

Churches Slate Easter Services

Special services for Easter week, highlighting the religious year for most denominations will be observed in churches of this area, climaxing on Sunday. Seven churches will join in the Good Friday service at the First Christian church with ministers speaking on the "Seven Last Words." The service starts at 12:30 p.m. and those of all faiths are invited to attend. Program is printed on this page.

Episcopal
Bishop Lane Barton of Bend will conduct services at All Saints' Episcopal church Sunday at 11 a.m. for Easter observance. He will be accompanied by Dirk Binehart of the Church of the Nazarene, who may be called to serve the church. A desert coffee hour will be held Saturday night at the parish house at 8 p.m. to offer an opportunity for parishioners to meet with the visitors. A coffee hour will also be held after services Sunday.

Assembly of God
Young people of the Assembly of God will hold a sunrise service Sunday, meeting at the church at 5:45 a.m. Breakfast will follow the service.

Sunday School will be at 9:45, and at the 11 a.m. Easter service, the Rev. Al Alsop of Eugene, brother of the Rev. Billie Alsop, pastor here, will speak. Theme of a young people's evening service at 6:30 will be, "A Young Person's View of Easter."

Methodist Church
Special services at the Methodist church start tonight (Thursday) with a Maundy Thursday communion at 8 p.m. On Easter, young people will join with those of the Christian church for breakfast at the Christian church at 6 a.m.

Two worship services will be held on Easter morning with the Rev. Melvin Dixon, pastor, speaking at each. They will be at 9 and 11 a.m. with church school to be held at 10 a.m. Special music will be presented by the choir at the two worship services.

Lutheran
Good Friday worship will be conducted at Valby Lutheran church Friday night at 7:30. The Lord's Supper will be distributed and the cross veiled in black. Pastor Ken Robinson announces. This service will conclude the Lenten mid-week worship held alternately at Hope and Valby under the theme, "The Suffering Savior Speaks."

Festive Easter worship will be at 8 a.m. Easter at Valby followed by an Easter breakfast prepared by the men of the church. Carl Troedson will be chief cook.

At Hope Lutheran, worship will be at 11 a.m. Children's choirs will sing at both services. Pastor Robinson will preach the risen Christ under the theme, "Wanted: Dead or Alive?"

Catholic
Father Raymond Beard of St. Patrick's and St. William's Catholic churches will conduct masses on Easter on the regular time schedule, 7:30 and 11 a.m. at St. Patrick's in Heppner and 9:15 a.m. at St. William's in Ione.

Christian
Special services are being conducted throughout this week in the Christian churches of Lexington and Heppner with Al Boschee, pastor, speaking each night except Saturday at 7:30. Candelight communion will be tonight (Thursday) in the Heppner church, and the service Friday night will be in the Lexington church.

Easter morning services will be at 9 a.m. in the Heppner church and at 11 in the Lexington church with the pastor speaking on "He Is Risen."

Youth of the church will join with the Methodist youth in an Easter breakfast at 6 a.m. at the Heppner Christian church.

On Easter evening at 7:30 the combined choirs of Lexington and Heppner will present the cantata, "The Gospel Song of Easter," in the Lexington church.

Latter Day Saints
No services will be held by the Latter Day Saints on Easter Sunday since members will view in their homes the televised program on the general conference of the church, coming from Salt Lake City, Utah. The conference will have special Easter observances.

United Church of Christ
At the Ione United Church of Christ Maundy Thursday service will be tonight (Thursday) at 8 with candelight communion and reception of members. Juniors and senior church school classes will sponsor a sunrise service, to be followed by an Easter breakfast, sponsored by the Women's Fellowship. A film, "The First Easter," will be shown at the Sunday School hour at 9:45 and Easter worship services will be at 11 with the Rev. Walter B. Crowell bringing the message.

WEATHER

March 31-April 6

| | Hi | Low | Prec. |
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| Thursday | 66 | 40 | — |
| Friday | 70 | 29 | — |
| Saturday | 57 | 29 | — |
| Sunday | 60 | 30 | — |
| Monday | 65 | 34 | — |
| Tuesday | 70 | 41 | — |
| Wednesday | 77 | 41 | — |

School Budget Election Due Tuesday

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Polls Open 2 to 8 P. M. In Six Areas

Election on the Morrow county school district budget will be Tuesday, April 12, from 2 to 8 p.m. with six polling places provided: Riverside High school, Lexington district office, A. C. Houghton school, Heppner Elementary school, Rhea Creek Grange hall and Ione High school.

All registered voters in the county are eligible to cast ballots on the budget which would require a tax levy of approximately \$315,000 outside the six per cent limitation. Total taxes to be levied for the year 1966-67 would be about \$863,000.

The total levy was originally set at \$868,452 but an additional \$5000 in resources, coming from an underestimate of expected state basic school funds, was added at the budget hearing and will bring the levy down by approximately that figure.

As pointed out in previous articles, increase in the budget from the \$807,914 levy for 1965-66 is due principally to three items: 1. Increase in social security payments. 2. Increasing, at the auditor's recommendation, the item for amount of taxes that will not be received in the ensuing year (going from 3% of the total levy to 5%). 3. Provision for additional capital outlay items.

In the latter category are such things as providing for a school laundry at Heppner, making repairs to the swimming pool at Ione, providing funds for sidewalks and curbs on the Morgan street extension to Heppner high (if the state will approve funds for paving the extension at state expense), providing acoustical tile for Heppner gyms, and similar items.

In the parts of the budget which normally call for the greatest expenditures, such as instruction, transportation, and administration, the 1966-67 estimates are either below last year's budget or very nearly the same.

One item that has brought up some questions from the public is that of the proposed school laundry. An item of \$6000 is in the budget with which to purchase equipment to be used in Heppner. Since the commercial laundry is no longer in operation here, the schools have depended on the laundromat at the Heppner Hotel for service.

Because of the need for information on this point, the Gazette-Times asked Jack Grossnickle, Heppner Elementary principal, to give some facts and figures on the proposal.

While the \$6000 figure is in the budget, the school board has not yet decided whether the equipment should be purchased, whether suitable used equipment might be obtained at a lesser figure, or whether some other plan may be worked out. A study committee of the board and administration is working on it now. If the budget is approved, the board could either purchase new equipment or follow another course, whichever is considered the better plan.

Grossnickle's statement on the laundry follows: "Keeping of physical education and athletic clothing clean is an absolute necessity for good health, lessening contamination, and preventing the spread of disease, whether this be a minor infection or an infectious type of germ that could cause severe illness.

"Since football season started the last of August, these things have been laundered by the school in the downtown Laundromat: 278 washer loads of cafeteria laundry, 401 football jerseys, 291 football pants, 93 gym shorts, 212 pairs sock, 195

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Church of the Nazarene
A special feature of Easter at the Church of the Nazarene will be showing of films of the Holy Land at the evening service, 7:30, by Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Crum, who recently returned from a trip there.

Observance of Easter with a program will be at Sunday School at 10 a.m., and the Rev. Don McCarty will bring an Easter message at the worship service at 11.

McCurdy Chosen Manager of MCGG

Harlan McCurdy, assistant manager of Morrow County Grain Growers for a number of years, was appointed to succeed the late Al Lamb by directors at a meeting Tuesday night.

McCurdy first started working with the Grain Growers in 1946. He later left for 1 1/2 years but returned in 1952 at the time Lamb became manager.

Riley Munkers, who has been with the Grain Growers since 1951, was chosen as assistant manager by the directors Tuesday night.

McCurdy, a resident of this area all of his life, graduated from Pacific University. He served four years with the 29th division in the army with overseas duty in Europe during World War II.

He was employed by the Production Credit association before becoming affiliated with the Grain Growers.

At the present time he is district deputy, Oregon Northeast, of the Elks lodge. He served on the Heppner school board prior to the formation of the administrative district and has been active in many different community activities.

**Cow Cutting Meet
Dated April 16**

Seventh annual spring Cow Cutting Meet, sponsored by the Wranglers club, will be Saturday and Sunday, April 16 and 17. Gene Pierce announced on behalf of the sponsors.

An important meeting of the committee in charge is scheduled for Tuesday night, April 12, at 7:30 in the Bank of Eastern Oregon office.

Advance registrations to date show 14 cutters from the Northwest already signed, and total participation is expected to reach in the neighborhood of 100.

The meet starts on Saturday night at 7:30 with the second go-around scheduled for 9:30 a.m. Sunday. Ralph Beamer is the chairman of this year's event. John Tangeman of Yakima, Wn., will be judge.

EASTER RELIGIOUS SERVICES

HEPPNER CHRISTIAN CHURCH
Sponsored by
SOUTH MORROW MINISTERIAL ASSOCIATION

April 8, 1966 12:30 - 3:00 p.m.
ORGANIST VIRGINIA TURNER

(ORDER OF SERVICE)
12:30 — 1. THE WORD OF INTERCESSION: (Luke 23:34)
(The Rev. Melvin Dixon, Methodist)

12:50 — 2. THE WORD OF AUTHORITY: (Luke 23:43)
(The Rev. Elwood Boyd, Seventh-day Adventist)

1:10 — 3. THE WORD OF REMEMBRANCE: (John 19:26-27)
(The Rev. Billie Alsop, Assembly of God)

1:30 — 4. THE WORD OF LONELINESS: (Matt. 27:46)
(The Rev. Don McCarty, Nazarene)

1:50 — 5. THE WORD OF SUFFERING: (John 19:28)
(The Rev. Al Boschee, Christian)

2:10 — 6. THE WORD OF VICTORY: (John 19:30)
(The Rev. Kenneth Robinson, Lutheran)

2:30 — 7. THE WORD OF REFUGE: (Luke 23:46)
(The Rev. Walter Crowell, Ione United Church of Christ)

THE OFFERING PLATE is situated in the foyer to receive your Good Friday offering, which will be used by the Ministerial Association for religious Community activities.

Council Chooses Rosewall for Mayor



ARCHITECT'S SKETCH shows the proposed Willow View Manor, tentatively planned for construction here, as residence for retired persons. The initial development would include 10 living units, each with two bedrooms, in the one-story structure. Dayroom is in the center of the building.

Retirement Home Plans Announced

Designed for comfortable living for retired persons, a development to be known as Willow View Manor is in the advanced planning stages for Heppner by the Heppner Investors' Corporation of which C. E. McQuarrie is president, it was announced this week.

The initial building, to be constructed on one level, would include 10 spacious two-bedroom living apartments with a large dayroom for lounging and recreation in the center of the structure. It would be located on the hill east of Heppner and overlooking the city, just to the south of Pioneer Memorial hospital.

Spokesmen for the corporation said the plan is proposed to answer a long-felt need here to provide comfortable and convenient living for retired persons who enjoy the quiet, restful atmosphere here, the clean, pure air, and the recreational advantages of the area.

An architect has completed preliminary sketches and design for the building, which will be

Easter Egg Hunts At Three Locations Here Saturday Morn

All children of Heppner, Lexington, Ione and surrounding areas through the fourth grade are invited to participate in the annual Easter Egg Hunt, sponsored by Heppner Elks Lodge on Saturday morning, April 9, at 10:00 a.m. Arrangements are under the direction of Haskell Sharrard, chairman.

The hunt will be in three locations: pre-school age at the City Park; first and second grades on the Courthouse lawn, and third and fourth grades on the lower field at the grade school.

The Elks' Easter bunnies have promised to have lots of the colorful, candy eggs hidden at the three hunting grounds for the enjoyment of the young hunters.

Easter Dinner Set at Elks Lodge

Ham and beef Easter dinner will be served in the Elks Temple from noon until 6 p.m. on Easter Sunday with Mrs. Terrel Bengtson as chairman, it is announced.

Elks, together with their families and guests are invited. Adult plates will be \$2 and those for grade school children will be \$1.

Further information is included in an announcement by the corporation on page 1, section 2, of this paper.

Pioneer Picnic To Be 'Best Ever'

Oscar Peterson, chairman of the annual Pioneer Picnic, said that plans are definitely going forward for the event this year in Heppner and that he expects that it will be "the best ever." It is scheduled for Sunday, May 29, at the fairgrounds.

He made the announcement after hearing from former residents who had the erroneous impression that there would be no picnic this year.

"We're not going to fall by the wayside," he said. Peterson said that he had been working on plans for a speaker for the occasion.

Interest in the picnic is keen, particularly among former old-time residents. It is held annually at the time of Memorial Day.

Kids! Keep Bikes Off Main Sidewalks

Once again, Chief of Police Dean Gilman has asked that children be warned to keep their bicycles off main street sidewalks in the downtown district.

A woman who stepped from a business establishment one day last week was hit by a bicycle and knocked to the sidewalk. She was hurt, but apparently not seriously.

A city ordinance strictly forbids riding bicycles on these sidewalks. The police department will enforce the ordinance and will impound bicycles of those who violate it, the chief states.

Parents are urged to call the matter to the attention of their children.



BERNIECE MATTHEWS



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Ione Twins Chosen To Go to Girls' State

Deniece and Berniece Matthews, twin daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Matthews, Ione, have been selected by the Ione American Legion auxiliary as delegates from Ione High school to Girls' State at Willamette University, Salem, June 13-19.

Both girls have maintained a high grade point average during their three years in high school and are active in student affairs and in community and church interests. They are members of the United Church of Christ.

Deniece is secretary of her class, assistant secretary-treasurer of the student body and editor of the Cardinal, the school paper. She has taken six years of 4-H and has been a delegate to 4-H Summer School two years. She is a member of the pep club band, is accompanist

for the chorus and typist on the staff of the Ionian, the school annual.

Berniece has been a varsity cheerleader the past two years, is junior class reporter, a member of student council, a member of band and chorus, and is on the paper and annual staff. She has also been active in 4-H and attended 4-H Summer School for two years.

The Matthews twins were selected on the following qualifications: Leadership, character, courage, honesty, scholarship, cooperativeness, and physical fitness.

Karen Nelson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Nelson, Ione, was selected as alternate. The Ione Lions club will assist in sponsoring the girls.

Mrs. Arleta Klinger is Girls' State chairman for the Ione unit.

Arbuckle Meeting Set Monday Night

Annual stockholders' meeting of the Arbuckle Mountain Corporation, ski development, will be Monday night, April 11, at 7:30 in the old city hall.

All directors and stockholders are requested to be present.

City Beauty Week To Be April 22-29

Beautification week in Heppner is scheduled for April 22 to 29 as a result of action taken at the city council meeting Monday night. Councilman LeRoy Gardner asked Mayor W. C. Rosewall to proclaim the Beautification week to tie in with the Chamber of Commerce "Clean-up, Fix-up" week. Gardner is chairman of the Chamber committee.

All residents will be asked to pitch in towards cleaning up, repairing, and painting during the week. Last year the students of Heppner High school came out in force to conduct a citywide cleanup of papers and debris.

Gardner and his committee will present a program to the Chamber of Commerce Monday and Mayor Rosewall has been invited to be present.