

CHURCHES

LESLIE METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH—South Commercial and Myers. Sunday school at 9:45 with E. A. Rhoden as superintendent. The morning hour of worship at 11 o'clock. The pastor will speak on "Two Pictures of Sin and Its Consequences." The chorus will sing "Come Holy Spirit," by Williams. Rev. and Mrs. De Yoe will sing the offertory, "Eden Land," by Fauré. The evening services will be held at 6:30 and 7:30, the two leagues meeting at the former hour and the public service at the latter. Miss Laura Pemberton will lead the senior league. At the 7:30 service the pastor will speak on "In the Hands of the Tempter." The chorus will sing "Incarinate Love," by Ashford. The offertory will be rendered by Mrs. W. J. Linfoot, "Just for Today," by Trowbridge. The Woman's Foreign Missionary society will meet with Mrs. Hans Darrud, 1994 E. street. A special lesson and program—several new members to be received. Mrs. P. W. Seles will lead the meeting. A full attendance is desired. The midweek service will be held at 7:30 p. m. on Wednesday. The subject will be "Jesus in the Light of Prophecy." The lessons to be read will be found in Isaiah 9: 1-7; 11: 1-6. A popular study for everybody.

FULL GOSPEL MISSION—237 State street, Ralph D. Bullock, pastor, 251 Mission street. 12:30 p. m. Harry J. Morris, assistant pastor, Silverton road. Phone 15714. Services Sunday: 2:30 and 7:30 p. m. Classes for children at 2:30. Evangelistic meetings every night except Monday and Friday. Young peoples meeting Friday night. You will be well paid in hearing Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Burnside, returned missionaries from dark-warden China. They are talented musicians as well as eloquent speakers. They will have charge of the three meetings Saturday night, Sunday afternoon at 2:30 and Sunday night at 7:30. This will be our "missionary Sunday" for this month.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH—Liberty and Marion, Rev. Enoch H. Shanks, pastor. Christmas services tomorrow. Great Christmas themes in sermon and songs. Choir anthem in the morning. "Exalt Him," Himmell, Solo, "Nearer My God to Thee," De Haven, sung by Mrs. Walter Jenkins. Violin solo, Adagio non troppo, Klee, played by Miss Helen Selig. Sermon by the pastor: "The Sanctuary of the Heart." The sanctuary there will be a fine prelude to the evening worship at 7:15. The pastor choir will be in charge. Little Pauline Nelson will sing "Hush-a-by," Klee. Miss Helen Selig will play "Moderato Suite 2," Ruse, and Mrs. J. M. Ringo will sing "The Old Shepherd's Song." The pastor will preach on "The Children's Playground." Those interested are invited, including the city council. The Bible school convenes in the morning at 9:45 and the B. Y. P. U. in the evening at 6:30. A cordial invitation to all who are not worshipping elsewhere.

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH (Episcopal)—Church and Chemeketa sts., Rev. H. Duncan Chambers, pastor. Holy Eucharist at 7:30 a. m. This will be a corporate celebration of the officers, teachers and students in the church school. The church school meets at 9:45 a. m. Morning prayer will be held at 11 a. m. with music and sermon.

SCANDINAVIAN M. E.—15th and Mill streets. Pastor, Dahl, pastor. 10 a. m. Sunday school; Mrs. E. E. Pongard, superintendent. Morning worship in Swedish, 11 a. m. Epworth league 7:15 p. m. Rev. Joel Berreman will preach at the evening service, 8 p. m. Thursday 7:30 prayer meeting. On Friday, December 18th at 7:30 a Christmas package sale will be held in the church. The money will be used to pay for our piano. Refreshments will be served. You are all cordially invited to our services.

COURT STREET CHRISTIAN CHURCH—Court and North 17th streets, R. L. Putnam, minister. Bible school, 9:45 a. m. J. J. Kovis, superintendent. De one of 200 there today. The Stivers Evangelistic company begin the last week of services with us. There will be services every night 7:30, except Saturday. Special music furnished by the company at each service. "The Use and Abuse of the Lord's Supper," P. M. chart sermon: "Why So Many Churches Today?" At 7:15 Lorraine Stivers will sing another group of four negro spirituals. Evangelistic service 7:30. Saw solo and pantomime will be special features of the service. The volunteers will visit the shut-ins in the afternoon. Christian Endeavor 6:30. On next Saturday evening the Stivers will render a musical concert. There will be no admission but an offering will be taken. We welcome the public to any and all these services.

HIGHLAND FRIENDS CHURCH—Highland and Church streets. Edgar P. Sims, pastor. Sunday services: Meetings for worship at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Bible school at 10 a. m. Walter Stanton, superintendent. Classes for all ages. C. E. at 6:30 p. m. Bible prophecy class Monday, 7:30 p. m. Midweek prayer meeting Thursday, 7:30 p. m. We extend a welcome to all who desire to worship with us.

LUTHERAN—State and 15th streets, G. Koehler, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Divine service in English at 10:30 a. m. Luther league at 7 p. m. Topic: "Bible Principles of Giving." Bible school on Saturday from 9 to 11:15 a. m.

UNITARIAN CHURCH—Cottage and Chemeketa streets, Rev. Martin Ferechettan, minister. Church school at 1:00 a. m. Graded instruction. Dr. Miles McKee, superintendent. Devotional services at 11:00 a. m. Mr. Ferechettan will have for his subject: "Christianity as a Lay Religion." Dr. Steiner who was to speak, the occasion being Layman's Sunday, is called to the layman's league meeting. Monday evening at 6:15. The Emerson club will give a complimentary supper to members and friends of the league chapter and Justice Coshaw of the Oregon Supreme court will give the address. Mrs. Ferechettan and Mrs. Chas. Huston will offer a duet at the Sunday morning services. "The Lord is My Shepherd," by Smart. The Emerson club will meet as usual on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock at the parsonage, 657 Chemeketa street.

MEKETA ST. LECTURE, "The Evolution of Dogma," in the stories of "The Problems of Human Life." All are invited to come and join the discussion.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL CATHOLIC CHURCH—Rev. Thos. V. Keenan, pastor. Residences 1250 Highland avenue, Phone 1274. Masses on Sunday at 8 and 10:30 a. m. Rosary and benediction every Sunday evening at 7:30 p. m. During the week holy mass is celebrated at 8 o'clock. The blessing of the statue of St. Theresa, the Little Flower of Jesus, will take place Sunday evening at 7:30 p. m. with the Rt. Rev. Monsignor of Albany officiating. Wednesday evening, December 16th, the novena in honor of the Little Flower of Jesus will come to a close with rosary, special prayers in her honor and benediction of the most blessed sacrament. Wednesday, Friday and Saturday are Ember days and therefore days of fast and abstinence. Catechism for the children every Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

JASON LEE MEMORIAL M. E. CHURCH—Corner North Winter and Jefferson streets. Take the North Commercial street car to Jefferson avenue. Thomas Acheson, pastor. Gilbert Wrenn, assistant, in charge of the junior church. The public is cordially invited to be with us in the following services of the day: Church school, 9:45 a. m. Harry Carpenter, superintendent. Classes for all ages. 11 a. m. public worship, pastor in charge. Junior church meets at the same hour downstairs. Gilbert Wrenn will preach. Young peoples' societies. Others are always welcome to attend these services. Evening worship 7:30 p. m. Special Christmas music by the choir. Sermonette by the pastor: "The Problem of Modern Women." Invite your friends to accompany you to these services, a splendid spirit of brotherhood prevails. Tuesday, 6:30 p. m. The Men's Brotherhood meets for supper and social hour. Thursday evening, 7:15 Junior and senior churches meet for devotional and study hour. Public welcome.

FIRST METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH—Corner State and Church streets. Pastor, Fred C. Taylor. Parsonage, 653 State street, phone 974. Director of religious education, Miss Mary E. Plutnick, church school, 125 S. Church street, phone 872. Wesley church meeting, 9:15 a. m. Class leader, Mr. S. A. Wheelwright. Sunday school, 9:45, superintendent, E. F. Shanks. Classes are preparatory for the Christmas season. Morning service of worship at 11 o'clock. The quarterly communion service will be observed. The pastor will speak briefly upon the subject, "The Junior church group will share in this service. The three Epworth league will meet at 6:30. The first chapter, "Evidences of Salvation," Mr. Kitchin Rhodes. Second chapter, "The State of Enthusiasm vs. Epworth League Indifference." Leader, Miss Lois Lippold. Third chapter league, "The Drawing Power of Christ," Miss Mills. Christmas concert by the choir under the direction of Professor Holman with Professor Roberts at the organ. This concert promises to be of exceptional merit. Devotional service, Thursday at 7:30. Next Sunday night the Christmas pageant "Followers of the Star" will be presented under the direction of Miss Lindley.

SALVATION ARMY, 241 State street. Rev. Thomas Acheson, pastor. James Lee M. E. church will speak at tonight's meeting at 8 o'clock. Special music. Sunday's meetings: 11 a. m. Holiness meeting; 2:30 p. m. Sunday school; 5:30 young people's league and evangelistic meeting at 7:30. Adjt. and Mrs. Rooney, Maj. Talbot and Captain and Mrs. Strickland, all of Portland, will be the Sunday specials. They will conduct a special meeting at the 1st military at 1 p. m.

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Center and Liberty. 10 o'clock Sunday school, Mark McCallister, superintendent. Classes for all. 11 o'clock morning worship, theme "God's Trustee." 7:30 evening service, "The Man Who Played God," this is a great stirring story in moving pictures with the famous actor George Arliss playing the leading role. It is a story of joy and greatness of soul that comes through the practice of the giving spirit and unselfish service, especially fitting to the Christmas season.

take part in the dedicatory service of our First Church, Portland, Sunday evening.

FIRST EVANGELICAL—Liberty and Center streets, C. C. Poller, pastor. Regular preaching services Sunday, December 13 by the pastor, subject: "The Gift of the Spirit." At 11 a. m. and at 7:30 p. m. Evangelistic services. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. J. F. Ulrich, superintendent. Classes for all grades and ages. Christian Endeavor at 6:30 p. m. subject: "Bible Principles of Giving." Cor. 16:1-4, and 14. New officers elected this week for 1926: Anna Miles, president; Violet Peters, vice president; Walter Lampkin, recording secretary; Lucile Ostrander, corresponding secretary; treasurer; Reubin Helfiker. Midweek services, Thursday evening. A hearty welcome to all.

FIRST U. B. CHURCH, 12th and Mission streets. A. S. Henderson, pastor. Residence 1155 Mission street. Phone 1907W. Sunday school, 10 a. m.; morning service, 11 a. m. in charge of Elder, U. B. C. E., 6:30. Mrs. E. Hilday, leader. Evening service, 7:30 p. m. Midweek prayer services, Wednesday evening, 7:30. Quarterly meeting, Saturday evening, 7:30. The elder O. E. Marsters will have charge of both services Sunday. A blessed time awaits you. Come.

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EVANGELICAL—Chemeketa street, F. W. Launer, pastor. Sermon at 11 a. m. Subject: "Christ Lifted Up." Sermon at 7:30. Subject: "Light at Evening Time." Sunday school at 10 a. m. O. R. Shaugbough, superintendent. Evangelical league will hold its meeting at 6:30 in the regular meeting place with Lorenze Compass as leader. While the intermediate league will meet in the prayer meeting room at the same hour. Beulah Launer, superintendent of the intermediate league. Prayer services Thursday evening.

GLAD TIDINGS MISSION—343 1/2 Court street, C. S. Johnson, pastor. Sunday school at 2 p. m. Services at 3 and 7:30 p. m. Meetings Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday evening. Young peoples meeting on Friday evening.

CENTRAL CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Corner S. 19th and Ferry streets. H. C. Stover, minister, residence 445 S. 19th street. Phone 1244. The merged morning service of the Sunday school and morning worship at 10 o'clock. C. C. Harris, superintendent. Sermon subject, "Take a Little Holiday." The morning story will be told by Russell Steiwer. The senior and junior Christian endeavors meet at 6:30 p. m. Evening service at 7:30. The chorus choir will sing a selection from the cantata "The Holy Nativity" by Henry Weidner. The sermon subject will be "Faith, According to the New Testament." The annual meeting of the church and the church night occasion for the month of December will be held Wednesday evening. Supper will be served at 6:30. Members and friends are invited to enjoy the occasion with us.

MARKET STREET FREE METHODIST CHURCH—Corner of North Winter and Market streets. Mortimer C. Clarke, pastor. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Dr. P. S. Schütz, superintendent. Classes for all ages and ages. Preaching hours 11 and 7:30. Class meeting at 12:15. Mrs. Clara Cooley, leader. Young peoples meeting at 6:30. Preceded with a half hour of prayer. Topic: "Five Familiar Facts." The morning story will be told by Luther D. Cook is the leader. Praise service at 7:30. Cottage prayer meeting each Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Caroline Jackson, 1483 N. Winter street. Church prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7:30. The pastor preaches Sunday morning on the subject: "Where Is Your Faith?" In the evening, "The Drawing Power of Christ." All are invited to these services and you will enjoy the splendid spiritual atmosphere of this church.

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Golden Text "I Am Not Ashamed of the Gospel; for It Is the Power of God Unto Salvation to Every One That Believeth." Rom. 1:16. Evangelist Goben is with us and has been giving excellent messages during the past week to a comfortably filled tabernacle. Services continue through the coming week every night except Monday. Afternoon services Monday and Saturday, 3 p. m. Evangelist Goben will preach Sunday afternoon 3 p. m. Subject "Abiding in Christ." In the evening the subject will be "The Choice of a Soul." An orchestra of nine pieces led by Hammond Wilson is a special feature of the services. Evangelist Goben will pray with the sick Friday afternoon and evening. A welcome in the tabernacle to all services.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—(On Church street between Chemeketa and Center streets.) Norman Kendall Tully, D. D., pastor. 9:30 a. m. Sunday school. 10:45 a. m. morning worship. Sermon "The Miracles," by Dr. Tully. Anthem, "Sing Alleluia." Buck. Organ numbers: "Morgenstimmung." (Peer Gynt, Suite I). Grieg; selected prelude, and slow movement Sonata in B Flat, Mozart. 6:30 p. m. young peoples society. 7:30 p. m. evening worship. Sermon: "The Resurrection of Souls," by Dr. Tully. Anthem, "Now the Day is Over." Brocks. Organ numbers: "Festival prelude (chorus from 'Marta-Lena')." Wallace; "Weigend," Schubert; and "Postlude in G." Clark. Miss Ross at the organ.

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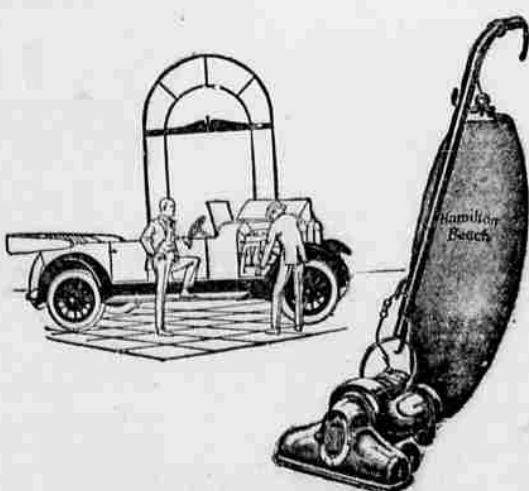


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