

Three-Week Revival Series is Concluded

Central Point—A three-week revival was concluded by youth evangelists Sammy and Fonda last Sunday evening at the Pentecostal Church of God, Fifth and Pine sts. They participated in the Sunday school program given by the members of the church.

The Beginners classes were directed by Mrs. Pervine Adams and Mrs. Tom McCall, and the Junior and Primary classes were directed by Mrs. Neva McEnderree. The evangelists assisted in the adult pageant, "The Promised One." Sister Sammy preached an illustrated message, "Born To Die."

Watch night services, including feet washing, a candlelight communion and consecration, will be held New Year's eve, with the New Year being ushered in by prayer, followed by refreshments.

The Rev. Andrew W. Rahn is the pastor.

Revival Meeting Set At Ashland Church

Ashland—Evangelist Walter Smith will begin a revival meeting Sunday at 11 a. m. at the Ashland Assembly of God Church, 485 Siskiyou blvd. Services will be held each evening except Saturday at 7:30 o'clock.

On Friday, Dec. 31, there will be a "watch night" service beginning at 9 p. m., and lasting until midnight. In connection with the revival there will also be a sectional young people's rally. Young people from Medford, Jacksonville, Prospect, Shady Cove, Butte Falls, Rogue River and Grants Pass will attend.

On Sunday, Dec. 26, Ray McCoy will sing during the service.

WILL SHOW FILM

Ashland—Sunday at 7:30 p. m. at the Ashland First Methodist church the film, "The Guiding Star," will be shown during the regular evening service. The story demonstrates how the true Christmas spirit can reunite a broken family at their Christmas celebration. It is a 30-minute film which portrays the meaning of Christmas today. An invitation is extended to all who wish to come.

Student Home

Talent—Robert A. Carter, freshman at Yale university, has arrived to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert R. Carter, Talent. He will also visit his grandmother, Mrs. G. R. Carter, Medford.

Activity at Nazareth Due To Close Dec. 24

Nazareth—(U.P.)—The feverish activity that has been gripping the people of this town where the Savior grew to manhood comes to a peaceful climax at the close of Dec. 24 with the celebration of Midnight Mass in the Church of the Annunciation.

For weeks, the 12,000 Christians of this town of more than 20,000 persons have been preparing to send off the 800 fortunate ones going to Bethlehem in Jordan to celebrate Christmas at the Church of the Nativity. The thousands unable to go themselves (either because Israel or Jordan, or both have refused to authorize their crossing the border) will take part in the bustle surrounding the lucky ones.

Chartered buses and cars packed with pilgrims to the birthplace of Christ will leave Dec. 24 in a long caravan winding its way up the road leading out of Nazareth into the low hills to the west.

On one of these hills, Jesus addressed the multitudes following Him from far and wide (Matthew 5), immersing them in the glory emanating from His words. Speeding along the highway, the pilgrims will easily be able to see some of the physical splendor serving as a backdrop for the Sermon on the Mount.

Before them the bright green Plain of Esdraelon will stretch out in a breathtaking panorama which Jesus, too, must have looked at with the same awe. Farther to the west, the deep blue curve of Acre Bay embraces the Mediterranean with fingers of scintillating gold. Far off to the north, snow-capped Mt. Hermon seems to be washing itself in the clear azure sky and becoming whiter with each passing moment.

Before the Holy Land was rent in two by Arab-Jewish enmity, pilgrims used to travel due south for a distance of 87 miles to Jerusalem by way of biblical Shechem—now Nablus. Since 1948, most of this road is in Jordan territory, so they must travel twice that distance in order to reach the Holy City in a roundabout way.

Many talk of some bright day in the obscure future when Israel and Jordan will have buried the hatchet and Nazareth Christmas once more will be able to make the pilgrimage to Bethlehem without special authorizations along the road Jesus must have followed from His home in Galilee.

At the entrances to Nazareth, police checkpoints have been re-established to keep non-Christians from overflowing the town.

Restaurants and cafes—even those belonging to avowed Communists—take pride in gaily decorated Christmas trees prominently displayed.

Greek and Catholic

Promptly at midnight, Dec. 24, Father Jean Joseph Alliot, guardian of the Franciscan monastery, will begin the Mass in the Church of the Annunciation built on the foundations of a 12th century Crusaders' church as a priest in a black gown embroidered with gold taps three times on the floor.

At the eastern end of the town stands the Greek Orthodox Church of the Annunciation—both the Roman Catholic and Greek Orthodox churches bear the same name. Nearby is a spring flowing into what is known as Mary's Well. The people of Nazareth are sure this is where the Virgin came to draw water.

At 10:30 p. m. Dec. 24, Father Basilio Samman, head of the Greek Catholic Community, will celebrate Mass in his church. Near this church is a chapel said to be on the site of the synagogue where Jesus preached. Not far off is a domed chapel containing the Table of Christ, a huge stone around which Jesus, according to tradition, sat with His disciples.

The Anglican and Baptist Churches also will conduct services which they close with carol singing.

A little after 2 a. m. Dec. 25, visitors leaving the town nesting among hills sacred to all Christendom, will drive slowly so they can take in more of the flickering lights and illuminated crosses adorning church spires.

Pink and Charcoal New Color Craze

Dame Fashion's favorite color-teaming whim for the moment seems to be a pink and charcoal combination.

Looking over the year's cotton collections, both in wearing apparel and in home fashions, the National Cotton council reports that the pink and black duo has been a best seller in every category.

The color couplet made its debut last spring in ladies' fashions.

Then the menfolks stole the show with their pink cotton shirts, teamed with pink and black striped ties.

Now home fashionists have picked up the craze, and pink pairs off with charcoal in cotton slipcovers, bedspreads, and draperies all through the house.

Society and Clubs

Tradition Dictates Pattern Of Rogue Valley Christmas

Christmas in the Rogue valley will follow the pattern set by tradition throughout the United States. Families and friends will gather for Christmas tree parties and dinners served from festive tables. Many will attend special church services tonight and Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Conger will have as guests for Christmas day Mrs. L. E. Sutherland and daughters, Susan and Doris; Mr. and Mrs. John Niedermeyer and children, Bruce and Nancy; Mrs. J. H. Issott and Mr. and Mrs. Chester Wendt.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred S. V. Carpenter, Topside, are their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Harlow Carpenter, who arrived by plane from Rockport, Mass., last week, and Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Van Horn and daughters, Lisa and Beatrice, who came from Portland Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Carpenter will leave December 30 to return home, while the Van Horns will return to Portland the first of next week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Barrett, 1304 Spring street, have as guests Mrs. Margaret Ross and Miss Anna Trump, Pomona, Calif. Mrs. Ross is the daughter of Mrs. Barrett, and Miss Trump is her niece.

They are also visiting Mrs. Ross' brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Burns, 1498 Spring street.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Kula, Coker Butte road, and their two sons will be hosts for a Christmas dinner tomorrow. Their guests will be Mr. and Mrs. Warren Beard, W. G. Beard and son, Greg, and Mr. and Mrs.

Will D. Beard and daughters Deena and Carol.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wimberly Jr., 30 Barneburg road, have as Christmas holiday guests Mrs. Wimberly's mother, Mrs. Ruth Cox, North Hollywood, Calif., and Mr. Wimberly's parents, Judge and Mrs. Carl E. Wimberly, Roseburg, Ore.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Rogers, 1401 Dakota avenue, will leave today for Portland where they will spend Christmas with Mrs. Rogers' mother. The Rogers recently came to Medford from Coquille, Ore.

Clarence Starcher, Blue River, Ore., arrived Wednesday night to spend Christmas with his son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Bren H. Starcher, 1370 Stage Road south.

Mr. and Mrs. William Davenport and daughters, Joann and Elaine, 2101 West Main street, left Thursday to spend the holidays in Coachella valley, California, and in Mexico. They will return January 10.

Mrs. Muriel Sample, 306 North Peach street, is spending the holidays in Pasadena, Calif., with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Sample and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Merlyn Harvey and family are spending the holidays in Davis, Calif., where they are visiting relatives.

Miss Celia Clogston, University of Oregon student, is spending the holidays in Medford with her grandmother, Mrs. Celia Clogston, 1840 Stage road south. Miss Clogston brought with her Miss Dena Trease, Honolulu, T.H., who is also a student at the university. The two young women are Zeta Tau Alpha sorority sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Wilson, 7 Chestnut street, are in Gold Hill to spend Christmas with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Gail and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Johnson are spending the holidays in Los Gatos, Calif., with Mrs. Johnson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Spalding, former residents of Medford.

The William F. Thompson family is spending Christmas in Portland with Mr. Thompson's relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Burger have left for Eugene, where they will spend Christmas with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Quintin Jordan and sons, Harold and David, Jacksonville, left last night to visit through the holidays in Vancouver and New Westminster, B. C.

Mr. and Mrs. James A. Medley will spend the holidays with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. James D. Harpole, Thomas William and Janielle Denise, in Eugene.

New Year's Party Planned by Club

Grandmothers' club of Medford will meet Monday, December 27, at 6:30 p. m. in Girls Community club for a New Year's party.

Husbands and friends of members will be guests for a potluck dinner. Games and entertainment will follow dinner, and members are asked to take small gifts for prizes.

Neubergers To Leave For Washington Sunday

Portland—(U.P.)—Richard L. Neuburger, Democratic senator-elect, said today he would leave by train for Washington, D. C. Sunday.

He will be accompanied by his wife, Maurine, who will return in time to be on hand for opening of the state Legislature Jan. 10.

Quito, Ecuador—(U.P.)—Army troops took over the Ministry of Communications today and President Jose Maria Velasco Ibarra flew suddenly to the port of Guayaquil.

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Party Given for Court Residents

Mrs. T. B. Moore, Valley Center Trailer court, entertained for women who live at the court from 2 to 4 p. m., December 22. Refreshments were served and gifts were presented to those attending. The same afternoon at 4 p. m., the Moores entertained for children who live at the

court. David Brown distributed the gifts. The women at the court also called on Mrs. Roy Seeley who lives at the court but who is now confined to Community hospital. They presented her a gift.

Dead line for Sunday Classified is at noon Saturday.

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