



THE REV. C. A. MILLER
Pastor Returns to School

Baptist Minister To Leave Medford

The Rev. Claude A. Miller, has resigned as pastor of First Southern Baptist church. Mr. Miller came to Medford in April, 1957, and while here has also served as a voluntary counselor for Jackson county juvenile department.

The Millers will go to California where they will attend college. Mr. Miller plans to take studies in the field of social welfare and Mrs. Miller will complete the necessary work to be certified as teacher in the public schools.

One of the newest phases of the work of the Home Mission Board of the Southern Baptist convention is in the field of family problems arising from divorce and juvenile delinquency under its city mission program. Miller states that he wishes to enter this type of ministry.

The Millers will be in Medford until June.

Methodists Plan Smorgasbord Tonight in Church

"Three Great Events" is the sermon topic as announced by Dr. George G. Roseberry of First Methodist church. This is Pentecost Sunday by the history of the church as well as being Memorial Sunday.

Note will be made of all the members who have passed away during the past year.

The coffee hour will be held at the close of the 11 a.m. service in honor of the Rev. George Troughbush family who will be leaving Medford. Their new church work will be announced at the farewell fellowship hour Sunday following the worship services.

Mr. Troughbush has been associate minister at First Methodist church for the past two years. He has had charge of the religious education program of the church and has carried on an extensive television and radio program in representing First church and the Medford Ministerial association.

Church Delegates Return From Meet

The delegates from the Congregational church of Medford returned Thursday from the annual meeting of the Congregational Conference of Oregon, which was held in the new building of the Eugene church.

Those who attended all or part of the sessions were Mrs. C. D. Elhart, Mrs. Clarence Miller, Richard Hahselman and the Rev. Thomas McCamant. High points of the conference were the election of Dr. A. J. Buttrey of Grand Rapids, Mich., as the conference minister and superintendent, beginning next January, and Mrs. F. L. Van Doozer of Portland as the new moderator.

The delegates will report briefly some highlights of the conference at the two services of the Medford church Sunday. The sermon will be on "God in the Church."

PUBLIC ADDRESS

"Why Spiritual Famine in a Time of Plenty?" will be the public address Sunday at 6 p.m. at Kingdom Hall of Jehovah's Witnesses, 2402 Jacksonville highway. It will be followed by a Watchtower study, "A New Song For All Men of Good Will." Bible study Tuesday and Wednesday evening will be "This Means Everlasting Life."

Sams Valley Gospel church will hold a picnic Saturday, May 24 at 2 p.m. at the Wyce Surogon residence on the Rogue River. Activities for the afternoon will include swimming, boating, water skiing and horseshoes. Those planning to water ski should arrive early.

Evening Mass Set For Vacationers at Prospect Community

Starting Sunday, May 25, a 6 p.m. Mass will be held at the Community hall in Prospect for fishermen and vacationers in the area. Mass will be read by one of the priests from the Medford Sacred Heart Catholic church, officials said.

The Sunday evening Mass will be held each Sunday throughout the summer months it was reported.

Presbyterians Announce Topics And Activities

Sunday at both morning worship services of the First Presbyterian church, the Rev. John O. Reynolds will preach in the absence of Dr. D. Kirkland West, pastor of the church.

Mr. Reynolds will preach on the topic, "The Church's Unity and Power in the Spirit." At the 9:30 a.m. service the Westminster choir will sing an anthem and at the 11 a.m. service the chancel choir will sing "Create in Me a Clean Heart, O God." Mrs. E. W. Sickles will sing the solo "There Is No Death" at both services.

The Senior High Westminster fellowship will meet at 4:30 p.m. for a joint meeting with the youth group of St. Mark's Episcopal church. The combined groups will go to Black Oaks for recreation and worship. Junior High fellowship of the church will meet at 6:30 p.m. for its regular Sunday evening fun time and discussion. Seventh and eighth grade young people are invited to attend.

Dr. and Mrs. West left this week for their annual month's vacation. During their trip, Dr. West will attend the meetings of the general assembly of the Presbyterian Church in the U.S.A. at Pittsburgh, Pa., May 28 through June 4.

During the assembly meeting the merger of the Presbyterian Church in the U.S.A. and the United Presbyterian church will take place to form the United Presbyterian Church in the U.S.A.

Dr. West will attend the session in his capacity as a member of the assembly's stewardship and promotion committee.

Central Point—"Some Consequences of Pentecost" will be the sermon by Dr. Norman K. Tully, pastor of First Presbyterian church, Central Point, Sunday at 11 a.m.

A covered dish dinner will be held following the service. The young people's meeting will be held at 7 p.m. followed by a fellowship hour.

A delegation will attend the Presbyterian consultation in Grants Pass Tuesday, May 27, at 7 p.m.

Ashtand—"The Truth About the Church" will be the sermon topic Sunday at both the 9:45 and 11 a.m. services at First Presbyterian church, Ashtand. The Rev. B. J. Holland, pastor, will preach.

Phoenix—A class for young people interested in joining First Presbyterian church, Phoenix, will start Saturday at 9:30 a.m. It will be taught by the pastor, the Rev. William A. Saladin.

Sermon topic for Sunday by Mr. Saladin will be "Laying Aside the Preliminaries." He will deliver the baccalaureate address for the graduating class of the Phoenix High school at the church at 8 p.m.

Four new members joined the church last Sunday.

Festival of Pentecost At St. Peter Church

St. Peter Evangelical Lutheran church, 1020 East Main st., will celebrate the Festival of Pentecost at the service Sunday morning, according to the local pastor, the Rev. Kenneth Korby. The choral communion service will begin at 11 a.m.

At the service the cherub and junior choirs will sing, "Holy Ghost With Light Divine, Shine Upon This Heart of Mine." The pastor will preach on the Spirit's work to make Christ alive in us as God's answer to all our spiritual needs.

CATHOLIC STATISTICS

New York — The Catholic church in the United States, Alaska and the Hawaiian Islands has grown from 26,075,697 members 10 years ago to 36,023,977, the Catholic director of 1958 showed yesterday. The largest archdioceses in the country are Chicago, Boston, New York and Philadelphia.

Ashtand—The Rev. Ross Knotts will speak Sunday at 11 a.m. at First Methodist church, Ashtand, on "We Can't Keep Quiet."



OFFICERS—Four officers of the Oregon-Pacific District Nazarene Foreign Missionary society and of the District assembly met with Dr. D. I. Vanderpool, presiding general superintendent, Wednesday, following the morning session. The state meetings ended today at the Medford First Church of the Nazarene. Above are (left to right) Dr. Vanderpool, Kansas City, Mo.; Dr. W. D. McGraw Jr., Clackamas, district superintendent, who reported to the assembly Wednesday; Mrs. Gordon Olson, Eugene, newly elected president of the Society; and Mrs. Roscoe Hohn, Ashland, secretary of the society. Nearly 500 delegates registered for the conventions.

Nazarene Sessions End With Business Meeting

1957 Award of Merit Winner



CHURCH NEWS

National Religious Publicity Council

Episcopalians to Hear Bishop's Farewell Address

The Right Rev. Benjamin D. Dagwell, D.D., will address the people of the Diocese in a farewell message from St. Stephens cathedral, Portland, Wednesday, May 28, at 7:30 p.m. His message

will be received by closed radio hook-up in 55 separate areas of the state where church people will gather for dinner and to bid farewell to the Bishop. In the course of the program a gift from the Diocese will be presented to the Bishop.

1st Baptist Youth Schedule Play At Camp White

Vacation Bible school for pre-schoolers, ages 3 through 6 years, will continue through Thursday, May 29, at First Baptist church. The program for the kindergarten ages will be given at 11 a.m., Thursday, the closing day of the school.

Parents of the children are invited to attend the presentation of the things learned by the youngsters during the school sessions.

Senior high young people of the church will present a three-act play, entitled "But This I Know," to the men at the Camp White dormitory Sunday at 6 p.m. The play, which is in a modern-day setting and based upon the story of the resurrection, has been given by the young people in the Medford church, at the Ashtand First Baptist, and at the Sams Valley Community church.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Wilson direct the play, and young people in the cast are: Tinselt, Dean Goddard, Bob Young, Bill Young, Bobbie Jean Hale, Terrie Hughes, Nicky de Place, Mary de Place and Marilyn Zimmers.

First Assembly Tells Of Scheduled Events

The Rev. N. D. Davidson, superintendent of the Oregon Assemblies of God, will be guest speaker at First Assembly of God church, 1108 West Main st., Sunday at 7:30 p.m., according to the local pastor, the Rev. R. E. Cull. Mr. Davidson, who maintains offices at Salem, is conducting a tour of southern Oregon Assemblies.

Monday at 7:30 p.m., First Assembly will be host church to the Rogue Valley sectional rally of Christ Ambassadors. Youth delegations from as far as Cave Junction and Prospect will participate. Speaker for the evening will be the Rev. Leland Keys, president of Bethany Bible college, Santa Cruz, Calif. During the service the Bethany Bible college choir of 40 voices will present sacred numbers. The Rev. Forrest Biser will direct the choir.

The general public is invited to these services.

LUTHERAN SERVICE

Divine worship with confirmation and holy communion will be held Sunday at 11 a.m. at Ascension Lutheran church, 2501 Barnett rd. Medford.

The congregation of St. Mark's Episcopal church, Medford, will participate in this diocesan-wide observance with a potluck dinner at the Guild hall at 6:30 p.m. All members and friends of the church are invited to attend. Children old enough to understand and appreciate the nature of the program may attend. There will be baby sitting service in the Markade for younger children. No charge will be made for this event.

Friends Choirs To Give Concert

At the Friends church Sunday at 7:30 p.m., the junior, youth and adult choirs will present a brief concert of favorite anthems used during the winter months. No regular choir rehearsals will be held during the summer, so this will be the last appearance of the combined choirs until September.

Pastor Clynton Crisman will speak at both morning worship services, 9:45 and 11 a.m., and at the 7:30 p.m. service following the music by the choirs. His subjects will be "Christ Our Peace" and "The Church, a Holy Temple," from the Book of Ephesians.

Junior church will be held at 11 a.m. and a nursery is provided during both morning worship hours. Sunday school will be at 9:45 and 11 a.m., Christian Endeavor and adult Bible study at 6:30 p.m., and "Quaker Hour" broadcast at 9:30 p.m. over KMED.

A meeting of the staff of teachers and helpers for vacation Bible school will be held Friday at 7:30 p.m. to lay plans and distribute materials. The Bible school will be held June 9 to 20 from 9 till 11:30 a.m., Mondays through Fridays. Children 4 years old up through the eighth grade are invited.

RALLY A rally in observance of Pentecost Sunday will be held at 2:30 p.m. Sunday at Philadelpha church, 1851 Grandview ave. The service will include a guest speaker. Those needing transportation should call ULrich 5-1071.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

United Church of Christ
Groveland Ave. and Oakwood Drive

Worship at 9:45 and 11 a.m.
Church School at 9:45 and 11 a.m.

SERMON: "GOD IN THE CHURCH"

Methodists To Honor Associate Pastor, Family

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Thompson Jr. are chairman of the smorgasbord to be held at the First Methodist church tonight from five until eight o'clock. The menu will include baked ham, meatballs, pickled herring and salmon with a variety of other foods also being served.

During the hours that dinner will be served entertainment will be provided in the main sanctuary of the church. The events will start at 5:30 o'clock with "The MedTones," followed by a humorous reading by Dr. Eugene Ray. At 5:45 o'clock Miss Margaret Doolen will sing "Alice Blue Gown" and "Pretending" and Mrs. Jack Harris and her daughter, Connie, will sing a vocal duet "In the Garden of Tomorrow" immediately following Miss Doolen's selections.

Dr. and Mrs. Milton Snow will sing "The Desert Song" and at 6:10 o'clock Clyde Wheaton tenor, will sing "Love is a Many Splendored Thing" and "September Song." Caesar Muzzioli will present an accordion solo at 6:20 o'clock; and Mrs. Gregory MacDoolan, soprano, will sing "Smoke Gets in Your Eyes" and "The Lilac Tree."

At 6:45 o'clock the "Nonnetas," the senior high school triple trio, directed by Lynn Sjolund will sing accompanied by Melody Pierce. At 7 o'clock David Frohnmayer, Ted Lawson, and Milton Smith will play a trumpet selection accompanied by Lou Elsa Voegtli. The program will close with a string ensemble directed by John Drysdale accompanied by John Lusk at the piano.

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GUEST SPEAKER—The Rev. Lewis Collins, home missionary and evangelist, will be the guest speaker Sunday at the Community Bible church, Central Point, at both the 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. services. Mr. Collins has conducted meetings in Oregon, Washington, California, and Canada during the past year. The public is invited to attend.

First Christian Tells Schedule

Mrs. Ralph Matlack will be the soloist at the First Christian church Sunday morning. She will sing "In My Father's House Are Many Mansions." The choir under the direction of Warren Fairbanks will sing the anthem "O Blessed Spirit."

The Rev. William C. Piper has chosen for his morning sermon, "Remembrance." At the evening service he will speak on the subject "What the Apostles Meant by the Church."

The Chi Rho youth group will leave immediately after the morning service for a Camp Preview at Camp Myrtlewood. Their summer camp will be held from June 15 to 21.

The Christian Youth Fellowship is sponsoring an old-fashioned box social Saturday, May 14, at 6:30 p.m. in the Fellowship hall. All members and friends of the church are invited to attend. The proceeds of the social will go to World Missions.

Phoenix—"Jesus is Coming Again" will be the sermon topic Sunday at 11 a.m. at Phoenix First Baptist church, by the Rev. Perry M. Johnson. "The Master's Ministry" will be the topic of the pastor's sermon at 7:30 p.m.



William C. Piper
Minister



WILLIAM E. WALDEN
Sing with Group

Quartet To Sing At Apostolic Faith

The Harmonaires male quartet, from the headquarters church of The Apostolic Faith church, Portland will be heard at the local church, Third St. and Central ave., Sunday.

They will sing in the morning service and will furnish the program preceding the even evangelistic service. The group will also appear at a combined young people's meeting in the Apostolic Faith church, Grants Pass at 3 p.m. with the young people of the Medford church. They will also be featured on the Apostolic Faith radio program on KMED at 8:15 Sunday morning.

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Lutheran Youth To Spring Rally

Approximately 25 teenagers and six adults of the Walther League of St. Peter Evangelical Lutheran church, 1020 East Main st., will travel to Klamath Falls this weekend for a gathering of young Lutherans from southern Oregon.

The spring rally, held each year, is designed not only to furnish opportunity for the young folks to meet each other, but to study, worship and play together.

This is a zone meeting of the Walther League. The zone consists of congregations from Sutherlin to Klamath Falls. Joe Bailey from the Medford League is chairman of the zone, and Roberta Gamaehlich, also of Medford, is chairman of the Christian Growth department. Tom Kersten, also of Medford, is treasurer for the zone.

Registration begins for the rally Saturday morning at 10. The Medford group expects to be back in Medford Sunday evening.

Young Christian Group Hears Guest Speaker William J. O'Keefe, Portland, spoke to the Young Christian Worker's at their last meeting Friday evening. He spoke of the Catholic Youth Movements.

Neal Murphy gave a report on the closing of grocery stores on Sunday committee and the Rev. John Ileg led the discussion on religion.

During the past two weeks the group has held a picnic and has gone swimming at Jackson Hot Springs. Another time they attended a brunch at the home of Miss Mary Annette Rentz, program chairman for the group.

Several members plan to attend a week end retreat at Springfield June 7 and 8.

"Soul and Body" will be the subject of the First Church Christ, Scientist, sermon of 11 a.m. Sunday. Everyone is welcome to attend.

Butte Falls Church Group Sets Program

Butte Falls—Good News club of Butte Falls, which meets each Wednesday from 3 to 4 p.m. in the Community Bible church, will present a closing program in that church Sunday at 7 p.m.

Grade school children who comprise the clubs have had a half hour released time for class attendance. The primary division was in charge of Mrs. Louis Crammer. Her assistants were Mrs. Howard Simmonds, Mrs. Harry Dalton, Mrs. Donald Jolliffe and Miss Virginia McAllister.

The upper division group was in charge of Mrs. Linley Berck. Her assistants were Mrs. Duane Burton, Mrs. Ted Fredenburg and Miss Darlene Edmondson.

Chorus singing, flannelgraph stories, memory work and treats were usual parts of each lesson period. Sunday night the children, themselves, will tell the stories so that their adult friends may know what they have learned.

Bible School June 9 is the date for summer Bible school to start at the Community Bible church. From 9 a.m. until noon each day through June 20, there will be daily Bible classes for all children of the area from 4 years to 13 years of age.

Mrs. Harry Dalton is in charge. Some of the other teachers will be Mrs. Crammer and Mrs. Simmonds. The roster is not yet complete and several young people plan to help with crafts and playground activities.

The theme of the school this year will be "Exploring God's Wonders." At the end of the school there will be a closing program.

Last Sunday evening, high school graduates and their friends met in the Assembly of God church for baccalaureate service. The Rev. Leslie Martin of the Assembly

of God church gave the message, "The Squeeze Play."

Dean Bagan of the high school faculty directed the chorus in singing "Now the Day Is Over," and "For the Beauty of the Earth."

Commencement exercises are tonight at 8 o'clock in the high school gymnasium. Loren Messenger of Southern Oregon college will speak on "Pioneers."

Reconciliation, Pastor's Sermon

"The Ministry of Reconciliation" is the theme of the pastor's sermon at the Eastwood Baptist church, North Keeneway dr. at Ridgeway, Sunday. The Rev. Richard M. Jones is the pastor.

The chancel choir, under the direction of Mrs. Jones, will sing the anthem, "Eternal God." Mrs. Dean Anderson will be at the organ.

The Rev. Irwin L. Rogers, public relations director for eastern Oregon of the Oregon Temperance league, will be the speaker at the 7:30 p.m. service. The public is invited to all services of the church.

Eastwood Baptist church is located north of Hedrick Junior High school and is affiliated with the American Baptist convention.

Mr. and Mrs. Jones will attend a conference May 26 through 29 at Linfield college, McMinnville. This conference draws ministers from all western states for training and discussion in stewardship promotion and procedures. Mr. Jones will leave Monday morning for the conference and will return on Friday.

MEDFORD CHURCH DIRECTORY

"Father, I thank thee that thou has heard me." John 11:41.

APOSTOLIC FAITH CHURCH
North Central ave. at Third st.
Loyce Carver, pastor

Sunday:
8:15 a.m.—Radio broadcast KMED
9:30 a.m.—Sunday school
11 a.m.—Morning worship
7:30 p.m.—Evangelistic service
Tuesday:
8 p.m.—Evangelistic service

ASCENSION LUTHERAN CHURCH
2501 Barnett dr.
Elvin S. Tollefson, pastor

Saturday:
9:30 a.m.—Senior confirmation class
Sunday:
9:45 a.m.—Sunday school
11 a.m.—Divine worship
7:30 p.m.—Luther league
Wednesday:
7:30 p.m.—Church membership class
Thursday:
7:30 p.m.—Senior choir

BETHEL ASSEMBLY OF GOD
1725 North Riverside
L. D. Krause, pastor

Sunday:
9:45 a.m.—Sunday school
11 a.m.—Worship service
6 p.m.—C. A. Youth service
7 p.m.—Evangelistic rally
Wednesday:
7:30 p.m.—Guest speaker, the Rev. N. D. Davidson

CHURCH OF CHRIST
1056 Court Street
Sunday:
8:30 a.m.—Radio program, KMED
10:30 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.—Worship services
Wednesday:
7:30 p.m.—Bible study

CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN
345 North Mary st.
Essel Hiler, pastor

Sunday:
11 a.m.—Church school
11 a.m.—Worship
6:30 p.m.—Youth choir
6:30 p.m.—Adult study group
7 p.m.—Youth meeting
7:30 p.m.—Adult choir
8 p.m.—Youth recreation hour

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH
(United Church of Christ)
300 Oakwood dr.
(1 block south of East Main on Groveland ave.)
Thomas McCamant, minister

Sunday:
9:45 and 11 a.m.—Sunday school
9:45 and 11 a.m.—Church worship
7 p.m.—Pilgrim fellowship

UNITY CENTER
of MEDFORD
Affiliated
Unity Church of Christianity,
Lee's Summit, Mo.
Sun. Devotional Service 11 a.m.
Sun. School—Children
All ages 11:00 a.m.
at
PYTHIAN HALL
WEEKLY CLASSES
Thursday Mid-Week Service
7:30 p.m.
Friday Morning 11:00 a.m.
in Center Room
Center Open Daily
10 a.m. til 4 p.m.
HOLLY BUILDING
Katherine Bosworth, Minister
Residence TA 6-2098
Office SP 2-6902

THE HARMONAIRES

Male Quartet From Headquarters Church in Portland will be featured in both services
SUNDAY 11:00 a.m. and 7:50 p.m.
also on
APOSTOLIC MEDITATIONS
Radio Broadcast—KMED—8:15 a.m.
(They will also sing in the Grants Pass, Apostolic Faith Church—3:00 p.m.)

APOSTOLIC FAITH CHURCH

3rd & Central
Medford, Oregon
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