

CHRISTMAS MUSIC SPECIAL FEATURE LOCAL CHURCHES

Presbyterian Church.
The services at the Presbyterian church on Sunday will be given over almost entirely to music. At the morning service, the quartet consisting of Miss Gertrude Parker, soprano, Miss Edna Steiner, alto, Mr. A. J. MacDonough, tenor and Dr. W. W. Howard, bass, assisted by Mr. John Kirkpatrick, bass, in the male trio, and by Miss Gussie Parker of Klamath Falls in a soprano solo will give a sacred concert. A brief message on the "Incarnation" will be given by the pastor. The program will be as follows:
Organ prelude, "Oh Holy Night," Dudley Buck.
Hymn No. 71, "Joy to the World," Mrs. H. E. Marsh.
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Invocation, Lord's Prayer, Gloria.
Male trio "We Three Kings of Orient Are."
Messrs. MacDonough, Howard and Kirkpatrick.
Responsive reading selection, 35, Psalm 96.
Anthem, "Sing, Oh Sing This Blessed Morn," Bullard.
Mixed Quartet.
Scripture Lesson.
Prayer.
Solo, "When Eight Days Were Accomplished," Bullard.
Dr. W. W. Howard.
Announcements.
Hymn No. 77, "Hark! What Mean These Holy Voices," Salome.
Mrs. H. E. Marsh.
Soprano solo, Miss Gussie Parker, of Klamath Falls.
Sermon, "The Incarnation," The Pastor.
Anthem, "Angels From the Realms of Glory," Shelley.
Mixed Quartet.
Hymn No. 74, "Hark, the Herald Angels Sing."
In the evening at 7:30 p. m., the upper grades of the Sunday school will give a beautiful Christmas cantata, entitled "While Shepherds Watched." Costumes and stage will be in keeping with the times of the Bethlehem story. Under the careful direction of Mrs. C. I. Schuler and Mrs. James Collins this cantata is proving one of the finest ever given in the Presbyterian church. To this service each one who will be asked to bring some gift of food or clothing for the needy of the city. These gifts will be laid at the foot of a white cross. A large tree has already been erected and will be beautifully decorated for the occasion. No member of the congregation should miss seeing this beautiful and inspiring message of the Christmas season in song and drama.
The children of the cradle roll, beginners and primary departments, will have their entertainment of songs and recitations and treat in the primary room on Monday at 2:30. This will be a happy occasion for the little folks. All the parents are invited.

First Baptist.
The First Baptist church will present their program of Christmas music Sunday evening at 7:30 p. m. The concert and organ recital as prepared, offers a strikingly strong and varied program. Mrs. H. E. Marsh will preside at the organ and will give a short organ recital. The quartet will consist of Mrs. Van Scoyoc, soprano; Mrs. Isaacs, contralto; George Maddox, tenor; Mr. Vawter, bass. There will be a chorus choir in addition to the quartet. Prof. Carlton Jones will be the violinist. All attending are requested to be in their seats before the service begins. The order of service will be as follows:
Organ numbers:
"Offertory in A," Edward M. Read.
"Andante Cantabile," Chas. M. Widor.
"The Holy Night," Dudley Buck.
Mrs. H. E. Marsh, organist.
Hymn, "O Little Town of Bethlehem," Rodner.
Congregation.
Chorus, "Bethlehem," Horner N. Bartlett.
Duet, "The Lord Is My Light," Dudley Buck.
Miss Andrews, Mr. Maddox.
Scripture Lesson.
Quartet, "Brightest and Best of the Sons of the Morning," C. Whitney Combs.
Violin obligato by Prof. Jones.
Mrs. Van Scoyoc, Mrs. Isaacs, Mr. Maddox, Mr. Vawter.
Solo, "Holy Night," Miss Andrews.
Prayer.
Violin solo, "Pastorale," Benda.
Mr. Jones.
Quartet, "Angels From the Realms of Glory," Bartlett.
Mrs. Van Scoyoc, Mrs. Isaacs, Mr. Vawter, Mr. Maddox.
Announcements, Offertory, "At Twilight," Charles Albert Stebbins.
Solo, "Light," John T. Scott.
Mr. Vawter.
Address, "The Unavoidable Christ," Rev. F. R. Leach.
Chorus, "Christmas Carols," "Ring Out Ye Bells," J. H. Wallis.
Postlude "March From Atilia," F. Mendelssohn.

First Christian Church.
Corner 9th and South Oakdale.
D. J. Howe, minister; res. 25 S. Orange.
Services every Lord's Day.
9:45 A. M.—Bible School.
11:00 A. M.—Morning worship.
Communion and preaching.
Sermon, "Peace On Earth, Good Will Toward Men."
A Christmas anthem by the choir, a mixed quartet, consisting of Mrs. Harry Scougall, Mrs. Jonas Wold, C. C. McCurdy and Harry Scougall, and a solo by Mrs. Scougall will be the selections of special Christmas music at the morning service.
6:30 P. M.—Meeting of the young people with a subject in keeping with Christmas.
The Christmas program by the children of the Bible school will commence at 7:30. Santa Claus is expected to arrive before the program is over.
All are cordially invited to enjoy the Christmas services, both morning and evening.

News of the Churches

St. Mark's Episcopal.
Cor. North Oakdale and Fifth Sts.
8 a. m. Holy communion.
10 a. m. Sunday school.
11 a. m. Morning service.
Wm. B. Hamilton, vicar.

English Lutheran Church.
512 W. Fourth St.
A Christmas program will be given at 7:30 Sunday evening, Dec. 23d.
Divine services Sunday, Dec. 30th at 11 a. m.
Holy communion will be given.
Rev. Schoenberg of Portland will hold services.

Catholic Church.
South Oakdale and Eleventh.
First mass at 8 a. m.
Second mass at 10:30 a. m.
Evening devotion and benediction 7:30 p. m.
Christmas services:
First mass at 8 a. m.
Second mass at 10:30 a. m.
Benediction after the second mass.
Rev. F. W. Black, pastor.

The Pentecostal Church Mission.
128 East Main St.
Preaching the four square gospel: Penitence toward God, Baptism of the Holy Ghost, Healing according to God's word, Second coming of Jesus Christ, Jesus Christ, the same yesterday, today and forever.
Sunday school 10 a. m. Preaching 11 a. m. 7:30 p. m. Men's 7:30 p. m. Saturday 7:30 p. m. All welcome.
E. H. Keeno, pastor.

First Free Methodist Church.
Corner Tenth and Ivy.
Preaching service 11 o'clock.
Class meeting following the preaching service.

Young people (Christian Crusaders) 6 p. m. Eddie McCormick, leader.
Short evening service beginning at 7 p. m. Special song by the Crusaders. Bring the babies and come to church. We are here to help others.
Mrs. Lillian Gray, pastor in charge.

Presbyterian Church.
Corner Main and Holly.
Rev. E. P. Lawrence, minister. Res. 513 S. Newtown. Study 41 S. Holly.
9:45 a. m. Bible school, every pupil present on time for the opening song service of Christmas carols. Carl J. Brommer, supt.
11 a. m. Christmas service, sacred concert consisting of anthems, male trio, and solos fitting to the Christmas season. Also a brief Christmas sermon on "The Incarnation." See musical program elsewhere.
7:30 p. m. Cantata by the upper grades of the Sunday school, entitled, "While Shepherds Watched."
4 p. m. Junior Endeavor, Dorothy Hussong, supt. The intermediate endeavor will be dismissed on account of the program to follow.

First Baptist Church.
North Central and Fifth St.
Frederick R. Leach, pastor.
Office at church. Phone 1052.
9:45 a. m. Bible school. Mrs. Hans Holmer, supt. The classes are enjoying the recreation privileges. Attend Sunday in memory of the child, Jesus.
11 a. m. "How Jesus Solves the Problems of the World," a Christmas message. Organ prelude, "Prelude in E." Edward M. Read. Organ offertory, "Crossing the Bar" by Eugene Cowles. Miss Van Scoyoc, organist. Chorus, "Bethlehem." Violin solo by Mr. Jones.
6:30 p. m. Young People's meeting.
7:30 p. m. Concert of special Christmas music.
Monday 7:30 p. m. Entertainment by the Sunday school with tree and Santa being present.
Wednesday 7:30 p. m. Prayer meeting in charge of the Gleaners' class with special features. Following the meeting all will adjourn to the recreation room for play.

First Methodist Episcopal Church.
Fourth and Bartlett.
J. Randolph Sasnett, pastor.
Christmas Sunday services:
9:45. Bible school. Prof. N. H. Franklin, supt.
11. Morning worship. Sermon: "The Cradled Hope of the World." Anthem, "The Birthday of a King." Soloist, Dwight Phipps. Offertory, soprano solo, "Holy Night," Adams. Mrs. W. M. Van Scoyoc.
6:30. Epworth League. You'll have to come early to get a seat at this young people's Christmas service.
7:30. Yuletide service. Readings and songs by tiny tots will feature this service. Short sermon, "Frank Incense and Myrrh as of 1923." Offertory, "Holy Night," sung by Ross Gonzales. Sunday school program and Christmas tree Wednesday evening. Program by the children and young people.
Grand sacred concert Sunday evening, Dec. 30 by large chorus under direction of Mrs. Geo. Andrews.

Tablets of soft paper for schools at this office.



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GEORGE HUNT TO AID ANDREWS IN PAVLOVA EVENT

The Andrews brothers and George Hunt, manager of the Page theater have formed a combination for the purpose of equipping the armory stage with modern lighting, drop curtain and in fact everything necessary for a first class production. They are going to play only the bigger attractions in this house, companies that now only play the four large cities of the coast.

Their first attraction will be Anna Pavlova, the premier danseuse of the world and her supporting company of eighty people, including a symphony orchestra. Pavlova has just completed a sensational tour around the world, having played London, Paris,



Anna Pavlova

Cairo, Egypt, Calcutta, India, and Tokyo, Japan. Her recent engagement in New York at the Manhattan theater was the sensational attraction of the season. This company on its coast tour will play only Seattle, Portland, Medford, San Francisco and Los Angeles.

The large and beautiful auditorium at the Armory makes it possible to bring some of the more pretentious companies here at an admission price less than the ordinary theater charges for cheaper attractions. This can only be done by a co-operation of the

southern Oregon community. Medford is centrally located and the legitimate territory to draw from is from Grants Pass to Yreka.

The prices for this great attraction are to be from one dollar to two dollars and a half, plus war tax. Seattle will charge five dollars for this attraction.

Where prices are low, such attractions must play to large numbers and the new management is in hope that this community idea will meet with the approval of all the people in this valley and bring to Medford at a popular price, that which people have been going to San Francisco and Portland to see.

Announcement as to ticket sale will be made later.

The date of the attraction will be Jan. 12th instead of Jan. 14th as formerly announced. There will be only one performance.

"Red Lights," Rialto.
The mystery melodrama, "Red Lights," the special Christmas offering which comes to the Page Sunday is a film version of the play by Edward Rose which created so much furor some months ago and must be seen to be appreciated.
The final showing of "Tom Mix in Arabia," starring the virile hero of western melodrama, will be held at the Rialto theatre this evening.
The flying leaps through space, the hazardous plunges into the surf, and the perilous drops over the sides of Arabian castles, have thrilled the audiences.

Wesley Barry, Page.
Wesley Barry is coming again in film form tomorrow to delight and amuse us with his unusual humor and youthful antics in "The Printer's Devil," at the Page theatre. This special feature will be shown Christmas day. It tells of the trials and tribulations experienced by the publisher who is also the editor, proof-reader, typesetter and what-not of a typical small-town newspaper.
Supporting Wesley Barry in the cast are Harry Myers, Katherine McGuire, Louis King, George Pearce, Ray Cannon, Mary Halter and Harry Rottenberg.

Free Matinee Page Tuesday for Kiddies

The Page theatre will give their annual Christmas matinee for the kiddies Tuesday, Dec. 25 at 10 a. m. There will be a special program suitable for the children and occasion.
All the children of Medford and southern Oregon are cordially invited on this occasion.
Miss Brown will have special music.

DRY ACTIVITIES OF SHERIFFS OF STATE DIVULGED

Dr. J. A. Linville, federal prohibition director, Thursday announced figures showing the activities for all the sheriff's offices of the state in prohibition enforcement in 1923.

During the 12 months there were 1678 arrests on liquor charges and 1445 convictions. Since 86 per cent of those taken into custody either pleaded guilty or were found guilty, it may be deduced that a captured man has small chance of escaping the penalty. Fines reached the grand total of \$159,666.74, an average of \$110.50 per convicted person.

Deschutes, Douglas, Gilliam, Josephine, Lincoln and Sherman counties all convicted every man arrested. The Coos county sheriff's office made 150 arrests, the largest number outside of Multnomah, and secured 130 convictions. Klamath came next with 119 cases and 92 convictions. Washington had 112 arrests with 103 convictions. The enthusiasm of the Washington county court may be judged from the fact that Klamath, with nearly as many convictions, assessed fines of only \$5546, while Washington assessed \$12,678.

The Multnomah sheriff's office made 231 arrests and secured 190 convictions. Fines totalled \$22,571.

Fifty automobiles were seized, valued at \$25,455. These figures do not include the strictly federal cases or those handled by the local police.

Oakland Gets Pirate Pitcher.
LAWRENCEBURG, Ind., Dec. 22.—George W. Roehler has signed to pitch for Oakland, Cal., in the Coast league. He was with the Pittsburgh club last season. He will leave for California on February 1.

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GREETINGS of the SEASON
Worship with us Christmas Sunday, December 23
at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M.

Presbyterian Church
11 A. M.—**SACRED CONCERT** by Quartette
Sermon, "The Incarnation"
7:30 P. M.—**"WHILE SHEPHERDS WATCHED"**
A Sacred Cantata given by the Sunday School.

Concert and Organ Recital
by Special Quartet and Choir
Sunday, 7:30 P. M. at the
FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
11 A. M. **"CHRIST THE SOLUTION OF THE WORLD'S PROBLEMS."**
Extra Music—Come

First Christian Church
11:00 A. M. Sermon, "PEACE ON EARTH, GOOD WILL TOWARD MEN."
Special Music, Christmas Anthems and Quartette.
Evening Service at 7:30 will be given to the
"CHRISTMAS PROGRAM" BY THE BIBLE SCHOOL
Santa Claus is expected to arrive at the close of the program with the usual treat for the children.

FIRST METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH
J. RANDOLPH SASNETT, PASTOR
To the members and friends of this church the pastor extends hearty greetings of the season and announces the holiday services:
Sunday, Dec. 23rd, 11 A. M.—Christmas Sermon: "The Cradled Hope of the World."
Great Christmas music by large chorus, under direction of Mrs. George Andrews.
6:30—Epworth League Christmas Service.
7:30—Yuletide Service with music and readings by tiny tots as features. Short address by the pastor, "Frank Incense and Myrrh, as of 1923."
Wednesday, 7:30 P. M.—Annual Sunday School program by the children and young people.
Sunday, Dec. 30th, 7:30 P. M.—Grand Sacred Concert by the Chorus Choir.

MAIN STREET METHODIST CHURCH, SOUTH
SUNDAY MORNING, 11:00
Special service for the Bible School and congregation at 11 o'clock. A splendid program of music and other features. Brief message by the pastor.
SUNDAY EVENING, 7:30
Pageant of the nativity, "Adoration of the Kings and Shepherds." An elaborate production by the Bible School and the Choir.