

Churches schedule Easter services

Ione United Church of Christ

A Taize service of communion, readings, prayer and chants will be held at Ione United Church of Christ (IUC) on Maundy Thursday, April 4, at 7:30 p.m. This service commemorates Jesus' last night with His disciples. The adult choir will present the anthem, "Remember Me."

Easter celebrations at IUC begin with an all-church breakfast at 9 a.m., followed by a joyful worship service at 10 a.m. The Easter sermon is entitled, "Peace Be With You," and both the adult and youth choirs will sing. Also, the sacraments of communion and baptism will be observed and the junior high confirmation class will be joining the church.

All Saints' Episcopal

Easter morning worship service at All Saints' Episcopal Church will begin at 11:30 a.m. The service will include baptism, children's sermon and a special children's project. The Reverend Al Miller's sermon is entitled, "Rolling Away the Obstacles."

A reception will be held at the church following the service.

First Christian Church

Easter Services at the Heppner First Christian Church will begin at 9:30 a.m. with a children's Easter program. The regular service will be held at 11 a.m. with a potluck to follow.

Hope-Valby Lutheran Parish

On Maundy Thursday, the Valby Lutheran congregation, Ione, will gather at 6:30 p.m. for the Sunday School's passion play entitled, "The Sycamore Tree." The play is under the direction of Jane Rawlins and special music provided by Sarah Carlson.

Hope congregation, Heppner, will gather at the Lutheran Parsonage on Good Friday, at 6:30 p.m. for a soup supper. At 7:30 p.m., there will be a special worship service centering on "Parents of the Passion." Special guest will be Mary, the mother of Jesus.

On Easter Sunday, the communion service will be held at 8 a.m. at Valby. Sarah Carlson will play the piano and Kyle Carlson will serve as acolyte. The Easter message, delivered by the Reverend Stan Hoobing, will be "Running Around an Empty Tomb," based on the scripture reading of St. John 20:1-18. An Easter breakfast will follow the service. There will be a free will offering for the breakfast to help defray expenses.

Hope will have a musical communion service at 11 a.m. on Easter Sunday. The confirmation class, consisting of Jeff Currin, Josh Hill, Kimberly Hansen, Ben Goodyear and Leif Nesse will sing, "Every Morning is Easter Morning." Rachel Hoobing will sing, "Jesus, Lord of All" and Kent Goodyear will sing, "We Will Gather at the River." Dr.

Jeanne Berretta will accompany on the piano.

Reverend Hoobing will deliver the Easter message and a coffee hour in the church parlors will follow the worship service.

All of the above services and activities of the Hope-Valby Lutheran Parish are open to visitors and friends.

St. Patrick-St. William Catholic Parish

St. Patrick Catholic Parish in Heppner and St. William Parish in Ione welcome visitors to their Holy Week events:

The Solemn Commemoration of the Institution of the Blessed Eucharist by the Lord will be held on Holy Thursday, April 4, in Heppner, at 7 p.m.

On Good Friday, April 5, in Heppner, the Stations of the Cross will be at noon, with the Commemoration of the Lord's death at 7 p.m. This latter service will include the Gospel account of Jesus' suffering and death; general intercessions and prayers for the Church, Christian unity, nonbelievers, and special needs; reverence for the Cross and Holy Communion.

On Holy Saturday, in Heppner, at 5 p.m., the Easter Vigil will begin with a light service, Scripture readings that recall the exodus from Egypt and the Sacrament of Initiation for incoming members. The service will conclude with the Vigil Mass. A reception will follow. On Easter Sunday, masses

will be celebrated in Ione at 8:45 a.m. and in Heppner at 11 a.m. A reception will follow the Heppner service.

Soroptimists celebrate 48th birthday

The Soroptimist International of Heppner will celebrate their 48th birthday on Friday, April 12, with a potluck supper at the St. Patrick's Parish Hall.

The first club was chartered by the Baker club on April 10, 1948. Twenty-two women were chartered into the professional women's service organization at the American Legion Hall with Viola Crawford, then editor of the Heppner Gazette-Times, installed as their first president. The first meetings took place at noon in the back of the Elkhorn Cafe. "The present club is honored to have Eleanor Gonty as one of the first chartered members," said Judie Laughlin, 1995-96 club president.

This year's party is unique in itself, according to Laughlin, by inviting friends and others interested in learning what the organization is doing. "We are going to have a good old fashioned party with cake, games and all the trimmings," she said.

Those interested should call Laughlin at 676-9663 days, and an invitation will be extended to participate in an evening of good food and entertainment. Social hour starts at 6:30 p.m.

Justice Court Report

The Justice Court office at the courthouse annex building in Heppner reports handling the following business during the past week:

Daniel Wayne Sharp, 22, Heppner-Negotiating a Bad Check, \$484 fine plus \$18.88 restitution to Red Apple Market, 80 days in jail; \$250 and jail sentence suspended with one year probation with no further violation of law;

Brian James Grimm, 23, Portland-Violation of the Basic Rule, 69 mph in a 55 mph zone, \$67 fine;

Everett K. Vetter, 32, West Linn-Violation of the Basic Rule, 70 mph in a 55 mph zone, \$67 fine;

Lorrene Mae Montgomery, 57, Lexington-Violation of the Basic Rule, 77 mph in a 55 mph zone, \$137 fine.

St. Patrick's Senior Center Bulletin Board

There were 110 people present for the senior meal Wednesday, March 31, and four meals were home delivered. Paul Werner won the birthday gift and Helen Crawford, the meal ticket. Members of the Episcopal Church served and did dishes.

The menu for Wednesday, April 10 will be chef's salad with ham (turkey), olives, tomato, onion and cheese, pasta salad, fruit salad, rolls and cherry cobbler. Members of the Christian Church will serve. The Senior Center Board will meet at 1 p.m.

There was one table of cards played Friday afternoon. There was no Sunday movie.

Dates to remember: Tuesday and Thursday exercise, 10 a.m.; Wednesday blood pressure clinic, 11 a.m.; senior meal, noon; Friday cards, 2 p.m.; Sunday movie, 7 pm.

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