

# CHURCH INTERESTS AND NOTICES

**St. Mark's Episcopal**  
E. S. Bartlam, rector.  
Holy communion, 8 a. m.  
Morning prayer and sermon, 11 a. m.  
Church school, 9:45 a. m.

**Medford Company of Jehovah's Witnesses**  
The Medford Company of Jehovah's Witnesses meet Wednesday and Saturday afternoons at No. 727 South Central avenue at 1:30. All interested in Watch Tower Bible study are welcome.

**St. Peter's Lutheran Church**  
(Missouri Synod)  
E. Main and Portland Ave.  
H. H. Young, pastor.  
Sunday school at 10 o'clock this morning. No morning worship.  
Catechism class this evening at 6:30.  
Evening worship at 7:30 o'clock.  
Theme: Did God Abandon the Sabbath?  
Visitors are always welcome.

**Full Gospel Church**  
Newtown and West Main Streets.  
Leonard Weston, Pastor.  
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.  
Morning devotional, 11 o'clock.  
Young people's meeting, 6:30 p. m.  
Evangelistic service, 7:30 p. m.  
Watch the paper for further announcement in regard to our mid-week service. Arrangements are under way which, when completed, will provide for several evenings of most interesting messages to be given by a converted native of the South Sea Islands.

**The Salvation Army**  
236 North Bartlett Street.  
Capt. and Mrs. G. R. Durham, commanding officers; Dorothy Hammond, assistant.  
At 10 a. m., holiness meeting, and Captain Durham speaks on "The Work of the Holy Spirit"; 2 p. m., company meeting, classes for all ages; 8:15 p. m., Young People's Legion meeting; 7:30 p. m., open air at Main and Central; 8 p. m., Salvation meeting.  
Today has been designated as Cradle Roll Sunday. Captain Durham will speak from the subject, "Butter Little Children to Come." We are beginning a week's drive for cradle roll members. If you are a stranger in the city, worship with us.

**First Christian Church**  
Ninth and Oakdale.  
Bible school 9:45. Ralph Cook, superintendent.  
Everyman's Bible class, court house auditorium. Speaker to be supplied.  
Morning worship 11 o'clock.  
Anthem, "Long Ago the Lilies Faded," by Waghorn.  
Speaker to be supplied.  
Evening services: Christian Endeavor for all ages at 6:30.  
Evening worship 7:30 o'clock.  
Anthem: "The Lord of Hosts" by Hyser.  
Sermon: "The Father of Light," by Rev. R. S. Peterson of the local Presbyterian church.  
Music by the church choir.  
Effie Herbert Kurtz, director.  
Mabel Sims, pianist.

**Church of the Nazarene**  
Central avenue at Jackson street.  
At the regular services today, Fred M. Weatherford, pastor-evangelist, will be heard twice. At the increasingly popular Sunday evening 7:30 evangelistic hour, he will speak on "Bring Him To Jesus." Two special musical numbers with stirring congregational singing.  
"A Sacrifice To Christ," constitutes the topic for his discourse, at 11 a. m., special music.  
Sunday school at 9:45. Arnold Kornstad, director. Bring the family.  
Young people's meeting 6:30. Miss Helen Scheel, president.  
Children's church at 6:30 p. m. in the annex building. Mrs. Fred M. Weatherford, director.  
Our warmest welcome accorded friends and strangers.

**First Methodist Episcopal Church**  
West Main and Laurel streets. Joseph Knotts, minister.  
9:45 a. m.—Sunday school. E. J. Neumann, superintendent. Come and enjoy our Bible classes.  
11 a. m.—Morning worship. Sermon theme, "When the Church and the World Merge." Anthem by the chorus choir. Mr. Don Huckabee, director and organist.  
6:30 p. m.—All young people are invited to attend our Epworth League services.  
7:15 p. m.—We are pleased to announce the Olmsted Players will be with us to present the religious drama "St. Claudia." This will be a rare treat for Medford people. Come early as we are expecting a crowded house. Children should be accompanied with their parents. No admission charged but an offering will be received.  
Prayer meeting Wednesday at 7:30 p. m.

**The Apostolic Faith Mission**  
West North Front Street  
Services Sunday, 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.  
Sabbath school Sunday, 2:30 p. m.  
Services Tuesday, Thursday and Friday nights at 7:45 p. m.  
The Sunday evening service is preceded by a program of music by the 17-piece orchestra. Everybody welcome. No collections.

**Church of God**  
At Haven and Holly Sts.  
Bible school 9:45 a. m.  
Morning worship 11:00 a. m.  
Sunday evening services.  
Young People 7:00 p. m.  
Prayer service Wednesday 7:45 p. m.  
Ladies' Home and Foreign Missions Thursday 1 to 4 p. m. at 814 West Second street. All are welcome.  
D. M. Clemens, Minister.  
Res. 814 W. Second street.

**First Baptist Church**  
Wolford A. Dawes, minister.  
Fifth and Central Sts.  
Bible school 9:45, classes for all ages. M. E. Coe, supt.  
Morning worship 11:00. Sermon, "Christian Forbearance." Choir directed by Mrs. John Knight will sing "The Haven of Rest" by Cresswell.  
8:30, B. Y. P. U.  
Evening evangelistic service 7:30. Sermon, "The Purpose of the Cross—Reconciliation." Choir anthem is entitled "In the Secret Place" by Lee Rogers. Miss Marjorie Pierce will sing, "Beside Still Waters" by Hamblen.

**First Presbyterian Church**  
Eighth and Holly Sts.  
Ralph S. Peterson, minister.  
Dolores R. Sperling, choir director.  
Eva Hanzelrigg Marsh, organist.  
Sunday school 9:45 a. m. Dr. E. R. Elliot, Supt.  
Morning worship 11:00 a. m.  
Prelude, "Grand Offertoire," Bataste.  
Anthem, "O Saviour of the World," Goss.  
"Offertory in F-Flat," Chopin.  
Solo, "The West Forth Rejoicing," Sovereign. Dolores R. Sperling.  
Sermon, "The Christian's God." Christian Endeavor 6:30. Leader, Arthur Clark.

**Pilgrim Holiness Church**  
East Jackson and Beattie Sts. near Roosevelt school.  
C. Edwin Cox, pastor. Res. 540 S. Fir.  
Bible school at the regular hour of 9:45 a. m. J. P. Bynum, supt. Last Lord's Day the spirit of the Lord was mightily manifested in the close of the Sunday school hour and several of the children were definitely helped in their souls for which we are grateful to God for His dealings and Blessings.  
Worship at 11 a. m. will be conducted by the pastor and the subject will be "Holiness in Action as Well as Doctrine." The evening service at 7:30 will be evangelistic and on the topic of the Second Coming. Evening midweek service at 7:30 will be in the form of prayer, praise and Bible study. Bro. Cowley will lead.

**Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church**  
Fourth Street at Oakdale Ave.  
Geo. P. Kabele, D.D., pastor.  
10 a. m. Sunday school  
11 a. m. Morning service. Sermon subject: "The Wisdom of God."  
7 p. m. Luther League devotional meeting.  
The general public is heartily invited to all services.  
The newly elected members of the church council are to be installed at the morning service.  
The Ladies' Aid society will meet next Thursday 2:30 p. m. at the home of the hostess, Mrs. M. G. Paulson. Talent. The newly elected officers of the society are to be installed by the pastor at this meeting.  
The Sunday School association will hold its annual meeting next Tuesday, 7:30 p. m. when the officers of the school for the coming year are to be elected.

**First Church of Christ, Scientist**  
Authorized branch of The Mother Church, the First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass.  
Services are held every Sunday at 11 o'clock, church edifice, 212 North Oakdale. Subject for Sunday, January 19, "Life."  
Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Applicants under the age of 20 may be admitted.  
Wednesday evening church meetings, including testimonials of Christian Science healings, at 8 o'clock.  
The reading room, which is located at 401 in the Medford building, is open daily from 7 a. m. to 6 p. m., except Sundays and holidays. The library is in attendance from 10 to 4, at which time the Bible and all authorized Christian Science literature may be read, borrowed or purchased.  
The public is cordially invited to attend the services and visit the reading room.

**Main Street Methodist Church**  
Main and Oakdale.  
Oscar G. Gibson, minister.  
Morning worship, 11 o'clock. The pastor's subject for the morning will be "The Most Influential Man the World Has Ever Known." Special music will be a solo by Mrs. John Hubler.  
Church school, 9:45. R. J. Bills, superintendent.  
Young People's service, 8:45. Virginia Goodman will have charge of the devotional lesson.  
Evening service, 7:30. The pastor will use as his subject "Seeing the World as the Other Man Sees It."  
Midweek meeting, Wednesday evening at 7:30.  
You are cordially invited to worship with us.

**Study Classes For M.E. Leaguers Will Be Opened Tonight**  
Tonight begins a series of interesting study classes for the Wesley and Epworth leagues of Methodist Episcopal church. Classes are to be conducted during the regular league periods. Rev. Pond, C.C.C. chaplain, will be in charge of the high school group. Rev. Shepherd will hold classes in the Wesley college league. This is a part of pre-Easter activity of the church, and will reach its climax in the revival meetings three weeks before Easter.  
League services begin at 6:30 with a devotional service, followed by the study classes. Tonight at 7:15, the leagues will go in a body to enjoy the dramatic presentation of "St. Claudia" in the church auditorium. A cordial invitation is extended to every young person in Medford to attend this evening of interesting activity. Come at six-thirty. Light refreshments served at 10:15.

**Spiritual Science Missionary Plans Lecture Classes**  
Dr. Margaret Marshall, missionary of the National Federation of Spiritual Science churches, of Los Angeles, and her husband, James S. Marshall, who is editor of the magazine published by the organization, arrived recently in Medford and will conduct class lectures at 511 East Main street.  
The Marshalls have traveled throughout the world in the interests of higher thought and have a most interesting background gained through study and contact with various religions and beliefs in foreign lands.  
Mrs. Marshall's lectures will deal with such subjects as figurative color psychology, descriptive astrology, healing, breathing, soul consciousness, the divine atom (whence and whither?), concentration and mental science, and kindred new era topics.  
Classes will be held Mondays and Fridays at 7:45 p. m., and at 2:30 p. m., on Wednesdays.

**Free Methodist Revival Starts**  
Rev. M. E. Lewis, the engineer-evangelist of Terre Haute, Ind., opens a two-week evangelistic campaign today at the Free Methodist church, South Ivy and West Tenth streets, the pastor, Rev. D. A. Cochran, announces. Evangelist Lewis is widely known, his ministry having covered 42 states and Canada. He was converted while enjoying a successful railroad career and weaves into his discourses illustrations from the past that make his messages fascinating and gripping. Some of his outstanding subjects are "The Grand Central Station," "From Throttle to the Pulpit," "The Book of Rules," and "Just a Tiny Cinder."  
He will preach twice Sunday, 11 a. m., and 7:30 p. m., and every night this week, except Saturday.

## Religious Drama This Evening In M. E. Auditorium

One of the finest religious plays ever written, Marahal Gould's "St. Claudia," will be presented in the auditorium of the Methodist Episcopal church, Main and Laurel streets, tonight. The play, awarded first prize in 1924 as the outstanding biblical drama of the year, will be presented by the Olmsted players, a group of professional religious actors who have been traveling for the last five years giving this play in all of the larger cities of the United States. They come here from a long series of engagements in the Pacific northwest, bringing their own costumes, scenery and special lighting effects and promise a striking presentation. There is to be no admission charge. The Methodist Episcopal church is pleased to be able to offer this to the public of Medford. It promises to be of outstanding value to the religious experience of the city. The seating is set for 7:15 and the seating capacity is limited. Seats will be reserved for those attending the young people services. A free will offering will be accepted.

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## Churchfolk Honor Pastor's Birthday

Approximately sixty members and friends of the First Baptist church met Tuesday evening at 26 Laurel street to celebrate the birthday of Rev. W. A. Dawes, pastor. Included on the program, which was in charge of the Golden Links Bible class, were vocal solos by Mrs. D. V. Platt, and a living portrait of "Mother" by Mrs. Mary Strickland.  
Dr. Fun, with an office fitted out with saws, hammers, knives, bottles, and boxes, questioned and prescribed for a number of patients. Mrs. Fowler sang an original poem to the tune "Bring Back My Bonnie to Me" and Mrs. M. E. Coe appeared in piano solos.  
As there were a number of birthdays in January, those born in that month were asked to compete for a prize, competition being in the form of a whistling contest, won easily by Rev. Dawes, whose prize proved to be socks and more socks, handkerchiefs, and more handkerchiefs, together with a few pennies for his birthday offering.  
The Gleaner class served birthday cakes and coffee, while the evening closed with a stunt acted out by Mr. Fowler as King, Mrs. Stenerson as "Rose" and six horsemen after a man and his two sons. While they acted parts, E. E. Wilson read the story.

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## Conference Presents Church Drama Talk

A special feature of the three-day drama conference being sponsored this week-end by the Southern Oregon Normal school at Ashland is the discussion of "Drama in the Church" to be presented by Miss Floyd Crutchfield this afternoon at three-thirty in the normal auditorium.  
Miss Crutchfield, head of the Los Angeles branch of Samuel French, publishing company, is principal speaker for the conference, and her talk today will bring out special points in regard to the opportunity method, type of play, technical details and other difficulties encountered by the amateur director and producer of church dramas and activities, according to Angus L. Bowmer, director of the conference.  
This discussion is open to the public, and it is hoped by those in charge that valley people will take the opportunity of hearing Miss Crutchfield.

**Card of Thanks**  
We wish to express our sincere appreciation to our friends, neighbors, and especially to the Sisters and Students of Saint Mary's Academy, for the acts of kindness and sympathy extended us during our recent bereavement; also for the beautiful floral offerings. Mr. and Mrs. James T. Buckley and Lewis Buckley.

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## LOOKER TO MAKE HOME IN PORTLAND

W. J. Looker, Medford attorney recently appointed official court reporter, pro tem, by the circuit court of the state of Oregon for the 4th district at Portland, will leave by auto tomorrow to take up his new duties in the metropolis. His mother will accompany him north.  
Mr. Looker has been in Medford since 1925. He was official court reporter pro tem of Jackson county

from 1926 through 1927, and has been practicing law here since 1928, associating with A. E. Reames in the latter's law office. He has done most of the unofficial court reporting for this district since 1928.  
Mr. Looker is a member of the Jackson County Bar association and the Oregon Bar, as well as being a member of the American Bar association.  
**Card of Thanks**  
We wish to extend our heart-felt thanks to the many friends who were so thoughtful and kind to us during our late bereavement, and gave their sympathy and so many beautiful flowers in remembrance of our beloved wife and mother, Hattie Beatty Hatfield, L. Hatfield, Clifford O. Hatfield, Jessie Hatfield.

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