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Welcome to The "48ers"

By ROSS J. GRIFFETH
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The first migrants to Oregon established churches and schools. The Bristows, Wheelers, and other early settlers were God-revering people who gave a sturdy morality and wholesome Christian culture to Lane County's beginnings.

Prince Campbell, emphasizing the highest type of Liberal Arts studies, gave to the University of Oregon a tradition of Christian culture that has a continued ennobling influence. These underscoring, by their lives and the heritage they left us, the profound importance of the church to a free people.

Recent arrivals to Lane County, whose number far exceeds that of the pioneers, are from communities where church relationships are well established and significant.

To each of these new citizens of Oregon, the churches wish to emphasize the fact that to find enduring satisfaction and joy in living in their newly-adopted community they will need to establish social and spiritual relationships by becoming integral parts of the church.

To you who are among the recent arrivals, we suggest that just as you notified the postmaster of your new address or visited the telephone company or water board, so you should call upon the pastor and attend the announced services of worship in your community.

Tell the people you meet in church where you are from and you will be certain to discover others from your home state or community. Your friends are here now.

H. A. Svendsen Resigns Secretary's Position For Lutheran Meet

Pastor H. A. Svendsen, pastor of the Emmaus Lutheran Church, Eugene, has just returned home from the national convention of the United Evangelical Lutheran Church at Fresno, Calif., of which Church Pastor Svendsen has been general secretary for the past eight years.

His resignation was accepted and Pastor T. M. Hansen of Owatonna, Minn. was elected secretary to fill the vacancy. Sunday school and Bible classes will be at 9:45 a. m. Morning worship 11 a. m. Pastor Paul Rasmussen of Kenosha, Wis., will preach the sermon and his topic is "The Power of God's Word." The choir will sing.

S. Raynor Smith Coming to Eugene

PORTLAND—(AP)—Nearly one-fourth of Oregon's 182 Methodist churches will have new pastors this year.

Bishop Francis McConnell announced 44 ministerial changes yesterday at the close of the Oregon Methodist conference. Fourteen pulpits were left to be supplied with pastors later.

The four district superintendents will remain in office. S. Raynor Smith, southern district superintendent, will transfer his headquarters from Roseburg to his home near Eugene.

The conference agreed to hold its next annual meeting in Ashland.

Trinity Lutheran Of Springfield

SPRINGFIELD—Trinity Lutheran Church meets for worship at 9 a. m. Sunday. The topic of the sermon to be delivered by the Rev. E. D. Busch, 4019 Oregon Street, Springfield, will be "Ye Have Done It Unto Me."

Sunday School will meet at 10:15 a. m. Services are being held in the Seventh Day Adventist Church located on the corner of West Main and North N Streets. The Lutheran Hour Broadcast may be heard over station KORE at 9:30 a. m. every Sunday morning.

Hope Lutheran of Springfield Services

SPRINGFIELD—Will hold divine services at 11 a. m. in the Seventh Day Adventist Church, located on the corner of Seventh and A Streets, Springfield. "Ye Have Done It Unto Me" will be the topic of the sermon delivered by the Rev. E. D. Busch, 4019 Oregon Street, Springfield. Sunday School will meet at 9:45 a. m.

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Speaks on "Kingdom," At McKenzie Bridge

MCKENZIE BRIDGE—Rev. Frank L. Cook will speak on "The Kingdom of Heaven," as the second portion of a continuing topic from last Sunday, at the 11 a. m. hour at the McKenzie Bridge Christian Church. There will be special music by the choir. Christian Endeavor has been dismissed for the summer.

Take an active part in the church and you will find that you are working side by side with other devout members of God's family who are well worth knowing and give quality to daily contacts.

A series of surveys recently made of various types of communities in different areas of the U.S.A. brought to light the fact that although some communities have grown rapidly in population, nearly all of them had a sufficient number of churches to meet the needs of the people. What was most needed was an enlargement of services by existing organizations.

Lane County is a county in which there are many churches. No one will find it necessary to travel far to find a place of worship.

Whether or not the church near you will meet your own spiritual needs depends largely upon you, for churches are the results of voluntarily invested influence and your own life can count for as much as the life of anyone else.

And you will need spiritual help. As a certain writer once put it, "Any man who bows down only to his own image cannot bear the burden of his own soul."

You need the uplift that comes from joining others in the worship of God. You need the strengthening that comes from joining with others in noble enterprises so that your own life will not be set adrift.

Just as you do not neglect your family or your profession by moving from one community to another, so you should not neglect your spiritual welfare or that of your family. And remember that the quality of the community in which you live depends as much upon you as upon anyone else.

Let's all keep one of the best traditions of the pioneers by placing the church central in our community and in our own lives. By doing so we shall keep the quality of living in Oregon up to that standard which is worthy of free men.

Danebo Folks' Church Picnic

DANEBO—The congregation of Bethesda Lutheran Church will gather at the picnic grounds of the Lighthouse Temple on the old Coburg Bridge Road Sunday, beginning with a morning service in the open air chapel at 11 o'clock sharp. Markers will be placed along the highway leading to the Park from the Ferry Street Bridge and onward.

If weather is not favorable the regular church services prevail on Sunday morning. Picnic dinner will be in the form of congregation fellowship, followed by games and races.

Rev. Jones Returns

The Lighthouse Temple has called Rev. W. Crawford Jones for another year as pastor. Rev. Jones is just returning from a three weeks' vacation.

Sunday school is at 9:45 a. m. Morning worship 11 a. m. Rev. Jones, speaking. The Youth fellowship hour is at 6 p. m. with the sermon following at 7:30 by Rev. Jones.

The Prayer and Bible study is Sunday evening, 7:45. Thursday an all day prayer meeting, the Ladies prayer and Bible study. Mrs. Crawford Jones in charge at 1:30 p. m. Friday evening regular service 7:45 with the young people in charge.

Two Picnics For Central Lutheran

Harold Aalbu, pastor, announces that Holy Communion will be celebrated at the 11 a. m. worship service at Central Lutheran this Sunday. (Sixth and Pearl.)

After the service, the annual congregational picnic will be held at Skinner's Butte Park. Families are to bring their own lunch. Pop and coffee will be furnished by the Sunday School. There will be games, races, and softball.

At 6 p. m. the Senior Luther Leaguers will meet at the church to go to the Edwin Hansen farm for an evening outing.

Springfield Lutheran

SPRINGFIELD—"Community Missions" is the title of Pastor Sterling Simonson's sermon at 11:00 a. m. for Springfield Lutheran Church, being held temporarily at the V F W Hall in East Springfield.

Sunday school and adult Bible class meets at 9:45 a. m. Young People's Luther League meets at the home of Sam Sunderland on Filbert Lane just off the old Jasper road in East Springfield, Sunday, 8 p. m. Choir Practice meets at the home of Vernon Brenden, Thursday, 8 p. m. High School Confirmation Class meets at the parsonage, Tuesday, 8 p. m.

FROM WALTERVILLE

WALTERVILLE—Rev. R. E. Clark preached Sunday evening at church and left announcements to the Walterville Presbyterian church and left announcements to the third Sunday evening in July. No preaching service will be held the Fourth of July in the evening as many of the congregation will be away on vacation trips.

Election of officers will be held Sunday morning June 28 at Anderson Memorial Sunday school.

Rev. Jesse K. Griffiths Speaks to Presbyterians At Fairmount Church

"The Church Looks Ahead," is subject of Rev. Jesse K. Griffiths at the 11 a. m. service of the Fairmount Presbyterian Church, East Fifteenth and Villard Streets.

There will be special music under the direction of Mrs. H. R. Nerbas, organist and choir leader. The church school will convene at 9:45 a. m.

A nursery is conducted during the morning service for the convenience of parents with small children.

Vacation church school for children of beginner, primary, and junior ages is being conducted daily from 9 to 11:30 a. m. The enrollment during the past week was 116.

Lutherans Sponsor "Children's Chapel"

A new broadcast for children, including dramatized Bible stories, songs, and prayers, is being launched locally. The program is the "Children's Chapel" to be heard over station KASH each Saturday at 5:30 p. m. beginning Saturday, July 3.

The program is being introduced by the Sunday Schools of Central Lutheran Church, located at Sixth and Pearl streets in Eugene, and Springfield Lutheran worshipping temporarily in the V. F. W. Hall in East Springfield.

The program is prepared and broadcast by a former U. S. Navy pilot, Bob Lee. Lee has specialized in radio for children as announcer and program director for both educational and commercial broadcast by a former U. S. Navy pilot, Bob Lee. Lee has specialized in radio for children as announcer and program director for both educational and commercial broadcast.

An international audience of children hears "The Children's Chapel" each week as it is broadcast over many stations in the United States, Canada, Alaska, and China.

"While children want a radio diet of action and adventure," Lee states, "their parents want them to hear something worthwhile. Pleasing both is a real challenge. However, Bible stories contain an abundance of both action and adventure."

The weekly radio series is presented in connection with the project, Lutheran Sunday School at Home. This non-profit agency distributes weekly correspondence lessons in Sunday school to over 2000 rural and isolated children without cost.

At Grace Lutheran

In the Sunday morning service, which begins at 11, the pastor, Rev. W. B. Maier, will speak on the subject, "Christian Conduct Towards Christians." The Lutheran Hour will be broadcast over KORE at 9:30 a. m. Sunday school, with Bible classes for young people and adults, will convene at 9:45 a. m.

Under sponsorship of the Lutheran Laymen's League an "everybody-welcome" picnic will be held at Seavey's Park Sunday afternoon, beginning with a potluck picnic dinner. The quarterly meeting of the voters' assembly will be Thursday 8 p. m. in the church parlor.



JUNCTION CITY—This striking portrait of Carl Mason, minister of the Junction City and Riverview Methodist Churches, was taken on "cornerstone day" when the new church was consecrated, last year. Sunday is Rev. Mason's last day. His next pastorate is at Lebanon. Willshire Engraving.)

Carl Mason Bids Farewell To Junction City, Riverview

JUNCTION CITY—"After Five Years," is subject for the sermon which is expected to fill the new Junction City and Riverview Methodist Church to overflowing, Sunday, as a farewell gesture to Carl B. Mason, who, "after five years," is leaving for the church at Lebanon. The assignment to Lebanon came as a result of the recent Methodist conference at Portland.

Rev. Mason has been one of the best-liked ministers ever to lead the Junction City and Riverview Methodist churches. He and Mrs. Mason have two children, Mary Beth, three, and Mark Allen, one. It was during Rev. Mason's period of leadership that the new church was planned and built. The youth organizations of the church have more than doubled in size and civic importance during his pastorate.

The Riverview service is at 10 a. m. and the Junction City service at 11 a. m.

In the evening, the churches of Junction City are combining for a union service at the new Methodist Church, in honor of Rev. Mason and his family. Rev. Franklin Gosser of the First Christian Church is the speaker. Methodist Youth Fellowship has election of officers at 6:30 p. m., Sunday, at the Fellowship Hall. A worship service will be led by Beverly Moore.

Choir practice is Thursday, July 1, at 8 p. m.

Rev. A. E. Davis assumes the pastorate of the Junction City church July 4. Has served Wilderville Church the past year while living in Grants Pass. Has served several years as Josephine County Welfare Agent. Became a member of annual Oregon Methodist Conference June 20.

He and Mrs. Mason are expected to arrive from Grants Pass this week.

A farewell dinner is planned for Rev. and Mrs. Carl B. Mason to be held at the Junction City Methodist Church at seven o'clock on Saturday, June 26.

This affair is to be given jointly by the members of both the Riverview and Junction City Methodist churches, a pot luck dinner with all friends of the Mason family cordially invited.

A program is being planned to follow the dinner.

At Christian Science

"Hrinitian Science" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, June 27.

The Golden Text is, "O house of Jacob, come ye, and let us walk in the light of the Lord" (Isa. 2:5).

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "Seek the Lord, and his strength: seek his face evermore" (Ps. 105:4), together with the following correlative passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy: "Christ's Christianity is the chain of scientific being reappearing in all ages, maintaining its obvious correspondence with the Scriptures and uniting all periods in the design of God" (p. 271).

Dr. Paul B. Means At Congregational

Just a reminder: for the summer weeks the 9:30 service of the Congregational Church is discontinued. The only service will be a day school but there will be a nursery for the children of parents attending the church service.

Visiting minister this Sunday will be Dr. Paul B. Means who will preach on "Obedience, the Way to Knowledge." The all-girl choir, under the direction of Miss Mary Grubbs, will sing "Peace I Leave With You," by Roberts. William Jaqua, tenor, will sing "The Ninety-First Psalm" by MacDermid.

UO Speaker Shows Slides

CRESWELL—Robert Stephenson of the Westminster House on the University of Oregon campus will speak at the 11 a. m. service at the Presbyterian church Sunday.

"Children's Day," For Lutheran Church

The pastor will give only a short sermon at the Children's Day observance, Sunday, at the "United Lutheran Church, which is meeting at the Northwest Christian College Music Chapel, Eleventh and Kincaid Sts.

The closing exercises of the vacation church school will be held and church worship service, which at the combined Sunday school will begin at 10:00 a. m.

The children will present a program of singing, Bible verses, etc. Certificates of award will be presented. New Cradle Roll members will be received and presented with certificates. Infant baptism, confirmation, and reception of new members will follow.

A special meeting of the congregation is to be held Wednesday, June 30, 8 p. m. at the Community Center.

"Car Offering" At United Brethren

At Evangelical United Brethren Church, the Sunday sermon is on "Did You Hear," taken from Matthew 13:9, by Rev. Charles Fogg, at 11 a. m.

Evening service is at 7:30 p. m., with singing, speaking, and a short sermon.

Sunday is "offering day" for a new car for a young pastor who is starting a church at Swishome. Vacationists temporarily in Eugene are given a special invitation to attend the services.

At Central Presbyterian

"The Need And Place of The Church" will be the theme of Dr. Henry Marcotte's sermon at Central Presbyterian Church Sunday morning at eleven o'clock. Mons Daniel Hougum will sing. The Junior High Fellowship will meet in the Chapel at 5 p. m. with Beryl Barlow leading the worship service and Mrs. Guy Page in charge of the lesson on "Bible Base Ball."

The Genevas and Senior Highs meet together in the Chapel at 6:15 p. m. They will consider their Mission Claims—The Princeton Hall Motor Boat, Alaska, and Lahore, India, Leader, Andrew Flinders. There will be no choir rehearsal this Wednesday evening. Dr. Marcotte will preach each Sunday during July and August.

Full Gospel Church at Paramount Announces Sunday's Services

SPRINGFIELD—Rev. I. H. Burton will speak Sunday at 11 a. m. at the Independent Paramount Full Gospel Tabernacle, on the subject, "Unknown Meat." There will be special singing by the tabernacle girls' trio. Young people meet at 6:30 p. m., and evening service is at 7:45.

At Unity Church

Unity Church: Sunday at 11 o'clock Rev. Dawson will speak on the topic "Does Jesus Christ Still Heal?" Miss Lorraine Vaughn will sing "Trusting in Thee" by Claude L. Fitchthorn. Mrs. A. F. Holmer is a selected group of melodies. Forum topic "Healing of body and mind."

"Big Day" For Lorane Church

LORANE—This is a big day for the Lorane Christian Church. In the morning the guest speaker will be Loren Arnett of Northwest Christian College. In the afternoon there will be a church picnic at Fern Ridge Lake with swimming, boating, games and potluck picnic lunch. In the evening John Schmid will preach his last sermon before leaving for new pastorate.

Preceding the sermon John Schmid will present a musical program, including the songs "The Holy City" and "Stranger of Galilee."

At Unity Methodist
Unity Methodist Church, by way between Lowell and Creek, will have the Glendale conducting church services at 10 o'clock, Sunday, June 27. A day School will be held at 10 o'clock, instead of 10:15. A dial invitation is extended to

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