie-Beyer, and a medley of gospel hymns. A choir of 16 voices assists in the song service which follows the concert.

The subject of the evening sermon will be "The Wondrous Cross." Mr. Mortimore states that all of the sermons he has ever preached, this one appeals to himself as being the best. An unusually large attendance is expected at the service.

The Christian Endeavor societies meet at 6:30 p. m. for prayer and study. All ages of young people are included in this meeting, as there are age groups for all. A hearty invitation is extended to all to attend these services.

First Methodist Church Fourth and Spring

The next two weeks are in many churches the most significant days of the Christian calendar. Rev. W. H. Hertzog, pastor of the First Methodist church, feels. He will speak on the theme, "Triumph for Today," Sunday morning at the 11 o'clock service, and Paul Knauts will sing "The Palms," by Faure. The chorus choir will sing Henry Parker's Palm Sunday anthem, "Jerusalem." At the 7 o'clock evening service the Women's Missionary societies are presenting two pageants with a total cast of about 30 people. The young people's choir, directed by Harvey Carter, will furnish the music for the evening, and Gwendolyn Hertzog will sing a contralto solo.

The Sunday school will begin promptly at 9:45, and the orchestra, directed by Miss Helen Williams, will play the first two numbers.

Zion English Lutheran Church M Avenue near Fourth

Morning worship at the Zion English Lutheran church will be held at 11 o'clock Sunday, and the pastor will speak on the topic, "Jesus Christ Is Lord." "Holy Spirit, Heavenly Guide," by McPhail, will be sung by the choir accompanied by Miss Helen Jensen, pianist.

Sunday school is held in the annex at 9:45, with "Prayer" as the theme of study.

The attendance at Sunday school is constantly growing, and interest is increasing. An Easter frieze is being made from pictures of the final events in Jesus' life: The Last Supper, The Prayer in Gethsemane, The Crucifixion, The Resurrection and the Visit at Emmaus. The Resurrection picture will be placed on the frieze Sunday morning and the Easter story retold. All are welcome at this school, where they may find a class for their age.

Luther League at 7:00 p. m., will be in charge of Edna Jensen, who will lead the discussion of the topic "How Can I Show my Crowd that I am a Christian?" Young people will find that these are interesting and challenging discussions of Jesus' attitude toward life.

ice and the ordinance of baptism will be administered at the evening service. There will be special music at both services. The evangelistic services will close with the Sunday evening service. The hours of services are: Sunday school, 9:45; morning worship, 11:00; young people's meeting, 6:30; evening worship, 7:30.

First Church of Christ, Scientist First Street at Washington

"Matter" will be the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, Mar. 20.

The golden text will be "Be still, and know that I am God: I will be exalted among the heathen, I will be exalted in the earth" (Ps. 46:10).

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon will be the following from the Bible: "My people have changed their glory for that which doth not profit. They have forsaken me the fountain of living waters, and hewed them out cisterns, broken cisterns, that can hold no water" (Jer. 2:11, 13).

The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passages from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy: "Matter is an error in statement. This error in the premise leads to errors in the conclusion in every statement into which it enters. Nothing we can say or believe regarding matter is immortal, for matter is temporal and is therefore a mortal phenomenon, a human concept sometimes beautiful, always erroneous. . . Divine metaphysics explains away matter" (pp. 277, 278).

Sunday school is held at 9:45 o'clock; Wednesday evening services at 8 o'clock. Reading room in West-Jacobson building open daily except Sundays and holidays. Services at church edifice corner First and Washington streets, at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.

Church of the Nazarene Y Avenue and Birch St.

Services at the Church of the Nazarene next Sunday will be Sunday school at 9:45; morning worship, with the pastor speaking on "Our Stewardship," at 11 o'clock; young people's service at 6:30; evangelistic service at 7:30 with special music and the sermon subject, "The Jailor's Cry."

The midweek prayer service will be at 7:30 Wednesday evening.

Church of God Spruce Street at X Avenue

The Sunday services at the Church of God will be Sunday school at 10 o'clock and the regular Sunday morning service at 11 o'clock. The Sunday school lesson subject will be "Jesus Dies on the Cross," and the sermon subject will be "The Atonement."

Emmanuel Apostolic Assembly 1009 Jefferson

Services for the week at the Emmanuel Apostolic assembly, according to the pastor Rev. R. F. Sweeten will be Sunday school at 10 o'clock; morning service at 11 o'clock, and evening evangelistic service at 7:45 on Sunday; regular preaching services at 7:45 on Tuesday and Friday; prayer meeting on Wednesday at 7:45; and street meeting Saturday at 8 o'clock. An invitation is extended to all those not attending churches elsewhere.

Sermonette
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"My help cometh from the Lord which made heaven and earth— Psalm 121:2.

How easily we become discouraged! When we are striving to overcome a fault, we start hopefully; we are determined never to commit the fault again. For a time we go in the power of our resolution. Then— does our determination weaken? Is temptation too sudden?—something happens, and we fail. Again we repent, this time with despair.

What is the use of trying again? We were so sure we should not fall the last time, but we have. Why should we try? It is not really impossible for us to resist successfully? Can we help it if we are not strong enough? Does not the experience show us what we are really like?

Yes, undoubtedly, we know now what we are like! We may as well face that fact. But that is not necessarily what we need remain. What we are is what we must start from. It does no good to tell ourselves that it would all be so simple if only we were different. It is our business to make ourselves different—and that is not accomplished in a moment, nor by a single resolution.

We must not dwell morbidly on our faults. If we have realized them, that is enough for repentance. Then, "forgetting those things which are behind," let us reach forth unto those things which are before." And let us thank God that the Kingdom of God is within us, and that we have His help for our good endeavors.

Health
TEMPER TANTRUMS

When the youngster who cannot have his own way begins to scream, falls to the floor and kicks wildly about him, he is suffering from, or indulging in, a temper tantrum.

This behavior may be the expression of uncontrolled anger, or again it may be a piece of acting which the child indulges in because in his experience it has served well as a means for gaining his wishes.

The original outburst of temper was, no doubt, provoked by some keenly resented situation. Later the child learned the value of the "act."

Menus Of The Day

By Mrs. Alexander George
DATE FILLED COOKIES
Breakfast
Grapefruit
Soft Cooked Eggs
Buttered Toast
Coffee
Luncheon
Cocoa
Minc'd Ham Sandwiches
Date Filled Cookies
Apple Sauce
Dinner
Macaroni and Cheese
Buttered Beets
Biscuit Plum Jelly
Fruit Salad French Dressing
Chocolate Cookies Coffee

Oatmeal Cookies With Date Filling
1 cup fat
2 cups sugar
3 eggs
1 teaspoon vanilla
4 tablespoons sour cream
2 tablespoons cinnamon
1 teaspoon cloves
1 teaspoon nutmeg
2 cups ground oatmeal flakes
2 1/2 cups flour
1 teaspoon soda
1 teaspoon baking powder

Cream the fat and sugar. Add eggs, vanilla and cream. Add rest of ingredients and chill dough. Roll out dough until it is one-fourth inch thick. On one half of it spread date filling. Fold other half over filling and press down. Use sharp knife and cut 1 1/2 inch squares. Press edges of each square, with fork and prick tops with fork. Bake 15 minutes on greased baking sheets in moderate oven.

Date Filling
1/2 cup sugar
2 tablespoons flour
1 cup chopped dates
1/2 cup nuts
1 cup water

Blend sugar and flour. Add rest of ingredients. Cook slowly and stir constantly until filling thickens. Cool and use.

Mince Ham Filling (For 8 Sandwiches)
2-3 cup chopped ham
1 hard cooked egg, diced.
2 tablespoons pickle relish
2 tablespoons chopped onion
3 tablespoons salad dressing

Mix ingredients with fork. Spread on buttered slices of thinly cut white bread. Add shreds of lettuce and cover with other buttered slices.

Fruit Salad, Serving 6
1 cup diced pineapple
1 cup diced peaches
1 cup diced bananas
2 tablespoons lemon juice
1/2 teaspoon salt

Mix ingredients and serve.

Before attempting to deal in a specific way with temper tantrums one must determine the genesis of the outburst. If they are in the nature of a performance, they are easy to handle.

The simplest procedure in such an instance is to ignore the child and its temper tantrum and above all not to yield the disputed point.

This may require a good deal of fortitude on the part of the parents, but the effort and patience will be well repaid in the child's improvement.

It will not long be before the child will recognize that he cannot gain the desired end by "throwing a fit" and he will cease having temper tantrums.

The outburst which represents an actual instance of uncontrolled and uncontrollable anger is more difficult to eliminate.

One must, to begin with, trace the possible provocations for the violent anger.

It may be that the child is jealous of a younger member of the family. The parents may exasperate the child by too severe a discipline.

Physical defects, malnutrition, chronic fatigue, may make the child so irritable that slight added annoyance will call forth a violent reaction.

In any case, an analysis of the situation is indicated before the conclusion is drawn that the fault is entirely with the child.

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