

Christmas Services Will Be Coordinated in Portland Churches on Sunday Morning

CHURCH BELLS WILL RING OUT GLAD TIDINGS

Special Significance Attaches to Observance of Christmas With the Coming of Peace.

ARRANGE MUSICAL PROGRAMS Collections Are to Be Taken for Orphans in Bible Lands; Song Services Are Announced.

"Glory to God in the highest; peace on earth, good will to men." This glad song, sung first by the angels over Bethlehem, will be sung throughout the world this Christmas tide as it probably never has before.

Never before has the entire world been involved in such a great struggle as has just ended, and probably never before did the word "peace" mean so much to the hearts of men and women, and especially to anxious fathers and mothers as it does today.

The offering is to be taken during the Christmas season, which may last until the first Sunday in January. Last year Oregon children gave \$589.97 to the relief cause.

Special Christmas programs have been arranged for some night during the coming week in nearly all Presbyterian churches in the city.

First Presbyterian The Christmas season will be celebrated Sunday by special music at both services at the First Presbyterian church.

The First Presbyterian Sunday school will give a short Christmas play called "The Magi of Today."

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Christmas Music Will Be Featured At First Unitarian

Christmas music will be heard Sunday morning and evening in the Church of Our Father Unitarian.

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Services in Portland's Congregational churches Sunday will be coordinated with the Christmas season.

The First Congregational church, Park and Madison streets, making special preparations for Christmas services.

"O Holy Night" (Dudley Buck) Quartet "Sing, O Heavens" (Tours) Quartet "There Were Shepherds" (Tours) Quartet "How Beautiful Upon the Mountains" (Days) Hallelujah chorus from "Messiah" (Handel) Organ Postlude

The Sunday school will have an interesting Christmas concert between 12 and 1 o'clock.

United Presbyterian At the United Presbyterian church of the Strangers, Sunday night at 7:30, Trevor Jones, supported by an excellent choir, will read "The Christmas Carol."

Atkinson Memorial Atkinson Memorial Congregational church will have special Christmas programs Sunday, with Rev. George H. Hull in the pulpit.

Waverly Heights Rev. W. T. Kerr will preach Sunday morning at Waverly Heights Congregational church.

EPISCOPALIANS TO HAVE FINE MUSIC Bishop Sumner Will Take Services at Pro-cathedral; Morrison to Speak Twice.

Christmas music is to be heard Sunday morning in Portland's Episcopal churches.

Trinity "Peace and Good Will" will be the theme of Rev. A. A. Morrison's Sunday morning sermon at Trinity Episcopal church.

St. David's The last in a series of advent sermons will be preached Sunday morning at St. David's Episcopal church.

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Beautiful Music Will Be Heard Baptists Plan Fine Programs

Appropriate Christmas music and services will be rendered in Portland's Baptist churches Sunday morning and evening.

Glencoe Baptist At Glencoe Baptist church Rev. F. C. Laslette will preach the Christmas sermon Sunday morning.

Bethany Bethany Baptist church will have special music Sunday at both services.

Arleta Sunday, at 10:30 o'clock, the Christmas program will be given at Arleta Baptist church.

Salvation Army The Salvation Army, corps No. 4, will give a special service of song in the hall at 12:45 First street Sunday evening at 8 o'clock.

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CHRISTMAS SPIRIT IS OPREDOMINATE Sunday Services at First Christian Church to Be Devoted to Holiday Programs.

The spirit of Christmas will predominate in the services in the Christian churches Sunday.

Quartet—"Hark, Hark, My Soul" Ambrose Contralto, and Tenor "O Holy Night" (Dudley Buck) Quartet "How Beautiful Upon the Mountains" (Days) Hallelujah chorus from "Messiah" (Handel) Organ Postlude

Evangelist to Speak Evangelist L. K. Dickson will speak in Christians' hall Sunday night at 8 o'clock on the subject "One Bible—Many Sects—Why?"

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Dr. Brown Will Be Unable to Talk at Sunnyside Church

On account of the influenza that is prevailing in Seattle, Dr. J. K. Brown, returned missionary, will be unable to keep his appointment at the Sunnyside Congregational church, where he was to lecture to Christian Endeavorers of Portland.

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METHODISTS PLAN SPECIAL SERVICE ON CHRISTMAS DAY Bible Story of Birth of Christ Will Be Told From Pulpits Sunday in Word and Song.

The quartet of the First Methodist Episcopal church has prepared an unusually attractive Christmas musical program for Sunday as follows:

MORNING AT 10:30 Organ prelude—Paraphrase on a Christmas hymn (Faulstich) Quartet numbers—Christmas hymn (John Bunyan) "O Holy Night" (Dudley Buck) "There Were Shepherds" (Tours) "Christmas Carol" (Stainer) Organ postlude—"Christmas March" (Merrill)

EVENING 7:30 Organ—"Christmas Pastoral" (Whiting); "Walk in Darkness Have seen a Great Light" (Wells) Quartet—Cantata, "The Star Divine" (music by Lansing and text by Hubbard); "Introduction" (Wells); "The Nativity" (Wells); "The Journey of the Magi" (Wells); "The Adoration of the King" (Wells) Organ offertory—"Memories" (St. Clair) (Adolph Adams) The cantata to be presented in the evening is beautiful and has been carefully prepared by the quartet.

Woodlawn The Woodlawn M. E. church will give an entertainment Christmas eve at the corner of Holman and Tenth streets, at 8 o'clock.

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Rev. James T. French PASTOR "SUNDAY MORNING SERVICE" "THE UNSHOWN CHRIST" "CHRISTMAS, THE SOLUTION OF ALL HUMAN MYSTERY AND DESTINY." will be the subject of the sermon at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. PREACHING 11 A. M. AND 7:30 P. M.

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Church of Our Father BROADWAY AND YAMHILL CHRISTMAS SERVICE AT 11 A. M. SUNDAY, DECEMBER 22 SERMON BY WM. G. ELIOT JR. "THE EVERLASTING MERCY"

First Methodist Episcopal Church 15TH AND TAYLOR STREETS 10:30 A. M. Dr. Joshua Stansfield, D. D. WILL PREACH "The Christmas Sermon" "The Star Divine" DR. STANSFIELD WILL SPEAK BRIEFLY ON CHRISTMAS THIS YEAR, 1918 COME

First Congregational Church PARK AND MADISON STS. Major T. A. Mills CHRISTMAS VESPER SERVICE 8 P. M. (Note the Hour) "Christmas Carol" A DRAUGHT READING. Songs and Readings by Members of Sunday School. A Helpful Service for Old and Young. Come and Bring a Friend. 10:30 A. M. "Hang Up Your Stocking" Special Christmas Music. Both Services by Lucien E. Becker, Organist and Choir. 7:45 Evening Service Will Be Omitted.

First Presbyterian Church TWELFTH AND ALDER REV. JOHN H. BOYD, D. D., PASTOR. TWO SERVICES, 10:30 AND 7:30 Special Christmas Music by Organ and Quartet and Harp At both services Harp Solos will be given by Miss Frances A. Soule, from New York. "THE MAGI OF TODAY"

President Wilson WILBUR METHODIST CHURCH MULTNOMAH HOTEL presents two excellent musical programs. DR. SHORT WILL SPEAK THE HOME-LIKE CHURCH OF PORTLAND