

AT THE CHURCHES

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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PREBYTERIAN CHURCH
 130 North Main Street
 Rev. George M. Shuman, Pastor-elect
 9:45 - Sunday School for all ages. Mrs. W. M. Foley, Superintendent.
 11:00 - Morning Worship service.
 8:00 P.M. - Evening worship.
 The Methodists and Presbyterians will meet together in the Presbyterian Church.
 8:00 P.M., Wednesday, - Mid-week prayer service.

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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. A Children's Day program presented by the children will open the school.
 Morning Service, 11 a. m. "What Shall This Child Be?"
 Junior Church, 11 a. m. For children of beginner, primary and junior age.
 7:00 - Christian Endeavor. Two societies, Junior and High School.
 Evening Service, 8 p. m.; sermon, "What Next?" The answer of the materialist, the infidel, the agnostic, the scientist and the Christian will be given.
 Midweek Service, Wednesday, 8 p. m.

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

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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
 Sunday evening services in Medford at 608 S. Oakdale Ave.
 7:00 p.m. - BYPD studying the Acts of the Apostles.
 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 Sts.
 Sabbath School, 9:30 a. m. Saturday.
 Worship, 11 a. m.
 On Friday night, June 9, at 8:15 p. m., hear Mr. Thompson from Medford speak on the longest time prophesy in all the Bible—the 2300 days. Daniel 8:14. How this prophesy has been remarkably fulfilled. If you do not understand some of these great prophecies in the scriptures and you would like to know more about them you will not be disappointed in attending this service. The lecture starts at 8:15. Come and enjoy the message. Everybody welcome.

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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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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.

Are Americans Still American?

By Norman Vincent Peale
 (Ed. Note: The Reverend Norman Vincent Peale, D.D., author of this article is pastor of Marble Collegiate Church, Fifth Avenue, New York City.)

What kind of country will our boys find when they come home? Will it be the type of land for which they fought, or something different - a left-wing, socialized, made-over America? They will return from winning a victory over fascism. Will they find a country well on the way to being conquered internally by communistic influence?

Fascism is our recognized enemy. Communism, however, is in position to infiltrate our society. Russia being our ally, and a good one, the communists try to make us think it isn't good form to be suspicious of the "comrades" in our midst.

There are some people whose "humanitarianism" is so cozy as to look kindly upon communism. Some have even attempted to identify it with Christianity. But that, of course, is impossible, for communism is definitely opposed to all forms of religion. Lenin said, "Religion must be abolished. The best country is a Godless country." Stalin declared, "Keep children away from religious training until they are eighteen years of age, then they will be good communists."

Christianity stands as a natural barrier against communism, for it emphasizes the worth and significance of the individual. Under communism a man loses his individuality in the State, which alone is sacred. Earl Browder says "The individual finds his development and completion only as a part of society." Emerson saw clearly into the essence of Christian teaching when he pointed out that Jesus Christ was the first in all history to recognize the significance of human personality.

Communism, on the contrary, turns men into servants of the State. Democracy, the political child of religion, makes men masters of the State. The present tendency toward "big government" in whatever form it may appear, is fundamentally a denial of Christian philosophy. It is the natural result of the infiltration of both fascistic and communistic thought. In a society strongly dominated by Christian thought, with its emphasis upon a man's essential greatness, there is always a suspicion of entrenched power.

Men in this great tradition sailed to these shores over stormy seas because believing they were sons of God, they could not live under tyranny. They felt instinctively that they were rulers in their own right. Setting up their own country, they devised a severely limited government. They kept its control firmly in their own hands. They hedged the executive about with all manner of restrictions. They had seen one

Ladine 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 Litwiler'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.
 Topic: "Is Divine Healing for Us Today?"
 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.
 A Children's Day program will be given at the Sunday School hour with children and young people from the Beginner, Primary, Junior, and Intermediate departments participating.
 11:00 - Morning Worship.
 6:45: Methodist Youth Groups
 8:00 - Evening Service
 The Methodists and Presbyterians will meet together in the Presbyterian Church.
 7:30, Thursday evening - The mid-week Bible study and prayer service.

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METHODIST CHURCH
 Talent, Oregon
 Dr. G. W. Bruce, Minister
 9:30 - Morning Worship
 10:30 - Sunday School with Clarence Holdridge superintendent.

man government, had suffered under it and were determined to have none of it. But that was a long time ago, and it is easy to forget.

Now we, the descendants of these wise men, are faced not by a king as they were, but by the threat of super government, grown so arrogant that not even a business man is safe on his own premises, the Fifth Article of the Bill of Rights notwithstanding.

Whether Americans still possess the insight to see the subtle development of big government, and whether they still have the moral force to limit their government as their fathers did before them, is in many respects, the greatest question of this generation. If their religious faith is still strong they will have the manhood to remain free men. If communistic and fascistic thought has breached their minds, the issue will be in doubt. Coming events will tell the story. As for us, we believe the American people are still American, and will return government to its proper place in our national life, as the servant and not the master of our citizens.

Radio Technician Program Available

The ninth joint service induction area of the United States recruiting organization, which includes Oregon, Washington, Idaho, California, Utah, Montana and Arizona, is leading the entire nation in the procurement of men for the radio technician training program, according to word just received by Herb. Crain, recruiting officer of the Medford Navy Recruiting Station.

Because of the large number of radio technician trainees already signed, these persons interested in taking advantage of the existing opportunity are advised to act at once. Seventeen-year-olds and men between 38 and 50½ inclusive may volunteer for this program, while those in the draft bracket of 18 to 37 inclusive, if assigned to the Navy pool, also may become candidates. Anyone accepted for the R. T. training program will be given the rating of seaman first class, equivalent to corporal in the army, immediately upon enlistment.

Shortage of Tractors For Home Use Noted

A vigorous campaign for placing idle used crawler tractors in essential work through voluntary private sale or rental, government purchase and sale and, if necessary, through requisitioning was announced today by the War Production Board.

Only 499 tractors are available for sale and 905 are for rent, advised Williams. It is estimated that 4000 idle tractors can be located and put to essential use by outright purchase, rental or sub-contract.

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DAVID LYLE RICE
 Brief graveside funeral services were held Saturday with Rev. George M. Shuman in charge, for David Lyle Rice, who passed away in Los Angeles.
 He was a former Ashland resident, serving as Southern Pacific station agent at one time.
 Survivors include three children Mrs. Marie Moors of Portland, Mrs. Erma Smith of Springbrook, Oregon and Donald L. Rice of Oakland.

YMCA TO HELP WAR PRISONERS

Expansion of the work of War Prisoners' Aid, YMCA, a participating service of the National War Fund, may be expected as the result of the State Department announcement that Japan has agreed to the purchase of \$25,000 worth of relief supplies a month for war prisoners and civilian internees in the Philippines, according to advices received by Charles A. Sprague, president of the Oregon War Chest.

The United States Government has made available the funds to purchase the \$25,000 worth of supplies each month, but administration will be carried on by neutral representatives working for War Prisoners' Aid, YMCA, funds for which are allocated from contributions to each county War Chest in the state through the Oregon War Chest. The work of locating supplies, purchasing, packing and distribution will be undertaken by War Prisoners' Aid, in cooperation with other neutral organizations.



Serve with the Navy's MEDICAL CORPS!

Become a NAVY NURSE

The Navy Nurse Corps offers you the opportunity to serve your country with recognized professional standing as a commissioned officer in the Navy. The Navy Nurse serves in base hospitals overseas and in the United States, on Naval transports and Hospital Ships, and in Hospital Corps Training Schools. The present Naval expansion has caused an urgent demand for more and more Navy Nurses. If you are a registered nurse between the ages of 21 and 40, single, and in good health—you are needed.

APPLY: Bureau of Medicine and Surgery, Navy Department, Washington, D. C., your local Red Cross Nurse Procurement Office, or 703 Market Street, San Francisco.

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America's pioneer women loaded guns for their men in the struggle to establish our continent. Today the Navy's Medical Department needs your help in "keeping as many men at as many guns as many days as possible." As a Hospital Corps WAVE you will help our disabled fighting men to regain their health and speed them back to active duty... release male corpsmen for vital service in combat areas... help to shorten the war... lay the foundation for a post-war career.

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