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It's Been a Great Year

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One of the pleasures of this time of year is the letters which many ministers send to the Register-Guard, with New Year's greetings and thanks for the past year's news service.

To Change Old Patterns

(From the Eugene Unitarian Church Bulletin)

"WHEREAS, it has been the distinctive role of Unitarians to lead many of the movements in America looking toward the improvement of living conditions upon men; and WHEREAS, many Unitarians in the Southwest today are active in movements to change old, inherited community patterns and prejudices which have fostered discrimination areas against persons of different races and color; and WHEREAS, the efforts of these Unitarians and others of like spirit are showing heartening signs of progress in social patterns in the

year, the University of Oregon's annual Religious Evaluation Week, set for the latter part of January. Local churches profit by the Week, in that some of the visiting distinguished persons are always invited into local pulpits.

Southwest with the result that Unitarian Churches in this area are now including Negroes in their membership; THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that Unitarians throughout the Southwest recognize the continuing need for churches to build a better climate of interracial understanding through education and well-directed action, and affirm the obligation to accept Unitarians without regard to race or color at all meetings, institutes, and gatherings of the Southwestern Unitarian Conference.

Trinity Church Adopts Rite From India



THE REV. PAUL G. STEPHAN is the new radio speaker starting Sunday, on the very popular Lutheran Hour, enjoyed by Lane County's large Lutheran population especially.

Glenwooders Hosts Again To Convention

New Speaker Starting On Lutheran Hour

The Rev. Paul G. Stephan of St. Louis will begin a three-month series of 13 sermons on The Lutheran Hour on Jan. 2. Pastor Stephan returns as a Lutheran Hour guest speaker after having served in that position in the summers of 1951 and 1952.

Trinity Methodist Church, 440 Maxwell Road, will celebrate the sacrament of the Lord's Supper on Sunday, Jan. 2, 1955, at the regular 11 a.m. worship service.

The January session of the Lane County Convention will feature reports of the progress at Glenwood and future projects in line with the purpose of the Convention, aiding and strengthening new congregations.

Fairmounters Give Reception

Fairmount Presbyterian Church will have the Reverend R. E. Clark as guest speaker at the 11 a.m. service Sunday. His topic will be "The Middle of the Road Christian."

All members of Fairmount Church are invited to a reception in honor of the Rev. and Mrs. Barlow, the new director of Westminster Foundation on the University of Oregon campus this coming Sunday from 3 to 5 p.m.

Presbyterians Choose Songs Of New Year

Special music for the new year will be presented Sunday at the worship services of Central Presbyterian Church. The Senior Choir will sing the anthem "We Pause Beside This Door" by Dickinson at 11 o'clock.

All members of the congregation are invited to attend a reception in honor of the Rev. and Mrs. P. Stanley Barlow from 3 to 5 p.m. Sunday at Westminster House, 1414 Kincaid Street.

The outgoing officers of the Mariners' Fleet will entertain the new officers at a meeting in the Parish House at 7:30 p.m. Sunday.

Following the retreat at Neiscott which was held the past week, the Junior High Westminster Fellowship will resume its regular meeting on Wednesday from 4:00 to 7:30 in Fellowship Hall.

KERG Tells Radio Plans For 'Church'

The Rev. Joseph M. O'Toole, pastor of the Catholic Mary Queen of Peace Church in Webster Groves, Mo., will be the 7 a.m. speaker in a new five-week "How to Love..." series on KERG-CBS Radio's "Church of the Air" Jan. 2.

The Rev. Dr. A. Warren Huyck, pastor of the First (Southern) Baptist Church in West Palm Beach, Fla., will be the 7:30 speaker. The choir of the First Baptist Church of West Palm Beach, under the direction of Earl Holloway, with Mrs. Blanche Webb at the organ, will provide the music for the service.

Each Sunday during the month of January, speakers on KERG-CBS "Church of the Air" will devote their sermons to the different aspects of "How to Love..." The first speaker in the series of five broadcasts will be the Rev. Joseph M. O'Toole, pastor of Mary Queen of Peace Catholic Church in Webster Groves, Mo., who will speak on "How to Love Our Neighbors," Sunday, Jan. 2.

Sunday, Jan. 9—The Rev. Dr. E. Fay Campbell, Secretary of the Council on Theological Education of the Presbyterian Church in the U.S.A.

Sunday, Jan. 16—The Rev. Gerit T. Vander Lugt (The Reformed Church in America), President of Central College in Pella, Iowa.

Sunday, Jan. 23—The Rev. Joseph Cleveland of the Second Congregational Church of Rockford, Ill.

Sunday, Jan. 30—The Rev. Dr. Amos A. Thornburg, one of the three ministers of the First Methodist Church in Hollywood, Calif. from Hollywood.

Board Prepares For General Meet; All Pastors Come

Central Lane Council of Churches' board of directors is having its January meeting Monday, Jan. 3, at First Christian Church annex, 7:30 p.m., with ministers of all churches in Lane County welcome to attend.

Dr. Mark A. Talney, executive director of the Oregon Council of Churches, of Portland, is the speaker. Plans for the general meeting Jan. 11 will be discussed. The public is invited to the Jan. 11 meeting, which will be in Springfield at the First Presbyterian Church.

FOR Dinner At Milestone; Began in 1914

This year many communities across the nation and the world are observing the 40th anniversary of the forming of The Fellowship of Reconciliation, international church peace society.

Sunday, Jan. 2, in the dining room of the First Congregational Church, the Lane County chapter is to observe the anniversary in a peace program to which the public is invited.

At 3 p.m. there will be a discussion of the status of conscientious objectors under the draft law and under the proposed Universal Service Act to be presented soon to the Congress. Orval Eter, Far West secretary of the Fellowship, an authority on military service law, will be a leader for the open discussion.

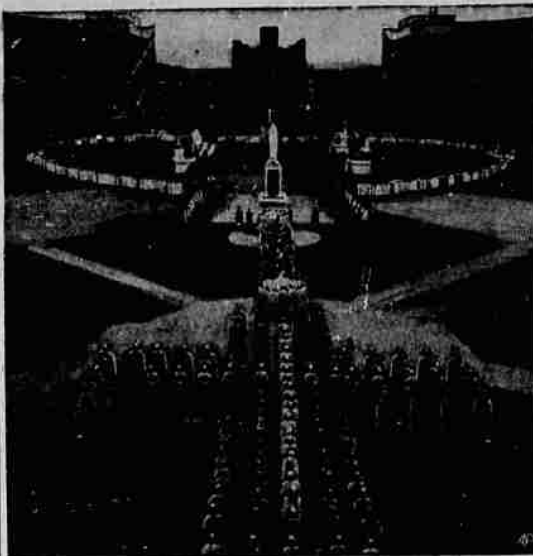
At 6 p.m. there will be an anniversary dinner, with an account being given of the Fellowship's 40 years of service to peace. Reservations for the dinner can be made with Roy Andrews at telephone 5-2744.

At 7:30 there will be a panel discussion to consider the topic, "Alternatives to War." This will be introduced by a showing of the fifteen minute sound film by A. J. Muste, titled, "Not by Might." Dr. Robert Clark of the University of Oregon will be the moderator of the panel.

YFC Rally

Youth for Christ has no rally this week, but moves to First Baptist Church for its first rally in 1955, next Saturday, Jan. 8. The rallies will be in the Baptist Church through January. In December Lighthouse Temple was host church.

Church of the Open Bible. New Meeting in the New River Road School Hilliard Lane. REV. AND MRS. W. C. COLE, PASTORS. —SUNDAY SERVICES— 9:45 A.M. - 11 A.M. - 6:15 P.M. - 7:30 P.M. Rev. and Mrs. Phil Hoisington Youth Directors Will Be In Charge of the Services Sunday. You Will Find a Sincere Welcome at... "THE CHURCH OF FAITH AND FRIENDLINESS" Building Location: 3195 Hilyard Street



REVERENCE—Throngs attended many huge religious ceremonials in 1954. Over 50,000 people watched these high school girls form a living rosary. The family pilgrimage brought Catholics to honor New York mothers.

World's Many Faiths Note Tendency Toward Merging

Religious forces of the world moved closer together in 1954. In both this country and elsewhere, there was a tightening of bonds among the long-separated strands of faith, and it seemed likely to continue.

Old-Fashioned Revival Hour Reaches 30th Anniversary

Dr. Charles E. Fuller, pioneer radio pulpiteer, will in January enter his 30th year of continuous broadcasting.



DR. CHARLES E. FULLER in January, enters his 30th year of broadcasting. His voice has been heard around the world on the ever popular "Old Fashioned Revival Hour."

The "Old Fashioned Revival Hour," which Fuller directs, is the oldest network religious program on the air today. From a modest beginning over a single California station, this program is now heard on hundreds of stations around the world each week. The audience is estimated at ten million persons.

One of the first to enter the field of religious radio, Dr. Fuller realized in 1925, while the minister of a small church in Southern California, that there were millions who never attend church. Through the medium of radio he saw the tremendous possibilities of reaching them.

In 1949 the "Old Fashioned Revival Hour" began broadcasting over the ABC Network, in addition to the hundreds of other stations already carrying the program by transcription. The growth of coverage has been phenomenal, until now there is scarcely an area in America—and in many foreign countries—where this Sunday hour cannot be heard.

The many letters received each week from his listeners have been proof to mild-mannered Fuller and his associates that the program is meeting a great spiritual need in the world. From a homesick serviceman, a would-be suicide, a hospital ward with its suffering, a murderer awaiting execution, a lonely ranch in Colorado, to a successful Wall Street broker, from a cross-section of humanity, and all races and faiths, have come thrilling miracle stories of changed lives as a result of the "Hour." Choice letters are read on the air by Dr. Fuller's wife, whose voice is so familiar to thousands.

The broadcast originates each Sunday afternoon from the 5,000 seat Long Beach Municipal Auditorium, where there is represented in the audience each week visitors from most every state across the nation.

The finest array of musical artists is assembled for the early portion of the program. Included is the well-known Quartet, with Rudy Atwood at the piano; and the choir under the direction of Leland Green, with George Broadbent at the organ.

Dr. Fuller occasionally speaks in person at great religious gatherings in other parts of the country, and it is estimated that he has traveled close to 400,000 miles to fulfill these engagements. On one occasion he addressed a crowd of 75,000 persons at Soldiers Field in Chicago.

Special 30th Anniversary plans are being made which will include nationwide recognition by key civic and religious leaders to Dr. Fuller and his colleagues in appreciation of the many years of successful broadcasting. An anniversary rally will be held following the broadcasts at the Long Beach Auditorium on Sunday, January 9.

Purchase Parsonage

Jerusalem Church of God in Christ, a negro congregation, purchased a parsonage this year at 1760 West Eleventh Avenue and are using a double garage for the church services. It will be modeled at a future date.

Baptist Will Begin New Series, Theme

"God Is Our Strength," a nationwide program of church loyalty and regularity of attendance is being promoted locally by the First Baptist Church and some of its chapels. The crusade urges the people of America to attend church every Sunday and to pray every day. The suggested dates for this national program are from New Year's until Easter, which comes on April 10.

The pastor, Dr. Vance H. Webster, will follow his practice of 14 years of preaching on the first Sunday morning of the new year on "A Motto for the Year Ahead." A copy of the motto will be presented to those present. The Lord's Supper will be observed and welcome extended to new members.

A new series of Sunday evening sermons based on "The Book of Daniel" will begin Sunday at 7:30 p.m. with the theme, "Daniel a Man of Purpose." The male quartet, brass trio, and choir will furnish special music. The senior high young people also will participate.

The C.O.S. and senior high young people are planning a ski party Saturday, Jan. 8, at Santiam.

Safe From Weather

Foursquare Church has the first unit of their new church enclosed from the weather and they hope to have the interior sufficiently completed to occupy by early spring. The temporary quarters in the parsonage chapel are extremely crowded.

Eugene Youth for Christ NO RALLY TONIGHT Next Rally Saturday, January 8 in First Baptist Church SEASON'S GREETINGS

SANTA CLARA CHURCH OF CHRIST Corner River Road and Irving Road Invites You to Hear



Willie White Evangelist Present New Thoughts for a New Year JAN. 2-9 EVERY NIGHT 7:30

Sunday Services - 8:45 A. M. & 11 A. M. Sermons by Seminarian Arthur Wright Sunday School: 9:45 a. m.—Bible Classes: 10 a. m. WELCOME! GRACE LUTHERAN CHURCH East Eleventh Avenue at Ferry Street W. B. Maier, Pastor Kenneth Streufert, Assistant

Hear the Christian Brotherhood Hour KUGN Church School For All Ages 9:45 A.M.

You Are Invited to Attend FRIENDLY STREET CHURCH OF GOD And Meet Our New Pastor Rev. Isham E. Crane HIS SERMON TOPIC: "How To Be Useful for God" 11:00 A. M. (Evening Service 7:45 p.m.) EVERYONE WELCOME The Friendly Street Church of God, 23rd & Friendly

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