You Can't Go Amiss on Any of the Many Christmas Programs

PRESBYTERIAN CHOIR TO SING

Sacred Concert to be Given Sunday Evening; Church Program Tonight

The vested choir of the First Presbyterian church will present a concert of Christmas music at 7:30 o'clock Sunday evening. The choir is under the direction of William Wright, and Prof. Frank Churchill is at the organ. Soloists for the evening were Mrs Ersel Mundinger, soprano; Mrs. James Teed, soprano; Miss Josephine Albert, contralto; and R. D. Barton, baritone.

The program is as follows:
Organ Prelude—
"The Holy Night".....Buck
Anthem—"Hark, What Mean These Holy Voices?".....Tily
Solo—"Gesu Bambino".....Yon
Mrs. Ersel Mundinger
Anthem—"Sleeps Judea Fair" ..... Mackinnon
Duet—"The Dawn of Hope".. ..... Coombs
Miss Josephine Albert, William Wright
Scripture Lesson and Prayer
Anthem—"Christmas Bells"... ..... Fitzsimons
Solo—"The Holy City"....Adams
Mrs. James Teed
Offertory—"Christmas Bells".. ..... Lemore
Solo—"O Holy Night".....Adam
Miss Josephine Albert
Anthem—"The Twilight Carol" ..... Matthews
Anthem—"The Morning Has Come for Rejoicing"....Gaines
Solo—"The Birthday of a King" ..... Neidlinger
R. D. Barton
Anthem—"Brightest and Best" ..... Coombs
Organ Postlude — "Christmas Fantasy" ..... Rebling

School Program Tonight

The Sunday school of the First Presbyterian church will give its program at 7:30 o'clock Saturday evening in the social hall of the church. There will be singing by a quartet, and tableaux representing the carols "Hark the Herald Angels Sing" and "There's a Song in the Air." The characters will be the Misses Grace Rhoades, Mildred Mulkey, Dorothy Hutchason, and Evelyn High.

There will also be presented a play, "Frankincense," in which the true meaning of Christmas is shown. There are about 15 characters, from all departments of the Sunday school. The leading parts are taken by Rosma Tully, the Fairy, and Eleanor Bailey, the little girl. Gifts for distribution among the needy families of the city will be presented at this time.

BANQUET HONORS LEE SCOUTMASTER

On Monday evening in the social room at Jason Lee church, a banquet honoring Don Dauris, scoutmaster of troop 12, was served with covers laid for 75 guests.

The tables were decked in holiday attire with miniature Christmas trees, garlands of red, evergreen sprays and scarlet candles in crystal holders. Place favors were clever silhouettes of boy scouts at salute attention.

Scout Executive O. P. West was the dinner speaker. He called attention to the fact that, although troop 12 is one of the youngest scout troops in Salem, it is also one of the largest in membership and one of the most active. This troop has been organized less than 10 months and has a registered membership of 30 with eight working for tenderfoot tests. Troop 12 also has five first class scouts and several merit badges. The accomplishments are due largely to the splendid leadership of Don Dauris, Representing the fathers of the scouts of the troop, W. H. New spoke highly of the unselfish endavor of Dauris in behalf of the troop.

The guest list included: Scoutmaster, Don Dauris; assistant, L. New; senior patrol leader, H. Leeper; scribe, D. Duncan; patrol leaders, L. Benjamin, R. Freeman, D. Rawlins and D. Sumpler; Scouts, J. Hill, G. Black, J. Rankin, K. Karsten, G. Graber, H. Duncan, I. Adlard, W. Lapschies, G. Luther, C. Lopschies, G. Hardin, H. Beall, J. Croker, D. Magee, G. Minton, R. Berton, W. Cook; C. Redfern, W. Baker; R. Gunston, W. Gunston, K. Hunt.

Parents and friends present: Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Gaber, Orville Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Black, Marvin Hardin, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Magee, Janette Graber, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Sumpter, Bobbie Duncan, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hunt, Grace Mildred Gardner, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Luther, Dorothy Duncan, Mr. and Mrs. F. Leeper, Mrs. Benjamin, Miss Burton, Mrs. Duncan, Mr. Hart, George Corbin, Rev. and Mrs. Harry Gardner, Vera Luther, J. Adlard, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Dark, Loretta Beall, and Betty Beall.

First Baptist to Present Special Numbers Sunday Night; Program Monday

The Christmas program of the First Baptist church will be given at 7:30 o'clock Monday night, with the Sunday school children and the chorus choir cooperating. Also Sunday evening a special musical program will be presented, with the orchestra, chorus choir and male quartet participating. Members of the quartet are Fred Broer, Mr. Dirk, Kenneth Abbott and Walter Lottis.

Free Methodist Revival Services Interest Many

The revival services at the Free Methodist church continue with increased interest, despite unfavorable weather and other diversions of the season. Evangelist A. C. Archer is reaching many people. He will preach his final sermon Sunday night on "The Mission of Christ." Those who have not heard Archer preach, are urged to attend his last sermons Sunday.

Play Leads in Pageant

Maxine Ulrich

Marion Shaw

Miss Marion Shaw and Miss Maxine Ulrich who will take the leading roles in the pageant, "The Gift," to be given Sunday night at the Leslie Memorial church.

Elaborate Costumes and Unusual Lighting Effects to Characterize Original Pageant at Leslie Church

"The Gift," Written by Ormal Trick, Assistant Pastor, to be Presented Sunday Night; Cast Includes Many

Elaborate costuming and unique lighting effects will combine Sunday evening to make the Leslie Memorial church Christmas pageant one of the most beautiful and impressive features of the present holiday season Mrs. John B. Ulrich, head of the committee on costumes and assistant director, has spent much time in creating a large number of costumes and others of a more striking character have been secured especially for this occasion. Rev. S. Darlow Johnson, head of the lighting committee, refused to give out any secrets but said he expected to secure some novel and surprising lighting effects.

The pageant, entitled "The Gift," has for its basic thought the gift of the Christ-child to the world. From this idea it branches out to show how the gifts of the talents of mankind have combined all down through the ages in devoted service that the light of the Christmas star might shine ever brighter and brighter.

Leading parts, as in last year's production, will be taken by Marion Shaw and Maxine Ulrich. Miss Shaw takes the character of "The Girl" and Miss Ulrich represents "Spirit of Christmas."

Special solo parts, as announced by Mrs. S. Darlow Johnson, head of the music committee, will be taken by Mrs. Mason Bishop, Mrs. Jessie F. Bush, Mrs. Irene Love, Mrs. T. H. Temple, Marjorie Roseman and Wendell Scott.

A large cast of supporting characters, supporting these leaders in the speaking and singing parts, will include Mary Louise Morley, Norris Kemp, Felix French, Emil Otjen, J. S. Murray, Clark Will, E. D. Roseman, J. B. Hewitt, Dorris Kemp, Everett Whealdon, J. L. Ingery, Alfred French, Frances Decker, Mrs. Andrew Hunter, Glen Huston, Henrietta Bishop, J. W. Ritchie, Edwin Hulbert, Robert Huston, A. C. Bohrnstedt, Helen Hertzog, Dorothy Decker, Marvin Ritchie, Dorothy Tucker, C. F. French, Helen Ingery, Richard F. French, Robert French, Mrs. J. S. Murray, Elaine Murray, Faith Priday, Ronald Hulbert, Bessie Tucker, Beatrice Otjen, Wendell Johnson, Frances Roseman, Ellen Jean Moody, Janice and Lila Murray, Florence Ritchie, Daisy Varley, Josephine Vineyard, Jimmie White, Roberta, Carol and Darlow E. Johnson, Jay Bertleson and Ercel Donaldson.

The pageant was written by the assistant pastor, Ormal B. Trick, who is also in charge of production. Mrs. S. Darlow Johnson at the piano.

King of Kings Calvary Choir Yuletide Event

The choir of the Calvary Baptist church will present the Christmas Cantata, "King of Kings" by Protheroe Sunday evening.

PART I
THE PROMISE OF THE KING
"Behold the Days Come," bass solo, H. S. Gile.
"O Jerusalem, That Bringest Good Tidings," chorus.
"My Soul Doth Magnify the Lord," soprano solo, Mrs. M. R. Irish.
PART II
THE COMING OF THE KING
"O Little Town of Bethlehem, women's chorus.
"Hearken to Me, My Brethren" tenor solo, W. T. Jenks.
"Hark What Mean Those Holy Voices," soprano and tenor; duet, Mrs. Dale Taylor and W. T. Jenks.
"O Come All Ye Faithful," chorus.
PART III.
THE ADORATION OF THE KINGS
"Fairest Lord Jesus," chorus.
"The Little Lord Jesus," alto solo, Miss Grace Fawk.
"The Dewdrops Are Shining," chorus.
"The Rose of Sharon," bass solo.
"Hallelujah! Amen," chorus.
Anthem—"Come and Worship," Ira B. Wilson.
Incidental solos by Mrs. Middleton, Elaine Foster and W. T. Jenks.

Monday Program

The Sunday school of the Calvary Baptist church will present its annual program at the church at 7:30 o'clock Monday night. It follows:
Selection by orchestra.
Singing by audience.
Scripture and prayer by Rev. Cochran.
Primary Department
Song "Night and Day" .....By Dept.
Welcome .....By Robert Schunke
"A Part for Everybody" ..... Stanley Welborn
Exercise—"Xmas Bells" ....Four Boys
Recitation—"A Christmas Wish" ..... Ruth Ella Amundsen
Recitation—"A Little Shepherd Boy" ..... Bobby King
Exercise—"Led by a Star" .....three girls and three boys
Recitation—"Holly for Christmas" ..... Chug Sun
Solo .....Donald Harms
Recitation—"Room for Jesus" ..... Schuyler Girls
Exercise—"Good Night" ..Three Girls
Selection by Orchestra
Junior Department
Song—"All Hail the King" .....Dept.
Exercise "Christmas" .....Nine Junior boys
Recitation "A Star Appeared Over Bethlehem" ...Elizabeth Welborn
Exercise—"The Star and the Wisemen" .....three boys
Exercise—"We Sing Tonight of Jesus" .....eight girls
Playlet—"Grandma's Story" .....Junior Girls
Selection by orchestra
Pageant "Christmas in Other Lands" ....High School girls class
Welcome to an old friend of the northland.

Congregational Choir Will Sing "The Shepherd King" Sunday Night As Christmas Observance Feature

"The Shepherd King," by Hall, will be given by the choir of the First Congregational church Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock in addition to parts seven and eight of the moving picture, "The King of Kings." The singers include: sopranos, Mrs. Harry Harms and Miss Joy Hills; contraltos, Mrs. Mark McCallister and Miss Beulah Cramer; tenors, Herbert B. Glaisyer and Earle Potter; basses Lawrence Maves and Floyd Albin. Roberta Morton is organist and Iva Claire Love, violinist.

Processional Hymn, "Hark the Herald Angels Sing.

Prayer.

Solo, "Swing Ajar Ye Gates of Night," Earl Patter.

The Cantata Part I. Introduction, violin and organ. "Over the Silent Shadowed Plain," chorus with incidental solo by Beulah Cramer. "But Thou-Bethlehem," tenor solo, Mr. Glaisyer. "O City of the Shepherd King," bass solo and chorus, Lawrence Maves and choir. Chorus for women's voices, "Judean Shepherds." "And Lo, the Angel," soprano solo, Mrs. Harms. "Glory to God in the Highest," also solo and chorus by Mrs. McCallister and choir. "And It Came to Pass," tenor solo and chorus, Mr. Glaisyer and choir.

Offertory: "O Holy Night," violin and organ.

Moving picture: King of Kings, parts seven and eight.

Cantata Part II. "Night," violin and organ. "The People That Walked in Darkness," bass solo and chorus, Mr. Maves and choir. "No Room," baritone solo and men's voices, Mr. Albin and men's chorus. "O Captive Judah Dry Those Tears," choir. "Sleep Sweetly Little Child of Mine," alto solo, Mrs. McCallister. "Hallelujah Amen," choir.

Benediction.

Postlude, organ and violin.

MANY CHILDREN PREPARE EVENT

Christmas Eve to See Carefully Planned Program at Christ Lutheran

More than 40 numbers of songs, readings and pageants will be presented Christmas eve at 7:30 o'clock by the children of the Christ Lutheran church Sunday school. The church is at 18th and State streets. A large tree is being used throughout the holiday season and a large stable-grotto with a Christmas star will be features of the boys' and girls' program.

Following is the program in full:
"Calm on The Listening Ear" .....Sunday School
"Gloria Patri" .....Sunday School
Song: "O David's Town of Bethlehem" .....Sunday School
Prayer .....Pastor
Welcome .....Alfred Propp
"Frohlocket ihr Kinder" .....Edna Klabunde
"The Little Town" ...Herbert Henne
"An All Year Round Christmas" Lois Lick, Eda Klabunde, Jeanette Bombeck, Laura Siebens, Dores Netz.
Duet: "We Come To Thee" Martha Batterman, Erna Batterman
"The Living Word" .....Edna Henne
"When Christmas Time Is Here" .....Victor Fox
"A Christmas Prayer" .....Amos Minneman, Alfred Propp, Jeanette Bombeck, Johnny Reisbeck, Laura Siebens, Eda Klabunde
Pageant: "The Shepherd and the Angels" John Minneman, Ernest Meyer, Elmer Zamzow, Stanley Netz, Bud Wickham, Frank Siebens, Mrs. Carrodi, Laura Minneman, Evelyn Propp, Freda Meyer, Erma Oehler, Betty Wickman, Alma Henne, Edna Henne
Song: "Away In the Manger" Kindergarten and Primary Classes
"The Sacred Night" ....Albert Koehler
"The Story of Christmas" .....Minnie Koehler, Ydell Koehler, Irene Zamzow, Leona Bush, Ruth Minneman
"A Christmas Story" ....Alfred Henne
Song "Once The Little Christ Child Lay" .....Alfred Propp
"To Bethlehem We Hasten" Stella Minneman, Irene Zamzow, Delores Netz, Arnold Meyer, Lois Lick, Alfred Henne
"Glory in the Highest" Alvin Battalion
"Shine Stars Tonight" .....Elsie Kook
Song "Stille Nacht, Heilige Nacht" .....Irene Zamzow
"Bethlehem" Elsie Kook, Leona Bush, Donald Barrick, Arnold Meyer, Ruth Minneman, Minnie Koehler, Lois Barrick, Ydell Koehler
"The Glorious Promise" ..... Clarence Koehler
Song "Sleep Little Babe" ..... Stella Minneman
"The Babe with the Precious Name" ..... John Minneman
"And Worshipped Him" Alfrieda Bombeck
Pageant "The Wise Men and Herod" .....Edwin Minnman, Harold Siebens, Leonard Zamzow, Victor Fox, Gerald Wickman, Otto Meyer, ...Frank Siebens, Mrs. Carrodi.
"No Room" .....Sylvia Bombeck
Song: "Bethlehem of Judea" John Minneman, Sylvia Bombeck, Erma Oehler, Alfrieda Bombeck, ...Alberta Kroschell
"Jesus and the Angels" .....Evelyn Propp
"I Love to Think of Bethlehem" .....Edna Goebert
"What Shall We Call the Christ Child?" .....Ernest Meyer
"The Christmas Story" Betty Wickman
"God's Gift" .....Shirley Wickstrom
Song: "The Dear Little Baby" ..... Laura Siebens
"Come Kneel by the Manger" ..... Gerald Wickman
Lullaby .....Huburn Williams
Gifts for Jesus .....Hilda Henne
The Star of Bethlehem ..Bud Wickman
Song: "Star of Peace" Joanna Meyer, Freda Meyer, Laura Minneman, Clara Siebens, ...Erna Batterman
"Wonderful Message" ....Edward Fox
Song "Beautiful Song of Christmas" .....John Minneman, Sylvia Bombeck, Erma Oehler, Alfreida .....Bombeck, Alberta Kroschell
"Ring a Merry Christmas Season" ..... Clarence Rennel
"The Christmas Tree"
Song: "Sweetest New Born Baby" .....Sunday School
Benediction

CANTATA IS SUNDAY

Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock the choir of Christ Lutheran church will give its annual Christmas cantata, "The Herald Angels." The choir will be assisted by the soloists: Martha Batterman and Maybelle Propp and the ladies' quartet consisting of Mrs. W. C. Miller, Martha Batterman, Erna Batterman and Mrs. Frank Siebens.

The personnel of the choir is as follows: sopranos: Mrs. W. C. Miller, Mrs. Clarke Lee, Martha Batterman, Maybelle Propp, Laura Minneman, Mrs. Albert Zamzow, Joanna Meyer; altos, Erna Batterman, Mrs. R. Meyer, Clara Siebens, Mrs. Frank Siebens, Edwin Minneman; tenors: the Messers. Frank Siebens, Otto Meyer, Leonard Zamzow; basses, R. Meyer and Rev. Amos E. Minneman; director: Rev. Amos E. Minneman; organist and assistant director, Miss Gertrude Oehler.

Yuletide Spirit to Pervade Free Methodists's Program To Be Given Monday Night

A program in keeping with the Christmas spirit will be given at the Market street Free Methodist church, corner Market and Winter streets, Monday evening, December 23, at the hour of 7:30 o'clock.

Recitations and readings will be given by little Virginia Young, Lucy Barham and Darl Kenyon and others of infant and junior classes. Special music will be provided by the upper classes and all neighbors and friends are invited to be present.

Nearly 50 Jason Lee Young Folk Will Sing Carols

Caroling will be featured by Jason Lee young folk Christmas eve. Practicing has begun with enthusiasm and 40 to 50 are expected to go on the caroling. There are at least 25 calls that are now planned and those desiring calls are invited to place the name and address before the committee in charge. Since the number is so great and so widespread the calls will need to be confined to the institutions, sick, shut-ins and aged. Provisions for securing a bus for the caroling is before the committee. This will make possible the greater fellowship that can be enjoyed by the use of private cars.

Ladies' Aid Ties Quilt At Wednesday Meeting

Ladies' Aid of Jason Lee church held a successful meeting December 18. A comfort was tied, business transacted and plans laid for the work of the new year. Owing to the sickness of Mrs. E. A. Zimmerman, Mrs. Albert Fuestman, her daughter, asked to be relieved of active leadership for the present time. The vice president, Mrs. P. L. Frasier, will be in charge until such time as health conditions will permit Mrs. Fuestman to again take charge.

A Christmas Sermonette

Peace on Earth

By MARTIN FERREY
(Minister, Unitarian Church.)

"Peace on earth, good will toward men," is given to us as part of the song of the Angels heard by the lowly shepherds. These words express the objective of the Christian religion. And yet we find so much misunderstanding as time after time from the pulpits, platforms and many other places the question is asked "Has Christianity Failed?"

One great obstacle towards the fulfilment of the Christian hope is that for centuries men have looked everywhere outside of their own lives for the Kingdom of Heaven. They have expected to find peace beyond the grave and the kingdom everywhere except where Jesus taught that his followers would find it—within their own hearts and among themselves.

I have seen worn faces; anxious faces rushing here and there making purchases. I have heard "O, I will be so glad when Christmas is over!" Such persons have forgotten the spirit for the temporal satisfactions.

Peace in the world may only be found when peace is first enthroned in the heart.

Good will to all men will bring that peace. Not a passing good-fellowship giving costly presents and then wishing to forget about it or worrying as to how one should pay for them, but a good-radiating sympathy, kindness, understanding so much so that each one being a kingdom of God will ultimately transform the world.

The Christ spirit is a perpetual gift to humanity. Only we all must pray and learn to appreciate it. Let us remember that all men and women are children of one Father. Let us wish to all a Merry Christmas. Our smiling faces, sincere greetings and the good will we feel within will be worth more than mechanical illumination. Christmas is an eminently sacred and holy occasion. Let each of us help realize that in this our city—Salem—city of peace.

Father Meier Tells of Seeing Theresa Neumann, Seer Who Has Wounds of Christ in Her Body

WOODBURN, December 20.—Fr. Thomas Meier, O. S. B., former rector of Mt. Angel college, gave a lecture on "Theresa Neumann, the Passion Flower of Konnersreuth" to a crowded assembly under the auspices of the Knights of Columbus Tuesday night.

"Many things impressed me while on my tour of the British Islands and the continent," he said, but my fondest recollection was that of Theresa Neumann at Konnersreuth, Bavaria.

"Theresa Neumann, the stigmatized seer, bears the wounds of Christ in her own body. I saw and examined the open wounds in her hands," the speaker continued, "and I speak to you as I saw her during my four days visit at Konnersreuth. The stigmatas do not fester as do other sores on her body which have shown to be quite susceptible to infection. Theresa goes through the passion on Fridays, as I myself witnessed. She loses as much as six pounds in weight during her suffering but regains the same in a remarkably short time.

"Theresa has eaten no food since Christmas, 1926, and has not even taken the accustomed spoonful of water at Communion time since September 1927. It need not be thought that Theresa is hysterical or excitable, but is healthy and quite a normal girl. Anyone can witness this by a single visit, as thousands have already done."

"Dr. Wudst, an eminent Orientalist of Europe, was quite astonished," said the speaker, "when he heard Theresa repeat, in Armaic the sermon of St. Peter on Pentecost morning. Though Theresa never studied Syro-Chaldaic, the language spoken by Christ, still she repeated what she heard so accurately that it was carefully transcribed and found correct.

"Theresa Neumann's knowledge of the landscape of the Holy Land, is without doubt marvelous. She has never been there, yet she describes the scenes at Jerusalem minutely to the surprise of famous geographers.

"Theresa's suffering is a heroic example of patience for us all," Father Thomas said in conclusion, "she suffers for the sins of the world and the conversion of sinners."

CHILDREN TO GIVE PROGRAM MONDAY

The Sunday school of the First Congregational church will present its Christmas party Monday night at 7 o'clock. Around a beautifully trimmed Christmas tree the following program will be given by the departments and classes of the school:

Processional Hymn by vested choir: "It Came Upon a Midnight Clear." Beginners' department—A group song and recitations by George McKay, Eulalia Blundell, Donald Clasgens, Patricia Byrd, Doris Gridley, Virginia Rider, Jay Johnson and Donald Newton. Primary department, a playlet: "Grandma's Story."

Song, "We Three Kings of the Orient Are," Messrs. Tyler Morley, Victor Wolf, and Herbert Glaisyer. Group songs by the girls of the junior department. Reading by Jerry Stone of the junior department. Dialogue by two of the intermediate department. Christmas Carols:: "O Little Town of Bethlehem," and "Silent Night, Holy Night."

Pantomime by the class of high school girls. Hymn "Joy to the World." Arrival of Santa Claus.

Knight Memorial Players Will Give Entertainment On Friday, December 27

The Knight Memorial church players will present Friday, December 27, two plays in the social rooms of the church. A 30-minute musical prelude of mixed trios, duets, and saxophone numbers will be heard.

"Forty Miles an Hour," a one act play by Carolyn D. Gilpatric, will be given with the following cast: H. C. Stover, Judge Peabody; Donald J. Allison, Mr. Radley; Vera McCune, Mrs. Radley; Harriett Adams, their daughter; Dorothy Harland, Grandma Radley; Norval Edwards, Parker Doane; Walter McCune, a policeman. The second one-act comedy is entitled "Squaring It with the Boss" by J. C. McMullen. The cast includes Donald J. Allison, Jimmy Greening; Dorothy Eastridge, his wife, Fern Harris; Aunt Hortense, Vernon Bushnell, his "boss"; Beneitta Edwards, Aunt Clarissa; Johnie Ritchie, Johnie Bender

Church of God Event Scheduled for Sunday Evening at 7 O'clock

Program of Christmastide will be given at 7 o'clock Sunday night at the First Church of God and is announced as follows:

Piano solo, Mrs. C. W. Hatch; recitations by primary children; song, Doris and Maxine Coe; recitations by juniors; Christmas gift dialog by juniors; "Luther's Cradle Hymn," Annabel and Arlene Hicks; Christmas Ballad, Genevieve Kuni; "Convict's Christmas Eve," by Robert Davis; music by quartet; "Story of Nativity," intermediates; tableau on the birth of Christ by the young people; treats.

PASTORS TO MEET

The Salem Ministerial association will hear Miss Mary Findley talk on the "Progress of World Peace" at its regular bi-monthly meeting to be held Monday morning, December 23, at 10:30 o'clock at the Y. M. C. A. Rev. L. D. Smith, pastor of the Nazarene church, will lead the devotions.

Two Methodist Churches Will Present Programs At Sunday Night Service

Jason Lee Choir to Tell Story of Captivity Sacred Concert Sunday Eve

The Jason Lee Choir will give its sacred concert Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Prof. Herman Clark is in charge and has arranged a splendid program.

The arrangement of the program depicts the children of Israel in Babylonian captivity by the rivers of Babylon and the prophetic assurance that God would comfort his people. Then the thought turns to the listening ears that are always seeking and finding the deeper or spiritual comforts of life. Then the coming of the child Jesus and the awakening of the great hope that had ever been Israel's in some measure or other. The vision of all nations finding life and peace in this child is depicted and the scene closes with an exaltation before Jehovah.

The arrangements and numbers are as follows:

"By the Rivers of Babylon" (Lehrer)—by the choir.

"Comfort Ye My People" (Beirly)—Choir and Soprano Solo Mrs. W. L. Lewis.

"Calm On the Listening Ear of Night" (Parks)—Choir and male chorus.

"The Babe of Bethlehem" (Miles)—Choir with solos by Miss Beulah Presnall and H. J. Smith.

"The Star of the East" (Stults)—Ladies Chorus and Men's Chorus.

Intermission during which Miss Leah Fanning will give the message of "The Truce of God."

"Ye Nations All Be Joyful"—(Beirly)—Choir, solo, Miss Presnall and Oblagato duet by Mrs. Helen Trindle and Miss Betta Klemple.

"Chiming Bells" (Babcock)—Male Chorus.

"Praise Ye Jehovah" (Beirly)—Choir, solo by Mrs. Trindle.

"Holy Night" (Schuler)—Mixed Quartette and Choir.

Jason Lee to Spread Cheer Work Over Period of Days Through White Christmas

Instead of a mere Christmas basket, Jason Lee church is this year bringing together provisions in clothing and food to be distributed by a committee as needs arise through the winter. The response has already been quite remarkable and Christmas day will be the climax day for such giving. Provisions may be brought to the church or parson at any time. Sunday will see much of goods brought to the church.

The committee consists of Mrs. Elva Duncan from the church school, C. M. Roberts from the Brotherhood, Mrs. Phil Aspinwall from the W. F. M. S., Mrs. Margaret Erp from the W. H. M. S. and Mrs. Paul Deuber from the Ladies Aid. Any of these or the pastor will gladly receive requests for help or supplies to meet the needs discovered.

Mrs. Clifton Mudd Directs Pageant on Holy Grail at First Church

The annual Christmas program by the church school of the First Methodist church will be given Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock. It will be a pageant of the Holy Grail based upon the classical story of King Arthur and his valiant knights. Mrs. Clifton Mudd will direct the parts and Ronald C. Glover will be the reader. The church will be decorated for the occasion and special Christmas music will feature the program.

Ronald C. Glover will be reader and the characters in the cast are: King Arthur, Earl Carkin; Launcelot, Arthur Boeschen; Galahad, William Mosher; Modred, George Waterman; Bedivere, Harry Mosher; Tristram, Marion Kumler; Gareth, Lawrence Yarnes; Percival, George Waterman; Mary, Betty Mae Hartung; Joseph, William Mosher; shepherds, Peter Geiser and Bruck Carkin; wise men, Lawrence Yarnes, Arthur Boeschen and George Waterman; Angels, Margaret Vadney, Bonnie Selander, Doris Quamme and Violet Van Cleave; damsels, Eleanor Trindle, Esther Gibbard, Virginia Wassam and Agnes Moore; and page, Thomas Gabriel.

Scene 1—Christmas eve in King Arthur's Court.

King Arthur sees in his dream the Holy Family in the stable at Bethlehem and the worship of the shepherds and the adoration of the wise men who followed the star to the place where the Christ Child was. King Arthur pledges himself to find the perfect gift for Christ that the Holy Grail may be seen again in their midst.

Scene 2—Twelve days later at Epiphany in the king's court.

The knights appear before Arthur who sends them forth to find the sacred cup and the presence of the Christ at the end of the way. One by one they knelt before the king to receive his accolade, save Modred who refused to "chase the fancies of a dream."

Scene 3—Christmas eve in King Arthur's court a year later.

Launcelot brings Galahad to the court to keep his maiden vigil, preparatory to being knighted. Modred conspires to kill Galahad but visions the shadow of the cross when Galahad lifts his arms in prayer, so decided to destroy him in a more subtle way. Three damsels are sent with gifts of wealth, fame and pride to tempt him. But Galahad spurns them, whereupon a fourth damsel comes with a cross of consecration which she pins upon his robe as a symbol of knightliness.

Scene 4—Christmas morning in King Arthur's court.

The knights return from their quest with their gifts. Galahad is presented as the pure knight. They leave the court, singing, "My strength is as the strength of ten because my heart is pure."

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Christmas Sermon
Sunday Evening 7:30
By Rev. Loura Meyer
Church of the Nazarene
One block south of Center on 19th

First Methodist Church
FRED C. TAYLOR, Minister.
CHRISTMAS SUNDAY DECEMBER 22ND
11:00 A. M., CHRISTMAS WORSHIP PROGRAM
Sermon, "Emmanuel, God with Us"
Music and Scripture for Christmas
7:30 P. M. CHURCH SCHOOL PROGRAM
Pageant of the Holy Grail by members of the Church School

CHRISTIAN AND MISSIONARY ALLIANCE TABERNACLE
655 Ferry St. (Down town)
11 A. M., "JESUS THE LIGHT OF THE WORLD"
Illustrated Christmas Sermon using 50 candles and 16 children to carry out the illustration
7:30 P. M., "THE FIRST CHRISTMAS TRAGEDY."
The Chorus Choir will sing special Christmas music at both services
YOU ARE INVITED
Louise Pitnell, Pastor

AMERICAN LUTHERAN CHURCH
Church St. Bt. Chemeketa and Center, A Downtown Church.
11 A. M. THE CRY IN THE WILDERNESS.
Anthem: More Love To Thee O Christ—Williams
Solo: That Sweet Story of Old. Miss Arbutus Rudie.
7:30 THE GREAT CHRISTMAS PAGEANT—THE STORY BEAUTIFUL.
119 Participating in this wonderful Pageant.
Beautifully lighted Christmas Tree and distribution of Christmas Cheer.
REMEMBER SERVICES CHRISTMAS DAY.
REV. P. W. ERIKSEN, Pastor.

Calvary Baptist Church
High and Ferry Streets. In the Heart of Salem.

Graded S. S. 9:45, W. T. Jenks, Supt. WELCOME. Morning Worship 10:50. Evening Worship 7:30. B. Y. P. U.'s 6:30 p. m.
A. M. "THE GIFT THAT MAKES CHRISTMAS REAL!"
Anthem: "Come and Worship" by Wilson
Tenor solo, quartette and chorus
Solo: "The Birthday of a King" by Shelley. W. Earl Cochran
P. M. Cantata "KING OF KINGS" by Protheroe
Solos, duets, quartettes and choruses
You will be WELCOE to all these services
W. EARL COCHRAN,, Pastor