

AT THE CHURCHES

FREE METHODIST CHURCH
Charles E. Brown, Pastor
9:45 - Sunday School,
11:00 - Morning Worship,
6:45 - Young People,
7:30 - Evangelistic Service,
7:30 - Tuesday, Cottage Prayer meeting,
7:30 - Thursday, Prayer Meeting.

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CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE
4th and C Streets
W. R. Wise, Pastor
9:45 - Church school, T. S. Wiley, Superintendent,
11:00 - Morning worship
6:30 - Young People's Service, Ladene Hendrix, President,
7:30 - Evangelistic Service
7:30, Wednesday - Prayer meeting

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VICTORY MISSION
(undenominational)
Rev. Leo C. Wine, Pastor
89 North Main Street
(across from Litwiller's)
10:00 a.m. - Sunday School
Classes for all ages and where the children are given special attention. Mrs. Leo Wine is superintendent.
11:00 - Morning Worship
8:00 p.m. - Evangelistic Service. Special music and singing.
Tuesday night prayer meeting at 8:00. Prayer changes things. Today?
Topic: "Is Divine Healing for Us Thursday night Bible Study at 8:00.
8:00 - Saturday, Evangelistic service.

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FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
Corner N. Main and Laurel Sts.
Dr. George W. Bruce, Minister
9:45 - Sunday Church School.
There is no better place for children and adults to study the Word of God. The scripture planted in the mind of childhood will be a guide, guard, and comfort in later years.
11:00 - Morning Worship.
The Easter morning sermon is at 11 on the subject, "Life and Immortality." The choir will lead the congregational singing and offer an Easter anthem. There will be baptismal services for children and adults who may desire it, also opportunity will be given for any to become members of the church.
6:15 - The Intermediate and Senior Youth Fellowship Groups will meet for worship.
7:30 - Evening Service.
The Easter Cantata, given by the combined choirs of Ashland, will be in this church at 7:45.

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NEIGHBORHOOD CHURCH, CONGREGATIONAL
Corner of Blvd. and Morton
J. Howard Rees, Minister
Mrs. Glen Prescott, Church School Superintendent
Miss Margaret Ramsey, organist
9:45 - Church School
11:00 - Morning worship
7:00 p.m. - Young People's Pilgrim Fellowship

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FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
North Main at Heiman
Sunday services:
Bible School, 9:45 a. m.
Morning Worship, 11:00 a. m.
At the Easter service Sunday morning the choir will sing three anthems: "Break Forth with Joy," "Deep Within", and "Jesus Only". The choir director is Miss Florence Allen, and the organist is Mrs. J. W. McCoy.
The Rev. James H. Edgar will be the guest minister, using for his subject, "Morning Breaketh." Youth Meeting, 6:30 p. m. Wednesday:
Prayer and Bible Study, 7:30 p. m.
A warm invitation is extended to all.

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CHURCH OF CHRIST
Second and B Streets
Earl F. Downing, Minister
Bible School, 9:45 a. m. E. H. McGee, superintendent.
Special Easter service at the opening of the school.
11:00 - Morning Service.
Special Easter music by the choir. Sermon topic, "The Easter Assurance and Call." Baptismal service.
Junior Church, 11 a. m. For children of beginner, primary and junior age.
Christian Endeavor, 6:30 p. m. The evening service will be dismissed to unite with the service of the combined choirs at the Methodist Church at 8:00 p.m.
Midweek Service, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.

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TRINITY EPISCOPAL CHURCH
Rev. A. N. MacDonnell, Vicar
8:00: Holy Communion
9:30: Church School
11:00: Service and Sermon

EASTER 1944

By Ruth Taylor
It is in the spirit of humility and purpose that we will go out this Easter morning to celebrate the great festival of the church—the day that commemorates not the sorrows of earthly life, not the Way of the Cross, but the Resurrection—the Victory of the Spirit over the flesh.

Day by day we climb to our Golgothas. We cannot shift our burdens to another's shoulders. We cannot shirk the steep hills and the heavy weight that seems as unbearable as it appears interminable.

We celebrate this Easter in a spirit of solemnity. To many of us the coming months will bring the end of all that made life seem worth living. Far too many of us will be forced, by the irreligious and inhuman gluttony of the dictators for loot and for power over the lives of men, to tread the narrow ways of sorrow. No one of us will be unaffected by this war.

No weight is too heavy, however, no way too long when we know that at the end there will be an Easter morning. It was this translation of the lessons of religion into the terms of living that gave those who preceded us strength to endure, courage to go forward. It is this spirit, this realization of the impermanence of evil, that will carry us through the darkest hours.

In hours of peace we learned faith, and in the hours of strife we still remember the words of Him whose Resurrection we celebrate. "Peace I leave with you, my peace I give unto you; not as the world giveth, give I unto you. Let not your heart be troubled, neither let it be afraid. This is my commandment, That ye love one another, as I have loved you. Greater love hath no man than this, that he lay down his life for his friends."

FOR VARIETY'S SAKE
Serving beans or peas in white sauce is an excellent way to make a few look like more. For variety's sake, Mrs. Julia Kiene, director of the Westinghouse Home Economics Institute, sometimes adds finely-grated cheese and uses one-fourth teaspoon of dry mustard to bring out the cheese flavor.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Gordon C. Griffin-Pastor
9:45 - Bible School, C. E. Corry, Superintendent.
11:00 - Morning Worship,
6:30 - Young People's Meeting
7:30 - Evening Service
7:30, Wednesday - Mid-week fellowship hour.

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THE CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN
Ashland and Medford
Ward E. Pratt, Pastor
10:00 - The Church School.
Graded lessons for the children.
11:00 - Worship Service
Evening Services in Medford at 501 Beatty St.
8:00 p.m.: Evening worship.

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FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST
Pioneer Ave., South
Sunday morning service at 11 o'clock.
Sunday School at 9:45 a. m.
Wednesday evening meeting, which includes testimonies of Christian Science healing, is held at 8 o'clock.
Reading Room open daily from 2 to 5 p. m. except Sundays and holidays.
The public is cordially invited to attend these services, and to use the Reading Room.

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SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH
Corner Fourth and C Streets
9:30, Saturday - Sabbath School
11:00 - Worship.
Young people's meeting at 3:00.
Friday night, April 7 at 7:45, J. Z. Walker will speak on "Prohibition, the Bible and the Bill of Rights." Everbody welcome. No collections.

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CATHOLIC CHURCH
Sixth and C streets
Rev. W. J. Meagher, Pastor.
Mass Sunday morning at 9 o'clock, Sunday School after Mass conducted by the ladies of the church.

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METHODIST CHURCH
Talent, Oregon
Dr. G. W. Bruce, Minister
9:30 - Morning Worship
Subject: "Life and Immortality."
10:30 - Sunday School.
The midweek Bible study and prayer service is dismissed and the regular attendants urged to attend the revival meeting in the Friends Church.

CAMP WHITE EASTER RITES

The following is a copy of the Easter programs that will be distributed at the Sunrise Easter service at 6:45 at Camp White. The public is invited to attend.

SUNRISE SERVICE

Easter, 9 April 1944

Prelude: 96th Division Band.

Welcome: Major General James L. Bradley, Commanding General, 96th Infantry Division.

Opening Sentences: Chaplain John W. Fry, Senior Chaplain.

96th Division—"The Lord is risen!"

Congregation—"The Lord is risen indeed."

In unison—"Thanks be to God who giveth us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ."

Hymn:

"Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!
The strife is o'er, the battle done;
The victory of life is won;
The song of triumph has begun.
Alleluia.

The powers of death have done their worst,
But Christ their legions hath dispersed;
Let shouts of holy joy outburst.
Alleluia.

Lord, by the stripes which wounded Thee,
From death's dread sting Thy servants free,
That we may live and sing to Thee,
Alleluia."

Invocation: Rev. Fred M. Weatherford, Pastor, Church of The Nazarene, Medford, Oregon. Secretary, Medford Ministerium.

Anthem: Camp White Glee Club, Choir of Medford High School and civilian friends.

Scripture Lesson: Chaplain Frederick L. Von Husen, 321st Medical Battalion.

Hymn:

"Low in the grave He lay, Jesus my Saviour!
Waiting the coming day, Jesus my Lord!
Vainly they watch His bed, Jesus my Saviour!
Vainly they seal the dead, Jesus my Lord!
Death cannot keep his prey, Jesus my Saviour!
He tore the bars away, Jesus my Lord!"

Chorus:

"Up from the grave He arose!
With a mighty triumph o'er His foes!
He arose a Victor from the dark domain,
And He lives forever with his saints to reign.
He arose! He arose! Hallelujah! Christ arise!"

Sermon: Chaplain Clarence H. Reese, Post Chaplain.

Hymn:

"Christ the Lord is risen today, Alleluia.
Sons of men and angels say: Alleluia.
Raise your joys and triumphs high, Alleluia.
Sing ye heavens and earth reply: Alleluia.
Lives again our glorious King; Alleluia.
Where, O death, is now thy sting? Alleluia.
Dying once, He all doth save; Alleluia.
Where thy victory, O grave? Alleluia.
Soar we now where Christ has led, Alleluia.
Following our exalted Head; Alleluia.
Made like Him, like Him we rise; Alleluia.
Ours the cross, the grave the skies. Alleluia."

Benediction: Chaplain Delbert S. Lacquement, 14th Cavalry Group.

Postlude: 96th Division Band.

A Meditation by the Post Commander:

The Easter Season has always been a time for the renewing of man's hope and faith in the eternal righteousness of God. At this time everything that we hold dear is faced with testing or destruction by brutal military force. Our enemies are placing their trust in military might. In this Easter Service we reassert our faith in the Risen Lord. Our unity in Him gives us a strength which no military power can destroy.

Brigadier General Amos Thomas
Commanding General, Camp White.

The Military Personnel of Camp White wish to thank all the neighboring civilians for their generous cooperation in this service.

LOOKING AHEAD

A Good \$10 Bill

By GEORGE S. BENSON
President of Harding College
Searcy Arkansas



IN THESE DAYS when money is talked about in astronomical figures, a \$10 bill still looks pretty good to most of us. It means something at once in terms of food or clothing or other things we want to buy. But billions are beyond most people; just something super-big that the government deals in.

Did you ever wonder how much larger a billion dollars is than a million? It takes just as many millions to make a billion as it does pennies to make a \$10 bill. Or figure it this way:
When our government debt becomes 358 billion dollars, as Senator Byrd says it will, we can divide the amount by America's 135 million population and find that the debt exceeds \$2,500 for every person living in the United States; \$10,000 per family of four. Then we begin to see what this war means in money; why we should work as well as pray to bring it to an end.

It is Not Impossible BUT, BIG as this debt will be, we can pay it if we can keep business and industry going full blast in peacetime as well as in war time. And this leads us into post-war planning to keep factories going and payrolls alive.

But keeping factories running and the country prosperous calls for a lot of things. First of all, the government will be obliged to do its part in order to give private business its chance.

Sound post-war prosperity does not depend on any one thing, but on a combination of many things. Some of these are easy to understand and can be controlled, which is good. For instance, the quick change-back of industrial machinery to civilian use, so it can serve as a part of our free economy—that's an aim we will all approve, I am sure. It means jobs. It means in-

come for industrial workers, plenty of goods to buy and ready markets for what farmers grow.

No Simple Formula HOW RAPIDLY this change-back can be made, and how well, depends almost wholly on the government, on the policy it adopts in terminating war contracts, what it does with government-owned tools and equipment now covering many acres of factory floor-space; how it gets rid of huge stock-piles of war materials, and how it uses the billions of dollars' worth of government-owned factory buildings.

There is a common-sense way to solve all these problems and still not gum-up the workings of open competition. After the war the government should not (1) hold back money due on war contracts until the last riel is checked, (2) leave government-owned tools and equipment in the plants to hinder immediate reconversion, (3) glut markets with cast-off goods nor start "projects" to plague legitimate business.

Simple and vital as all these matters sound, they still can get bogged down in the marshes of bureaucracy. There should be a fixed policy to prevent it. Only Congress can make certain that the first necessary steps are taken to give America victory in peace.

Will American workers be jobless when peace comes? Must American farmers expect their selling to cease when firing ceases? Neither is necessary. I think Congress ought to take action now, before a crisis arises, so that an unmistakable policy may exist to be enforced.

Most of us will be glad when we don't have to hear so much about billions but I, for one, hope to remain on handshaking terms with an occasional \$10 bill. If the right things are done now, we all may.

TO DRY THOSE TEARS

Peel onions under running cold water and you won't shed a tear. Rubbing a little salt on the hands will absorb any remaining odor.

L. S. Shipley and small son, Lloyd of Grants Pass are planning to spend the week end with Mr. Shipley's mother, Mrs. E. C. Fortier and sister, Mrs. Wilma Clinger. Mr. Shipley and son will celebrate their birthday anniversaries on Sunday.

WORK SAVER

Keep matches, eggs, salt, fruit juice, and rubber away from silver. They tarnish it, reports the Westinghouse Home Economics Institute.

Cpl. Genevieve McGee and Mr. and Mrs. Colver Anderson have been visiting at the A. O. McGee home.

Sgt. T. S. Easton visited in Ashland, Saturday.

MEET MIDDLE AMERICA
Number 4 in a series on the countries of Middle America

COSTA RICA

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