Catholic Church Ban Hits Hard at Italian Communists

By FRANK BRUTTO

Rome, Dec. 30 (AP)—Giovanni Picolomo, Italian Catholic communist, is a troubled man today. He is troubled by the threat of excommunication—removal form his church.

His party leaders, among them Palmiro Togliatti, tell him not to be afraid. But Giovanni often is afraid. Luigi Longo, tough communist and reputed leader of the party's underground organization, tells him "excommunication is of concern only to those who believe in such things."

But Giovanni (pseudonym for the typical Italian worker), unlike the nucleus of his party's hierarchy, nearly always does believe.

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How much the Catholic church's six-months old excommunication decree against militant communists has contributed to the party's losses in Italy cannot be definitely measured. But impartial observers agree that it weighs constantly and with increasing pressure upon the masses of Italy's communists.

The pressure is heaviest when there is a baby to be baptized, a marriage to be performed, a member of the family to be buried.

Just a year ago, when Giovanni's hope that communism would get him a better economic deal was stronger than today, he tried to distinguish between his party and his church.

"The party," he said, "never told me not to go to church. The church never told me not to go to party meetings."

But, since then—on July 14—by decreeing excommunication, the church, in effect, told him just that At the same time it left all possible doors open for the return of Giovanni, whom, a vatican source said, the church prefers to consider "an errant individual rather than a member of a mass social movement."

Many Giovannis have turned in their party cards and turned back to the church.

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Early this year, before the decree, a spokesman for Randolfo Pacciardi, republican defense minister, claimed that Italian communists had lost 700,000 members.

Togliatti retorted sharply. He said paid up memberships last February totaled 1,896,634, compared with 2,200,000 in the third quarter of the preceding year. Togliatti said that "in all probability" this figure would be reached in the first half of 1949.

But, with 1949 nearly ended, the party has made no pronouncement on membership. Just past mid-year, July 26, Pietro Secchia, chief organizer, told the communist central committee the party had lost 90,000 members in six months, but did not give the total membership.

Good sources believe it has decreased more since then, and that it will decrease further during the 1950 holy year.

Child Evangelism Meeting Jan. 6th

The Salem child evangelism fellowship announces an all day meeting to be held Friday, January 6, at the Salvation Army hall. The meeting will begin at 10 a.m. and a pot-luck luncheon will be served during the noon hour. Special music will be furnished by the Salem College and Academy. A Bible message will be given by Rev. Russel Mayer, pastor of the Bethany Evangelical and Reformed church. In the afternoon the weekly teacher training class will be held from 1:30-3. Mrs. Edwin A. Young will have charge of the devotions. At this meeting plans will be discussed regarding the children's rally which will be held at the First Evangelical United Brethren church the evening of January 27.

Miss Myrna Stover, city director, invites all who are interested in children's work to attend this meeting.

Woodburn Methodists Plan Church Services

Woodburn—New Years will be celebrated at the Woodburn Methodist church at the Sunday morning worship with the service of holy communion. The pastor, Rev. Ormal Truck, will speak on the topic, "A Mid-Century Meditation."

Monday, the legal holiday, will be a work day at the church with a no-host dinner at noon. Members and friends are invited to join in these services.

Dallas Churches

Christian and Missionary Alliance — G. E. McGarvey, pastor. Sunday school, 9:45. Morning worship, 11. Pastor's sermon, "Ye Have Not Passed This Way Before." Evangelistic service, 7:30. Afterglow radio program, KOCO, 9:30.

Evangelical Mennonite Brethren—A. P. Toews, pastor. Pre-Sunday school service, 9. Sunday school, 10. Morning worship, 11. Sermon, "Thou Knewest My Path." Fellowship groups, 7. Church service, 8.

Assembly of God—Alfred R. Brown, pastor. Sunday school, 9:45. Morning worship, 11. Christ Ambassadors, children's church, vesper service, 7. Evangelistic service, 8.

First Presbyterian—Earl William Benhow, D.D., pastor. Sunday school, 9:45. Morning worship, 11. Sermon, "And He Made It Again."

First Methodist—Clark S. Enz, pastor. Church school, 9:45. Morning worship, 11. Student recognition Sunday. Intermediate fellowship, 5:30.

Mennonite Brethren — G. H. Jantzen, pastor. Sunday school, 9:45. Worship service, 10:45. New Year's message by Ted Fast. Christian fellowship groups, 7. Evangelistic service, 7:45.

First Christian—Kenneth Johnston, pastor. Bible school, 9:45. Morning worship, 11. Sermon, "Standing on Our Promises." Christian fellowship hour, 6. Christian Endeavor, 6:30. Evangelistic service, 7:30. Pastor's message, "The Prayer Perfect."

Evangelical United Brethren—R. William Elmer, pastor. Sunday school, 9:45. Morning worship, 11. Youth fellowship, 7. Evangelistic Bible study, 7:45.

Salt Creek Baptist—Emanuel Wolff, pastor. Sunday school, 9:45. Morning worship, 11. Evening service, 7:30.

Apostolic Faith—Forrest Damron, pastor. Sunday school, 9:30. Morning worship, 11. Evangelistic service, 7:30.

Grace Mennonite—J. J. Regier, pastor. Song service, 10. Sunday school classes follow. Morning worship, 11. CF meeting and installation of officers, 7:30.

Christian Science—Sunday school, 9:45. Morning service, 11. Subject of the lesson sermon for the week is "God."

Seventh Day Adventist—Sabbath school, 9:45. Morning worship, 11.

St. Thomas Episcopal—Cyril P. Hanney, vicar. Church school, 10. Morning prayer, 11. Holy baptism, 12:30.

Oak Grove Chapel—Fremont Paul, minister. Morning service, 9:45. Sunday school follows. MYF each Sunday evening.

Falls City Methodist—James H. Royer, pastor. Sunday school, 10. Morning worship, 11.

Fola Sunday School — Sunday school, 9:45. Morning worship, 11.

First Baptist—E. J. Schroeder, pastor. Sunday school, 9:45. Morning worship, 11. Training union, 7. Evening worship, 8.

Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints — Elder Miller presiding. Sunday school, 10. Sacrament meeting, 11:45.

Rickreall Sunday School—J. N. Thiessen, supt. Sunday school, 9:30.

Falls City Christian—Charles Knox, pastor. Sunday school, 10. Morning worship, 11. Christian Endeavor, 6:30.

Free Methodist—R. W. McCormick, pastor. Sunday school, 9:45. Preaching, 11. Evening service, 7:45.

Falls City Seventh Day Adventist—Sabbath school, 9:30. Preaching, 11.

Church of Christ—Bible study, 10. Communion, 11.

St. Phillips Catholic—Father John Babyak, pastor. Mass, 10:15.

Falls City Free Methodist—Gilbert Johnson, pastor. Sunday school, 10. Morning worship, 11. Young people's meeting, 7:30. Evangelistic service, 8.

Union Missionary Baptis—W. A. Heard, pastor. Sunday school, 10. Sermon, 11.

Church of God—Henry Loggan, pastor. Sunday school, 9:45. Morning worship, 11. Young people's meeting, 6:45. Evangelistic service, 7:45.

Woodburn Churches

Church of God—Third and Grant Sts. Raymond W. Hood, pastor. Church school, 10. Worship, 11 and 8. YP, 7.

Assembly of God—Second and Lincoln streets. Lester Gibson, pastor. Sunday school, 9:45. Preaching, 11 and 7:45. YP, 6:45.

Free Methodist—Young and Gatch Sts. Mrs. Rozella B. Douglas, pastor. Sunday school, 9:45. Preaching, 11 and 7:45.

Christian—E. Lincoln and Doud Sts. Don Priest, pastor. Sunday school, 10. Service, 11. CE, 7. Evening service, 8.

Methodist—Young and D streets. Ormal R. Trick, pastor. Church school, 10. Worship, 11.

Foursquare—1197 E. Lincoln St. Arthur Goble pastor. Sunday school 9:45. Worship, 11 and 7:45. YP, 6:45.

Bethel Presbyterian—3 miles east on Union School road. Earl K. Fenton, pastor. Worship, 10. Sunday school, 10:45.

Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints—IOOF hall. Sunday school, 10. Sacrament meeting, 11:30.

St. Agnes Catholic (Hubbard)—Attended by Woodburn parish priests. Sunday masses, 8:30.

St. Mary's Episcopal—E. Lincoln at Cupid's Court. Clarence C. Slocum, vicar. Church school, 9:30. Divine worship, 11.

Bible Baptist—Grange hall, Settlemier and Harrison. Earl Baker, pastor. Sunday school, 9:45. Worship service, 11 and 7:45. YP, 6:45.

Immanuel Lutheran—Harvin N. Christensen, pastor. Doud and Oswald Sts. Worship service, 11. Sunday school, 10.

Gervais Presbyterian—Ernest Tremblay, pastor. Sunday school, 10. Worship, 11. CE, 7:30.

St. Luke's Catholic—V. L. Moffenbeier, pastor. Harrison between 3rd and 4th. Sunday services, 7, 8:30, 10:30. Devotions at 4 p.m. Sunday. Weekday mass, 8:15. Devotions Friday, 7:45 p.m.

The Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints—Corner of Second and Garfield. George Omans, pastor. Church school, 10. Preaching, 11. Zions league, 7. Lecture study, 8.

First Presbyterian—Garfield and Third Sts. Earl K. Fenton, pastor. Sunday school, 9:45. Divine worship, 11 and 7:30. YP, 6:30.

Rev. Charles Fogg

Fogg Concludes Revival Series

The winter revival being conducted at the First Evangelical United Brethren church, Marion and Summer streets, with Rev. Charles Fogg, pastor of the First Evangelical United Brethren church at Eugene, as speaker, will conclude with the evening service Sunday night at 7:45. Rev. Fogg will be speaking at both the 11 o'clock worship service and the evening service at 7:45 p.m. Miss Margret Kellogg of Wenatchee, Wash., one of the most outstanding marimba players in the northwest, will furnish special music in both services.

An all day of prayer is being featured as part of the New Year's day services as an introduction to the universal week of prayer being conducted by Protestant churches next week, with a prayer vigil at the altar of the church with someone interceding each half hour period during the day. Worshippers are invited to pray any hour during the day.

Bethel Baptists Plan Watch Night

The Bethel Baptist church, North Cottage and D street, will close the old year with a Watch Night service Saturday evening. The service will begin at 8:30 o'clock with a musical program. This program will be a musical review of 1949, the choir singing a number of anthems rendered during the year. Other special musical numbers of the year will also be presented.

There will be an hour of fellowship and refreshments from 10 to 11 o'clock. Each family is asked to bring doughnuts or coffee cake.

From 11 to 12 o'clock the church will have a service of baptism. The pastor, Rev. Rudolph Woyke, will baptize the following: Robert Potts, Marle Schindler, Elsie Neuman and Susan Heringer.

The public is invited to the service.

Roll Call Slated For Amity Church

Amity — The Amity Church of Christ will observe Sunday, January 1 as roll call and election of officers. A basket dinner will follow the morning worship service, with the business and roll call in the afternoon.

At the Methodist church a 6:30 o'clock meet was held Thursday with an inter-church Fellowship meeting, including the young people of the Church of Christ, Baptist and Methodist young people. Mayor Frank Chambers was guest speaker.

The Baptist young folks went to Salem Thursday night, when they joined the young folks of Central-Willamette Baptist association for a skating party.

The Baptist Women's Missionary met at 2:30 o'clock Friday with Mrs. A. W. Newby, hostess

Douds Holiday Visitors

Woodburn—Leland Doud and son, Robert of Sacramento, Calif., spent the holidays in Woodburn with his mother, Mrs. Addie Doud and accompanied by Mrs. Doud spent the weekend in Portland with his sister, Mrs. Esther Paschall.

Cities and counties in Georgia collected $6,900,000 from alcoholic beverages in 1948.

Salem's Churches

Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints—Seventeenth and Chemeketa St. Chas. H. Asher, pastor. Church school, 10. Communion service, 11. Zion's league, 6:30. Prayer service, 7:30.

West Salem Methodist — Third and Gerth. O. Leonard Jones, minister. Church school, 9:45. Worship, 11. Sermon, "Steps Ahead." Dedication service for 1950 by the Youth Fellowship, 7. Young adult fellowship, 8.

Foursquare Gospel—490 N. 19th. Sunday school, 9:45. Morning worship, 11. Sermon topic: "How Long to Labor." Young people meet, 6:45. Evening evangelistic service, 7:45. Sermon: "Home Through the Storm."

First Presbyterian—Chemeketa at Winter. Chester W. Hamblin, pastor. John L. Goodenberger, assistant pastor. Church school, 9:45. Identical services, 9:45 and 11. "Now Is the Time," sermon by the minister. Junior high fellowship, 5:30. Senior high fellowship, 6.

First Methodist—Church and State Sts. Brooks H. Moore, minister. Church school, 9:45. Morning worship, 11. Student recognition Sunday. "The Student, the Church and the World." Dr. Floyd Sampson of Denver university, guest speaker.

Institute of Religious Science—Sunday, January 1. Rev. Olive Stevens. Subject: "What Is the Truth?" Salem Woman's club, 460 N. Cottage street.

Knight Memorial Congregational—Louis E. White, minister. Nineteenth and Perry streets. Sunday school, 9:45. Morning worship and Communion service, 11. Sermon subject: "An Imprisoned Splendor." Church-time nursery. Pilgrim Fellowship. Junior high and Senior high groups, 6:30.

First Church of Christ, Scientist—Liberty and Chemeketa Sts. Sunday school, 11. Morning service, 11. Lesson-sermon subject: "God." Nursery for children up to 3 years of age provided during the morning service. Evening service at 8. Lesson-sermon subject: "God."

Kingwood Bible—1125 Elm street. A. H. Fadenrecht, pastor. Bible school, 9:45. Morning worship, 10:45. Youth groups meet, 6:45. Evening service, 7:45.

Central Church of Christ — Chemeketa at Cottage. M. C. Cuthbertson, minister. Bible school, 9:45. Preaching, 10:45 and 7:30.

Talbot Community Church—Talbot, Ore. Rev. R. Rogers Irwin, pastor. Sunday school, 10. Divine worship, 11. Sermon: "A Seven-Fold Program for Prosperity of Soul in 1950." Junior and senior youth groups, 6:30. Evening service, 7:30. Rev. Henry Turnidge with the assistance of Don and Ruth Turnidge, will be in charge.

Leslie Methodist—South Commercial at Myers. G. Wesley Turner, pastor. Sunday school, 9:45. Morning service, 11. Sermon subject: "We Begin Anew." Youth Fellowship, 6:30. Evening service, 7:30. Sermon subject, "The Right Road for the New Year."

First Evangelical United Brethren—Where Marion crosses Summer. Wilmer N. Brown, pastor. Sunday school, 9:45. Morning worship, 11. Message by Rev. Charles Fogg of Eugene. Sermon subject: "Therefore Come Boldly." Evening service, 7:45. Sermon subject: "Sin When It Is Finished."

Faith Tabernacle—1305 N. 5th St. Rev. Max Wyatt, pastor. Sunday school, 10. Morning worship, 11. Evangelistic service, 8. Saturday Watch Night service.

Saint Paul's Episcopal—Church and Chemeketa streets. The Rev. George H. Swift, D.D., rector. Holy Communion (in the chapel), 7:30. Junior church and classes, 9:30. Nursery school in parish house, 11. Holy Eucharist and sermon, 11.

First Spiritualist — 249 N. Com'l. Rev. Thomas and Minnie Gazeley, speakers. Services at 2:30 and 7:30. Social evening Dec. 31.

United Pentecostal Church—445 Ferry St. Salem, Oregon. Rev. Nathaniel Wilson, pastor. Sunday school 9:45. Morning Service 11. Evening service 7:45.

Calvary Baptist Church—1230 South Liberty St. Rev. Victor Hugo Sward, pastor. Sunday school 9:45. Bible classes for all ages. Morning service 11. Sermon subject: "The God Man." Evening service 7:30. Sermon subject: "Begin Again." New Year's Eve—Watch night service at 10:30. Sunday at 6:30 Youth Fellowship Groups.

St. Johns Luthern Church (Mo Synod) —16th and A St. Rev. H. W. Gross, pastor. New Year's Eve 7:30 Vespers. New Year's day services 9:00 & 11:00. Sunday school and Bible class 10:00. Holy communion in the 11:00 o'clock service. Friday, Dec. 30 at 8 p. m. concert by the choir.

First Church of God—Hood and N. Cottage. O. W. Clemens, pastor. Sunday services for January 1, 1950. 9:45: Church school. 11: Morning worship, "Christ's Call to Higher Levels." 6:45, Youth fellowship. 7:45 Evening Worship, topic: "God's Recipe for Happiness Through 1950."

Wesleyan Methodist Church—15 and Mill Streets. Glen Yates, pastor. Sunday school 10. Morning worship 11. Young Peoples meeting 6:45 Evening service 7:30. Watch night service New Year's Eve at 8:00 o'clock.

Jason Lee Methodist Church—North Winter at Jefferson. Louis C. Kirby, D. D. minister. Sunday school 9:45. Worship 11. Sermon: "Guidance for the New Year," followed by the observance of the Holy communion. The choir will sing a New Year anthem. Evening Service 7:30. Sermon topic: "The Soul in Quest of God." Solo by W. S. Biggerstaff.

The Bethel Baptist Church—N. Cottage and D st.—Rev. Rudolph Woyke, pastor. Sunday school at 9:45. Morning worship and communion at 11 o'clock. Evening service at 7:30.

Christ Lutheran Church—State Street at 18th. C. R. Schulz, pastor. New Year's Eve Candlelight service at 7:30. New Year's day Sunday church school at 9:00. Divine Worship at 10 o'clock.

Bethany Evangelical and Reformed Church—Marion and Capitol Sts. Rev. Russell Mayer, pastor. Sunday school 10. Morning worship and Holy communion 11. Evening worship 7:45.

AMITY CHURCHES

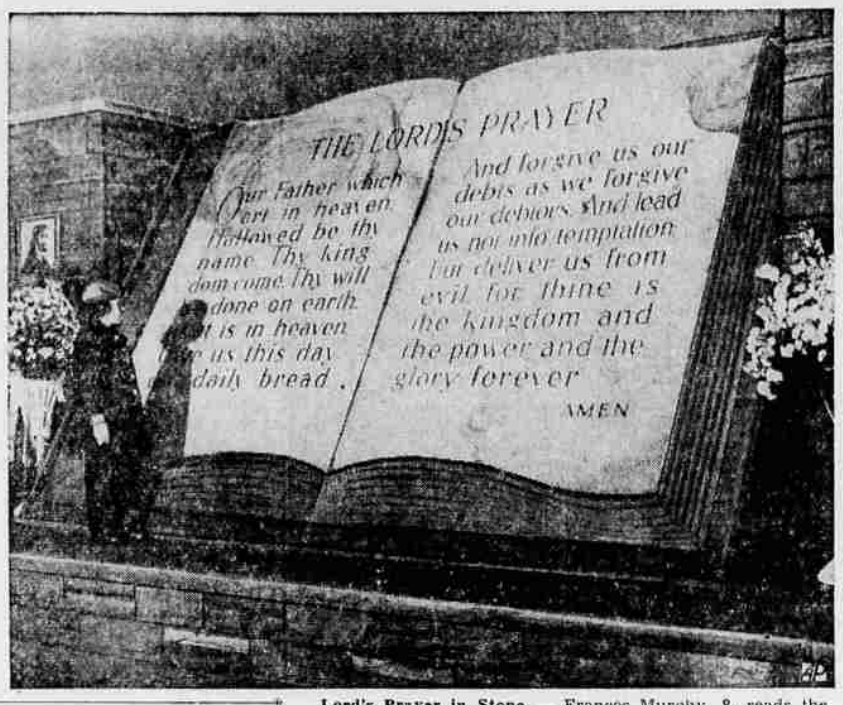
Baptist—Bruce Wakeman, pastor. Sunday school 10 a. m. Morning worship 11, topic: "Gifts Returned." Youth Fellowship 7. Evening service 8, topic: "The Prayer in Gethsemane."

Church of Christ—Wm. F. Morse, pastor. Bible school 10. Morning worship 11. Annual roll call, basket dinner, election of officers, afternoon. Junior endeavor, 6:30. Evening service 7:30.

Methodist Church—Fremont Paul, minister. Sunday school 10. Morning worship special for Masonic Order—St. John's Day service. Junior fellowship 6. Youth fellowship 7.

Assembly of God—Wm. N. Beachy, pastor. Sunday school 9:45. Morning worship 11. Youth Service 7:15. Evening service 7:45.

Full Gospel Church of Monitor. — Rev. and Mrs. E. C. Schilling,pastors. Saturday evening 9 to 12 Watch night. Sunday school 10.00. Morning worship 11. Young Peoples 7:00. Evangelistic service 8.



Lord's Prayer in Stone — Frances Murphy, 8, reads the Lord's Prayer, carved in stone 14 feet wide and 9½ feet high in a massive Bible set on a 32-foot base in Chicago's Memorial Estates cemetery. The huge stone book weighs 37 tons.

Church Observes 60th Birthday

Woodburn—The Presbyterian church, the oldest church in Woodburn, which was organized December 23, 1889, will observe its 60th anniversary with a special service at the church Sunday afternoon, January 1, starting at 2:30 o'clock.

A number of former pastors of the church, ministers from nearby communities and former and present members will be present for the service.

The anniversary services Sunday will begin with the morning worship at 11 o'clock a.m. with an appropriate message by the pastor, Rev. E. Kay Fenton, but the actual observance of the anniversary will be during the afternoon. All members, former members and the general public is invited to attend the service.

Refreshments, including a birthday cake and coffee, will be served after the afternoon service.

The reception committee will include Rev. E. Kay Fenton, Mrs. Henry Layman, Mrs. Esther Moon and Mrs. Minnie Richards. The Ladies' Aid society will have charge of the refreshments with the president, Mrs. Harris Nelson in charge. She will be assisted by Mrs. Clarence Wampole, Mrs. James Morrison, Mrs. George Rogers, Mrs. H. F. Butterfield, Mrs. Alfred Moon, Mrs. Alfred Klamp and Mrs. Henry Layman.

The program will include a speaker, music by the two choirs, special numbers of music, reading of the church history and reading of letters from former pastors who will not be able to attend.

Stayton Churches

Baptist—Rev. Willard Buckner, pastor Sunday school, 10. Morning worship, 11. Training hour, 7:15. Evening service, 8.

Church of Christ—Clyde Freeman, pastor. Bible school, 10. Worship service, 11. Youth fellowship, 6:30. Evening worship, 8 o'clock.

Church of Christ—L. M. Seid, minister. Bible study, 10. Morning worship, 11. Evening worship, 8.

Methodist—John Moranze, pastor. Bible school, 10. Worship service, 11. Youth fellowship, 6:30. Evening worship, 8.

Immaculate Conception Catholic — Rev. Nath. Jonas, pastor. Sunday services: Masses 8, 7:30 and 9:30 a.m.

St. Patrick's Catholic (Lyons)—Father Leander Schneider, pastor. Winter schedule, 1st 2nd and 5th Sundays mass at 8:30 a.m.

Our Lady of Lourdes (Jordan)—Father Leander Schneider, pastor. Winter schedule, 1st, 2nd and 5th Sundays mass 8:30 a.m.; 3rd and 4th Sundays, mass 10:30

Baptist—Bruce Wakeman, pastor Sunday school 10. Morning worship, 11. Youth fellowship, 7. Evening service, 8.

Church of Christ—Wm. F. Morse, minister. Bible school 10. Morning worship 11 Junior meeting, 7. Young people's meeting, 7. Evening services, 8.

Methodist — Rev. Fremont Paul, pastor. Sunday school, 10. Morning worship, 11. Junior fellowship, 6. Youth fellowship 7 o'clock.

Assembly of God—Stayton. Rev. F. C. Walcher, pastor. Sunday school 9:45. Morning worship service, 11. Evangelistic service, 8 p.m. Young people's meeting, 7 p.m.

East Salem Church Women Utilize Theme for Month

East Salem, Dec. 30—One postponed meeting was held in Middle Grove community on Tuesday. The Women's Society for World Service met at the home of Mrs. Roy Scofield on Silverton road.

Special guests were Mrs. Carl Connett, branch second vice president and secretary of Christian social service relations from Albany; Mrs. E E. Azee, secretary of mission bands from Albany and Mrs. Jack Steiger, secretary of the Little Heralds from Salem.

It was an all day meeting with a covered dish dinner at noon. The general theme was, "The Church at the Heart of the Community." The month emphasis is "Christian International Goodwill." Mrs. William Scharf was devotional leader using the Christmas story according to Luke's gospel.

One of the many little acts of kindness done at Christmas time for those less fortunate was the making of popcorn balls and gathering up of magazines by the members of the Swegle Girl Scouts and their leader, Mrs. Hillard Hanson, for the residents of Fairview home.

Mrs. Jean Day and daughter, Kathy of Ogden, Utah, arrived in Salem Monday to spend the holiday week in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rex Peffer on Hollywood drive.

New residents of Hollywood drive are Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Cater (Ann Becker) who have bought a partly finished home which they are remodeling.

Silverton Churches

Church of Jesus Christ of the Latter Day Saints (Mormon)—Sunday school at 10. Evening service at 7.

Christian Science — Sunday school at 9:45. Services at 11.

St. Paul's Catholic — Father John J. Walsh, pastor. Sunday masses, 8 and 10. Weekdays, 8.

Assembly of God—Berrel H. Scott, pastor. Sunday school, 9:45. Divine worship, 11. Young people's society at 6:45. Evangelistic at 8.

Church of God—Rev. F. E. Nix, pastor. Sunday school at 10. Worship hour at 11. Evening services at 8.

Seventh Day Adventist — Elder A. D. Chilson, Salem, and Harold Johnson, local elder, in charge. Sabbath school Saturday, 9:30. Morning worship at 11, Saturday. Sunday evening evangelistic service.

Pilgrim Holiness—D. C. Olson, pastor. Sunday school, 9:45. Sermon by pastor, 11. Young people meet at 7. Evangelistic sermon at 8.

Methodist—Marquam and Molalla joint pastorate. J. S. Kendall, minister. Bible school and sermon forenoon, Sunday, at Marquam, afternoon at Molalla.

First Christian—Arthur Charles Bates, pastor. Bible school, 9:45. Communion and sermon, subject: "Our Christian Faith in 1950." Junior and senior Christian Endeavor societies meet at 6:30 p.m. Evening sermon subject: "Two Things for 1950," at 7:30 o'clock.

Christian and Missionary Alliance—Gordon T. Bratvold, minister. Sunday school, 10. Worship hour, 11. Sermon by pastor. Special music. Young people meeting 6:30. Evening evangelistic service, 7:30, pastor in charge.

Methodist—Ben F. Browning, minister. Sunday school, 9:45. General worship, 11, pastor speaking in "The Bible and the Calendar," first in a series of January sermons on "The Meaning of the Bible." Youth Fellowship, 7:30, Nettie Polk, leader.

Trinity Lutheran—Rev. R. G. Hovland, supply pastor. Sunday school and Bible classes, 10. Divine worship, 11, sermon by Rev. Hovland.

Calvary Lutheran—Supply pastor, Rev. P. W. Erickson, Salem. Sunday school and Bible class. Divine worship, New Year's day service, Rev. Erickson in charge.

Immanuel Lutheran—S. L. Almlie, pastor. New Year's Sunday, Sunday school, Bible classes, 10. Divine worship, 11. Sermon, "The Name of Jesus." Anthem by choir. Luther league meets at 7:30.

Monmouth Churches Offer Prayer Week

Monmouth—The First Christian, the Evangelical United Brethren and the First Baptist churches are planning union services during the annual week of prayer, January 2 through January 7.

The following arrangement of meetings will be observed: Monday, 7:30 p.m., Christian church; Tuesday, 7:30 p.m., Baptist church; Wednesday, 7:30 p.m., Evangelical United Brethren church; Thursday, 7:30 p.m., Christian church; Friday, 7:30 p.m., Baptist church; Saturday, 7:30 p.m., Evangelical United Brethren church. Rev. Herman D. Wiebe is pastor of the local Baptist church.

Watch Parties Are Arranged

Woodburn—The annual election of officers of the Christian church will be held in connection with the New Year's eve watch party and reception for all the new members during the past year. The event will take place Saturday night, December 31 at 8 p.m., in the church recreation room.

Mrs. Gordon Seely is general chairman for the evening. Refreshments committee includes Mrs. H. C. Stuwe, Mrs. Elmer Nelson and Mrs. T. J. Deffenbaugh. Miss Hazel Smolnisky will be in charge of entertainment and games. The nominating committee includes H. C. Stuwe, T. J. Deffenbaugh and Mrs. W. O. Green. All members of the church are invited to attend the party.

Amity — The Baptist church will sponsor a watch night program Saturday evening. Two films, "Wings Over Africa" and "Wings Over India," will be shown, while games and refreshments will feature the meeting.

Woodburn — A New Year's eve watch service and social will be held at the Church of God Saturday night. The watch service will feature a special speaker, music and a candlelighting and will begin at 9 o'clock. Everyone is invited to this service. At 10 o'clock the group will go to the recreation room for a social which will continue until midnight.

Scio—A watch party is planned for New Year's eve at the Baptist church. The young people have charge of the party and at 11:15 services will be held in the church auditorium. Refreshments will be served.

Oak Point — A community New Year's dinner will be served at the school house Sunday at 1 o'clock. All families in the community are invited to bring a covered dish.

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