

Presbyterian's Music, Sermons Tell of Season

Sunday at the First Presbyterian church Dr. D. Kirkland West will preach on the subject, "Why God Gave."

The quartet will sing "How Far Is It to Bethlehem" and at the early service the youth choir will present an Appalachian carol, "Jesus, Jesus, Rest Your Head." At the 11 a.m. service the chancel choir will sing, "A Christmas Symbol" by Christiansen.

At 7 p.m. Sunday Senior High Fellowship will meet in the fireplace room for a program, "What is a Christmas?" to be presented by the Faith commission, chairman, Jim Morris.

Junior High Fellowship meets each Tuesday after school at the church for church school, dinner and fellowship.

On Dec. 23 Geneva Fellowship and Koinonia are planning to go Christmas caroling. They will meet at the church at 7:30 p.m.

Presbyterian Men will hold their regular luncheon Thursday at noon in the Fellowship hall. All men are welcome to attend these inspirational meetings.

Westminster

The sacrament of baptism for infants will be administered at the 11 a.m. worship service of the Westminster Presbyterian church Sunday.

During the service the church choir will sing the hymn "Sing We Noel" and the Rev. John O. Reynolds will speak on the subject "The Good News of Christmas." Donald Whalin will serve as lay assistant.

Children from 5 to 10 years of age are invited to attend Children's church which meets with the adults for the first part of the service. Nursery care is available for preschool children.

The church school Christmas program will be held Friday, Dec. 21, at 7:30 p.m. The children are preparing for this program at the regular 9:45 a.m. church school classes. The adult class, led by the pastor, meets at the same hour and will conclude this quarter's study with a lesson entitled "The Church's Self-Understanding."

The Senior High Fellowship will meet at 7 p.m. at the church to be led in a study and discussion by the pastor on the subject "The Importance of Personal Devotion." Fireside will be held after the meeting at the home of Roseanne Legas, 220 North Barnburg dr.

The Mariners club for married couples will meet Saturday, Dec. 15, at the church at 7:30 p.m. to go Christmas caroling. Refreshments will be served afterwards at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Freese, 350 Highland dr. Any persons interested in joining them for caroling are welcome.

Westminster church is located on Oakwood dr. between Barnburg and Groveland aves.

Zion Lutheran Lists Music, Topic

"To Prepare Him Room" will be the title of the sermon Sunday by the Rev. H. C. Covert at Zion Lutheran church, Fourth st. and Oakdale ave.

Music during the worship service will be presented by the choir of the church. The junior choir will sing the hymn "O Jesu Christ, O Jesu Mild" and the senior choir will sing "Send Out Thy Light." The Senior Luther League Girls' ensemble will meet in the Fireside room immediately following the worship service, for a short rehearsal.

Members of the Senior Luther League will meet at the church at 2 p.m. Sunday to trim the church Christmas trees. At 6:30 p.m. the intermediate Luther League young people will meet at the YMCA for swimming after which they will return to the church for their Christmas party. The pastor's class of instruction for persons desiring church membership will meet in the Fireside room at 4 p.m.

Sacred Concerts Set by Faith Advent

The Faith Advent Christian church, 2440 Roberts rd., will celebrate the Christmas season with two sacred concerts. Dec. 16 the program will be at 7 p.m. presented by the Junior High group and the Junior choir with one number by the little ones. Linda Betz will be cant as Mary and Charles Coffman as Joseph. There will be the traditional tree.

On Dec. 23 at 11 a.m. the same groups will present a different program giving a shortened form of the Christmas story. Frances Lee White will be cast as Mary and Frank Patrick as Joseph.

Church of Brethren Sunday Topic Told

Sunday at the morning worship service at the Church of the Brethren, 345 Mary st., the pastor, the Rev. William Wash, will have for his topic, "John a Man With a Mission." The scripture background for the sermon will be Matthew 11:2-10.

The choir will sing "To Us a Child Is Born."

Three Churches Announce Events

Central Point — "Understanding the Bible" will be the title of the sermon to be preached Sunday by the Rev. Robert W. Olmsted during the 11 a.m. worship service at the First Presbyterian church in Central Point. Following the service a coffee hour will be held in the church fellowship hall.

Nursery care is provided during the 11 a.m. worship service. Junior and Senior High Fellowship will meet Sunday at the church at 6 p.m.

The elders will meet in session Monday, Dec. 17 at 7:30 p.m. at the church. At 8:30 p.m. Monday there will be a meeting of the pulpit nominating committee in the church.

Jacksonville — A Christmas message, entitled "Unpossessed Possessions," will be given by the Rev. King K. Jones during the 11 a.m. worship service in the First Presbyterian church, Jacksonville, Sunday. The choir will sing "A Norwegian Christmas Carol."

All members have been reminded that Sunday will offer the final opportunity to take gifts of food for the Christmas baskets.

Sunday at 4 p.m. the second in a series of classes for new members will be held. The third and final class will be held following a dinner for prospective new members in the Manse at 6 p.m. Thursday.

Sunday at 7 p.m. the Men's Study group will meet to continue its study of the Book of Acts.

Phoenix — "Why Suffering?" will be the question topic of the Rev. William Saladin's sermon Sunday morning. Carl Unruh will sing an anthem during the service.

The Sunday school will give its annual Christmas program the afternoon of Dec. 23.

The youth fellowship are making plans for an evening of caroling during the Christmas season.

Unity Sermon and Music Announced

"Following the Vision" will be the subject of the lesson scheduled Sunday, by the Rev. Katharine Bosworth, at the 11:15 a.m. church service, at the Unity Church of Medford, Holly and Haven sts. The text is taken from Isaiah 7:4. This is the third of a series of the Messianic unfoldment.

Miss Sandra Myers will be at the organ, and Mrs. H. H. Breese will sing "Come to the Stable" by O'Hara.

Immediately following church, the Christmas carolers will hold a full rehearsal, with Mrs. Thomas Lowe, director.

The Men of Unity will meet Wednesday, Dec. 19, at 11 a.m. Those attending are to take their lunch. At 1 p.m. the study class will meet.

The Grants Pass and Ashland classes will meet as usual.

Unity church of Medford is an affiliate of the Unity School of Christianity at Lee's Summit, Mo.

District Official To Attend Supper

Talent — The Rev. Ed Aschenbrenner, district superintendent, will attend the Christmas potluck supper at Talent Methodist church annex tonight at 8:45 o'clock.

The Stone Sisters will be guest singers and Mr. Aschenbrenner will give the devotional.

The Junior Methodist Youth fellowship will have a Christmas party Saturday, December 15, in the annex of the church.

'Goodness' To Be Stressed Sunday By First Christian

"The Invincibility of Goodness" is the title of the sermon which the Rev. Fredrick Ross Evans will preach at both services at First Christian church Sunday morning.

At the first service the youth choir will sing "Good Christian Men Rejoice." Mrs. Ralph Matlack will sing "The Birthday of a King" and the Chancel choir will sing "Ring, Christmas Bells" at the 10:35 a.m. service.

The coffee hour following the second service will honor Mrs. Mabel Sims who has served as the church pianist for many years. Mrs. Arthur Hotho and Mrs. Mabel Buchanan will be the hostesses.

Wayne Harbison will lead the study and Margaret White the worship for the Chi Rho Fellowship meeting at 6 p.m. They will elect officers for the next six month period. Tomorrow night they will leave the church at 5:45 for a taffy pull party at the Eagle Point Community hall. Next Friday evening they will sing Christmas carols at the Veterans Administration Domiciliary.

Sarah Matthews and Alvin Craver will be the leaders at the Middlers Fellowship meeting at 6 p.m. They will finish their Christmas gift project. Friday evening they will go Christmas caroling.

The Christian Youth Fellowship will meet at 6:30 p.m. Michele Niehaus will lead the study on "Christmas and Social Customs." Andrea Smith will give the devotion.

The officers and apostles of the Christian Men's Fellowship will have a meeting at 7 p.m. Tuesday at the church.

At 7:30 p.m. the elders and deacons will meet.

The Friendship Bible class will have its annual Christmas party and gift exchange at 12 noon Thursday in the Fellowship hall.

Mrs. Everett Bennett, chairman of the Church School Christmas program which will be given Sunday, Dec. 23, has requested that all participants meet at the church on Saturday, Dec. 22, at 1 p.m. for a rehearsal.

Eastwood Baptists List Coming Sermon

Sunday at the Eastwood Baptist church's morning worship service the pastor, the Rev. Clifford J. Young, will give the Christmas message, "God With Us Now," using Galatians 3:22-29 as a scriptural background.

The chancel choir will sing "O Heavenly Hosts." Missionary moments will relate the story of "Sharrow, a Korean Christian Youth."

The annual Christmas program will be held at 5:30 p.m. with Mrs. Naomi Blacketer and Mrs. Ralph Bunting in charge.

It will include a welcome to the kindergarten department; re-enactment of the Christmas story by the primary, middle and junior departments; a pageant, "Christmas in Many Lands," presented by the Junior Baptist Youth Fellowship and concert numbers by the chancel choir. Selections include "The First Noel," "Star Carol," "How Far Is It to Bethlehem?" "Salvation Is Created," "Stille Nacht." The chancel choir is directed by Carrell Graber.

Week of Christmas Programs Planned

The Christmas program at the Open Bible Standard church, 2715 Table Rock rd., will be presented each night during the coming week.

A different part of the Christmas story will be enacted. It was announced, using local church members for the different characters.

Evangelist and Mrs. Howard Gear are in charge of the services to be portrayed in pageant, pantomime, picture and sermon.

The schedule for the services include Sunday, "God Gave," Tuesday, "How God Spoke," Wednesday, "Voice of the Prophets," Thursday, "No Room," Friday, "O Holy Night," and Sunday, "King of the Jews."

The programs will begin at 7 p.m. on Sunday and 7:30 p.m. weekdays.

1957 Award of Merit Winner



OLD CHURCH—All that remained of the former building of the First Presbyterian church in Ashland this week was the old bell tower, which is shown lying on its side. The church was a landmark in Ashland for a number of years. The property was sold to make way for a new motel.

Jehovah's Witnesses Topics Announced

James Morse, Ashland, will speak at a public talk Sunday at 4 p.m. at the Kingdom hall of Jehovah's Witnesses, Jacksonville highway. His topic will be "Can There Be a World Without War?"

The Watchtower subject at 5:15 p.m. will be "Subject to the Superior Authorities."

Tuesday at 8 p.m. incidents in the life of the first Christians will be studied.

Apostolic Faith Program Planned

"Jesus the Light of the World" will be the theme of the Christmas story to be presented by the children of the Apostolic Faith church on Friday, Dec. 21, at 7:30 p.m.

The program will feature five scenes with musical background by choruses, quartets, and soloists in costume, including "God's Promise to Mary," with Pamela Dubs as Mary, and a quartet of girls in angel costumes playing harps. In the second scene, "Bethlehem Road," Danny Walden will represent Joseph, and Rebecca and Mary Beth Parker will sing, "Little Green Donkey." Karen Eriksen will direct the toy band by the beginner and primary departments.

The scene, "The Heavenly Host," will depict shepherds on the hillside and an angelic orchestra conducted by Jackie Barnes.

Miss Linda Carver will be piano accompanist. The program is planned and directed by Mrs. William Withrow and Mrs. Coy Bailey. There will be a treat for each child.

There will be the usual Christmas display on the north lawn of the church at Third st. and Central ave. The Colorado blue spruce that was planted last year will be decorated, and there will be life-size figures of Mary and Joseph and the Christ Child, as well as the three Wise Men, angels suspended overhead, and the Star shining over all.

Christmas Science Sermon Topic Told

The availability of divine protection and safety will be explained Sunday at First Church of Christ, Scientist, 100 Windsor ave., during 11 a.m. services.

Highlighting the lesson-sermon entitled, "God the Preserver of Man" is the text from II Timothy.

Young people up to the age of 20 are invited to attend Sunday school. All are welcome to the services.

Central Church Activities Noted

The Sermon of Simeon will be the message Sunday at Central Church of Christ, 1440 South Oakdale ave. The speaker at the 11 a.m. worship service will be the minister, John V. Heberling. There is also a junior worship service and a nursery provided at this hour.

Mr. Heberling will also speak at the 7:30 p.m. worship service. His topic will be "In Defense of Our Christmas Traditions."

Other Sunday services include Bible school at 9:45 a.m. and youth meetings at 8:30 p.m.

Programs Announced For Trail Community

Trail — Community church will hold its Christmas program at 9:45 a.m. Sunday. Speaker will be the Rev. Walter Olson of the Evangelical Alliance mission.

Following the morning service there will be a potluck dinner.

At the 7 p.m. service the Teen choir will present a Christmas cantata. There will also be a film shown by Mr. Olson.

Sanctuary Choir To Give Cantata

"The Dawn of Redeeming Grace," a Christmas cantata composed by Robert Graham, will be presented by the sanctuary choir of the First Church of the Nazarene, 320 North Holly st., at 7 p.m. Sunday.

Mrs. Perry Christiansen is the director and Warren Cole will be the narrator. Other group and individual numbers will be given. Handel's "Hallelujah Chorus" will close the service.

The pastor, the Rev. Harold M. Sanner, will continue his Christmas series of messages during the 11 a.m. service under the topic, "They Heard the Angels Sing." "Brightest and Best of Sons" is the selection to be presented by the sanctuary choir and Dean von Stein will also sing during the morning service.

Mr. Christiansen, minister of music and education, has announced that the annual Sunday School Christmas program will be given at 7:30 p.m. Dec. 21. All children of the Sunday school will participate. The pageant of that evening will be under the direction of Mrs. John Finkbeiner.

Speaker for the Junior church Sunday will be Melvin Johnson. Music to be presented by the children for their service will be a vocal trio by Cherie, Lori and Gina Newman, and a saxophone trio by Larry Vinyard, Lauree Marrs and Ricky Shafer. Ricky Foster will present piano prelude music.

Christmas Party Set by Unitarians

The Rogue Valley Unitarian Fellowship is planning a Christmas party Dec. 21 at the Mark Antony hotel at 7 p.m. and the Wesleyan house at 8 p.m. in Ashland.

Mrs. Herschel Barnes is chairman. Harold Barrett and Miss Ethel Marley are in charge of the program. Mrs. Jean Skirven and Mrs. Paul Dix are working on decorations and Mrs. Richard Mole are in charge of refreshments.

Reservations may be made by contacting Mrs. George Reed, 773-1916, no later than Monday, Dec. 17.

Sunday Leonard Hunting will address the fellowship at their meeting on "Cultural Empathy." The fellowship meets at the Red Cross building, 60 Hawthorne ave. at 11 a.m.

The children of all church school classes will participate in a Christmas program entitled "Our Reasons for Celebrating Christmas" on Sunday. The program will be directed by Mrs. Harold Barrett, Mrs. Bob Bauman and Mrs. Jean Skirven.

Congregational Activities Noted For Coming Week

Sunday the Rev. Robert W. Tull, minister of the Congregational church, will continue his Advent series of sermons dealing with the meaning and the message of the persons involved in the birth of Jesus.

This week's sermon at 11 a.m. Sunday is entitled "The Shepherds — 'Glorifying and praising God for all they had heard and seen'."

The church is meeting at Hoover Grade school on Siskiyou blvd. at South Modoc rd. Sunday's service will include the lighting of the third Advent candle and the singing of the anthem "Today There Is Ringing" by the choir.

Church school classes will meet during the worship hour. Children younger than three years of age will be cared for in the school health room. The three, four and five year olds will meet in the bandroom. Classes for first through sixth graders will be held in the school cafeteria.

A meeting of the church council will be held at Hoover school immediately following the morning service of worship.

Sunday at 6 p.m. the Pilgrim Fellowship will meet at Mr. Tull's home to begin a caroling party. After visiting the homes of a number of elderly persons and shut-ins, the group will conclude the evening with a Christmas party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bish in Talent.

The Mid-High Study Fellowship, for ninth and tenth grade young people, will meet on Tuesday from 4 to 5 p.m. to continue its discussion of the Christian belief in God.

Wednesday the Laymen's Fellowship will meet for breakfast at 6:30 a.m. at the Town House cafe, 127 South Central ave., and the choir will meet at the Welty house for rehearsal at 8 p.m.

Church Election Held by Adventist

Eagle Point — Fifty-two church officers were filled for 1963 Dec. 8 when the Shady Point Seventh-day Adventist church held its annual election.

Named head elder (lay assistant to the minister) for the new year was Dr. Harold Reith, Shady Cove. Associate elders will be Sidney Nelson, Richard Pflugrad and Dr. Howard Ferguson.

Delmer Logan, Shady Cove, was elected head deacon and Mrs. Herschel M. Harper, Central Point, head deaconess. Each will have five assisting him in the office of deacon or deaconess.

The new Sabbath school superintendent will be Richard Pflugrad, Eagle Point. Youth leader for the church will be Marilyn Hoffman, Butte Falls. Church treasurer will be Harriet Pflugrad, Eagle Point.

Gospel Meetings Set in Phoenix

Phoenix — A series of gospel meetings featuring eight speakers will begin Sunday at the Church of Christ, Phoenix.

Gilbert Cays, Rio Dell, Calif., will speak at the morning service on "Faith." He will also speak at the 7 p.m. service on "Love."

All of the other services throughout the week will begin at 7 p.m. Speakers and their topics for next week include Jim Sinclair, Ashland, "Hope," H. O. Martin, Medford, "The Wages of Sin is Death," Tuesday, Everett McGee, Ashland, "What Must I Do To Be Saved?" Wednesday, John Bigham, Crescent City, Calif., "Faith Without Works is Dead," Thursday, John Heberling, Medford, "Consecration," Friday, Lee Shafer, Klamath Falls, "Winning Others for Christ," Saturday, and W. O. Heribson, Ashland, "Making Worship Meaningful," Sunday.

CONCORD CHAPEL

Gold Hill — "Explanation of Trance" will be the title of the address by the Rev. Elvina Culbertson, pastor of Concord Spiritualist chapel at 550 Second Ave., Gold Hill Sunday at 7:30 p.m. There will also be greetings by the pastor and a piano solo by Mrs. Bianca Corona.

Choirs To Present Prospect Cantata

Prospect — The community and junior choirs will present a Christmas cantata Dec. 23 at 8 p.m. at the Nazarene Church in the Pines in Prospect.

Soloists will be Miss Jean Cunningham, Miss Jill Hedgepath, Gerald Gardner and Dorland Woods. Mrs. Joe W. Johnson is the director.

Other groups will also sing including several of small children.

Berean Baptist Activities Noted

White City — "No Greater Message" will be the pre-Christmas subject of the Rev. Richard A. Hadeen at the 11 a.m. worship service at the Berean Baptist church, White City.

A women's duet will provide the music at the service. Nursery facilities for parents with infants is provided at all of the Sunday services.

Baptist Youth Fellowship and the training union meets at 6:30 p.m. The adult department is studying "How to Live the Victorious Life."

"The Word Made Flesh" is the message title for the 7:30 p.m. service. A time is given for missionary moments.

All young people of the church are to meet at the church on Tuesday at 7:30 p.m. for a social time. The Christmas tree is to be set up and decorated at this time. A full evening of fellowship with refreshments has been planned.

'Sense of Wonder' Is Sermon Topic

"A Sense of Wonder" will be the subject of Dr. George Roseberry's sermon Sunday at First Methodist church. A coffee hour will be held following the 11 a.m. service at 19 Mistletoe st., by the members of the board of trustees. Members and friends of the church are invited to tour the newly purchased property.

Mrs. D. G. MacDougall will be soloist for both morning worship services. She will sing "O Leave Your Sheep."

The youth choir will sing "The King Shall Come" at 9:30 a.m. and the chancel choir will sing "Mary, Mary, Where Is Your Baby?" at 11 a.m.

The Junior High Methodist Youth Fellowship will meet at the church at 6 p.m. Sunday to go caroling at the Hawthorne Convalescent home. A fireside will follow at the home of Peggy Weber, 608 Benson st. They will also join with the youth group of First Christian church Friday evening and go caroling at some of the Rogue Valley nursing homes.

The Senior High MYF will meet at the church Sunday at 6:30 p.m. to go caroling at the Veterans Administration Domiciliary, White City. They will return to the church for a fellowship hour following the caroling.

The official board of the church will meet Tuesday at 7:45 p.m. A coffee hour will follow the meeting.

Baptist Events To Continue at School

"Christmas Perspective — 1962" is the message to be brought at the 11 a.m. service at the First Baptist church Sunday by the pastor, the Rev. Bernard E. Andrews. Services are temporarily being held at Wilson school, Grand and Corona aves. Music for the service will be provided by the chapel choir and by a mixed trio.

Sunday at 7 p.m. the pastor will continue with a series of messages which have been the morning sermons from the Book of James. Mrs. Orin Bartholomew will sing and Jim Andrews will give a trumpet solo.

Tuesday at 6:30 p.m. the men of the church will meet at the pastor's home for a potluck supper, election of officers, and a program which includes the showing of the film "A Light in Nature."

Friday evening the Joy class of young adults will hold its annual Christmas party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ron Breckenman, 2462 Edgemont dr.

Southern Baptists Training Union Event In G. P.

"Prelude to Christmas" will be the topic the Rev. G. O. Skaar, pastor of First Southern Baptist church, will have for his sermon Sunday morning. Dennis Sampels will direct the adult choir.

In the evening Mr. Skaar will speak again on basic Bible beliefs. His topic will be "Election." The youth choir will sing.

The annual Training Union mobilization meeting of the Siskiyou Association of Baptist Churches will be held tonight at the First Southern Baptist church of Grants Pass. The Rev. James Brackus is pastor.

The church will be host to a supper at 7 o'clock preceding the meeting. The Rev. Amos Craig, pastor of First Baptist church, Phoenix, is in charge. Mr. Craig is associational training union director.

A preview of the themes for the unions for 1963, with a film strip and talks by the Rev. Kenneth Hollenseed, Crescent City, and Mr. Skaar, will be a feature of the evening.

Guest speaker will be the Rev. Ferris Winn, pastor of Calvary Baptist church, Klamath Falls.

Gideon Service Set in Butte Falls

Butte Falls — Each year the Gideons of Medford conduct one service in the Butte Falls Community Bible church. Sunday at the 11 a.m. worship hour will be the Gideon service.

The Sunday school will practice for the Christmas program to be given at the morning Sunday school time Dec. 23. Junior high and high school students will also practice their play for the evening service on Dec. 22.

This year the play will be an original one, "The Greatest Gift," written by Mrs. Leonard De Weise, who spent the past summer in Butte Falls and returned to her home in Palm Springs, Calif.

Friday, Dec. 21, at 8 p.m. is the time of the Christmas cantata, "Born a King," presented by the Ashland Assembly of God 30-voice choir in the local Assembly of God church. The Community Bible church is also sponsoring this musical event.

Word has been received from Mrs. N. B. Stoddard, a 50-year member of the church, who moved to California last week, that she and Mr. Stoddard are living at 2050 Mendocino ave. in Santa Rosa.

St. Luke's Plan Christmas Program

The church school of St. Luke's Methodist church has scheduled its annual Christmas program for Sunday, at the church. The program will begin at 7 p.m.

The Christmas story will be read by Rick Heisel. Scenes from the story will be portrayed by children in the various classes. Music will be provided by the junior choir under the direction of Mrs. Claude Griffin and by children in the kindergarten and primary departments.

Larry Horton and Mrs. Charles E. McDonald will also assist with the music.

The program is under the direction of Mrs. Bruce Nelson, church school superintendent, and George Reed, chairman of the commission on education.

At the 11 a.m. service Sunday the Rev. Charles R. McDonald, pastor of the church, will continue his series of Advent sermons when he preaches on the theme, "The Stars Still Shine."

The senior choir, under the direction of Richard Gannaway, will sing, "Psalm 130" by Coffman during the service. Ralph Humphrey will be at the organ.

Central Point Topics Are Announced

Central Point — Topics of sermons to be given at the Church of Christ, Third and Oak sts., Central Sunday have been announced by Mr. Jean M. Shelley, minister.

At the 10:45 a.m. worship service the topic will be "Christmas Shopping Early Enough?" and at the 7:30 p.m. service "Covenants."

'Family Christmas' Is Program Theme For Trinity Baptist

"A Family Christmas" will be the theme of the program to be given during the 11 a.m. worship service at Trinity Baptist church Sunday.

Included on the program will be musical numbers, poetry, and Scripture readings by children, youth and adults of the church family. Among the items on the program will be an object lesson, "The Gift of God," by Holly Bernstein, 10; an instrumental duet, "A Medley of Christmas Hymns," by Roger Hockersmith and Dr. Richard Nordquist; a women's trio, "Room in a Manger," by Loretta Nordquist, Lorene McCormack, and Doris Kautz; and a vocal solo, "Jesu Bambino," by Violet Hunter. Pastor Bruce Rogers will close the program with a meditation, "Christmas — A Family Theme."

At the 7:30 p.m. hour, after a brief business session, the adults will hold a discussion of "Christmas Problems" — problems faced by Christians because of the secularization of Christmas in family and business life. Youth groups will also meet at this hour.

Trinity Baptist church is located at Griffin Creek and South Stage rds. Nursery services are provided during the Sunday school and morning worship hours.

Kindergarten To Give Annual Event

St. Peter's Lutheran church's kindergarten will be presented in a Christmas program this evening in the basement auditorium of the church at 7:30 o'clock. Mrs. Emil Tams is teacher of this full-time five-day-a-week school.

Services will begin at St. Peter's Sunday at 8:15 and 11 a.m. Communion will be celebrated in the early service