



MISS MABEL TYRRELL Sunday Speaker

### Missionary To Talk In Trail Sunday

Trail - Miss Mabel Tyrrell, a missionary under the Sudan Interior Mission board in Nigeria, Africa, will speak at the Trail Community church Sunday.

Miss Tyrrell will speak for a few minutes to the Sunday school and then will give the messages for both the morning and evening services. There will be slides shown of her field and the work she does while in Africa.

Miss Tyrrell is widely known in the valley, having grown up here. She is home on furlough after having served two terms in Nigeria, where she is an instructor in a women's teacher training college.

### Pre-School Bible School Set At Eastwood Baptist

The Rev. Clifford J. Young, pastor, will speak Sunday at the 11 a.m. worship service at Eastwood Baptist church, on "Meditation Upon Calvary's Cross."

The scripture will be John 19:16-27 and the chancel choir will sing "God Is Our Refuge."

At the 7:30 p.m. service Mr. Young will speak on "Men at Work."

Mrs. Naomi Blacketer will teach the 11th and 12th grade class Sunday at 9:45 a.m. the course "Faithfully Yours, Paul." Larry Tuttle will have charge of the Baptist Youth Fellowship program at 6:30 p.m.

The church will hold a Pre-School Bible school May 1 through 5 from 9 to 11 a.m. Children may be registered by telephoning Mrs. Harold H. Hewlett, SPring 2-8325.

Mrs. Willie Mauck, SPring 2-2791, is in charge of the refreshments.

Children who had their third birthday prior to last October and 4, 5, and 6 year-old pre-schoolers may attend. Offerings received during the school will be sent to Jesus-Verde Evangelistic association in Mexico.

Friday at 7 p.m. the Baptist Youth Fellowship, members of the basketball team, the graduating high school seniors and their parents will attend a youth banquet at the church. Guest speaker will be Jim Hinkle, Young Life director.

### Two Churches Tell Coming Activities

Central Point - "Strangers in Paradise" will be the title of the sermon to be preached by the Rev. Robert W. Olmsted at the 11 a.m. service Sunday at the First Presbyterian church Central Point.

The Westminster Fellowship will meet at 7 p.m. in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Olmsted, 20 Crater lane, Central Point, Lynn Sjolund, the music director at Medford High school, will present the program for the evening. All high school students are invited to attend.

Tuesday, May 2, at 7:30 p.m. the season will meet at the church for its monthly meeting.

Jacksonville - "Are You Living Life the Other Way?" is the title of the sermon to be preached Sunday morning by the Rev. King K. Jones, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, Jacksonville.

The choir will sing an anthem, "The First Psalm." Mrs. Rafe Anders will sing a solo during the anthem.

Sunday at 7 p.m. the Jacksonville Westminster Fellowship will meet for its regular weekly meeting in the church. Wednesday evening members of the church will join other Presbyterians around the Valley to hear the General Mission Interpretation Team in the First Presbyterian church of Medford. The meeting will begin at 7:30 p.m.

Thursday at 8 p.m. the monthly Sunday School Teachers' meeting will be held. All teachers and any other persons interested in helping in the Sunday school should be present.

## Methodists Plan Two Loyalty Dinners

The First Methodist church, Medford, for the 1961-62 church year is planning on financing its program by means of loyalty dinners on May 2 and 3. Finance Committee Chairman Robert Bacuss said today. This method has proven successful the past two years.

Glen Duysen is general chairman. The congregation will be invited by co-captains to the complimentary dinners in the church dining hall. Each co-captain is this week inviting several church families to be his guests and to sit at his table.

Following the 6:30 p.m. dinners the budget for the 1961-62 fiscal year will be explained by means of a "budget parade." Speaker for the evening will be the Rev. Clarence Kosberg, First Methodist church, Eugene.

It is anticipated that the budget will be underwritten at the two dinners by individual subscriptions.

Commander for Tuesday is Everett Faber, assisted by Charles Thompson, Walter Higgins, Robert Bacuss, Ross Youngblood, Dick Anderson, and Charles Adamson. For Wednesday Dr. Milton Snow is commander, assisted by Robert Sage, Robert Hostetter, Elliott Becken, Gordon Morris, John Kent and Ed Branchfield.

The advance gifts committee is being headed by Dr. Eugene Ray. Mrs. Richard Jewett is serving as chairman of the kitchen and dining room committee for both evenings. In charge of the program is Mrs. Verne Wilson.

"Whither Goest Thou" is the sermon title of Dr. George G. Roseberry for both worship services Sunday.

The anthem for the 9:30 a.m. service by the youth choir will be "Alleluia Hearts to Heaven Raise." The chancel choir will sing "Easter Carol of the Trees" for the 11 a.m. service. The music for the 11 a.m. service will be "Blessed Are They," sung by the children's choir.

The Junior High Methodist Youth Fellowship will meet at 5:30 p.m. The program, "My Part in National Missions," will be led by Elaine Davenport, Susan Turner, Susan Shelton, and Dorothy Minshall. Fireside will follow at the Jim Baumer home, 1517 Vella st.

The Senior High MYF will meet at 6:30 p.m. with Pat Myers, Outreach chairman is in charge of the program, "Think About These Things." A fireside will follow.

The Older Youth will meet at 6:30 p.m. Plans for ways to increase the membership will be the program. Fireside will follow at the home of Catherine Carter, 618 Catherine ave.

The Junior High MYF will leave Saturday, May 6, at 8 a.m. for a retreat at Indian Springs. They will return on Sunday afternoon.

He is now in a series of studies in the Epistle to the Romans in the 11 a.m. worship services titled, "According to My Gospel." In the 7 p.m. young and evangelism service his messages are on the person and work of the Holy Spirit under the general subject, "Provisions of Pentecost."

Outlines Distributed - Outlines of the morning messages are being distributed to the congregation each Sunday. The specific topic for the 11 a.m. message Sunday is "Gift of Faith," and the topic for the evening message is "Provision of the Holy Spirit."

Music for the morning service will be provided by the sanctuary choir singing "The King of Love My Shepherd Is," and a tenor solo by Bob Andersen. Sunday evening's music will be provided by a ladies quartet consisting of Mrs. William Brewster, Mrs. Rex. Vowell, Mrs. Joe Johnson and Miss Valma Myers.

Representatives from the Gideons will present the devotions and speak of the Gideon work in the opening session of Sunday school in the adult department at 9:45 a.m. Sunday.

A zone rally and workshop for vacation Bible schools is being held at First Nazarene tonight at 7:30 o'clock. The local First Church has announced that their vacation Bible school will be held June 12 and 23, from 9 to 11:45 a.m. Mrs. A. M. Miller has been appointed the vacation Bible school director.

The Christian Men's Fellowship will have their regular breakfast meeting at 7 a.m. Saturday, May 6, in Fellowship hall, Donald House is in charge of arrangements.

The Rev. and Mrs. R. H. Mathewson, pastors of Medford Foursquare church, 2200 Roberts rd., are attending the annual four-day district convention of Foursquare Churches of the Pacific Northwest, in Hastings Foursquare church, Vancouver, B. C., starting May 1.

The Rev. Roy H. Mourer, Portland, district supervisor, will give the keynote address Monday evening on "Light For a Darkening Hour." Other speakers are Dr. Vincent R. Bird, Los Angeles, the denomination's international director of youth and Christian education; Dr. N. M. Van Cleave, pastor Portland Foursquare church, and Philip A. Gagliardi, British Columbia's minister of highways.

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STAKE SPEAKERS - Elder Delbert L. Stapley right, a member of the Council of Twelve Apostles, and Elder John Longden, (left) an assistant to the Council of Twelve Apostles of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints in Salt Lake City, will be the featured speakers Saturday and Sunday, April 29 and 30, during a quarterly conference of the church's Klamath Stake in Klamath Falls. Stake President Carroll William Smith, Ashland, will conduct the conference. Sunday's general sessions, to which the public is invited, will be held at 10 a.m. and 2 p.m. at Mills school. Saturday evening a meeting will be held for priesthood leaders and parents are invited to a session on family living and youth development.

## Mission Interpretation Team To Be Heard by Valley Presbyterians

Forty-eight thousand Presbyterian churchmen in Oregon will meet in General Mission Interpretation during the next two weeks.

A team will beat First Presbyterian church Wednesday, May 3, to explain how the church is reaching out, not only in the work in the 30 countries abroad, but in the many mission opportunities here at home.

The Rev. Raymond Nott, written up in the Saturday Evening Post as the "pastor of

by choir practice in the church basement.

Westminster "God Comes First" is the title of the sermon to be preached by the Rev. John O. Reynolds at the 11 a.m. Sunday worship service of the Westminster Presbyterian church.

The message will continue the series on the Ten Commandments entitled "The Limits of Life." Children's church will be held during the worship hour and the church choir will sing the anthem "My Eternal King."

The adult study and discussion group will meet at 9:45 a.m. in the pastor's study to consider the subject "Sin, the Human Predicament." The children's and youth departments of the church school meet at the same hour.

The Senior High Fellowship will meet at 7 p.m. at the church Sunday. A panel discussion entitled "In the Spring a Young Man's Fancy..." dealing with dating, love, and marriage will be moderated by Barbara Whalin. Members of the panel will be Larry Clark, Mrs. Ray Mencke, Roberta Willett, and Dick Ragsdale. Fireside will be at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Mullen, 27 North Barneburg dr.

Westminster Presbyterian church is located on Oakwood drive between Barneburg and Groveland ave.

## Truths in Romans Is Sermon Topic

John V. Heberling, minister, will begin a series of sermons Sunday at Central Church of Christ. The series will be entitled "Great Truths From the Book of Romans." Sunday's message will be on the theme "The Reality of Sin."

Worship will begin at 11 a.m. at the Knights of Pythias hall, Fifth and Grape sts., during construction of the new building at Oakdale ave. and Holmes dr.

Classes from the junior high age and above will view at the 9:45 a.m. Bible school hour the filmstrip "Continuing Steadfastly." The narrator will be Carl Hover, elder. This is the third in a series of filmstrip studies, "Now That I'm a Christian." Elementary school children will meet in their regular classes.

Mr. Heberling's 7:30 p.m. message will be on the subject "The Solid Foundation." Midweek service will meet at the minister's home, 717 Broad st., Wednesday at 7:30 p.m.

MEETING CHANGE Eagle Point-The Christ Ambassador service of the Eagle Point Assembly of God church has changed its meeting time to Wednesday, at 7:30 p.m. All young people in the community are invited to attend.

College-career meets at 7:30 p.m. Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Wolf, 1517 South Ivy st. The Rev. Robert Bridge will lead a discussion on "The Lord's Prayer." Youth Night for senior highs will begin with family night dinner Wednesday followed

## Monday Mass To Honor St. Joseph The Workman

One of the newest feasts on the Roman Catholic calendar will be observed Monday, May 1, when St. Joseph the Workman is honored in the masses of the day as the noble example of the dignity of human labor.

Established in 1955 by the late Pope Pius XII, the feast-day is intended to counteract spiritually the usual May Day demonstrations conducted under Communist auspices. According to Pope Pius, May Day "far from being a stimulus for discord, hate and violence, is and will be a recurring invitation to modern society to accomplish what is still lacking for social peace."

Mass in the Sacred Heart church on that day will be at the usual time of 8 a.m. An earlier mass may be offered at 7 a.m.

Monthly Devotion Two other monthly devotions will take place at the end of the week. Friday there will be the Sacred Heart devotions in reparation for the ingratitude and coldness of men toward the love of Christ. Masses will be offered at 6:30, 8, and 11:15 a.m. and 8 p.m.

Saturday the Fatima devotions, which have evolved from the reported 1917 appearance in Portugal of the Virgin Mary with the warning that "unless the people do penance, atheistic Communism will overrun the world," will follow the daily 8 a.m. mass. A special mass for the children attending Sunday catechism classes will also be said that day at 11 a.m.

## Final Sermon Sunday At Congregational

The Rev. Thomas McCamant will give his final sermon at the 10 a.m. service of the Congregational church Sunday.

He will move with his family to another pastorate at Hubbard, Ore., early in the week. The sermon topic will be "Love So Amazing," based on two favorite hymns. New members will be received.

At the close of this service there will be a congregational meeting to hear a report from the pulpit committee and take action on it. A plan will also be submitted to the congregation for supplying the pulpit during the interim before another pastor comes.

Mrs. Wallace Bish, superintendent of the church school, is now attending a meeting of Christian Education Associates at Pilgrim Firs, the Washington Congregational conference grounds. In her absence Mrs. Donald Walters is in charge of the church school.

The Pilgrim Fellowship will meet Sunday at 7 p.m. This group is holding a work day tomorrow to raise money for their obligations. Those interested in having them do any kind of work should call Stan Hobbs, SPring 2-9394; or Marilyn Harwood, SPring 2-7384.

## Friends Church To Continue Meetings

Evangelistic meetings at the Friends church will continue through this week, closing with the 7:30 p.m. service Sunday. Evangelist and musician are Rev. and Mrs. John Retherford, Wabash, Ind., who have served as missionaries in Kenya Colony, Africa.

At the 11 a.m. service Mr. Retherford's topic will be "The Runaway Missionary." The choir will sing, and there will be a trio number by Mrs. Retherford and her daughters, Patsy, and Mrs. Dan Nolita.

At the 7:30 p.m. service the junior choir will be featured, and Mr. Retherford will speak on "The Church Faith Built."

## Youth Crusade Set At Open Bible

A youth crusade is to begin at the Open Bible church, 2715 Table Rock rd., Saturday, April 29, at 2:30 p.m.

Services will be held each night next week at 7 p.m., except Monday and Saturday.

The Rev. Howard Gear is the evangelist and will speak on such topics as "The Garden of Eden," "Two Spies on a Red Rope" and "Waiting in Death Row."

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## Child Evangelism Fellowship To Hold Medford Conference

About 150 delegates from seven western states are expected to attend the Bible conference of the Child Evangelism Fellowship in Medford Monday, May 1, through Friday.

Dr. Frank Mann, Grand Rapids, Mich., national director, will arrive Monday with Mrs. Mann. He will speak of "Children: Our Golden Opportunity."

The Rev. Riedar Kalland Los Angeles, associate national director of the Fellowship will be in charge of the conference which is scheduled at the First Church of the Nazarene, 520 North Holly st. He will speak at the first session Monday at 7:15 p.m.

Daily sessions have been scheduled at 9 a.m., 1:30 p.m. and in the evening. The final meeting will be a banquet at 1:30 p.m. Friday.

Principal speaker will be Dr. Kenneth Miles, Seattle Wash., who will teach morning and evening sessions of "Deeper Life."

Morning devotions will be brought by pastors of the valley, according to Mrs. Nims Gain, local Child Evangelism director. Music will be furnished by the Medford High school choir and from various valley churches.

Other speakers scheduled during the week include Ed Case from Cuba and Ira Hovey from the Philippine Islands, who will speak on the missionary field; Miss Ruth Turnwall, Pacific Palisades Calif., managing editor of the Child Evangelism magazine who will teach a course of "Child Study"; and Miss Glee Cooper, San Luis Obispo Calif., who will teach a course of visual aids and teaching evangelism.

Wednesday afternoon a tour of Jacksonville has been scheduled by Mrs. H. A. Bernston, Jacksonville.

The local preparations have been made by cooperating churches through the Medford Child Evangelism Committee of laymen. The sessions are open to the public.

## Town, Country Meet Scheduled

Corvallis - The 1961 Oregon Town and Country Church conference will be held Oct. 9 to 11 on the campus of Oregon State college, according to an announcement from the conference planning committee.

Theme of this year's conference will be "Renewal in Change." Program events will be aimed at finding ways to renew the vitality of churches in town and country situations where change is creating problems.

A second session of the conference, to be held at Southern Oregon college, Ashland, will be a new feature of the conference this year, the committee also announced. Speakers and program events will be moved to the Southern Oregon area for a two-day session Oct. 12 and 13.

The Oregon Town and Country Church conference is sponsored by the Oregon Council of Churches, Archdiocese of Portland in Oregon, Oregon State college and Cooperative Extension service, Oregon Farm bureau, Oregon State Grange, Oregon State Farmers Union, and the Oregon Home Economics Extension council.

## RELIGIOUS UNITY

"I therefore, the prisoner of the Lord, beseech you that ye walk worthy of the vocation wherewith ye are called, with all lowliness and meekness, with long-suffering, forbearing one another in love; endeavoring to keep the UNITY of the Spirit in the bond of peace. There is ONE body, and ONE Spirit, even as ye are called in ONE hope of your calling; ONE Lord, ONE faith, ONE baptism, ONE God and Father of all, who is above all, and through all, and in ye all!" (Ephesians 4:1-6). "Now I beseech you, brethren, by the name of our Lord Jesus Christ, that ye all speak the SAME thing, and that there be NO divisions among you; but that ye be PERFECTLY joined together in the SAME mind, and in the SAME judgment" (1 Corinthians 1:10). "Neither pray I for these alone; but for them also which shall believe on me through their word: that they ALL may be ONE; as thou, Father, art in me, and I in thee, that they also may be ONE in us; that the world may believe that thou hast sent me" (John 17:20-21).

We are glad to see church leaders becoming more concerned over divisions in "christendom." And we believe the Lord's prayer that all believers be one is both practical and possible. This kind of unity, however, will never result from inquisitions, coercions, synods, councils, mergers, unions, or any kind of ecclesiastical efforts. To be "perfectly joined together in the same mind and in the same judgment" we must return to the Bible for authority in religion. Until we do this we will continue to be divided and unchristian.

So called "church authority" and traditions and creeds of men will always confuse our minds, destroy our faith in God's word, divide us and lead us from God.

It is no compliment for a "christian nation" to live in fear of atheism, or an atheistic power. Those "who are workers together with God" (2 Corinthians 6:1) need not be fearful, for there is no power on earth as potent as the Gospel of Christ (Romans 1:16) and no way of life as strong as Christianity (Ephesians 6:10). True faith dispels fear, dissolves division, develops character, and unites God's people in ONE body (Colossians 1:18). This one body will preach the Lord's will (Matthew 28:19-20) which frees all who learn and obey IT (John 8:31-32).

Too long have we "eaten the fruit of our own doings and reaped the harvest of our own sowing" (Jeremiah 21:14, Galatians 6:7). Let us learn to speak the oracles of God (1 Peter 4:11), for they ALONE can guide us unto EVERY GOOD WORK (2 Timothy 3:16-17). With the BIBLE ONLY as our rule of faith and practice we will be UNITED, God will be glorified, Christ will be preached to ALL nations, and hatred and strife will be overcome.

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