



SPEAKER—The Rev. Royal L. Peck, director of Instituto Biblico Evangelico, Rome, Italy, will speak Tuesday, Feb. 14, at the Central Point Community Bible church at 7:45 p.m. Mr. Peck believes that the rise of communism and the economics challenge of a recovered and united Europe is presenting the worldwide missionary program with one of the most formidable threats it has ever faced.

Banquet Planned By Nazarenes

"Essentials in Christian Living" is the subject of the series of messages now being given by the Rev. Harold M. Sanner, pastor of the First Church of the Nazarene, 520 North Holly st.

During the 11 a.m. service, the sanctuary choir will sing "When Jesus Meets the Soul," and a tenor solo will be brought by Bob Andersen.

Topic for the pastor's message in the 7 p.m. evangelistic service is "The Plus in Christianity."

The annual sweetheart banquet, sponsored each year by the teen-age fellowship and held during the Valentine season, will be held Feb. 17. Voting for the king and queen along with their court has been going on for some time among the teen-agers of the church. Announcement of those elected will be made at the banquet. The Marvin Smiths are sponsors of teen-fellowship and its president is Ruth Stehl.

The Sunday school cabinet of the church, of which Bill Brewster, Central Point, is superintendent and chairman, have worked out plans for the pre-Easter and spring program. Each of the departments have assumed a goal of double their enrollment for the Easter attendance with a total goal of 1,000 for that day.

Second in Sermon Series Planned

Jacksonville — The pastor of the Assembly of God church in Jacksonville, the Rev. W. Elwood Irby, will give the second in a series of sermons Sunday from Luke the 15th chapter. The subject for the 11 a.m. service is "The Lost Coin."

Sunday at the 7:30 p.m. service Pastor Irby will speak on the subject "God is Faithful."

Wednesday at 7:30 p.m. the Christ Ambassador's will meet. The newly elected officers will conduct the meeting. They are Mrs. Donald Hayes, president; Mrs. David Herndon, vice president; Pat Vaughn, secretary, and Patty Adair, treasurer.

Sacred Heart Lists Masses, Devotions

Masses and devotions in Sacred Heart Catholic church are being scheduled during the coming Lenten season with the purpose of making it possible for most parishioners to attend mass and receive holy communion daily, according to the pastor, the Very Rev. Carl Mail.

Beginning Ash Wednesday three daily masses will be said, at 6:45 and 8 a.m. and at 8 p.m.

Also on Ash Wednesday the ashes of blessed palms will be distributed following each of the masses, and in the afternoon for the school children. These ashes will be blessed before the first mass of the day, at about 6:30 a.m.

First Baptist Tells Subjects

"The Great Emancipator" will be the sermon subject of the Rev. Edward C. Stauffer at First Baptist church Sunday at the 11 a.m. worship hour. Maynard Hadley will direct the chapel choir, and Miss Julia Gandt will sing "After."

Following the Baptist Youth League and Adult Bible Study class at 6:30 p.m., is the evening gospel hour, which begins at 7:45 p.m. The message of the evening, entitled "The Course of Indecision," will be given by Pastor Stauffer. Charles Church will direct the youth choir; music will also be provided by Paul Hornbeck, Mrs. Ruth Clark, and Miss Dorothy Lawton.

Two Christian service projects by groups of the church will be carried out during the week. Sunday at 2:30 p.m. the young people will conduct a service at the Jackson County Farm Home. Monday, Feb. 13, the church will have charge of the 7:30 p.m. service at the Medford Gospel Mission.

First Baptist church is located in downtown Medford at the corner of North Central ave. and Fifth st.

Nocturnal Adoration Programs Planned

The monthly Sacred Heart parish daytime and nocturnal adoration programs will take place tomorrow, Feb. 11, in the church.

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament will begin at 1 p.m. with the general parish adoration devotion continuing until 9 p.m. At that time the men's Nocturnal Adoration Society prayers will begin and continue throughout the night, ending just before the 6 a.m. Sunday mass.

Purposes of the 17 hours of continuous prayer and meditation are to give honor and glory to God and to Christ in the Blessed Sacrament, to make reparation for transgressions, to give thanks for favors received, and to ask for religious vocations and for the general well-being of the parish, according to the Very Rev. Carl Mail, parish pastor.

All parishioners and their friends are invited to spend an hour of their choice in church. Men who are interested in being enrolled as members of the Nocturnal Adoration Society may call Joseph Kindell, SPring 2-2820, for further information.

1957 Award of Merit Winner



CHURCH NEWS

National Religious Publicity Council

God and Country Awards To Be Given Eight Boys

Eight boys will receive the God and Country Scout award at the second worship service Sunday morning at the First Christian church.

The boys all attend the First Christian church and are members of Troops 9 and 14. They are Paul Branchfield, Norman Campbell, Dale Carson, David Doty, Greg Gaudet, Ron Gaudet, Bob Harrison and Jim Lonzway. They have been working under the direction of the Rev.

Presbyterians List Activities For Coming Week

Central Point — "What God Can Do for Our Moods" will be the title of the sermon to be preached at the 11 a.m. worship service Sunday at the First Presbyterian church, Central Point. Following the service a coffee hour will be held in the church fellowship hall.

Church school and Adult Bible study classes begin at 9:45 a.m. Sunday. The Adult Bible study class meets at the home of the Rev. Robert Olmsted, pastor, 20 Crater lane. There is also an Adult Bible class which meets Mondays at 7 p.m. at 20 Crater lane.

The Westminster Fellowship will meet at the home of Miss Jan Campbell, 3252 Purcell rd., at 7 p.m. Sunday. Misses June Hopkins, Jackie Glines and Jan Campbell will present the program.

The Deacons will hold their monthly meeting at the church Tuesday, Feb. 14 at 7:30 p.m.

Jacksonville — During Lent the Jacksonville First Presbyterian church will be the center of an extensive program emphasizing the world mission of the church.

Meetings will be held each Thursday from Feb. 16 through March 30. This series of meetings will feature outstanding and dedicated missionaries, pastors and laymen. Thursday marks the first in the series and will begin with a discussion period of "The Nature of the World in Which We Live" from 7:30-8:15 p.m. and conclude with a series of pictures and a talk on the educational and evangelistic work in Colombia by Dr. Robert W. Lutz, former executive secretary of the Mission in Colombia.

The pastor, the Rev. King K. Jones returns to the pulpit Sunday morning. He will preach on "God Provides a Way." The choir will sing "Lord, I Will Follow Thee." The solo part will be sung by Miss Jane Anders.

Cub Scouts and Boy Scouts of the community will be honored during the morning worship Sunday. The Cub Pack sponsored by the church will participate by repeating their oath. Boy Scouts assisting in the service will be Larry Hogan leading the responsive reading and Rafe Anders reading the morning Scripture reading. Roger Perreard and Lonnie Walters will act as ushers.

The officers of the Jacksonville Westminster Fellowship will meet in the manse at 6 p.m. Sunday for a planning meeting. At 7 p.m. the Jacksonville Westminster Fellowship will meet in the church. The pastor will give a brief talk on some of his experiences during his recent vacation: "Lessons From the Lift Line."

Phoenix — Sunday will be Boy Scout Sunday at the Phoenix First Presbyterian church. All Boy Scouts, Cub Scouts and their parents are invited to attend the 11 a.m. services.

The sermon will be "Which Bible Version is Inspired?" by Rev. William A. Saladin. A prayer meeting for church school teachers and interested members will be held at 9 a.m. Sunday. This will precede the 9:45 a.m. Sunday school program.

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Glenn McKerrow, associate minister of the church, for 15 months to complete requirements for this high award. Members of Troop 9, sponsored by the church, will attend church as a group.

Mr. McKerrow will preach at both services Sunday morning on the subject "Consecrated Christian Citizens."

At the first service the youth choir will sing "Two Wings." At the second service Gary Beard will sing "The Living God" and the chapel choir will give the anthem "O Rejoice, Ye Christians, Loudly."

The coffee hour following the second service will honor the scouts who receive the God and Country award and their parents. Mrs. L. George Bannister and Mrs. Donald E. House will be the hostesses.

Closing Session — The closing session of the School of Missions will begin Sunday at 6 p.m. It will be in the form of a festival and each department will display and demonstrate the work they have done during the past six weeks. The Junior High department will give the devotions.

The Come-Join-Us class will have a dinner party Tuesday at 7 p.m. in Fellowship hall. The Elders and Deacons will also meet Tuesday at 7:30 p.m. in the church.

A Worker's Conference for all church school teachers, superintendents and workers will be held Thursday at 7:30 p.m.

Friday the Chi Rho Fellowship will have a planning retreat at the church from 4 to 8:30 p.m. Programs for the next six months will be set up.

The Rev. Fredrick Ross Evans is planning to have five pastor's membership classes next month for those interested in joining the church during the Easter season. Each class will be for a different age group.

Events Listed For Church of Christ

Central Point — Aubrey Slith, superintendent of the Bible school of Central Point Church of Christ, Third and Oak sts., is planning a worker's conference Tuesday, Feb. 14, at 7:30 p.m. All teachers and officers of the school are to attend to assist in the planning for the spring months.

Mr. Jean M. Shelley, minister, will speak Sunday at the 10:45 a.m. worship service on "Buried Treasure."

Mike and Rosanna Shelley will sing. At the 7:30 p.m. service the youth orchestra and choir will be featured. Mr. Shelley will speak on "Hidden Greatness."

The hour of power service is held each week at 7:30 p.m. on Wednesdays.

Mr. Shelley will start a series of messages on the home at the Feb. 19 service. Love, courtship and marriage will be discussed with questionnaires being filled out in advance by all interested.

The Win Sum class will sponsor a pie social and fellowship time at the Central Point Grange hall Thursday, Feb. 16, for all church members, Bible school and their friends. Each family attending is to take enough pie for their family.

Roundtable Topic Given For Sunday

The Ministers Roundtable, heard Sundays at 8:05 a.m. over radio station KMED, deals this week with explaining some terms used by Christians but frequently misunderstood.

The terms to be explained are: "Sanctification, holiness, saint, and separated (as in a separated life)." Panelists will endeavor to explain how these terms are used in the Bible and what they mean in modern life.

Participants in the discussion will be the Rev. George G. Roseberry, First Methodist church, and Clynton Crisman, Friends church. The Rev. Fred Sapp, Adventist Christian church, will moderate.

Boy Scouts To Be Honored At Westminister Topics Given for Presbyterians

"How To Get Ahead" will be the subject of a sermon to be delivered by Dr. D. K. West at the First Presbyterian church Sunday at both the 9:30 and the 11 a.m. services.

At the early service the youth choir will be heard in "Round Me Falls the Night" and an anthem based on the 88th Psalm by Kettering will be sung by the chapel choir at 11 a.m. Miss Colleen Barr will sing "My Redeemer and My Lord" for both services.

The Junior High cabinet will meet Sunday at 5 p.m. and Youth Fellowship for senior highs will meet at 7 p.m. in the fireplace room. A special presentation on the life of Lincoln will be given by Dr. John Brandenburg with Fireside following at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Hatch, 944 Whitman st.

Youth Night for senior highs is held each Wednesday at 5:45 p.m. with a potluck supper at the church followed by study in Book 2, Chapter 4, of "Mere Christianity." Choir practice will be held from 7 to 8 p.m.

Three separate groups are meeting in preparation for

Sweethearts' Service Planned

The Sunday evening service of the Central Church of Christ, North Central ave., and Jackson st., will be a "Sweethearts' Service," dedicated to the Christian concept of love and marriage.

The sermon by John V. Heberling, minister, will be entitled "It Begins With Our." There will be recognition of the couples present who have been married the longest and the most recently.

In keeping with the congregation's "Homecoming Month," the honored guests will be all couples who were married in the present building of the church. The homecoming celebration is being held during the last month of meetings in the present location. Services are at 7:30 p.m.

At 11 a.m. the congregation assemblies for morning worship. The minister will speak on the theme "Have You Lost Jesus?" At all services during homecoming month former members of Central Church will be recognized.

Young people of the church meet for study groups at 6:30 p.m. Sunday evening. The minister will meet with the senior group for a discussion of what the Bible says about capital punishment. Teen-agers meet at 6 p.m. for a half hour of games.

Prayer Vigil Set For St. Luke's

In preparation for the prayer vigil to be conducted Wednesday, Feb. 15, the sermon topic to be preached Sunday by the Rev. Melvin Dixon, minister of St. Luke's Methodist church, will be "Three Reasons for Prayer's Necessity."

The chapel choir will sing "The First Psalm." Supervised nursery is provided for small children and infants during both Sunday school and church.

The Senior Methodist Youth Fellowship will go to Cave Junction Sunday afternoon for a sub-district rally.

The last session of the Missions study course will be held at 7:30 p.m. Sunday with Dr. P. Malcolm Hammond, Ashland Methodist church, leading the study and discussion.

The official board will meet Tuesday at 8:15 p.m. with the commission on missions meeting at 7:30 p.m. Methodist men's breakfast is held Wednesday at 6:45 a.m.

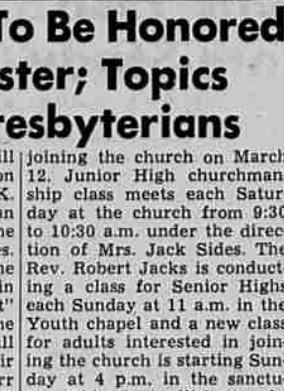
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THE REV. I. E. GILLET
Missionary To Speak

Pastor To Meet; Speaker Listed

Dr. George G. Roseberry, minister of First Methodist church, and Mrs. Roseberry, will attend the Hawaiian Methodist conference Feb. 22 to 26 in Honolulu. They will leave Portland Feb. 16 and return Feb. 28. They will also visit friends and vacation in the Islands.

The Rev. Ira E. Gillet, an Oregon Methodist conference missionary to Africa, will speak at the 9:30 and 11 a.m. worship services Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Gillet have spent more than 30 years on the mission field in Africa.

He will also speak at the School of Missions at 5:30 p.m. and will show a movie "Non-Whites at Worship" for the inspirational hour.

There will be a brief observance in the 11 a.m. service for National Boy Scout week. Troop 7 boys and their parents will attend as a group.

A Great Decisions meeting will be held as a community gathering at the church at 3 p.m. Sunday.

Junior High Methodist Youth Fellowship will meet at 4:30 p.m. The devotional program will be led by Sue Harney and Shirley Epps. They go to the Kent home for a fireside afterwards.

The Senior High MYF will attend the sub-district rally at Cave Junction Sunday from 3 to 7 p.m.

There will be a Rogue Valley meeting for all members of the commission on evangelism at Grants Pass Monday at 7:30 p.m. Bishop A. Raymond Grant and Dr. Lloyd Dougherty of the general board of evangelism from Nashville, Tenn., will be speakers.

The commission on finance will meet Monday at 7:45 p.m. at the church.

Minister Tells Text For Sunday Sermon

The Scripture which deals with the healing of blind Bartimaeus, has been chosen as the sermon text for Sunday's service at St. Peter's Lutheran church, 1020 Main st., by the pastor, the Rev. John E. Simon. The service begins at 11 a.m.

St. Peter's will again sponsor a series of Wednesday Lenten services beginning Wednesday, Feb. 15. The "Cross" will be the central theme of the sermons, with Wednesday's theme being, "Steps to the Cross." The services will begin at 7:30 p.m. Pastor Simon will be in the pulpit.

Father, Daughter Banquet Scheduled

A Father and Daughter banquet will be held Saturday, Feb. 11 at the Zion Lutheran church at 6:30 p.m. This is the first time that the banquet has been held.

Special recognition will be given to the youngest and oldest dads and the dad with the most daughters. A film will be shown after the dinner.

Sunday at 4 p.m. the first class in a series in preparation for church membership for adults will be held. The lectures and discussions will be given on the catechism and doctrine of the Lutheran church.



THE REV. ALTON J. CROUSE
Minister of the Advent Christian church

Advent Christian Lists Activities; Services Planned

"When Do We Need Revival?" will be the sermon topic Sunday at the 11 a.m. worship service at Advent Christian church, 704 Welch st. The Rev. Fred O. Capp, pastor will speak.

Adults and children will meet at 9:45 a.m. for a song and devotional service before going to their Sunday school classrooms.

Children attend Junior church chapel at 11 a.m.

Sunday the bimonthly church business meeting will be held.

The Rev. Alton J. Crouse, minister of the Advent Christian church, Lewiston, Idaho, will conduct a 10-day series of evangelistic services at the church. The service will start Tuesday, Feb. 14, and continue at 7:30 p.m. through Feb. 24.

Mr. and Mrs. Sapp and children recently returned from a trip throughout the western Oregon section of the Pacific coast association of which he is liaison officer.

After visiting the Colton, Ore., and Portland churches the family traveled to Seattle where he attended the Pacific Coast association board meeting of the church. While in the area they visited with the ministers and families from Lynnwood and Bellingham, Wash., friends of the local minister.

Monday the annual Sweethearts Night will be held when members of the Men's Fellowship will take their wives to dinner.



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The Bible does not merely contain God's word—it is God's word. Some thousands times the Bible affirms, "Thus saith the Lord."

Some have suggested the Bible cannot be our sole guide in religious matters. They have pointed to the divisions among those who profess to follow it as proof of the inadequacy of the Bible. Yet this does not follow. Paul said "God is not the author of confusion" (1 Cor. 14:33). Yet God is the author of the Bible. The deeds of rebellion and division have always been even before the Bible.

Why have those who claim to follow the Bible not found religious unity? Men have rejected it while claiming to follow it. Many, seeking to follow it permit themselves to be guided by various sets of wrong rules of interpretation and still others reject the word for the traditions of men. How could any book or any voice bring about unity when men reject all or part of it? The Bible will bring about unity just as surely as anything else if men will heed it. The fault is not in God's word but in men. Read your Bible. Study and learn it. It is God's word to every man.

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