

CHURCH SERVICES

CHURCHES TO OBSERVE 'BIBLE SUNDAY' WITH SPECIAL CELEBRATION

Observance of Universal Bible Sunday will be marked by many churches today in celebration of the appearance of the Christian Scriptures in the 1,000th tongue. During 1937 some substantial part of the Bible appeared in 17 languages hitherto without it, bringing the number to 1,008. In addition to special services in thousands of churches, there will be two nation-wide broadcasts. On CBS at 11:45 a. m. (Medford time) Daniel C. Roper, secretary of commerce, will be presented by Dr. John H. Finlay, editor emeritus of the New York Times, and vice president of the American Bible society. On the Mutual network at 10:15 a. m. (Medford time) Dr. William Lyon Phelps and John H. Manson, president of the American Bible society, will speak.

The celebration is sponsored by the American Bible society through whose cooperative efforts beginning in 1816, with Protestant churches of all sects and creeds, approximately 300,000,000 volumes of Scriptures have been distributed in more than 40 countries and 226 languages. In urging the observance of Universal Bible Sunday, Governor Martin says: "The Bible is humanity's greatest book and embodies the highest principles which the mind of man is capable of grasping. It is the true word of God, charting the way of life and uniting all men in a universal brotherhood of love and truth."

Faith Mission
324 W. Sixth St.
Sunday school Sunday 10 a. m.
Morning worship Sunday 11 a. m.
Evening service Sunday 7:30 p. m.
Services every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday nights, 7:45 p. m.
Rev. Mrs. B. A. Thompson, pastor.

Medford Company of Jehovahs Witnesses
727 South Central Ave.
Bible study, Sunday evening at 7:30; Wednesday evening at 7:30 and Saturday afternoon at 1:45. All who are interested in Watch Tower Bible study are welcome. No collections.

St. Mark's Church—Episcopal
5th and Oakdale
Holy communion, 8 a. m.
Morning prayer and sermon, 11 a. m.
Rev. E. S. Bartlam, rector.
Roberta Ward Bebb, director of music.

Phoenix Presbyterian Church
E. P. McFarland, pastor.
Bible school with classes for all ages promptly at 10 o'clock. E. Lester Newby, supt.
Morning worship at 11 o'clock. Subject of the sermon, "It Is a Life". The young people's society meets at 6:30 with Jean Hayes as leader. Subject for the evening discussion is "Christmas Delayed." This hour is followed by a worship service at 7:30, when the pastor will bring a message on "Beholding the Christ."
Midweek prayer service is held Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the manse, at which time the midweek study class is conducted. The public is cordially invited to all services.

First Baptist Church
Fifth and N. Central Sts.
Welford A. Dawes, minister.
Bible school 9:45.
Morning worship 11 a. m. Sermon, "Brought Nigh." The pastor continues the series of expositions of the Book of Ephesians. Special music by the choir.
Young people's meeting 6:30.
Evening worship 7:30. Sermon, "Saved or Lost." Gospel song service. All are invited to these services.

Medford Unity Truth Center
319 Medford Center Bldg.
Marian R. Clifton, leader.
8 p. m. Tuesday evening, lecture. Subject, "Peace on Earth, Good Will to Men."
Lessons in Truth class Thursday, 10 a. m.
Prosperity class Thursday, 8 p. m.
Children's class Saturday, 10 a. m.
All classes are open to any who wish to attend, and the room is open each day except Sunday for reading and meditation from 10 to 4. Current literature is available and some new books are in the rental library.

St. Peter's Lutheran Church
(Synodical conference)
E. Main and Portland avenue
Harry H. Young, pastor.
Christmas program rehearsal at 10. All children taking part in the program should be present.
Divine worship at 11 o'clock. Theme: "The Proper Spirit of Christian Giving."
Confirmation instruction Monday evening at 7:30.
Sunday school teachers' institute Thursday evening at 8 o'clock.
The Ladies' Aid and Y.P.S. social dates will be decided after the service this morning.
Tune in on the Lutheran hour coming over the nation-wide Mutual Broadcasting system each Sunday afternoon at 1:30 P.S.T.
Visitors are always welcome in our services.

First Christian Church
Ninth and Oakdale.
James M. Hamilton, pastor.
Eddie Herbert Kurtz, music director.
Mabel C. Sims, instrumental music.
Ralph L. Cook, church school supt.
Sunday school 9:45 a. m. Everyman's Community Bible class in the court house.
Morning worship 11 o'clock. Prelude, "Chapel Echoes" by Morrison. Offertory, "Cantabile" by Wilson. Anthem, "All Nations Fear His Name" by Willits. Sermon, "In a Thousand Tongues." Special recognition of our missionary organizations around the world will get attention in the pastor's sermon. All members of missionary organizations of the church are requested to be present.
Three young people's societies and the adult study group will meet at the church Sunday 6:30 p. m.
Sunday evening church services at 7:30 with M. E. Olson leading in gospel hymn singing. Anthem, "The We Adore" by Adams. Sermon, "What to Do On Sunday." All are welcome.

Zion English Lutheran Church
Werner Jensen, pastor
218 W. 4th St.
Sunday school 10 a. m.
Worship service 11 a. m.
Luther league 6:30 p. m.
Evening service 7:30 p. m.
This morning is Universal Bible Sunday. Sermon theme will be: "And Now—in a Thousand Tongues." "Universal Bible Sunday partakes of a great celebration this year, for the Scriptures have now been translated in whole or part into over one thousand tongues. There is cause for rejoicing in this and a tremendous challenge."
Tonight's sermon will be on the second commandment, which forbids all profanity, "Human wrecks. Always night. A sin more wicked than murder committed daily by thousands, some of whom you may know. Profanity and its results." An opening sing, a hymn story, and an illuminating cross add to the service.
The Women's Missionary society meets Thursday at 11:11 West Fourth street.
Anyone cordially invited to worship with us.

Community Full Gospel Church
Trail, Oregon.
Morse E. Hammond, pastor.
Sunday school, 10 a. m.
Morning worship, 11 a. m.
Evangelistic meeting, 7:30 p. m.
Wednesday, Bible study, 7:30 p. m.
Every one is welcome at these services. Come share the spiritual encouragement they afford.

First Methodist Episcopal Church
West Main and Laurel Sts.
Joseph Knotts, minister.
9:45 a. m. Let every one attend Sunday school today. Only two weeks until Christmas.
11 a. m. Sermon theme: "Love's Best Gift." Anthem, "The Radiant Morn Hath Passed Away," by Woodward. Miss Mary Anne Gates will sing the solo, "Gratitude," by Curran. Prelude, Consolation, by Mendelssohn; offertory, Faith, by Mendelssohn; postlude in D, by Sheppard. Mrs. Elsie Carlton Strang, director. Mrs. Doris Condit Lantz, organist.
6:30 p. m. United service of the Epworth League will be held in South Methodist church.
7:30 p. m. United church service this evening in First Methodist Episcopal church. All Methodists especially urged to attend.
United prayer meeting Wednesday evening in First Methodist Episcopal church.

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, Dec. 11: "God the Preserver of Man."
Sunday school at 9:30 in the morning.
Wednesday evening church meeting, including testimonials of Christian Science healing at 8 o'clock.
The reading room, which is located at 414 and 415 Medford Center building, is open daily from 7 a. m. to 6 p. m. The librarian 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.

First Presbyterian Church
Dr. Sherman L. Divine, pastor.
Hans Hoerlein, organist director.
Mid-winter communion service with sermon "The Bread from Heaven" 11 a. m. New members will be received and baptism administered. All who would love and service Him are welcome at His table. Anthem "Jesus Thou Joy—Show Me Thy Way," (Baker-Mozart). Solo, "But the Lord is Mindful of His Own"—from St. Paul (Mendelssohn) Mrs. Jean McAllister. Vesper musical by Hans Hoerlein at 5 p. m. Assisting artists—Margaret Huson, Katherine Wendt, soprano; Jean McAllister, alto; Aileen Crawford Maddox, pianist.
Church school 9:45 a. m. Westminster fellowship for young people 6:30 p. m.
Tuesday is Church Circle day, all five circles holding Christmas parties. See social page for full announcements.

Church of the Nazarene
Holly at First St.
Fred M. Weatherford, pastor evangelist, will speak both morning and evening today. At the 7:30 evangelistic hour, he will be heard from the topic, "Christ Revealing and Supplying Human Need." Special and choir music under the direction of Floyd W. Hawkins.
At the 10:45 morning hour, Mr. Weatherford will speak from the topic, "Christ, the Teaching Example." Special music has been arranged by Floyd W. Hawkins, director.
Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. under the direction of Mrs. Clara Caulkina. Our goal for this month is an average of 225.
Young people's society meeting at 6:30. Mrs. Mattie House, president.
Junior meeting in the auditorium from the Grape street entrance, under the supervision of Mrs. Fred M. Weatherford, at 8:30 p. m.
People's meeting Wednesday evening at 7:30. This service is being largely attended.

Central Avenue Church of Christ
Meeting in the Gospel Tabernacle, Central Ave and Jackson St.
W. E. Stram, minister.
J. M. Alley, evangelist.
Very good results have come in our present revival meetings, led by Mr. James M. Alley. The evangelist's messages today will be: 10:45 a. m., "Christ Now or Never," 7:30 p. m., "Sine Against the Holy Spirit." Special music at both services. Bible school, with classes for all ages at 9:45 a. m. Christian Endeavor and Bible study groups at 8:30 p. m.
Our purpose at the Tabernacle is to maintain an absolutely non-denominational church program and work. Anyone earnestly seeking God will feel at home at the tabernacle, even wearing overalls or a house dress. We want people to find Christ as a personal Savior and Friend. The public is invited to all these services. Our revival continues at 7:30 each night except Saturday, until Sunday, December 18.

Church of God
Haven and Holly.
T. O. Satterfield, pastor.
Church Bible school 9:45 a. m. Mr. Laymon Chapman, supt., with a class and welcome for all.
Morning worship 11 a. m. Message by the pastor.
Young people's meeting 7 p. m. Mr. Clifford Davis is young peoples director. These meetings are spiritual and very encouraging to the youth. Evangelistic services 7:45 p. m.
Good congregational and special singing in all these services. A place where you will be encouraged for the week's work ahead.

Apostolic Faith Church
North Central Ave. at Third St.
9 a. m. Sunday school.
10:30 a. m., devotional service.
7:45 p. m., evangelistic service.
A 25-piece orchestra and special choir open the Sunday evening service with concert of sacred music and song.
Personal testimonies and congregational singing led by orchestra are part of each service.
Services each Tuesday, Thursday and Friday evening at 7:45. A collection is never taken. Come and enjoy these services at a progressive church.

Main St. Methodist Church
The gray brick church.
Dr. J. J. Bray, pastor.
Church school at 9:45 a. m. R. J. Bills, general superintendent. Miss Adabee Seiler in charge of the junior dept.
Preaching services at 11 a. m.
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Prayer meeting Wednesday 7:30 p. m. This will be held in the First M. E. church.
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MANUFACTURERS WILL COOPERATE
NEW YORK, Dec. 10.—(AP)—The men who produce and distribute the nation's goods today stood committed to a 1939 program for industry based largely on a "cooperate-with-government" plan.
The group in the National Association of Manufacturers which favored cooperation with the government won its point only after a close-drawn, behind-the-scenes struggle at the association's annual meeting.
A routine adoption of the platform discounted predictions of some delegates a floor fight would develop, particularly on the section which originally called for changes in the national labor relations act. All such recommendations were eliminated in the platform approved.
The convention went into its last day with the nation's industrial giants awaiting the speech tonight of Anthony Eden, former British foreign secretary, who is making his first appearance in the United States.
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- AVAILABILITY:** Our charter from the Federal Home Loan Bank Board in Washington permits us to make prompt payment in full or in part, of funds in both savings and investment share accounts, without fees or fines.
- CONTINUITY OF EARNINGS:** This Association has regularly paid 4% on accounts since chartered as a Federal.

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