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Week of Missions Planned by Friends

Missionary speakers, pictures, and displays from around the world will be featured at Medford Friends Church "Week of Missions," April 22 to 28, according to J. L. Wilcox, pastor.



MARSHAL CAVIT Missionary Speaker

Mission, will be guest speakers at a 7:30 p.m. service Monday and at 10:30 a.m. Tuesday, showing slides of Bolivia and Peru. Baby sitting services are available during these women's meetings.

Marshall Cavit, a missionary who spent 14 years among the Aymara Indians on the Boliv-

St. Peter's To Hold Meeting

"Constraining the Savior to Abide With Us," is the sermon topic chosen for Sunday's services at St. Peter's Lutheran church, 1020 East Main at Medford, by the pastor, the Rev. John E. Simon. The services will begin at 8:15 and 11 a.m. Holy communion will be observed in the early service.

The quarterly voters' meeting of the church will convene at 2:30 p.m. in the church auditorium. At 7 p.m. the Waltham League will meet. This group will spend part of the business meeting to crystallize plans for the coming Waltham League rally of the Southern Oregon zone at St. Peter's.

A number of men and women of St. Peter's are attending the basic Bible class leaders' class at St. Paul's Lutheran church, Grants Pass. This circuit-level feature is led by the Rev. D. W. Hinrichs, Roseburg. The course includes eight 2-hour lessons taught on successive Thursday evenings. Also attending are a number of members of Grace Lutheran church, Ashland.

Series of Bible Talks Announced

Sunday at 11 a.m. the pastor of the First Baptist church, the Rev. Bernard E. Andrews, will give the first in a series of the natural man, as taught in the Scriptures. The message will be "What is the Nature of the Natural Man?" Music for the service will be provided by the girl's trio and Roland Gangster, soloist.

A completely graded Sunday school program is conducted at 9:40 a.m. using Biblically sound and fundamental study materials. Thirty-five classes are taught each week by trained teachers.

The Family hour at 6 p.m. provides separate groups for the young people. An adult study class on "New Testament Survey" will begin this week. It is being taught under the auspices of the Evangelical Teacher Training association and certificates will be awarded all those completing the 13 weeks of study.

lan highlands, will speak at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday through Sunday. Mr. Cavit, with his wife, Catherine and daughter, Christine, made a 12-month world preaching tour in 1959-60 holding evangelistic meetings in Africa, India, Formosa and Japan.

Each evening Mr. Cavit will show slides or movies of his travels around the world of missions, followed by a Gospel message. A Bible study hour will be held each day at 10 a.m. Wednesday through Friday. Friday afternoon the Cavits will be guests in an afternoon meeting of the Medford Women's Missionary union.

Saturday, April 27, at 6:30 a.m., a pancake breakfast will be served the men of the church in the fellowship hall, with Mr. Cavit speaking on "Men and Missions."

Friends churches of Oregon yearly meeting are scheduling the major part of the Cavits' current preaching tour of the Pacific Northwest. Part of his itinerary is being arranged by the Northwest Regional office of World Gospel Mission.

The Cavits are members of the Newberg Friends church and are residing at Jennings Lodge, Ore., during their present tour. Their daughter, Christine, is a junior at Asbury college, Wilmore, Ky.

First Christian Services Slated

"Some Frightened Friends" is the sermon title which the Rev. Wendell Wagler, assistant minister, will give at the services Sunday morning at the First Christian church.

The church choir will sing "My God and I" and Miss Carolyn Bartell of Eugene will be guest soloist at the 10:55 a.m. service.

Mrs. Roy Henry, Mrs. B. T. Rice and Mrs. Edward Conner will be hostesses at the coffee hour following the second service.

The Chi Rho Fellowship will meet at 6 p.m. and begin an eight week contest on "Know Your Bible." Linda Daugherty will lead the study and Connie Russell the worship.

Douglas Mann will be the study director for the Middlers Fellowship meeting at 6 p.m. on the book "I Believe."

The Christian Youth Fellowship will meet at 8:30 p.m. with Andrea Smith leading the discussion on understanding God. Greg Gandee will give the devotions.

Sunday at 7:30 p.m. the Heritage Players from Eugene will present the religious drama "Rehearsal in Kericho" which was written by Ronald Coulter, one of the actors. The play is about a young actor and actress who are unsympathetically rehearsing the roles of Judas Iscariot and Mary of Magdala. During the rehearsal they begin improvising scenes from Christ's passion and reveal to themselves unique insights in the treachery of Judas and the beauty of forgiveness.

This is the third year the Heritage Players have presented a play in Medford. The CYF is sponsoring it.

Christ Ambassadors Day To Be Observed

The Christ's Ambassadors, the national youth organization of the Assemblies of God, will observe National CA Day in the United States Sunday.

At Bethel Assembly of God, 1225 East McAndrews rd., the youth department will have a prominent part in the 9:45 a.m. Sunday school opening assembly and the 7:30 p.m. evangelistic service. Paul Branson is the president of Bethel Assembly of God's youth group.

The pastor, the Rev. Lawrence D. Krause, will speak at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. on the subjects, "The Christian Way of Life" and "Is The Young Man Safe?" respectively.

The church is meeting temporarily at the Wilson school, Grand and Corona aves. The new church building is nearing completion at the corner of Crater Lake ave. and Stevens st. A campaign is under way at present within the congregation to underwrite the cost of furnishings, including pews, carpet and drapes. It is expected that the building will be ready in early June for occupancy.

Presbyterians List Sermons, Music, Events

"Living Can Be Exciting" is the theme of Dr. D. Kirkland West's sermon at the First Presbyterian church Sunday.

The senior high choir will be heard at the first service singing a Vaughn-Williams arrangement of "The Old Hundredth Psalm Tune." At the 11 a.m. service the church choir will sing, "My Shepherd Will Supply My Need." Miss Karen Paschke, soprano, will sing, "Sheep and Lambs May Safely Graze" by Bach at both morning services.

Sunday at 7 p.m. Senior High Fellowship will hear the first in an art series, "Truth in Contemporary Art" presented by the Fellowship commission, Phil Frohnmayer, chairman.

At 8 p.m. Geneva Fellowship meets at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Walker, 56 North Tenth st., Central Point to hear Dr. Wayne Hood of Southern Oregon college discuss, "Evolution and Christianity."

Junior High Fellowship meets after school each Tuesday for church school, dinner and fellowship. Miss Florence Logan, a fraternal worker from Taiwan will speak to the group. She will also address the Senior High Fellowship Wednesday at 5:30 p.m. and that same evening will meet with Dr. West's Bible Study class at 7:30 p.m.

Koinonia for young married couples meets Thursday at 7 p.m. for a potluck dinner and a showing of slides by Mr. and Mrs. Chester Weir of their recent European trip.

Westminster The sacrament of holy communion will be observed at the 11 a.m. worship service of the Westminster Presbyterian church Sunday.

The Rev. John O. Reynolds will give a communion meditation on the subject "Where Christ Appears" and the church choir will sing the anthem "The One Hundredth Psalm" by Mueller. Children's church will be held during the hour for boys and girls from 5 to 10 years and nursery care is available for pre-school children.

Church school classes will meet at 9:45 a.m. for all ages. The adult class meets in the sanctuary and will study "Mission and Ministry."

A church membership course will begin Sunday at 3 p.m. and will be taught by the pastor. There will be four classes during the next month which are planned to assist any adults who would like to know more about the Presbyterian church and the Christian faith. Those who complete the course will be invited to join the church if they desire.

The Junior High Fellowship will meet Sunday at 9 p.m. at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Mencke, 2141 East Jackson st. The Senior High Fellowship will meet Sunday at 7 p.m. at the church to view the film "The Gift" and to discuss it.

Eastwood Baptists Announce Events

Sunday at the morning service at Eastwood Baptist church, the pastor, the Rev. Clifford J. Young, will speak on "The Mustard Seed," using Mark 4:30-35 as his scriptural background.

The church choir, under the direction of Carroll Graber, will sing, "Incline Thine Ear, O Lord." Missionary moments will tell about the Easter harvest in Haiti.

Superintendent Dean Anderson will present a plaque to the church school class which has had the highest percentage of attendance during the Sunday church school hour.

The Junior Baptist Youth fellowship meeting at 6 p.m. Sunday will view a film on the life of Christ.

The Senior Highs will make plans for the launching of their gospel team.

At the 7:30 p.m. service, the pastor will speak on "Stilling the Tempest."

Dr. Eugene Gerlitz will teach a course for church school teachers on April 23, entitled, "Our Contagious Faith."

The quarterly business meeting of Eastwood Baptist church will be held April 24 at 7:30 p.m.

The Victory class is planning a party for April 27.



OPEN HOUSE — Sacred Heart Catholic church, 328 South Oakdale ave., will host residents of the Medford community Sunday from 2 to 5 p.m. at an open house. Guides will be on hand to take individuals or groups on tours of the premises. The church, built in 1928, is of Romanesque architecture. Members of the Confraternity of Christian Doctrine, sponsors of the open house, will serve as greeters and will be stationed at various displays in the church to explain usages and answer questions.

Open House Planned Sunday Afternoon At Sacred Heart

An open house for all residents of the Medford community will be held in Sacred Heart Catholic church, 328 South Oakdale ave., Sunday afternoon, April 21.

From 2 to 5 p.m. visitors to the church will be invited to inspect the interior of the building, to hear explanations and comments on the uses of many liturgical and devotional items and to ask questions which will lead to better understanding of Roman Catholic practices and beliefs. Guides will be present to take individuals or groups on tours of the premises.

The open house is being sponsored by the parish confraternity of Christian Doctrine. Charles J. Moore is general chairman, assisted by the Rev. G. N. Lulay and Arthur Baker, CCD president.

Anniversary Set By Baptist Church

"The Faithfulness of God" will be the topic the Rev. G. O. Skaar, pastor of First Southern Baptist church, 794 Lozier lane, will have for his sermon Sunday at the morning worship hour.

Robert Klusman will direct the singing. The adult choir will sing. Potluck dinner will be served in the church dining room at 12:45 p.m. for members, former members and guests. A feature of the dinner will be a birthday cake prepared by Mrs. Josie Graham in honor of the church's 15th anniversary.

A service will begin at 2 p.m. in the auditorium. There will be group singing, recognition of charter members and visiting pastors from neighboring churches.

A history of the church, accompanied by historical pictures, will be read. Soloist will be Maynard Hadley followed by a message by the Rev. James Braekus, Grants Pass, vice mediator of the Siskiyou Baptist association. The pastor will speak at 8:30 p.m. on "To God Be the Glory." The youth choir will sing.

Roundtable Question Noted for Week End

"Do churches have authority to discipline members? If so, how should this be done?" will be the question discussed this week end on the Minister's Roundtable.

The program is viewed over KMED-TV Saturday at 11 a.m. and broadcast over KMED radio Sunday at 8:05 a.m.

Panel members will be the Rev. William Saladin, Phoenix First Presbyterian; the Rev. John Simon, St. Peter's Lutheran; and the Rev. Lawrence Krause, Bethel Assembly of God. The Rev. Gilbert Skaar, of First Southern Baptist, will be moderator.

Three Churches Schedule Events

Central Point — "On This Rock I Will Build My Church" is the theme of the sermon to be given by Dr. Earl William Benson, supply minister at the First Presbyterian church, Central Point, Sunday at 11 a.m.

Members of Central Point Bethel, International Order of Job's Daughters, plan to attend, at the invitation of Miss Cathleen Harsh, honored church. They will be guests at the coffee hour, following the church service.

Jacksonville — "If You Should Die Before You Live . . ." is the title of the sermon to be preached by the Rev. King K. Jones during the 11 a.m. worship service in the First Presbyterian church, Jacksonville, Sunday, Mrs. W. A. Worden will sing a solo, "Father in Heaven" during the service.

The Men's study will meet in the church at 7 p.m. to consider Acts 20.

Tuesday at 8 p.m. the monthly church school teachers' meeting will be held in the church.

Phoenix — The Rev. and Mrs. William S. Orr are guests of the Phoenix Presbyterian church. Mr. Orr's sermons will cover the theme of what the New Testament says about Christians.

Tonight the topic will be "The Christian and His Faith" and Saturday evening's "The Christian and His Bible." Sunday morning his sermon will concern "The Christian and His Lord" and Sunday evening the final topic will be "The Christian and Holiness."

The meetings will all begin at 7:30 p.m. Mr. Orr will also be available during the day for counseling and study by appointment. Mr. Orr was a former pastor of the churches at Okenogan, Wash., Arroyo Grande, and Fillmore, Calif. He was a chaplain with the army during World War II and has completed work for his doctorate of philosophy degree at Edinburg, Scotland.

Paperback Edition of 'Science and Health' Scheduled for May 8

A paperback edition will be published on May 8 of "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy.

This is the book that for nearly 70 years has been read along with the Bible at all Christian Science church services, in place of sermons by ministers.

The new 700-page paperback will be distributed by Harper and Row, Inc., of New York, Evanston and London.

Jehovah's Witnesses Announce Activities

"Death, The Doorway To What," is the title of the Bible discourse to be given Sunday, April 21. The speaker will be Joe F. Nixon of the Medford congregation.

Stewardship Event Under Way at First Methodist Church

"Loyal Laymen in Action" is the theme announced by First Methodist church for a stewardship program which began April 15 and will continue through May 5, under the direction of Walter Higgins, chairman of the commission of stewardship and finance, and Dr. George Roseberry, minister of the church.

Higgins is being assisted in the stewardship program by many teams of workers. Persons serving as chairmen are Mr. and Mrs. Everett Faber, Mrs. William Longmore, Mrs. Robert France, Mrs. Oliver

P. Taylor, Don Heady, Mrs. Charles Adamson, Mrs. Chester James, Glen Chesler, Omar Bacon, Higgins, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Mann, and Ray Neptune.

The theme for the first week of the program is "Stewardship — What Is It?" and three lay members of the church will present their views on Sunday, Dr. Elliott Becken, church lay leader, will speak on "Stewardship — What Is It?"; Mrs. Milton Snow, chairman of the commission on worship, will present "New Opportunities for Service"; and Higgins will use as his topic "A Pledge Is a Continuing Affair."

Music for the first Sunday will include a solo "The Holy City" by Adams sung by Mrs. Gregory MacDougall at both the 8:30 and 11 a.m. services. "God Be in My Head" a 17th century anthem, will be directed by Gary Louvre and sung by the youth choir at the first service and by the church choir at 11 a.m.

Dr. Arthur Flemming, president of the University of Oregon, Eugene, will speak on April 28; and the Rev. John C. Soltman, minister, Mason Memorial Methodist church, Tacoma, Wash., will be the speaker on May 5.

The Junior High Methodist Youth fellowship will meet at 5 p.m. Sunday with Sue Patterson and Billie Sue Graber in charge of program on "What Is Success?" A fire-side will follow at the home of Peggy Weber, 608 Benson st.

Karen Corneil will lead the Senior High MYF meeting at the church at 8:30 p.m. Ten of this group will leave town after school for the Conference MYF Conclave to be held at Willamette university this week end. Accompanying the group will be Mr. and Mrs. John Kent, James Bauer, and Haakon Boe.

The official board of the church will meet Tuesday at 7:45 p.m. in the library.

Congregational Church Events Are Announced

The members and friends of the Congregational church will meet at Hoover Grade school on Sunday for both a service of worship and a congregational business meeting.

Hoover school on Siskiyou blvd. just east of South Modoc rd. is the temporary Sunday meeting place of the church while plans are being made for the construction of a new sanctuary and educational unit at the corner of East Jackson st. and Berkeley Way.

The 11 a.m. service of worship will be held in the school auditorium. The Rev. Robert W. Tull, minister, will preach a sermon entitled "The Preach a Sermon Entitled 'The Celebration of a Life.' As a part of the service, the adult choir will sing under the direction of Charles Martin.

Following the morning service, a Congregational meeting will be convened by the moderator of the church, T. R. McLean, to consider and act upon the recommendation of the building committee and the board of trustees of a plan for the financing of the church's building program.

The church school will meet during the worship hour in various portions of Hoover school. Child care will be provided in the school health room for children younger than three years of age, and classes will be held for children from three years through ninth grade.

Sunday at 6 p.m. the Pilgrim Fellowship will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bush on Wagner Creek rd. in Talent. Young people from ninth grade up are welcome.

Plans To Be Made For Youth Venture Meeting in July

This week end, Elder Cecil Jacks, Sacramento, Calif.; Larry Nelson, youth venture director; youth leader Frank Tucker, Redding, Calif.; and Northern California district Missionary Warren Chelline, will meet in Medford. The pastor of the Medford branch of the Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, Elder Harley Davidson, and Youth Leader Tom Schuyler, will discuss with them preliminary arrangements for a Youth Venture to be held here starting July 20.

This will be a group of some 50 student members of the church and their counselors and staff members, coming from the northern California district to minister to the Medford area.

Arrangements for housing and food facilities will be discussed at the meeting.

A camp workshop is also scheduled for Saturday in Eugene. Starting at noon it will be a half day session of instruction on crafts and other camp activities for summer camp staff members.

At the local church Sunday, Elder John Kaffler, from Klamath Falls will be the guest speaker at the 11 a.m. service.

Milo Academy To Give Concert

The Milo Academy chorale will present a sacred concert at the 11 a.m. worship hour in the Medford Seventh-day Adventist church Saturday.

The 40-voice group, under the direction of Ronald Turner, has toured a number of Oregon cities giving both sacred and secular programs. The academy is a denominational school located near Canyonville.

Duane Corwin, Bible lecturer, will present the first in a series of five George Vandeman color films at the American Legion Hall in Central Point Sunday at 7:30 p.m.

The films will be similar to those viewed locally last year on the 11 Written television series, but are a specialized group which have not been shown previously. Title of Mr. Corwin's lecture accompanying the film will be "If Jesus Were I."

The Sunday night program will be the last meeting to be conducted by Mr. Corwin in the Central Point hall. The remaining four Vandeman films will be shown on consecutive Sunday nights in the Medford Seventh-day Adventist church, 1900 Greenwood st.

The same films will be shown on Thursday nights in the grade school gymnasium at Shady Cove. The April 25 lecture will be "Why I Am What I Am."

Seven Lesson Series To Start

The Rev. Katharine Bosworth, minister of Unity church, Holly and Haven sts., is beginning a series of seven lessons called "Science of Living" taken from Unity's basic textbook. This series is for all study classes. The lesson topic for the week will be "Invoking the Power of Thought" through "yes" and "no" attitudes.

Mrs. Bosworth will have for the subject of her lesson at the 11:15 a.m. Sunday service, "The Way of Life." The text is taken from James 3:13-17.

Miss Sandra Myers will be at the organ. Mrs. H. B. Breese will sing "Closer Still With Thee" by Walter Rolfe.

The prayer ministry will meet Wednesday, April 24, at 11 a.m. Those attending are to take their lunch. At 1 p.m. the study class will meet.

The Wednesday night study class will meet at 7:30 p.m. at the Unity Center, 995 South Oakdale ave.

The Grants Pass and Ashland classes will meet as usual.

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

Unitarian Fellowship To Hear Talk Sunday

The Rogue Valley Unitarian Fellowship will hear a talk Sunday by Irving Thomas. His topic is "The Measurements of Morality Teaching."

Following the talk and discussion period the annual meeting will be held at which time there will be election of officers for the coming year. The fellowship meets at the Red Cross building, 60 Hawthorne ave. at 11 a.m.

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11:00 A.M. "WHAT IS THE NATURE OF THE NATURAL MAN?"

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