

## Religious Activities Of Week End Told By Valley Catholics

The Mass of the Presanctified, so-called because the holy communion which is distributed was consecrated at the Holy Thursday mass, will begin tonight at 7:30 o'clock in Sacred Heart church.

The ceremonies, in addition to the distribution of holy communion, will consist of the readings of the Old Testament lessons and of the Passion according to John; prayers for all physical and spiritual needs of mankind; the unveiling of the cross during which the "Reproaches," taken from Psalm 135, are sung; and the veneration of the cross.

The rites of the Easter Vigil, which begins the celebration of the Resurrection, will start at 11 p.m. on Holy Saturday. Three Paris

The Easter Vigil services now consist of three distinct parts: the light service, which includes the blessing of the new fire and the blessing of the Paschal candle, the lighting of the people's candles, a solemn procession and the

## Choir To Sing For First Time Sunday Morning

Gold Hill - The Gold Hill Christian church will be a featured part of the Easter service during the 11 a.m. worship Sunday. The choir of men and women, making its first appearance, will sing two selections entitled "The Master Waits" and "Sing All Choirs of Heaven." Mrs. Joe Kaveleski will be pianist. "Art Thou The Christ?" will be the title of the sermon message by Miss Jean Cunningham, minister of the church. Prior to her message, Miss Cunningham will sing a vocal solo entitled the same as her sermon.

Easter will be observed by the Bible school classes during the opening exercises at 9:45 a.m. with a presentation by the Junior Girls class. Mrs. Leonard Andrews is teacher of this group.

Preceding the Bible school classes and morning worship services, an Easter breakfast will be held at the church Sunday at 7:30 a.m. for members of the high school class directed by Clarence Freeman, teacher of the class.

A homecoming dinner held recently at Gold Hill Christian church celebrated the tenth anniversary of the local church.

Among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. Ray Davis, former Gold Hill residents who have been living in Colorado until recently, when they returned to the Medford area. Other out of town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hoyer, Central Point.

A progress history of the church was reviewed by members.

Music included a piano duet by Mrs. Carl Hoyer and Miss Jean Cunningham, minister of the church. A vocal trio composed of Mrs. Hoyer, Mrs. Leonard Andrews and Miss Cunningham also sang.

Galen E. Jordan showed colored slides and spoke on Japan where he was stationed as a chaplain.

## Nazarenes Tell Easter Services

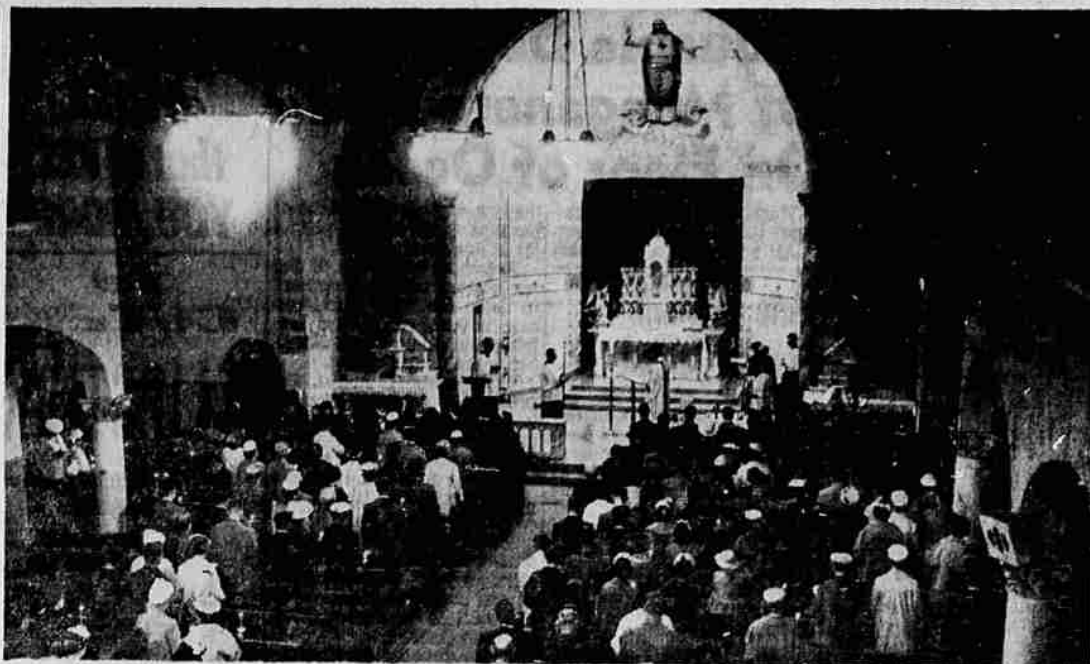
Easter service at the First Church of the Nazarene, 520 North Holly st., will begin at 9:45 a.m.

For the children there will be an Easter presentation in a Bible history flannelgraph portrayal. The Junior and Youth departments will be viewing a sound color film titled, "The Crucifixion and the Resurrection."

The sanctuary choir will sing excerpts from John W. Peterson's Easter Cantata, "No Greater Love," directed by Mrs. Joe Johnson. The pastor, the Rev. Harold M. Sanner, will speak on "The Power of the Empty Tomb."

The a cappella choir from Northwest Nazarene college will give a concert of sacred music at 7 p.m. Sunday. Warren Tippitt is the director of this 33-voice youth choir, and Marvin Spierdier, field representative of the college, will be in charge of the service.

You are invited to the  
Eastside Community Easter Service  
at  
The Hoover School Auditorium  
East Siskiyou Blvd.  
11 A.M. Sunday  
Conducted by  
**ST. LUKE'S METHODIST CHURCH**  
(Nursery provided)



**EASTER VIGIL SERVICE** - Members of Sacred Heart Catholic church will attend Easter Vigil services Saturday starting at 11 p.m. with the rites of the Easter Vigil outside the church. The new fire will be blessed and the paschal candle, which is lighted from it and burns at all ceremonies throughout the Easter season, will also be blessed. The picture shows worshippers who attended the service last year singing the Exultet after the procession when the clergy and laity entered the darkened church and the candles of church lights are put on. (Knackstedt photo)

## World Christians Study Theme Of Third Assembly

New York - "So there is to be another big meeting of the World Council of Churches in New Delhi in November, 1961. That will be the third in 14 years, won't it? Wasn't there one in Amsterdam, and one in the United States at Evanston? I suppose the meetings do some good, but I can't see that they help us very much in our job here with this struggling congregation."

We have all heard the voice before, says the anonymous author of the pre-assembly study booklet, "Who will be at the Third Assembly of the WCC in Delhi? The trusted leaders of the churches, archbishops, bishops, moderators, denominational secretaries and superintendents - theologians and scholars who are expert in various fields of study and research and members of the WCC staff. But many will be pastors, laymen and women," the booklet answers. All of them, including the church leaders, will be there by vote and resolution of the appropriate authorities of the legislative assemblies of their churches.

**World Witnesses To Hear Talk**  
A public talk entitled "The Sacred Bible and Our Problem of Survival" will be delivered at various Kingdom halls throughout the Rogue River valley Sunday. It will also be given in every Kingdom hall of Jehovah's Witnesses throughout the world on that date.

The answer to the question "What Has the Bible to Do With the Survival of the Human Race?" will be given by an ordained minister of Jehovah's Witnesses. The second part of Sunday's program will be on the Watchtower article "Hold Fast Your Joy!"

Friday's program starting at 7:30 p.m. will continue to stress the monthly theme "Copying the Master's Manner of Teaching" by featuring a question and answer discussion of the subject "Teach Children to be Efficient Ministers."

Tuesday's Bible studies held at 8 p.m. will continue to be based on the Bible aid "You May Survive Armageddon into God's New World."

## St. Peter's Lists Good Friday Event

The Good Friday service at St. Peter's Lutheran church, 1020 East Main st., will be held tonight at 7:30 o'clock, according to the Rev. John E. Simon, pastor of the church. Mr. Simon will speak on "The Empty Crosses." A feature of the service will be the reading of the Old Testament Gospel from Isaiah chapters 52 and 53 which predicted the events that took place on Calvary 700 years later.

Three services are scheduled on Easter morning. They include a sunrise service and services at the St. Peter's church at 8 and 11 a.m. The 8 a.m. service will use the regular Sunday morning order of service. Mrs. Ivis Clay will serve as organist. Pastor Simon has chosen as his Easter message at all services, "The Need, Fact, and Meaning of Easter."

The 11 a.m. service will be a communion service with Mrs. Richard Smith at the organ. The choir will sing, "Christ Is Risen!"

**St. Luke's Plans Community Service**  
St. Luke's Methodist church 2940 East Siskiyou Blvd., will conduct the eastside community Easter service at the Hoover school auditorium at 11 a.m.

Hoover school is across the street from St. Luke's, and the service is being held at the school in order to accommodate the larger congregation. Supervised nursery for pre-school children will be provided at the church.

The choral ensemble will sing "With a Voice of Singing" by Martin Shaw and Mrs. Richard Stratton will sing "The Holy City." The Rev. Melvin Dixon, minister of St. Luke's, will preach on the theme, "The Triumph of God!"

## Annual Community Easter Service Set by Methodists

Dr. George G. Roseberry will preach on the theme "Good News of Resurrection" at three Easter services. They will be held at the First Methodist church at 8 and 9:30 a.m. and at 11 a.m. The fifth annual Community Easter service will be held at the Medford High school auditorium.

The youth choir will sing "Hosanna, Jesus Is Risen Again" and "Awake, Awake, Thou Wintery Earth" at the 8 a.m. service. For the 9:30 a.m. service the youth and altar choirs will sing the same anthems and the three choirs of 70 people will sing for the 11 a.m. service.

Following the sunrise service an Easter breakfast will be served at the church for the Junior High Methodist Youth fellowship. The Older Youth Fellowship will have their Easter breakfast at the home of Dr. Vern Wilson, 1556 South Ivy st., at 7:30 a.m.

The Senior High MYF will meet at 6:30 p.m. with Dale Peterson leading the lesson on "Life After Death - the Christian Hope."

The nominating committee and the commission will meet Monday at 7:45 p.m. at the church. The commission on education will meet Tuesday at 7:45 p.m. at the church. The commission on Christian

concerns will also meet Monday at 7:45 p.m. at the Kyker home, 1146 West McAndrews rd.

Thursday noon the Methodist men will meet at 12 noon with the Rev. Clifford Young of Eastwood Baptist church as the speaker.

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**1957 Award of Merit Winner**  
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## Choral Eucharist Set at St. Mark's

Easter Sunday will be marked by traditional observances at St. Mark's Episcopal church.

The Choral Eucharist will be held at 11 a.m. to Gounod's setting of the holy communion. It will be sung by the senior choir under the direction of John E. Drysdale with Mrs. Ernest C. Conrad at the organ.

The Rev. George R. V. Bolster, rector, will present the Easter sermon. The service will include the introit "I Know That My Redeemer Liveth" by Handel, and the anthem "He Is Risen," together with hymns of the resurrection.

The Family Eucharist service will be held at 9 a.m. with St. Mark's Choristers leading the music under the direction of Mr. Ann Wirkkula with Miss Julianne Yoakley at the console. The Easter Carol will be sung as an anthem with traditional hymns during holy communion. The Rev. Canon Edwin Moss will be the preacher.

**NEW AGE CHURCH**  
"The Cosmic Counterpart of The Resurrection" will be the subject of a lecture at 2:30 p.m. Easter 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 musicale at 2 p.m.

**SAINT MARK'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH**  
FIFTH and OAKDALE

## Easter Day Services

Sunrise Choral Eucharist ..... 6:30 A.M.  
St. Mark's Senior Choir  
Easter Family Eucharist ..... 9:00 A.M.  
Preacher - The Rev. Canon Edwin Moss  
Easter Choral Eucharist ..... 11:00 A.M.  
Preacher - The Rev. George R. V. Bolster

Nursery ..... 8:45 and 10:30 A.M.  
Children's Easter Floral Service ..... 4:00 P.M.  
Preacher - The Rev. Theodore J. Ehrlich  
St. Mark's Choristers  
Parents and Friends Invited  
Newcomers and Visitors Welcome to All Services

THE REV. GEORGE R. V. BOLSTER, Rector  
THE REV. THEODORE J. EHRLICH, Assistant

## Four Valley Presbyterians List Week End Activities

"A Living Christ for a Dying World" is the Easter message to be brought to the First Presbyterian church by Dr. D. Kirkland West Sunday. Services will be held at 8:30 and 11 a.m.

At the 8 a.m. service the youth choir will sing "Sunrise on Easter Morning" and "This Joyful East-Tide." A duet "Ecce Panis" will be presented by John Frohnmayer and the Rev. Robert J. Olmsted at the 9:30 and 11 a.m. services the church choir will sing "Easter Joy," a 15th Century German Air and "Sanctus and Benedictus" by Gounod will be solo by Mr. Jacks. Miss Julie Gandt will sing "Hosanna" for the 9:30 a.m. service and the church choir under the direction of Miss Carolyn Bell and Miss Ginni Derickson will sing at 11 a.m.

Following the Easter sunrise service at Huener's butte, the College-Career group will serve as Easter breakfast to the Senior and Junior Highs and returning college young people at the church.

Westminster - A candlelight communion service will be held at the Westminster Presbyterian church tonight at 8 o'clock in observance of Good Friday. At this service the choir will sing Stainer's Choral "Cross of Jesus" and the Rev. John O. Reynolds will give a communion meditation on "The Groups Around the Cross."

Two identical services will be held Easter Sunday at 9:30 and 11 a.m. The sermon theme will be "Christ's Triumph For Us" and the church choir will sing "Open the Gates of the Temple" and "Come Unto Him." Memorial lilies will decorate the church. Church school classes will meet at 9:30 instead of the usual 9:45 a.m.

Senior High Fellowship will meet at 7 p.m. at the church and from there will go to the Memory Gardens Memorial park to view "The Last Supper" by Leonardo da Vinci. Fireside and additional discussion will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Poulos, 2130 Capital ave.

Central Point - "If Christ Be Not Risen" will be the title of the sermon to be preached by the Rev. Robert W. Olmsted at both the 9:30 and 11 a.m. services on Easter Sunday at the First Presbyterian church, Central Point.

During the first service the Westminster Fellowship choir will sing "The Master Lives Again." At the 11 a.m. service Mrs. William Saxbury will sing "The Holy City" and the adult choir will sing "Joy Dawned on Easter Day." There will be no coffee hour Sunday.

Church school will be held during the first service beginning at 9:30 a.m. for all grades up through the Juniors. The

Jacksonville - "Christ and Our Hope for Eternal Life" will be the topic of the sermon preached by the pastor, the Rev. King K. Jones, Sunday morning at Jacksonville First Presbyterian church at 11 a.m. During this service infant baptism will be held.

The choir will sing two Easter anthems: "There Was a Garden" and "The Resurrection." Mrs. Rafe Anders will sing a solo in the first number and Mr. and Mrs. Dave Allen will sing solos in the second number. A sextet will sing a third selection "Easter on Earth." The sextet is composed of Mrs. Allen, Mrs. Anders, Mrs. Furman Evernham, Mrs. Melvin Hall, Mrs. Otto Niedermeyer, Mrs. Wes Worden.

At 9:45 a.m. Easter Sunday the Sunday school will present its annual Easter program under the direction of Mrs. Clarence Williams. A feature of this program will be the retelling of the Easter story with music. The narrator will be Roy Smith and the organist, Mrs. William Kennerley. A duet will be sung by Miss Jacque Long and Miss Susan White.

The Jacksonville Westminster Fellowship will not meet Sunday evening.

**Eastwood BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Clifford J. Young, B.D.  
Pastor  
Kearney at Ridgeway  
MEDFORD, OREGON

**EASTER SUNDAY**  
9:45 a.m. First Service "Youth and Easter"  
11:00 a.m. Second Service "No Time for Tears"  
6:30 p.m. Baptist Youth Fellowship  
7:30 p.m. Popular Evening Service "Born To Be Crucified."

**You Are Invited**  
WORSHIP WITH US

**Friends To Worship In New Sanctuary**  
The congregation of the Friends church will worship in their new sanctuary for the first time Easter Sunday. There will be two worship services, at 9:45 and 11 a.m., with the Easter message by Pastor Clynton Crisman and anthems by the choir.

Sunday school will be held at the same hours, with Easter observances in the department opening assemblies, and classes for children and adults.

At 7:30 p.m. the choir will present a cantata, "My Redeemer Lives," composed of numbers from the works of Handel and Mozart. Mrs. Claude Lewis is director and Mrs. Clem Finley organist.

**THE SEVENTH ANNUAL COMMUNITY EASTER SERVICE**

Sunday, April 2, 11:00 A.M.

Medford Senior High Auditorium

815 South Oakdale

• Beautiful Worship Center  
• Seating Unlimited  
• Plenty of Parking

• Three Choirs (Chancel, Youth, Altar)  
• Nursery and Child Care

Dr. George G. Roseberry Preaching  
Sermon "THE GOOD NEWS OF THE RESURRECTION"

The Rev. Robert F. Dowrey Assisting  
(Sponsored by the First Methodist Church, Medford)

Services at 8:00 and 9:30 a.m. in the  
FIRST METHODIST CHURCH  
West Main at Laurel Street