

Methodists To Open New Series

The fourth series of the School of Christian Living of the First Methodist church, West Main and Laurel sts., will open Sunday, Jan. 2, and a snack supper will be served by the Woman's Society of Christian Service at 6 p. m. Interest groups for all ages will be held at 6:30 p. m.

The film, "The City," will be shown as an introduction to a five week's course conducted by Mrs. Marjorie Hopkins on "Crowded Ways."

Mrs. Anne J. Gorbey will conduct a class in Church membership. Guest speaker in the M.Y.F. department will be Mrs. Everett Faber, who will speak on "The United Nations." At 7:30 p.m. Dr. J. Thomas Dixon will preach at the family worship hour.

Morning worship services will be held at 9:30 and 11 a. m. with Dr. Dixon preaching on the theme: "The Unchanging Christ." Soloist for the services will be Mrs. Lyle Schoppert.

Watch Party Set At First Baptist

Members and friends of the First Baptist church, North Central ave., at Fifth st., are invited to attend the annual Watch night service today at 8:30 p.m. six classes from the young peoples' and the adult's departments of the Sunday school will have parts in the first of the evening's program. A film and music are planned. The social committee of the church will provide refreshments. The last hour of the old year will be given to a devotional service led by the interim pastor of the church, Dr. F. Carl Truex.

The regular service of the church will be held Sunday, when Dr. Truex will use as his subject for the 11 a.m. worship hour, "Prayer." New members will be welcomed and the ordinance of the Lord's supper will be served. The evening service at 7:30 o'clock will begin with the ordinance of baptism, and the pastor's subject will be, "Atomic Power."

Interim Pastor To Complete Ministry; Services Announced

The Rev. Nelson B. Melvin, national director of Evangelism for the Advent Christian General Conference of America, will conclude his ministry Sunday in the Advent Christian church which is located at Jackson and Welch sts.

At the 11 a.m. worship service he will speak on "How To Be Happy" and the sermon subject will be, "When Loyalty Lags."

He has been here during the interim between pastorates of the Rev. Laurel Lee Crabb and that of the Rev. Robert Robinson of Santa Cruz, Calif. Mr. Robinson will assume his responsibilities Sunday, Jan. 9.

Mrs. Melvin and sons, Paul and David, arrived two weeks ago to spend the Christmas season with Mr. Melvin. The family will return to their home in Aurora, Ill., next week.

Youth Revival Set At Prospect Church

Prospect—A revival for youth will be sponsored at the Church of the Nazarene, otherwise known as the "Chapel in the Pines," the pastor, Dr. L. T. Edwards announced this week. The revival will open Sunday at 11 a. m.

The Rev. Raymond Harrison, a young minister and a former pastor, will be the guest speaker. He also will furnish songs and entertainment.

All youth interested are invited. Services will begin each evening at 7:30 p. m., through Sunday, Jan. 9.

New Year's Eve Service Slated

A watch night service will be held in the Church of the Nazarene, Holly and First sts., beginning at 11 p. m. today. An evening of activity will precede the New Year's service. Social activities will be sponsored by various Sunday school classes with young married and adult groups meeting in the annex.

The traditional watch night service will find members of the church engaged in prayer as the New Year 1955 is ushered in.

The Order of the Purple Heart was established Aug. 7, 1782.

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"God Is A Present Help"
By Emelie Cady
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Wed., 1 pm, Fri. 10:30 am
Sunday School Class
For Children and Adults
Sundays—11:00 a.m.
Room 201-3 Holy Theatre
Building—2nd Floor

Ashland Assembly Speaker To Conduct Services Tonight

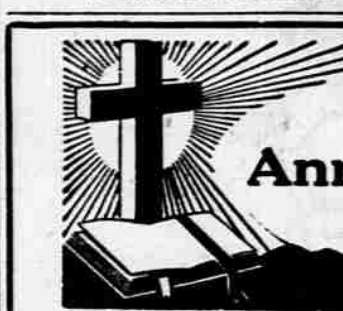
Ashland — The Rev. Walter Smith will be the speaker this evening at the Ashland Assembly of God church. The service will begin at 9 p. m., and continue through midnight.

A candlelight consecration service also is planned and young persons from various valley towns and from as far away as Butte Falls, Grants Pass, Gold Hill, Kerby, Shady Cove and Prospect will attend.

The speaker will continue revival meetings at the church until Sunday, Jan. 9.

First divinity degrees were granted by Harvard college in 1692.

THE REV. W. SMITH
At Ashland Church



Church Announcements

Eagle Point S.D.A.
Grange hall, Sabbath school, 9:30 a.m. Divine service, 11 a.m.

Valley View S.D.A.
Jacksonville-Phoenix highway. Sabbath school, 9:30 a.m. Divine service, 11 a.m.

Seventh-day Adventist Churches
Saturday, Jan. 1, 1955, Medford, corner of Beatty and Edwards sts. Sabbath school, 9:30 a.m. Divine service, 11 a.m.

House of God
122 North Riverside ave. R. L. Gibson, pastor. Sunday, 3 p.m. and 7:30 p.m. Revival, beginning Friday, Dec. 31, 7:30 p.m. Phillip Bray, evangelist.

Church of the Brethren
Mary and Saling sts. 10 a.m. Sunday school for all ages. 11 a.m. Worship, the Rev. C. V. Stern, interim pastor. "New Year's Sermon." Text for the message is Psalm 90.

Phoenix Full Gospel Church
411 Second st. Pastors, the Nidevers. Sunday school, 10 a.m. Worship, 11 a.m. Services, 7:30 p.m. Midweek services, 7:30 p.m. Thursday, LeRoy Nidever and family in charge of Sunday services.

Congregational Church
300 Oakwood dr. Thomas McCann, minister. To find church turn one block south from East Main st. on Groveland ave. Sunday school, 9:45 a.m. Worship, 11 a.m. New Year Communion service, Sermon, "Apart from Me You Can Do Nothing."

West Main Church of Christ
1701 West Main st. Maurice Tisdell, minister. Herald of Truth, Sunday, 8 a.m. Bible classes, 9:45 a.m. Worship, 10:45 a.m. Wednesday Bible study, 7:30 p.m. Ladies' Bible class, Friday, 1:30 p.m.

Medford Friends Church
Corner Merriman rd. and DeBarr ave. Clayton G. Claman, pastor. 9:45 a.m. Sunday school, 11 a.m. Worship, Joseph Munshaw, speaker, 6:30 p.m. Family hour, 7:30 p.m. Praise and worship, Edward Harmon, speaker, 9:30 p.m. "Quaker Hour," KMED.

Bethel Assembly of God
1729 North Riverside ave. Lawrence D. Krause, pastor. Sunday school, 9:45 a.m. Worship, 11 a.m. (Communion). Children's and Christ's ambassadors services, 6:30 p.m. Evangelistic service, 7:30 p.m. Midweek service, Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.

Assembly of God Church
485 Siskiyou blvd. Ashland. M. Homer Thompson, pastor. Sunday school, 9:45 a.m. Worship, 11 a.m. Young people, 6:30 p.m. Evangelistic, 7:30 p.m. Evangelist, W. H. Smith. Monday through Friday, revival continues with Evangelist Walter H. Smith. Meetings, 7:30 p.m. each night.

Temple Baptist Church
794 Linder lane, with Southern Convention, Floyd H. Yeats, pastor. Sunday, "Inspiration," 7:30 a.m. KMED. Sunday school, 9:45 a.m. Worship, 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Training union, 6:30 p.m. Wednesday, Teachers' meeting, 7 p.m. Studies in Job, 8 p.m.

Medford Pilgrim Holiness Church
Pastor, the Rev. Sherman Moore. 9:45 a.m. Sunday school, Mrs. Moore, supt. 11 a.m. Worship, the Rev. Moore in charge. 6:45 p.m. Young People's service. David Easton, president. 7:30 p.m. Evangelistic service. 7:45 p.m. Wednesday, Midweek prayer service.

Free Methodist Church
Tenth and Ivy sts. The Rev. John M. Root, pastor. Sunday school, 9:45 a.m. Worship, 11 a.m. Young People's meeting, 6:45 p.m. Service, 7:30 p.m. Midweek prayer service, Wednesday, 7:30 p.m. Youth night, Thursday, 7:30 p.m. Program, Light and Life Hour, Sunday, 8:30 a.m. KYJC.

Central Church of Christ
Central and Jackson sts. Elmore J. Gilstrap, minister. Bible school, 9:45 a.m. Worship, 11 a.m. Sermon subject, "Opportunity." Christian Endeavor, p.m. Worship, 7:30 p.m. Sermon subject, "Learning Pleasures." Annual elections. Prayer meeting, Wednesday, 7 p.m. Choir practice, 8 p.m.

Church of the Nazarene
Holly and First sts. R. W. Hurn, minister. 9 a.m. KMED. "The Gospel Hour," 9:45 a.m. Sunday school, 11 a.m. Worship, 11 a.m. "Learning from Failures," 6:30 p.m. Training hour and Youth groups, 7:30 p.m. Worship, 8 p.m. "Blazing New Trails," 7:30 p.m. Family prayer meeting.

Phoenix Presbyterian Church
The Rev. Otis Stuber, interim pastor. 10 a.m. Sunday school. 11. Worship; nursery for small children. Potluck Sunday school, 11:30 a.m. meeting following. 7:30 p.m. Youth group at Kelsie home, Tuesday, 7 p.m. Girls craft class, Wednesday, 7 p.m. Choir practice.

St. Mark's Episcopal
Fifth and Oakdale ave. the Rev. George R. V. Bolster, rector. Second Sunday after Christmas: 8 a.m. Holy Communion. 9:30 a.m. Church school. 10:45 a.m. Nursery school. 11 a.m. Holy Communion with sermon. Preacher, The Rt. Rev. Benjamin D. Dagwell, D.D. 7 p.m. Church school Epiphany pageant, "The Feast of Lights."

The Apostolic Faith
North Central ave. and Third st. The Rev. C. W. Frost, pastor. Sunday school and Adult Bible class 9:30 a.m. Free transportation. Morning worship 11 a.m. Young people 3 p.m. Evangelistic services with prelude by organist, orchestra and chorus 8 p.m. Tuesday and Friday, 8 p.m. Watch night service tonight. No collections.

Advent Christian Church
Corner Jackson and Welch st. Nelson Melvin, interim pastor. Sunday school 9:45 a.m. Mrs. Bryan Gossett Sunday school superintendent. Worship 11 a.m. Mr. Melvin, speaker. Junior Loyal Workers 6:30 p.m. Worship hour 7:30 p.m. Mr. Melvin speaker. Prayer meeting Tuesday, 7:30 p.m. Junior choir practice Wednesday 6:30 p.m. Orchestra practice Wednesday 7:00 p.m.

Zion Lutheran Church, U. L. C. A.
Fourth st. and Oakdale ave. Pastor, G. Herbert Hillerman. Choir director, Oscar Bjorle. Organist, Mrs. LeRoy C. Jensen. Sunday school superintendent, Archer Watson. 9:45 a.m. Sunday school, 11 a.m. Worship; sermon: "Make His Paths Straight," 7 p.m. Youth fellowship, Tuesday, 11 a.m. Women's fellowship, Thursday, 3:45 p.m. Second year catechetical class, 7:30 p.m. choir, Saturday, 9:30 a.m. First Year catechetical class.

'Things New' Topic At Nazarene Church

"Things New" will be the theme of the service Sunday at 7:30 p.m. at the Church of the Nazarene, when these who have made decisions for Christ in the past year, new members, 1954 babies in the congregation, and 1954 newly wedded couples will be honored. The service is planned as a counterpart to the service conducted last Sunday when older persons were honored. Sunday's topic will be "Blazing New Trails." The Rev. R. W. Hurn will speak.

Ed Taylor, minister of Christian education at the church, will begin a series of talks to the Junior high youth Sunday at 6:30 p.m. He will discuss, "How the Church Came To Be." The series will continue through January.

Presbyterians Plan Watch Night Service

The First Presbyterian church congregation will hold a New Years eve watch night and communion service, starting at 11 p.m. today.

On Sunday, Dr. D. K. West will speak on "First, Last and Always" and the Holy Communion will be administered at both services. The Chancel choir, directed by Mrs. Darrell Huson, will sing at the 11 a. m. service and the Westminster choir, directed by Miss Janet Jamison will furnish songs at the 9:45 a. m. service.

In the evening a film, "The City Story," will be shown at 7 o'clock. The public is invited.

Celebration Set At St. Peters Church

New Year's day, which in the church calendar is the Feast of the Circumcision and Name of Jesus, will be celebrated at St. Peters Lutheran church, 1020 East Main st., with sermon and Holy Communion, at 10 o'clock in the morning, according to the pastor, the Rev. Kenneth Korby.

The Senior choir of the congregation has prepared special music for the service.

The pastor will preach "On Being Conformed to the Image of Christ."

Assembly of God Sermon Announced

"Revival Needed in 1955" will be the sermon topic Sunday morning at 11 o'clock by the Rev. F. Wildon Colbaugh, pastor, at the Medford Assembly of God, 1108 West Main st.

Officers of the church announce that the Rev. Pat Malone will exhibit a stone display, "Little Bit of Heaven" in a service at the church on Wednesday, Jan. 12, at 7:45 p.m.

The international radio program of the Assemblies of God, "Revivaltime," will be continued over KYJC at 10:30 p.m. each Sunday.

Friends To Have Guest Speakers; Pastor At Meeting

Joseph Munshaw, Central Point, will be the guest speaker at the Friends church Sunday at 11 a. m., and Edward Harmon, pastor of Ashland Friends church, will speak at the 7:30 p. m. worship service.

The pastor, Clynton Crisman, will be in Salem to attend a mid-winter Christian Endeavor convention of Friends churches in Oregon, Washington and Idaho. He and Mrs. Crisman left Friday with a group of young people. The convention program will begin with a New Year's eve watch night party and service. Classes, forums, recreation and a banquet are planned for Saturday and Sunday afternoon a missionary rally, is to be held. The closing service will be held Sunday at 7:30 p. m.

Services here at the local church will be held as usual.

TO CONFERENCE

The Rev. Perry M. Johnson, pastor of the Bethel Baptist church, and the Rev. Floyd H. Yeats, pastor of the Temple Baptist church, will speak in Portland next week at the Oregon-Washington Baptist Evangelistic conference. The conference will be held Monday through Wednesday and several other Baptist ministers from this area plan to attend.

In New Jersey it is illegal to drive a stagecoach on Sunday.

BETHEL Baptist Church
11 NEWTOWN STREET
The Rev. Perry M. Johnson, pastor. Sunday school, 9:45 a.m. Worship, 11 a.m. Sermon, "The Mind of Christ." Communion service. No evening service No Prayer meeting. 3 p.m. Wednesday, Child evangelism, 8 p.m. Thursday, prayer meeting.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

"Hear, O Israel: The Lord our God is one Lord," will be the text of the lesson-sermon Sunday at the Christian Science church. The sermon title is "God," and the supporting reference is from page 470 of "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures."

Friday, December 31, 1954

MEDFORD (OREGON) MAIL TRIBUNE—FIVE

Victor Mature Hurt During Movie Scene

Hollywood—(U.P.)—Actor Victor Mature was recuperating at the 20th Century-Fox studio hospital today after he strained his back when he threw himself against a door during the filming of a movie scene.

Doctors diagnosed the injury yesterday as severe lumbosacral strain.

Spokesmen said they would try to continue filming "Violent Saturday" until the actor is able to return to work.

WEATHER

By United Press
Northern California: Cloudy today with occasional rain vicinity Salinas and Stockton north; partly cloudy tonight with occasional rain Ukiah and Red Bluff north.



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