DAILY BIBLE CLASSES WILL BE HELD AT THE BUCKMAN SCHOOL

Three Weeks Following Close of Public Schools Will Be Utilized for Religious Education of East Side Children Who Will Attend Sessions June 20 to July 7. Mornings to Be Filled With Variety and Good Cheer.

THE East Side Daily Vacation Bible school has about completed an organization, which will enable it to use the three weeks following the close of public schools for accomplishing valuable ends in the religious education of east side children who will attend its sessions in the Buckman school building, June 20 to July 7.

Many children already have signed for the school, assured that those mornings will be full of novelty, variety and good cheer, their parents pleased in the prospect of foundations laid broad and deep for Christian character.

The school is non-sectarian, though it is made possible by the efforts of Centenary-Wilbur Methodist Episcopal and Central Presbyterian churches assisted by the First United Brethren and East Side Christian churches. Children will attend from other churches also as the welcome is unlimited and there is no charge.

At the conclusion of the school, diplomas will be awarded and the public invited to observe the accomplishment. A unique and skillfully written pageant by Lyman Bayard, who wrote the well-known Christmas and Easter pageants so successfully given on the east side recently, will be given by the school on the evening of the last day. The pageant is entitled "Out of the Bible" and is particularly worth while because it is related in every particular to the Bible stories and characters which will be studied in the school and the songs for it will be included in the singing instruction of the school.

Every teacher in the school is experienced and most of them especially trained in secular as well as religious pedagogy.

Children of grammar school age, including those who will start to school in the fall, will attend and will be graded accordingly. The programme of all grades will consist of worship, singing, habit and missionary talks, memory work, Bible stories, expressional work in clay modeling, book making, paper cutting, etc., and in the upper classes Bible geography will be taught with expressional work in the modeling of relief maps of Palestine in paper pulp and the construction with hammer and saw of electric maps of the journeys of Jesus.

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Next Sunday, according to custom, all the schools of the diocese of Oregon will meet, as far as is possible, in a united service at the pro-cathedral, for the presentation of their Lenten offering. The arrangements for this occasion have been in the hands of two committees. The Rev. J. D. Rice, Paul Cowgill and F. J. Glass have made arrangements for the procession from St. Helen's hall to the pro-cathedral.

Vested boys' and girls' choirs from various schools, accompanied by their cross-bearers, will meet at St. Stephen's pro-cathedral at 3 P. M. for assignment to seatings and at 3:10 will proceed promptly to St. Helen's hall. Schools shall form on the grounds of St. Helen's hall.

The processional shall start at 3:20 from St. Helen's hall and proceed to the pro-cathedral in the following formation: Vested choirs, visiting clergy, St. Michael's, Ascension, pro-cathedral, St. David's, Transfiguration, Trinity, Grace Memorial, St. Peter's, St. James, Milwaukie, Oregon City, St. Philip's, St. Matthew's, St. Paul's, St. John's, St. Mark's, Good Shepherd, Our Saviour, St. Andrew's.

In case of rain the out-door processional will be abandoned. Vested choirs will form in parish house. Pupils and teachers will be seated by schools. The service at the pro-cathedral will begin at 3:30.

The committee on the service consists of the Rev. Thomas Jenkins, Dean Ramsey and J. W. Lethaby. The service is printed in pamphlet form and will be distributed at the pro-cathedral. The bishop will award the banner for the largest school per capita offering, and the board of religious education will award the banner for the largest single school offering. Mrs. Wilson Johnston will award a medal for the largest individual offering in the diocese. A. W. Stone, secretary of the board, will call the roll of schools and announce the offerings. The president of the board will make a short address on "Leaders and Followers," and the bishop will make the principal address on the "Spiritual Value of the Lenten Offering."

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The "Big Four" organization of the Holy Name society, comprising young men of the Catholic parishes of the Holy Redeemer, Assumption, Holy Cross and Blessed Sacrament, has elected as its new officers: T. W. Starkey, president; J. A. Albrich, first vice-president; Cleve Preston, second vice-president; M. R. Ellis, secretary-treasurer. The next meeting of the "Big Four" is scheduled for June 15 in the Blessed Sacrament parish, and at that time a series of dates for the summer meetings and events will be announced.

The "Big Four" is one of the most active factors in the Holy Name diocesan union, which has selected as its executive committee:

Spiritual director, Rev. John Commisky, O. S. B.; president, J. E. Marcotte, Holy Redeemer parish; first vice-president; P. A. Tuhey, Sacred Heart parish; second vice-president, James O. Aveline, Holy Cross parish; secretary, Charles Mau, St. Agatha's parish; treasurer, Cleve Preston, Blessed Sacrament parish; marshal, Philip Dwyer, St. Lawrence parish; Rev. M. L. Ferry, St. Philip Neri; Rev. Father Apollinaris, Ascension; Rev. Charles M. Smith, St. Patrick's; Thomas Toukey, Holy Redeemer parish; B. P. McBride, St. Agatha's parish; H. J. Menig, Our Lady of Sorrows parish; Leo Boyle, Ascension parish; M. H. Malley, cathedral parish; T. W. Starkey, Assumption parish; J. J. Miller, St. John's parish, Milwaukie; C. A. LaGrande, St. Patrick's parish.

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The monthly meeting of the Portland Ministerial union will be held at the auditorium of the Y. M. C. A. tomorrow morning at 10:40, Rev. E. Constant presiding. The important business of the morning will be the election of officers for the coming year. The meditation will be given by Dr. Parker of the First Methodist Episcopal church. School Directors Newgill and Shull will address the union on the need of the Portland schools. J. C. Meehan of the Y. M. C. A. will speak on "Boys and Their Literature."

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Rev. F. A. Scarvie has just returned from his trip to Chicago and Evanston, where he attended the commencement services and preached the baccalaureate sermon of the Norwegian-Danish theological school. He also attended the annual meeting of the trustees of the school, being a member of the board himself. He visited Racine, Milwaukie, Duluth, Superior, Minneapolis and St. Paul and returned by way of Oakland and San Francisco.

Rev. Mr. Scarvie will occupy his own pulpit in the Norwegian-Danish Methodist Episcopal church, corner Eighteenth and Hoyt streets, both morning and evening today. The morning subject will be "Wells of Salvation" and in the evening "Dead Flies in the Ointment." All members and friends of the church as well as strangers are invited to welcome the pastor home again.

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Church school will be held at 10 o'clock this morning at the Alameda Park community church. Worship and the sermon will be at 11:15 on the theme "The Future of Christianity," Mrs. Raymond R. Smith will sing. At 8 o'clock at night Dr. W. H. Collins will speak at an open meeting in the church on "Health: How to Get It and How to Keep It." All are welcome. Important lecture.

On Wednesday afternoon the women's association will hold an important meeting at the church. All are welcome. Mrs. E. F. Nelson is elected as leader of the Blue Bird Girls and plans are in motion to organize a Campfire Girls' camp soon. Children's day programme June 11 at 11 o'clock.

Dr. Villers to Preach on "A Man's Religion."

White Temple Pastor to Deliver Linfield Baccalaureate.

AT the First Baptist church (White Temple) this morning Dr. Thomas J. Villers will speak on "A Man's Religion." Communion, with reception of new members, will follow the sermon. In the evening Dr. Charles L. Trawin of McMinnville will preach on "Men Who Dare to Give God a Chance." Dr. Villers will preach the baccalaureate sermon at Linfield college. Next Sunday night he will resume his illustrated addresses on the holy land, the journey being from Jerusalem to Bethleher .

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At the East Side Baptist church this morning Dr. G. H. Young will preach, as Dr. Hinson has been engaged to preach at the Sunnyside Congregational church on the occasion of Dr. Staub's 30th anniversary; but Dr. Hinson will return to his own church for the communion service, when new members will be received into the fellowship.

Dr. Young is the religious educational director of the Oregon Baptist state convention and the author of several books, the latest of which is "Who Is Who in America." Dr. Young is always welcomed into the East Side Baptist church. His subject will be "The World's Evasion of God."

The usual Bible school service will be held at 9:30, with classes for all.

At 6:45 the Baptist Young People's union will meet in the lower temple and the intermediate society in the parlor. The subject of the meeting will be "My Favorite Psalm and Why," led by Gwendolyn Beach. The young people also will hold a service at the Patton home at 3 o'clock.

At 7:45 Dr. Hinson will preach in his own pulpit on the theme "Conan Doyle and the Bible." At this service the new hymnal, which is to be in use during the summer Sunday-evening meetings, will be introduced and an uplifting song service will occupy the first 15 minutes.

At the midweek meeting, Wednesday evening at 7:45, Dr. Hinson will give an address on "Spiritism False and True." All of these services are open to the public.

Preacher Needs No Pity, Declares Speaker.

Begging for Consideration Said to Get Job Only More Despised.

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., June 3.—Asking pity for "the poor old preacher" is a "rank injustice and only succeeds in getting his position that much more despised," Rev. F. E. Smith of Indianapolis, representing the Disciples of Christ, told the annual conference of interdenominational secretaries of ministerial relief of Protestant churches here Thursday.

"Time must be taken to educate the church as to the justice and strategy of the care of her workers," he asserted in discussing ministerial pensions.

"The business world has long ago accepted the sound sense of such provision. It is an awkward circumstance that the church whose workers have largely brought about such benefits for the workers in business should last of all confer these benefits upon her own.

"The preachers must learn to speak out, not for themselves, as they mistakenly think, but for their comrades in service whose work is done. The preacher while protecting himself, in his modesty, from foolish criticism, denies the only voice that can be raised on behalf of godly men and women who have spent their all in the ministry."

Sacred Cantata Feature of United Brethren Service.

"The Good Shepherd" to Be Presented at First Church Tonight.

TONIGHT at the First United Brethren church, East Fifteenth and Morrison streets, the chorus choir under the leadership of W. H. Moore will give the sacred cantata entitled "The Good Shepherd." A number of the leading singers of the city are regular members of this choir. They are frequently called on to assist in putting on the big musical programmes in other churches. The two quartet numbers of this programme will be given by Messrs. Moore and Long and Mesdames Anderson and Sumerlin. Take Sunnyside or Mount Tabor cars; get off at East Sixteenth or Fourteenth streets. At 11 A. M. the Sunday school will give a children's day programme of reading and music.

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Rev. Ira V. Hawley, pastor of Second United Brethren church (Alberta), will preach this morning on "The Church Betrayed" and in the evening on "The Imperishable Word."

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At the Fourth United Brethren church (Tremont) this morning will be given over to the children's day programme, and this evening the pastor, Rev. B. Ross Evans, will preach on "A Man Who Made Mistakes."

Dr. Eliot Will Preach on Education Today.

Morning Subject Devoted to This Year's Graduates.

"THE ELEMENTS of a Complete Education" will be Rev. Mr. Eliot's subject this morning at 10:30 at the Church of Our Father (Unitarian), corner of Broadway and Yamhill street. The sermon will be appropriate to the season of the year, when so many students are "graduating" and will treat of some of the fundamental problems in education.

At noon the men's class meets under the leadership of Dr. Edward O. Sisson. At 11:30 A. M. will be held communion service.

The east side daily vacation Bible school has arranged an interesting programme for its coming session. The leaders in the movement are: Left to right—W. H. Sanford, Mrs. Charles MacCaughey, in charge of music; Mrs. Louis P. Hevlitt, intermediate teacher; Miss Mildred Bartholomew, principal; Mrs. William Jones, registrar; Miss Olive Lawrence, primary teacher; Mrs. A. L. Anderson, superintendent of primary department; Mrs. H. P. Hellman, sixth grade; Mrs. T. T. Hoyt, fourth grade; Mrs. W. H. Nugent, superintendent of intermediates.

Methodist Church Makes Change in Hours.

Women of First Church Hold Picnic—Whitney Boys' Chorus to Sing.

BY joint action of the official and Sunday school boards of the First Methodist church, the following important changes in the hours of services have been arranged. Sunday school will convene at 9:45. The morning service will be held at 11 o'clock and the night service at 7:45. These services will be held on the new schedule Sunday. Dr. Parker, the pastor, will preach in the morning on "The Moralization of Power," and Miss Frances Kallstedt will speak at night.

An interesting programme of summer activities for First church has been planned.

On Wednesday last, the women of the church gathered at the Amedee Smith home on Riverside Drive for their annual picnic and outing. There were about 125 present and the bountiful dinner spread under the great fir trees left nothing to be desired. Splendid reports from each of the ten circles showed that a great number of calls had been made upon newcomers and the sick and that a great amount of work had been done, both belevoient and for the financial advancement of the Woman's association. The following new officers were elected for the coming year and will be installed in September after the summer vacation: President, Mrs. James D. Ogden; vice-president, Mrs. J. L. Bryan, secretary, Mrs. C. D. Minton, treasurer, Mrs. D. T. Fett.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary society will meet Wednesday, June 7, at 2 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Neal Zimmerman, 65 East Thirty-fifth street. An interesting programme has been planned for the afternoon.

Thursday night of this week at 8:30 the play, "Dinah of the Berbers," will be presented by the Young People's Home Missionary society, in the Oxford parlors. A silver offering will be taken for the South Portland mission. The public is invited.

Dr. Parker will give the commencement address at the Kimball School of Theology Tuesday morning and will speak at the alumni banquet Tuesday night, June 6. He will have the morning Bible hour and Sunday afternoon lecture at the Willamette valley chautauqua, to be held at Gladstone park in July.

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The Whitney Boys' chorus will sing at the University Park Methodist church tonight at 8 o'clock. It is announced that about 180 boys will be present to make the service a success. In the morning at 11 o'clock the sermon will be preached by Rev. D. T. Summerville, who, after many years' residence in the park, is moving to Roseburg to make his home with his daughter. The friends of Dr. Summerville are cordially invited to take this opportunity of hearing him before he leaves this part of the state.

On Wednesday, June 7, the DeMoss family will give an entertainment at this church.

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Sunday morning Centenary Wilbur will welcome to its pulpit Dr. W. T. Kerr, affectionately known as "Father" Kerr, one of the honored men of Portland Methodism. In the evening there will be congregational singing of favorite hymns, with special music and a short address. On the evening of June 7 the members of the Sunday school will give a concert in the church auditorium. This concert has been in course of preparation for some time and it is expected that it will be an event of more than usual interest.

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Rev. H. P. Blake, a veteran Methodist Episcopal minister, will preach this morning at the Tualatin church at 11 A. M. Although Brother Blake is is more than 89 years of age he is a forceful, interesting speaker and is highly esteemed in the Tualatin community.

This evening at 8 P. M. Rev. Alfred Bates, the pastor, will preach at Wilsonville church.

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A series of kick-off meetings for the financing of the new Laurelwood Methodist Episcopal church, to be on a site on Foster road between East Sixty-first and East Sixty-second streets, will be held today.

The first of these meetings will be held this morning at the present church building, 4227 East Sixty-third street. Dr. W. W. Youngson and Dr. C. C. Rarick will be the speakers at this service, with Rev. F. E. Finley, the pastor, presiding.

In the afternoon services will be held under the trees on the site of the proposed new building. Another outdoor service will be held at 7 P. M. There will be special music by the Franklin High School Glee club at the night service.

It is proposed to erect a building in the neighborhood of $50,000. It will have an auditorium capacity of approximately 1200 people.

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An Epworth league rally to boost for the summer institute scheduled for the last week in July at Falls City, Or., will be held at the Sunnyside Methodist Episcopal church Friday night, June 9. F. N. Haroun, institute manager, is arranging a good programme and all leaguers are expected to participate. An institute supper will be served at 6:30 when yells, songs and toasts will be given.

Following the supper there will be a short, snappy programme consisting of talks, institute slides and stunts. Rev. Mr. Dawson, superintendent of the Portland commons, will preach at the Central Free Methodist church, East Fifty-third and East Flanders streets, at 11 A. M. Rev. Homer Williams will speak at 8 P. M.

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At Woodlawn Methodist Episcopal church the pastor will preach in the morning by request on "The Sabbath of the Lord Our God."

The men of the church will conduct the night service and have for a subject "If I Were a Millionaire, How I Would Use My Wealth."

Attendance at Sunday school last Sunday outstripped all former records. Prayer meeting has quadrupled since crusade and revival meetings.

Whitsunday Services to Be of Special Interest.

Hundreds of Boys and Girls to Celebrate Birthday of Church.

ON WHITSUNDAY the service at the pro-Cathedral will be of special interest. Dean H. M. Ramsey announces holy communion at 7:45, church school at 9:45, while at 11 o'clock Bishop Walter Taylor Sumner will preach the baccalaureate sermon for the pupils of St. Helen's hall. This service will also be celebration of the holy communion.

At 3 o'clock all the church school boys and girls of the city will meet at St. Helen's hall and march in procession to the pro-Cathedral, where the Lenten offering will be presented. Night service with short address at 7:45.

On Tuesday night at Trinity church the commencement exercises of St. Helen's hall will take place and the bishop will give a special address.

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To celebrate the birthday of the church, hundreds of boys and girls belonging to the Episcopal church schools in Portland will form a procession on the campus of St. Helen's hall on Sunday at 3 o'clock, and, led by more than 100 choristers in white vestments with banners of gold and blue and with brass crosses held aloft, will wind in procession through the streets singing "Onward, Christian Soldiers," to St. Stephen's pro-Cathedral, Thirteenth and Clay streets, where the largest mass meeting of children in the history of the Portland Episcopal schools will be held, with special thanksgiving.

At the same time the total of the children's Lenten offering will be announced, each of the 19 schools presenting their special offering. It is hoped that Oregon will raise a total of $3000 and that the children throughout the United States will be able to give to the church this year more than $300,000, a wonderful and stupendous advance from the early days.

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Miss Helen Burke will lead the regular meeting of St. Stephen's Young People's society at 6:30 P. M. in room A of the public library. Mrs. Gwen Howell and Miss Lillian Howell will be in charge of the musical programme, which has been specially arranged, the former on the violin and the latter at the piano. "Music and Life" will be the speaker's subject. All young people of any denomination are cordially invited.

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Whitsunday will be the 1889th birthday of the holy Catholic church. St. David's unit of that great body will hold due celebration. Whitsunday is the time when all faithful church people should go to their communion.

The first celebration will be at 7 o'clock, the second one at 8 o'clock and the third at 11. At the last service the rector will be the preacher. Appropriate music for the day has been prepared by the choir, under the direction of Tom G. Taylor. Holy baptism will be administered at 9:30; service at night at 7:30. At 4 o'clock in the afternoon the schools will all join the united service at the pro-Cathedral.

Bible Grows More Popular Throughout World.

Biggest Year's Circulation Since War Period Reported.

NEW YORK, June 3.—The biggest year of Bible circulation since the high levels of the war period is reported by the American Bible society in the annual report, which says:

"The total number of volumes circulated during the year was 4,855,464, which is more than a million in excess of the distribution of the preceding year. The largest increase is shown in China, where 2,362,730 were circulated. From Japan, the near east and all of Latin America there has come an increased demand so great that the society has been unable to meet it.

"The revised Spanish New Testament has been completed and will be ready for distribution during the coming year. Translation work has gone forward also in Luragoli for missions in British East Africa; in Quechua for the Bolivian Indians, in Zulu for the black people of South Africa, in K'pelle for use in Liberia. In China large parts of the scriptures have been issued in the new phonetic script, which is a simplified written form endorsed and promoted by the government."

Presbyterians Will Hold Communion Service.

Dr. Bowman to Preach Second of Nature Sermon Series.

AT THE First Presbyterian church this morning there will be the regular communion service, together with reception of members. Tonight the pastor, Rev. Harold Leonard Bowman, D. D., will preach the second in the series of nature sermons, "The Spiritual Message of the Trees." The offertory solo, "A Ballad of Trees and the Master" (Chadwick), will be sung by Otto Wedemeyer.

The following circles will meet at 2 P. M. Tuesday: Circles A and B at the home of Mrs. W. B. Gilbert, 490 Twenty-first street; circles J and W at the home of the leader, Mrs. David Muir, 85 East Twenty-seventh street; circle K at the home of the leader, Mrs. F. A. Kenny, 737 Hawthorne avenue; circle F, at the home of Mrs. Walter Johnson, 1527 East Hoyt street; circle P at the home of Mrs. C. A. Tomassene, 351 East Forty-ninth street North. Circle S will give a luncheon at 1 P. M. at the home of the leader, Mrs. J. C. Stevens, 108 Royal court. Circle E will give a garden party at the home of Mrs. Edwin Caswell, 791 Overton street, at 2 P. M. Wednesday. Circle L will hold a night reception Tuesday at 8 o'clock at the home of the leader, Mrs. Henry Waller, 995 Lambert street. Circle M will meet at the Waverly Baby Home on Tuesday at 11 A. M.

Friday afternoon from 3 to 5 the Women's association will hold the annual tea at the home of Mrs. E. H. Sensenich, 482 East Twenty-fifth street North. This is to be in the nature of a towel shower for Hillockburn and all the women of the church and congregation are invited to come and bring towels of any kind.

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The Warren Bible and vesper classes will unite in a closing class party Tuesday night, June 6, in the chapel of the First Presbyterian church. Today is the last meeting of both of these classes until they reopen again the first Sunday in October, and this party is planned as a farewell gathering before the summer months of separation. The vesper orchestra of ten members, assisted by a prominent soloist, will give a splendid musical programme. Awards for the year's work will be given by the teacher of the two classes, Mrs. Angela L. Ford Warren, and a social time will follow. Any visitors coming to the classes today will be cordially welcome and included for this party. Both classes meet in room E of the church house. The Warren Bible class for young women meets immediately after the service, and the vesper class meets at 4 o'clock, and is for both young men and young women. The entrance is at 454 Alder street. The lecture room is on the second floor.

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At Westminster Presbyterian church the pastor, Dr. E. H. Pence, will preach this morning on "Where There's a Will; the Labor Problem in the Kingdom," and tonight on "The Humanizing Jesus."

Professor Hutchison has arranged the following special music:

10:30 A. M.—Anthem, "Holy Spirit, Come, O Come," G. C. Martin; offertory, "Elegie," S. Rousseau; quartet, "The Sun Shall Be No More Thy Light by Day," H. H. Woodward. (In affectionate memory of Mrs. John F. Logan.)

7:45 P. M.—Tenor solo and quartet, "Come, Holy Ghost, Our Souls Inspire," Thomas Attwood; offertory, Andantino, Robert L. Schumann; hymn-anthem, "The Lord Is My Shepherd," Henry Smart.

Wednesday night the Boy Scouts of this entire district, comprising nine troops, will meet in the church parlors to see the Finley pictures of animal life and Wahtum lake.

Next Sunday will be children's day, when a large class of 72 will be promoted from the primary department. There will be two programmes at 12:10, one by the grade school section and the other by the primary department.

Complete plans have now been made for the summer Bible school, which opens June 19. During the Rose Festival the sessions will close at 11:30 so as to give ample time for all Festival activities.

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Dr. Walter Henry Nugent of the Central Presbyterian church will occupy his pulpit at both services today. His morning topic is "Bodily Exercise Versus Godliness," and his night topic "Summertime Angels and Devils." The large chorus, under the direction of J. William Belcher, will sing.

Thursday night at 7 o'clock the teachers of the Sunday school who have taken the second unit in the teachers' training course, "Thoroughly Furnished," will take a written examination set by the denomination.

The various departments of the Sunday school of Central church will meet in general assembly at 9:45 this morning for the annual examinations. On children's day, June 11, those who have reached the proper ages will receive diplomas to the next department. Those who have satisfactorily completed the department requirements will receive gold stars on their diplomas, indicating honorable promotion.

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This morning at Piedmont Presbyterian church the pastor, Rev. J. F. Morgan, will preach on the subject, "Joy in God's Service," taking his text from Acts v:42. Tonight he will take as his sermon topic, "Can Jesus Be Crowded Out of His World?" with the text Matthew xxviii:20. This will be communion Sunday.

The regular meeting of the Missionary society will be held Wednesday afternoon at the church. The main paper of the day will be on the Philippine islands. Letters from Mrs. Neal in Africa will be read as an added attraction, and Miss Nora Martin, the blind pianist, will play. Mrs. R. Thomas will have the devotionals for the day. Hostesses will be Mrs. F. D. Lawrence, Mrs. I. M. Palmer, Mrs. Edna Slocum and Mrs. W. O. Ashby.

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Rev. Ira W. Hawley, pastor of Second United Brethren church, will be the speaker at the Men's Resort meeting today at 4 P. M. There will be music and songs by the Ergathae class of First Methodist Episcopal church and the popular song service will precede the speaker.

Baron Fersen Will Speak at Christian Church.

"Christian Miracles" Will Be Topic in Lincoln Auditorium.

ALL Sunday services of the First Christian church will be held in the main auditorium of the Lincoln high school, on Park street, between Market and Mill. In the public worship this morning at 11 o'clock Baron Eugene Ferson, from Moscow, will speak on "Christian Miracles."

The musical setting for the Sunday services by the church quartet will include the anthem "By the Rivers of Babylon" (Vincent); the soprano-tenor duet, "The Hill of Calvary" (Lansing), by Mrs. Freiman and Mr. Hafner; also the baritone offertory solo, "Spirit of God" (Neidlinger), by Sargent Patterson.

The evening worship at 7:45 will have a distinctive educational value in the form of an illustrated lecture on "The Birds of Oregon," by W. A. Eliot, vice-president of the State Audubon society and representative of the educational extension courses of the United Young Men's Christian association schools. The illustrations for the lecture will be conveyed by beautiful hand-colored slides, and in connection with the exhibit the speaker will explain the new Young Men's Christian association extension plan, which is proving of great interest to those wanting a better equipment for their life work. Admission to this lecture is free and the general public is invited.

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This morning Rev. William R. Reece of the Portland society of the New Christian church will speak on "God in Man and How to Worship Him There" at the Portland hotel assembly room at 11 o'clock. Next Sunday morning Mr. Reece will give his last sermon here until the resumption of services in September. In the meantime he will attend the national convention of the New Christian church at Urbana, O., which meets this year for the 101st time in the United States. The two remaining Sundays in June will be in charge of laymen, the society then enjoying a vacation during the months of July and August. The Lord's supper will be observed on the Sunday of June 11.

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The Advent Christian Sunday school begins each Sunday morning promptly at 10 o'clock. This morning at 11 o'clock the pastor expects a large attendance, as the monthly holy communion service will be held at that hour. The Young People's Society of Loyal Workers will meet at 6:30 P. M. The service will be conducted by Mrs. Jennie Armstrong. The closing service will begin at 7:30 sharp. The pastor will speak on the topic "The Prescription That Brings Permanent Results."

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Services at the East Side Christian church, East Twelfth and Taylor streets, will be conducted by the pastor, Rev. Walter Scott Crockett, today. The subject this morning will be "The Sufficiency of the Sacred Scriptures." Tonight he will speak on "The Real Need of Rest."

The Bible school has made a strong appeal for new members and the need for larger quarters is apparent. The financal committee, of which T. P. Campbell is chairman, will meet this need some time during the summer or early fall.

A large gathering of members and friends attended the "church party" last Friday night, when the men of the church were hosts. Vocal solos, piano and violin solos, speeches and readings were given, all by the men. Even the refreshments were provided and served by the men, who challenged the women to equal their entertainment.

St. James' Lutheran Church Without Pastor.

Rev. W. E. Brinkman Absent in Seattle, Where He Officiated at Dedication.

THE REV. AXEL M. GREEN will conduct the regular morning service in the absence of Rev. W. E. Brinkman at the St. James English Lutheran church Sunday at 11 A. M. Rev. Brinkman is in Everett, Wash., where, as the executive of the Pacific synod, he is officiating at the ceremony of dedication of the beautiful new Trinity church edifice, which was recently completed. The night service will be omitted this Sunday. Rev. Brinkman will return home on Monday.

The Sunday school session will be held at 9:50 A. M. Classes for young and old are open to students and visitors—all adults are cordially invited to attend the pastors' bible class.

The young people's Luther league will hold a devotional meeting Sunday night at 6:45. The topic will be "A Brave American Girl Influences a Great General."

The church council will meet on Monday night, June 5.

Tuesday night, June 6, Mrs. E. C. Cronk, the national superintendent of children's work of the United Lutheran church in America, will address all Lutherans of Portland and vicinity at a union gathering at St. James church at 8 o'clock. Mrs. E. C. Cronk, who is visiting the Pacific coast Lutheran centers, is widely known as an author and editor and lecturer in the Lutheran church in America. Everyone is cordially invited to the service.

Pentecost will be observed and holy communion celebrated in St. Paul's Lutheran church, East Twelfth and and Clinton streets, Rev. A. Krause, pastor. Confession will be held at 10 A. M. and festival service and holy communion at 10:30. The subject for the sermon will be "The Pentecost of the Apostles and Our Pentecost." At 5 P. M. the bible study begins and at 6 P. M. the young peoples business meeting. At 8 P. M. a sacred concert will be given by the choir, under the leadership of its director, G. Harklen, and a very good programme of sacred song and music will be rendered. The Sunday school meets at 9:30 A. M. Wednesday at 2 P. M. the ladies' society meets with Mrs. E. Roethe at Roethe's station and the choir rehearses Friday at 8 P. M.

The Sunday school of the Clay Street Evangelical church will meet at 10:45, in charge of the superintendent, E. J. Keller. At 10:45 the pastor, Jacob Stocker, will preach a sermon on the subject "Significance of the Altar." In the afternoon at 3 o'clock there will be a short service at the Altenheim at Division street. The young people's alliance begins at 7, in charge of C. B. Lehmann. At 8 the pastor will speak on the question of Samuel to Jesse, "Are These All of Thy Children?" The pastor of the Clay street church will be away for six weeks in order to take a post-graduate course at Naperville, Ill. Rev. H. Schuknecht will be the substitute for this period, and will begin his services with coming Sunday, June 11, 1922.

Rev. C. J. Ledin of the Swedish tabernacle, Glisan and North Seventeenth streets, has consented to the unanimous request of his congregation to remain with the local church and has declined a tempting call to the Swedish tabernacle of Tacoma, Wash. It is five years next Sunday since Rev. Ledin took up his pastoral work in the local church. During this time the church membership has nearly doubled. The same result has been reached in the tabernacle Sunday school and the young people's society.

On his fifth anniversary as a pastor of the Swedish Mission church of Portland, Rev. Ledin will speak next Sunday at 11 A. M. on "A Living Sacrifice" and at 7:30 P. M. on "Sacred Memories." He intends to attend the annual conference of the Evangelical Mission Covenant at Chicago, Ill., June 20-25, 1922.

Children's day and a special pentecostal service will be observed by Our Savior's Lutheran church today. The children's day service will begin at 10 o'clock when teachers and children will join in presenting an elaborate programme of music and song.

At 11 o'clock Rev. W. A. Christenson will read the pentecostal message in Norwegian and preach the sermon in English.

Dr. McElveen Will Discuss "Truths That Nourish."

First Congregational Church to Have No Vacation.

"TRUTHS THAT NOURISH" will be Dr. McElveen's topic this morning at the First Congregational church. Tonight he will resume his question forum and answer the following four questions: (1) How should America now treat Germany and Russia? (2) What was the belief of the atheist, Thomas Paine? (3) Does Christian Science play tricks with the dictionary? (4) Will Conan Doyle's prophecy that "spiritualism will be the world's religion in ten years" be fulfilled? The organist for the evening will be George Baker. Mrs. F. B. Newton, the regular organist, is away on vacation. Walter Blair also will take Mr. Crosby's place in the church quartet for the day. The Sunday services at the First church will know no vacation. However, the services will be considerably abbreviated.

George Prior is the leader of the Intermediate Christian Endeavor meeting, and Ralph Ivey is the leader of the senior meeting at 6:30 o'clock. At the Golden Rule open forum at 12:30 noon Herbert Powell Lee will lead in a discussion of "The Golden Rule and Good Citizenship."

Tomorrow night the executive council will meet in the pastor's study. At the same time Mrs. Carrie B. Adams will meet the older young folk for a rehearsal of the music to be given Sunday morning, June 18.

Thursday evening Dr. McElveen will give the second of his illustrated stereopticon lectures. It will be entitled "Little Journeys Through the Southland."

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The year book of the Congregational churches of America for 1921 has just been issued. It reports advance all along the line. More new churches were organized than in any year of that denomination's history. The total accessions to membership during the year were 78,365. The gain in Sunday school membership for the year was 37,563. Over $16,000,000 was raised and expended on local work, and $2,890,894 was given to the eight national Congregational missionary societies. The average ministerial salary was boosted over $100 during the year, it being on December 31, 1921, $1739.98. This is the largest average ministerial salary among all the Protestant denominations.

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This morning at the Highland Congregational church the pastor, Rev. Edward Constant, will preach on the following topic: "The Promise Made Good, or the Blessing of Pentecost." In the evening he will deal with the question, "Do We Need a New Religion?"

The Ladies' Aid society will hold an all-day meeting at the church on Wednesday, serving lunch at noon.

The Sunday school is carrying on a contest which has certain educational values, designed to promote regularity of attendance and efficiency of work. A special committee, together with the superintendent, Mrs. M. R. Stuart, is making preparations for children's day exercises the morning of June 11.

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This morning at the Pilgrim Congregational church, corner Shaver street and Missouri avenue, James W. Price, pastor, will take as his subject "The Supreme Desire of the Enemy," as illustrated by the offer to Christ of world dominion, from the text, "All this will I give thee if thou will fall down and worship me." Three questions will be answered in this sermon: (1) Did the enemy make a legitimate offer to our Lord? (2) Would such an offer constitute a valid temptation to Christ? (3) What is there in thhe incident helpful to the life of today? In the evening the group service will be in charge of Mrs. Jessie Steckle, assisted by Miss Dorothy Price and Miss Ella Anderson. Rev. Mr. Price will make the closing remarks. The Pilgrim boys' chorus will sing several selections. At this service there also will be a reception of new members.

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Atkinson Memorial Congregational church will have service today at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. This morning the pastor, Rev. E. E. Flint, will speak on the "Progress of Christianity." Tonight the programme will consist of a community sing; a message on "The Courage and Cowardice of Youth"; seeing the world as God made it on the screen, three reels of pictures.

The Thursday night meeting will be conducted by the pastor and will be a Bible study of the First Letter of John.

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Rev. Oliver Perry Avery, pastor of the Waverly Heights Congregational church, corner of East Thirty-third street and Woodward avenue, will preach at both services. At 11 A. M. the subject of the sermon will be "The Deeper Joy of Life," and 8 P. M. "A Famous Singing Girl." A young people's chorus choir sings in the evening under the leadership of E. H. Barendrick.

On Wednesday the Ladies' Aid and Missionary societies meet in the forenoon with picnic dinner at 12:30. Mrs. W. K. Royal will be the visiting speaker of the afternoon.

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This will be a record day at Sunnyside Congregational church. All services will be permeated by the spirit of the 30th anniversary celebration. The Sunday school at 9:45 will rally all its former members and friends in a great reunion. At the morning services Dr. Walter B. Hinson, pastor of the East Side Baptist church, will deliver the anniversary sermon. The choir will sing "O Worship the King," by Nichol. Marion Bennett Duva will sing "How Beautiful Upon the Mountains," by Harker. Robert E. Millard will play a flute solo, "Tendre Souvenir," by Donjon, accompanied by the pipe organ.

The three Endeavor societies will act as hosts to ex-members and friends of their departments.

The evening service will offer a programme of unusual attraction. The pastor, Dr. J. J. Staub, will give a short address on "Lights and Shades of Thirty Years," and Gladys Morgan Farmer's pre-service organ recital will include:

"Marche Solennelle" (LeMeigre); "Sunshine and Shadow" (Gale); Reve Angelique" (Rubenstein).

Baritone solo, "Fear Ye Not, O Israel," (Dudley Buck), Arthur Von Hoelzel.

The choir will give the following programme:

Anthem, "By Babylon's Waves" (Gounod); tenor solo, "The Holy City" (Adams), Jacob Ferguson. Soprano solo, "A Voice in the Wilderness" (Scott), Marion Bennett Duva; duet "Even Song" (Smart), Misses Ferguson and Frehelt; baritone solo, "Just as I Am" (Scott), J. Scott Milne; anthem "Inflammatus" (Gounod), with soprano obligato by Mrs. Duva; organ postlude, "Triumphal March" (Verdi).

The anniversary celebration will conclude Tuesday evening in the reunion and reception to members and friends under the auspices of the men's league and the Ladies' Aid society. Dr. E. H. Pence of Westminster Presbyterian church will give the address, and an excellent musical programme will follow.

Thursday evening at the Bible study hour the fourth chapter of Philippians will be studied, Dr. Staub leading.

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The Independent Bible Spiritualistic Society and Church, of 591 Commercial street, near Stanton, Rev. Mrs. Ida M. Schorl, pastor, will have a lecture tonight at 8 o'clock. The regular Thursday night circle will be held as usual at 8 o'clock. The women of the society will serve refreshments.

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The Rev. E. O. Shepherd will preach both morning and evening in the Third United Brethren church, Thirty-second avenue and Sixty-seventh street Southeast.

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Community services will be held this evening at 8 o'clock at Grange hall, East Eighty-second and Division streets. Rev. E. R. Hollensted will preach.

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Rev. Fay L. Ingram, pastor, will speak at the services of the Guiding Star Spiritualist church, 409 Alder street, today. There will be a conference from 3 to 4:30 P. M. and circles from 4:30 to 7:30. Lecture at 8.

Christian Science Lesson-Sermon Deals With God.

Regular Services Will Be Held in All Portland Churches.

"GOD the Only Cause and Creator" will be the subject of the lesson-sermon in Christian Science churches today.

Christian Science churches hold morning services Sunday at 11 o'clock and evening services at 8 o'clock. Fifth and Seventh churches omit the evening service.

Sunday school for children up to the age of 20 is held in all churches at 9:45 and 11, except Third and Fifth churches, where the sessions conv