



THE REV. A. L. CRABTREE
Here Next Week

Revival Services To Open Tuesday

The Rev. Allen L. Crabtree, Seattle, will open revival services at the Apostolic Faith church, Third St. and Central Ave., Tuesday, March 7, at 8 p.m. He has been heard in Medford at other times during the past few years, and will have just completed a series of meetings in the Grants Pass church.

Mr. Crabtree will hold services here each week night except Monday and Saturday and on Sunday at 11 a.m. and 8 p.m. Young people's meeting will be held as usual at 3 p.m. Sunday.

Music by the organ, harp, orchestra, mixed chorus, male chorus and various singing groups and soloists will be a feature of every service. Tuesday night the "Singing Strings," a trio of violin and voice, Marie Jones, Barbara Robinson, and Bessie Burchfield, will present the prelude to the service.

There is a supervised nursery for small children.

Crusade To End This Week End

This week end the evangelistic crusade at the First Church of the Nazarene, 520 North Holly St., will close. Services will be held tonight at 7:30 o'clock and Sunday at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.

The Rev. C. B. Cox, Upland, Calif., the evangelist for the crusade, will speak tonight on "The Way to God." His Sunday messages are "Clear Thinking and Intelligent Action" and "Heaven's Ambassador in a Sinful World."

Music for the crusade has been provided by local talent with Dean von Stein as director of the congregational singing. Music for Sunday morning's service will be provided by the sanctuary choir and a tenor solo by Bob Andersen.

The Rev. Harold M. Sanner, pastor, and Bill Brewster, Sunday school superintendent, have announced that Sunday begins a Secret Church contest. The Medford First Nazarene Sunday School will be in an attendance contest with Sunday and continuing through April 2.

NEW AGE CHURCH
"The Walls of Jericho" will be the subject of a lecture at 2:30 p.m. Sunday by Dr. Dell E. Millard at the New Age church, north of Eagle Point, on Hammel rd. Preceding the lecture there will be a fellowship dinner at 1 p.m. and a musical program at 2 p.m.

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Dr. D. Kirkland West, Pastor
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Rev. Harold M. Sanner, Pastor

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Presbyterians Announce Sunday Sermon Topics

Central Point — Sunday morning the Rev. Robert W. Olmsted will be back in the pulpit of the First Presbyterian church after having attended the United Presbyterian Men's meeting in Sacramento last week. His sermon will be on the theme of this year's meeting "God So Loved—He Gave."

Following the 11 a.m. worship service a coffee hour will be held in the fellowship hall.

The Westminster Fellowship will meet at 7 p.m. Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Foote on Scenic Ave. Mr. Olmsted will lead the group in a Bible study.

The Adult Bible Study class will resume Monday at 7 p.m. at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Olmsted, 20 Crater Lane.

The session will meet for the regular monthly meeting at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday at the home of Max Clark, 1115 East Pine St.

Jacksonville — Thursday at 7:30 p.m. at First Presbyterian church, Jacksonville, the series of Lenten Mission Study programs will be held.

The topic for discussion will be "The Meaning of Ecumenical Mission." The adult discussion will be led by the Rev. Andrew Jarvis, pastor of the Mt. Laki Presbyterian church, Klamath Falls, while the young people's discussion will be led by the Rev. Robert C. Patten, pastor of the Reedsport Presbyterian church.

At 8:20 p.m. the film "An Epistle from the Koreans" will be shown. This film tells of the brutal murder by a Philadelphia gang of a young Korean student at the University of Pennsylvania and of the letter written by his parents following his death.

The sermon during the 11 a.m. Sunday worship service, "Where Love and Justice Meet" is another in the series of Lenten sermons "The Meaning of the Death of Christ." The Rev. King Jones will speak. The choir will sing the anthem "With My Hand in Thine" with Dave Allen singing the solo part.

The last instruction class for new members will be held in the church at 4 p.m. New members will be received into the fellowship of the church on Palm Sunday.

What Do We Mean—God's Country? a topic dealing with the principle of separation of church and state will be the theme for the Jacksonville Westminster Fellowship Sunday at 7 p.m. This will be the regular monthly fireside meeting held in the home of one of the members.

Phoenix — The Rev. William Saladin will speak on "How to Make Christianity an Every Day Reality" for the 11 a.m. services Sunday in the Phoenix First Presbyterian church.

The pastor will resume his classes at 4 p.m. Sunday at the church.

An open house for Mr. and Mrs. Ray Clafin, church members, will be held Sunday from 2 to 5 p.m. at the Kelly Brooks home, 1180 Spring St., Medford, in honor of their 10th wedding anniversary.

Wednesday office hours will be held at the church by the pastor from 3 to 5 p.m. Bible study on the Book of Romans will be held at the manse at 8 p.m.



FIRST CHURCH OF GOD—Although construction is continuing on the new building for the First Church of God, 2000 Crater Lake Ave., the congregation has been holding services in the completed unit at right. The first unit, according to the Rev. W. E. Martin, pastor, includes six classrooms, a pastor's office and study and the fellowship hall. Completion of the second unit is scheduled for June 1.

Confirmation Ceremonies Scheduled at Sacred Heart

Confirmation ceremonies, in which each candidate is anointed with a chrism of olive oil and balsam and receives a light blow on the cheek as a reminder of the suffering which, like Christ, he might have to undergo for his faith, will take place Sunday in Sacred Heart Catholic church.

Here to administer the sacrament to 75 children and adults will be the Most Rev. Edward D. Howard, DD, archbishop of Portland in Oregon.

The liturgical exercises are scheduled to begin at 4 p.m.

and friends and relatives of the candidates are invited to attend.

Archbishop Howard will be assisted at the afternoon ceremonies by the Very Rev. Carl Mai, pastor of Sacred Heart parish, and by the Rev. William McLeod and the Rev. John A. Hig, assistant pastors.

Altar boys will include Joe Kaiser, mitre bearer; Paul Elliott, crozier bearer; Dick Evans, book bearer; and Tom Roulier, candle bearer.

Donald Sweeney, president of the Confraternity of Christian Doctrine, and Mrs. Sweeney will act as sponsors for the confirmation candidates.

Marian Choir
The Marian Choir of St. Mary's High school will sing "Ecce Sacerdos" and "Sancte Veni Spiritus," traditional hymns for the solemn occasion.

A Knights of Columbus Fourth Degree honor guard is also scheduled to assist at the Sunday afternoon rites. Later that evening, Archbishop Howard will be guest of honor at a K. of C. initiation banquet at the Rogue Valley Country club.

A Pontifical High mass will be celebrated by the archbishop at 9 a.m. Monday, March 6, with the assistance of several of the clergy of the Medford deanery. Father Mai will be archpriest; Father McLeod, deacon; the Rev. James F. Dillon, pastor of All Souls church, Myrtle Creek, sub-deacon; the Rev. William S. Walsh, pastor of Our Lady of the Mountain church, Ashland, and the Rev. Rudolph Gerhart, chaplain at Sacred Heart hospital, deacons of honor. Father Hig will be master of ceremonies.

Altar boys, in addition to those participating in the confirmation ceremonies, will be Michael O'Neill, thurifer; James Calhoun and Pat Stinson, acolytes; and David Nicoletti, John Lowry, Daniel Stinson, Steven Rose, Stephen Dugan and Randy Dibble, torch-bearers.

Occasional Sermon
The Rev. Bernard Singleton, pastor of St. Anne church, Grants Pass, will deliver the occasional sermon.

The "People's Mass" will be sung by the combined student bodies of St. Mary's grade and high schools.

Westminster
The regular Sunday worship of the Westminster Presbyterian church will be held at 11 a.m. in the church, located on Oakwood dr. between Barneby and Grove-Land aves.

The Rev. John Reynolds will preach on the subject "Anchors of Life" and the church choir will sing the anthem "Oh, That I Had a Thousand Voices." During the hour there are two child-care nurseries for children of preschool age and a children's church program which meets in the sanctuary with the adults for the first portion of the worship service for children from 5 through 10 years.

The Senior High Fellowship has invited the parents of the young people to its meeting Sunday at 7 p.m. at the church. A panel of adults and youth will conduct a discussion on the subject of family worship. There will be a time for fellowship and refreshments after the meeting.

The Junior High Fellowship will meet at 6 p.m. at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Milne, 220 North Keeneyway dr. After an opening worship service, a film on the subject "China Under Communism" will be shown and discussed.

Wednesday, March 8, a church family night dinner will be held at 6:30 p.m. in the Fellowship hall. The Rev. John Phillips, field representative, will be the guest speaker.

JACKSONVILLE TOPICS
Jacksonville — The Rev. James R. Hendricks, pastor of Community Bible church, Jacksonville, will speak Sunday at the 11 a.m. worship service on "Grafting." An open forum will be held at 7 p.m. Sunday on Acts 11:19-30.

Prayer and Bible study is slated for Wednesday, March 8 at 8 p.m. at the church. Miss Cunningham will be in charge of the lesson.

Choir practice to prepare for Easter music will be held at the church Friday, March 10 at 7 p.m.

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Central Church To Meet In Lincoln Gym

Central Church of Christ will meet Sunday morning at the Lincoln school gymnasium, Bartlett and Maple sts.

Services will begin with Bible school at 9:45 a.m. All classes, except the pre-school age, will view a Visualized Bible Study film on the Old Testament. Pre-schoolers will meet at the Henney home, 625 North Central Ave. for their class session.

Worship service will begin at 11 a.m. The message will begin a series, "Roads of the Christlike Life," the first one being entitled "The Road to Jerusalem." John V. Heberling, minister, will be the speaker.

Junior Boys and Junior Girls Youth groups will both meet at the Henney home at 6:30 p.m. The Senior Youth group will meet at the Bennett home, 73 Clover Lane, at 8 p.m.

Worship at 7:30 p.m. will meet this week at the Bennett home. Mr. Heberling's message at that hour will be on the theme "A Going Faith."

Central church is meeting in various temporary quarters until their new building at Holmes and Oakdale sts. is completed.

Medford Presbyterians List Subjects, Music

"For God so loved . . . that He gave . . ." from John 3:16 is the text of a sermon, "God's Love — My Response," to be given Sunday by Dr. D. K. West at the First Presbyterian church at 9:30 and 11 a.m.

At the first service the youth choir will sing "I Sing As I Arise Today," directed by the Rev. Robert Jacks. Lynn Sjolund will lead the church choir in "King of Kings" at the second service. At both services, Mrs. D. G. MacDougall will sing "A Prayer for Love."

The Junior High Fellowship will meet in the church's fireplace room at 5 p.m. Sunday to see the film, "The Long Stride." The discussion will be led by Janet Sherrill and Sandra Irving. Seventh grade will provide worship and refreshments.

Senior highs will have their Youth Fellowship meeting at 7 p.m. Sunday, meeting to see same film. Fireside will follow at the home of Mr. and Mrs. David Irving, 2103 Hillcrest dr.

College-career young people will meet Sunday at 7 p.m. at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Wolf, 1517 South Ivy Dr. Frances Horowitz, psychology professor at Southern Oregon college, will speak on the topic of Judaism.

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Second in Sermon Series Set Sunday

At the Congregational church Sunday the Rev. Thomas McCamant will preach the second in his series of sermons on "The Acts of Jesus." The theme of this one will be, "He Helped."

There are two services, at 9:45 and 11 a.m. with the church school meeting only at the 9:45 a.m. hour. Mrs. Truman Nelson will sing a solo at the first service and the choir, directed by Norman Carothers, will sing an anthem at 11 a.m.

The Pilgrim Fellowship meets Sunday at 7 p.m. At a meeting of the church council on Wednesday evening it was voted to release the pastor May 1 to begin his ministry at the Community Congregational church, Hubbard, Ore.

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THE REV. PATRICK MAJOR
Sunday Evening Speaker

Missionary To Speak Here Sunday

The Rev. Patrick Major, who has served as a missionary in India under the Conservative Baptist Foreign Mission board for a number of years, will be guest speaker at First Baptist church Sunday at the 7:45 p.m. gospel hour.

Mr. Major, who emphasizes evangelism and the training of new Christians in his ministry in India, is supported in part by the Medford church and has spoken to the local congregation in past years.

Music for the evening service will include a duet by Miss Linda Scott and Roland Gangstee and a youth choir number, directed by Charles Church.

"God's Standard for a Christian," will be the sermon subject of the Rev. Edward C. Stauffer at the 11 a.m. worship hour Sunday. Miss Carol Gresham will play a violin solo, and Maynard Hadley will direct the chapel choir.

Temperance Commitment Day Planned Saturday by Adventists

Temperance Commitment Day, a day when Seventh-day Adventists renew their position of total abstinence from alcohol and tobacco, will be held by the Medford and Valley View churches

Saturday and by fellow church members around the world.

Church members will be invited to join the American Temperance Society during the morning service. Members will distribute a pamphlet entitled "Just a Human Statistic" throughout the community in the afternoon.

Adventists have taken the position, that the only final alternative and scientific solution known for alcoholism is total abstinence. No one is baptized or admitted into church fellowship who smokes or drinks.

An invitation is extended each year not only to Seventh-day Adventists but to all members of the community to sign the temperance pledge and to enroll in the American Temperance Society. The church also produces a wide range of publications and films for use in temperance education.

Missionary Series Planned by Friends

A missionary conference is being sponsored by the Friends churches of Medford, Ashland and Talent this week, Wednesday through Sunday, with Marshall Cavit, Wilmore, Ky., as guest speaker.

He will hold services each evening at 7:30 p.m. in the three valley churches. They will be Wednesday, Ashland; Thursday and Sunday, Talent; Friday and Saturday, Medford. He will also speak for the 9:45 and 11 a.m. worship services in the Medford church Sunday.

Sponsored by World Gospel Mission, Mr. Cavit has served 12 years with the Friends Bolivian Mission on the highlands surrounding La Paz. He has recently completed a world tour, visiting mission stations in many lands. As part of each service he will show slides taken in these various countries, telling of conditions there.

Gideons To Conduct Worship Service

Gold Hill — The Gideons will have charge of the worship service at Gold Hill Assembly of God church, Sunday at 11 a.m.

"The Question From The Middle Cross" will be the sermon subject by the Rev. Charles Pearson, pastor of the church during the 7:30 p.m. worship. Mrs. Ruth McCoy will have charge of the music.

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CHURCH NEWS

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Nocturnal Adoration Society To Meet

The Nocturnal Adoration Society of Sacred Heart parish will hold its third biennial general meeting and election of officers Wednesday, March 8, at 8 p.m. in the activities room of St. Mary's school.

All Catholics men of the area whether or not they are enrolled members of the Society are welcome to attend, according to Joseph Kindell, president of the organization. An explanation of the aims and privileges of membership will be given.

The local unit of the Nocturnal Society was organized in March, 1957, as a project of the Catholic activity committee of the Knights of Columbus. Its monthly program of prayer and meditation has been carried on continuously since that time on the second Saturday night of every month. As a unit of the national association, it is affiliated with the Archconfraternity of Nocturnal Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament in Rome.

Membership Requirements
Membership in the Society is open to all Catholic men, priests and laymen, who promise to spend one hour of adoration a month before the Blessed Sacrament exposed during the night.

During the year 1960, the 76 active members of the Medford unit spent a total of 761 hours in nocturnal prayer. Members are divided into

nine bands with each band taking a monthly assigned hour for prayer on a rotation basis. Leaders of the nine bands are Dan Hull, John O'Hara, Stan Purcell, Ed Winahan, John Hochstatter, Michael Altobello, Arnold Paradis, Larry Duff and Ernest Flakus.

Two men, Xavier Widmer and Kindell, have a record of four years of perfect attendance.

Outgoing Nocturnal Society officers, in addition to the president, include Perry Reyburn, vice president; Art Fritz, recording secretary; Robert Naumes, corresponding secretary; Lee Meeker, treasurer; and Lewell Dupray, marshal.

The Nocturnal Hours will be said again Saturday, March 11, beginning at 9 p.m. Non-members are invited to participate during any of the hours which will continue until 6 a.m. Sunday in Sacred Heart church.

**Amateur Hour Set
Saturday Night**

The music department of Rogue River academy will present an amateur hour program at the Lincoln school gymnasium Saturday at 7:30 p.m.

The theme will be "Neapolitan Nights" and will be in three sections, grades one through seven, eight through ten, and an adult section.

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7:30 p.m. Popular Evening Service
Topic: "Between God and Man."

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"But in vain they do worship me, teaching for doctrines the commandments of men. . . . Let them alone; they are blind leaders of the blind. And if the blind lead the blind, both shall fall into the ditch." (Matthew 15:9 and 14). These words spoke Jesus concerning the scribes and Pharisees, religious leaders of that day.

God has never honored man's efforts to worship and teach, unless these efforts were according to His will. History is replete with accounts of the downfall of those who blindly followed foolish leaders.

We live in a land blessed with much learning and many Bibles. But, sectarian practices, and the traditions and doctrines of men are so often given the pre-eminence over the Scriptures that millions are happy to follow blindly, rather than to study to show themselves approved unto God (2 Timothy 2:15).

Just as surely as there is one God and one Lord, Jesus brought only one teaching (Ephesians 4:4-5). This one teaching (the Scripture) is not refused because we can not understand it, but because we have not studied it (Ephesians 3:1-4). Christ is rejected today and "Christianism" is divided for the same reason the Jews rejected Christ—ignorance of the Scriptures (John 5:39-40; Luke 23:34; Acts 3:17).

Peter warned that false teachers would arise, "and many shall follow their pernicious ways; by reason of whom the way of truth shall be evil spoken of." (2 Peter 2:1-2). This prophecy has been fulfilled. These false teachers deny that the Scriptures are a complete guide in righteousness, and label them a "confusing book" (2 Timothy 3:16-17). Thus, speaking evil of the way of truth, the Bible, they labor to turn men to accept their infallible history as the true way.

Reader friend, while these and all other opposers of the Truth desire us to follow them instead of the Scriptures, Jesus said: "Let them alone; they are blind leaders of the blind. And if the blind lead the blind, both shall fall into the ditch" (Matthew 15:14). Let us learn to walk in the light of God's word, and the blood of Christ will cleanse our sins (2 Peter 1:19-21, 1 John 1:7).

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