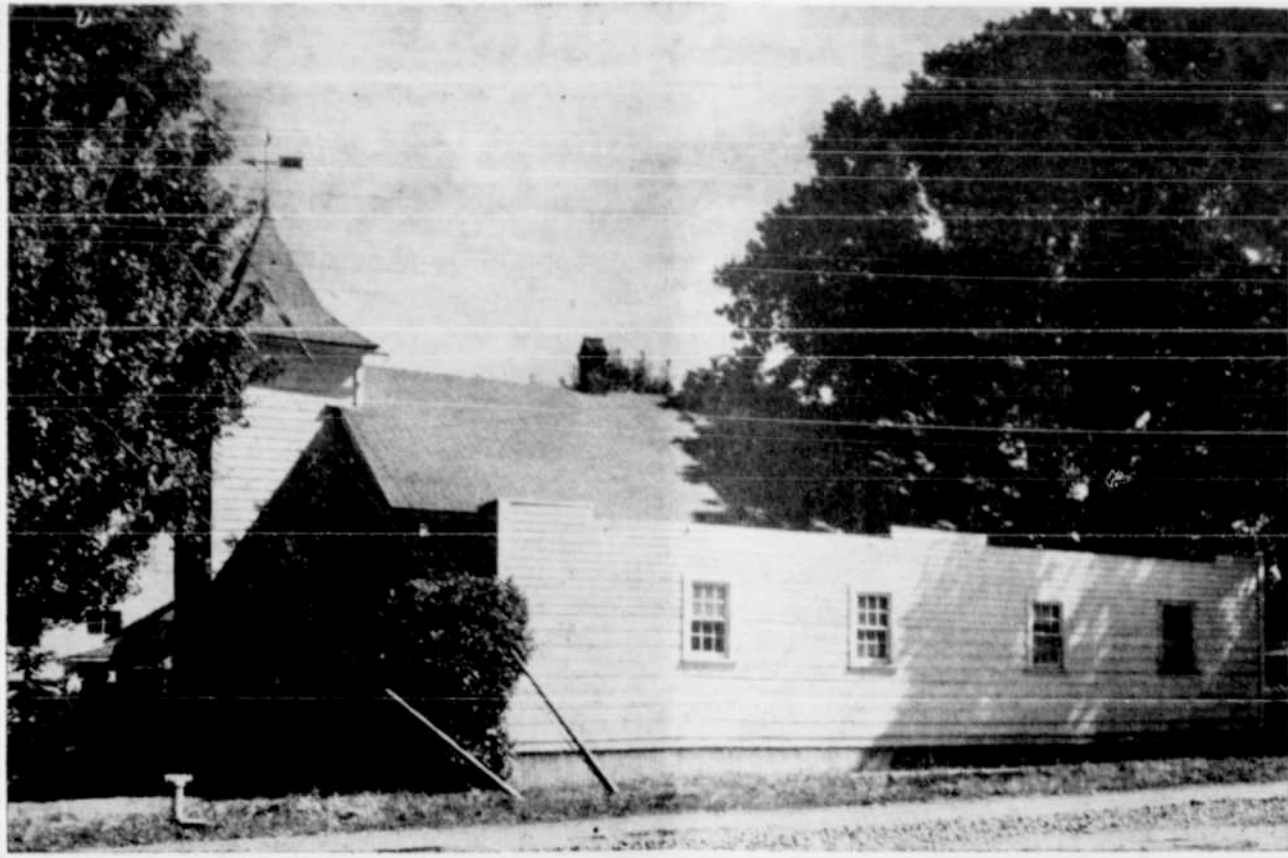


Old-Time Revival Meet Started Church of Nazarene



By Rev. Leonard C. Johnson

The Church of the Nazarene, on the corner of First and Stott streets in Beaverton, Oregon was born in an old fashioned Revival meeting held in the Loslie Brothers' Hall in Beaverton, Oregon March 14 to April 11, 1926. Rev. Homer C. Williams, now residing in Portland, Oregon was the evangelist, and served the congregation until the close of the Assembly year, May 19th, 1926. The official date of the organization of the Church is April 14, 1926.

The church was organized with seventeen charter members. Of these original members five are present members of the church: Mr. Warren Wilson, Huber Avenue Beaverton, Mrs. Mabel Harrison, Huber, Oregon; Mr. Walter Hart, Watson Avenue, Beaverton, Ore.; Mrs. Myrtle Hermelin, Broadway Ave. Beaverton, Ore.; and Mrs. Rachel West, Center Street, Beaverton, Oregon.

The present building in which the congregation worships has the unique distinction of being one of the oldest buildings in Beaverton, if not in the entire county. It is quite near the century mark and is still in excellent condition despite its age. The building was purchased from the Bethel Congregational Church in the summer of 1928.

A total of eight pastors have served the congregation with Mrs. Ava Adams the first pastor in 1927 returning five years later to serve again. The other pastors serving varied terms are Rev. Roy Nolt, Rev. W. N. Tait, Rev. D. Rand Pierce, Rev. Willard P. Anderson, Rev. Peter Clark, Rev. Julius Miller, Rev. W. P. Keebaugh, and the present pastor Rev. Leonard C. Johnson who came to the Beaverton church May 9, 1943.

The Church has a Sunday School enrollment of 200 with an average attendance last year of 134. The Church membership now stands at eighty-four.

The Church of the Nazarene, known as a Holiness Church because of its adherence to the Bible standard of heart purity has a Congregational form of government, and is amenable to the Oregon Pacific District Assembly, composed of 51 churches. Dr. W. W. Hess, Clackamas, Oregon is the present acting District Superintendent. Headquarters of the Nazarene denomination are in Kansas City, Mo.

The ruling body of the church is composed of elected trustees composed of Elmer West, Chairman, Guy Gramling, and J. A. White; elected Stewards, composed of Mrs. Walter Lovett, chairman, Eldon Keebaugh, Mrs. Arnold Carlson, Carl Backman and Herbert Harrison.

The elected heads of the three Departments complete this body, namely—Miss Edith Watts, Sunday School Superintendent, Mrs. Genneth Keebaugh, Young Peoples' President and Mrs. Anna Steere, Womens Foreign Missionary President.

The departments of the church are very active—the Missionary Society sending used clothing, quilts etc. to many of the 23 mission fields maintained by the Church. The Young Peoples' Society made up of two groups (High School Age and Young Married people) meets regularly each Sunday evening, and plans regular social events. The Sunday School growing from an enrollment of 52 4 years ago to its present enrollment of 200 maintains an active Visitation group that calls in the homes in and around Beaverton each week.

More recently the church has purchased another parsonage for the pastor and his family. This residence is located on Lombard Street, on the corner of 12th. The accompanying large lot is a possibility.

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Reverend Leonard C. Johnson came to the Beaverton church on May 9, 1943 and is serving in the pastorate.

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The pastor, Rev. Leonard C. Johnson is a native of the smog-famed town of Donora, Penna. He received his elementary and secondary training in the Donora Schools. He began his college training in Eastern Nazarene College in Wollaston, Mass. but received his A. B. degree from Northwest Nazarene College in Nampa, Idaho, being a member of the first class to graduate from the college having received its full accreditation from the American Association of Colleges in 1937.

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ous to coming to Beaverton, one in Roseburg, Oregon and the other in Mukilteo, Washington, on the banks of Puget Sound. His wife, the former Miss Bernice Lindstrom is a Washingtonian, born and raised in Lake Stevens, Wash. They have four children, Joyce Elaine eight, Walter LeRoy six, Janice Louise 3, and Jacqueline Lucille 7 months.

The Beaverton Church of the Nazarene, evangelistic in its message is in Beaverton to serve as it may the spiritual needs of the community. Known for its warm friendly and spiritual atmosphere, the church extends a hearty welcome to Beaverton and surrounding community.

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