

Peace on earth good will to men

First Christian Church Will Hold Varied Yuletide Program

The First Christian church has planned a varied Christmas program for the 1945 holiday season, with all classes and departments of the Bible school cooperating.

A special program will be held at 7 p. m. Sunday, followed by the Christmas cantata, "Chimes of the Holy Night," presented by the 25-voice choir at 8 o'clock. Mrs. Patricia Hunt will be at the organ and Mrs. Helen Moreland will direct.

The young people will go caroling under the leadership of Charles Uhlig after the evening program. Benevolent work and activity for the Christmas season will be under the direction of Roy Arnold and the Christian Builders' class.

Cordial Welcome
A most cordial welcome is extended to all in the community to enjoy these Christmas activities with the congregation.

The cantata will include "But Thou Bethlehem," a two-part chorus by the women. Mrs. Geanne Fraley will sing "In the Watches of the Night." One of

Christmas Eve Service Will Be Presented

A Christmas Eve service will be presented by St. Paul's Episcopal church at 11 p. m. Monday, December 24.

The program will include pre-service music with organ and violin. "Pastoral," organ solo; "Ave Maria," violin and organ; "Andante Molto Moderato."

Professional, "O Come All Ye Faithful." The midnight Eucharist will be used for the service proper. Sermon hymn, "I Came Upon A Midnight Clear," Frederick W. Wassenbach, rector will give the Christmas message.

The choir will sing the offertory anthem, "There Were Three Shepherds." Mrs. Vernon Kuykendall will sing a solo, followed by Holy Communion, closing prayers and benediction. Recessional will be, "Hark! The Herald Angels Sing," and the choir will sing "Gloria in Excelsis Deo," a traditional French carol as the postlude.

Organist is Mrs. Sam Mushen; violinist, Mrs. J. C. O'Neill; choir leader, Mrs. Kuykendall.

Choir Will Sing Anthems

Christmas anthems will be a special part of the services at First Presbyterian church Sunday in observance of the birthday of Jesus Christ.

John Best will direct the choir and Mrs. Best will play the organ accompaniments.

Another special program will be presented at vesper services 5 p. m., with "The Christmas Story," illustrated by song, scripture and pictures. The young people have presented 28 scriptural slides to the church, made from real persons. A short Christmas message will be given by Patricia McFadden.

Narrative
The scripture narrative will be read by selected students from the high school department of the church, and the junior choir directed by Mary Lou Van Riper, will furnish the music accompanied by Shirley Robinson.

The entire church family and the public is invited to enjoy this dramatic program together.

The young people will go caroling with other church groups at the close of the program.

Immanuel Baptist Bible School Will Present Program

Immanuel Baptist church Bible school will present a Christmas program at 7 p. m. Sunday, Mrs. L. Benson and Mrs. Ernest Parkhurst will direct recitations, songs and dialogues by the children, and a play by the older group.

"Behold a Son Is Given" will be the subject used by the pastor at morning worship at 11 o'clock. Christmas anthems will be sung by the choir.

A Christmas party for the young people will be held Saturday at 8 p. m. All service personnel are extended a special invitation to attend.

the most attractive of all the numbers is the men's chorus, "Let Us Go Even Unto Bethlehem." An appealing number is the soprano solo, "Jesus Our Lord," sung by Phyllis Hutchins and the two-part women's chorus.

Tenor Solo
Charles Uhlig will sing the tenor solo "Star of the Eastern Sky," with the choir assisting.

Presbyterian Church Fund Progressing

The First Presbyterian church building fund with a goal of \$100,000, is progressing very satisfactorily. Fred B. Robinson, chairman of the drive, reports.

Within 10 days from the start of the program, drive teams raised between one quarter and one half of the fund in subscriptions. Bad weather and illness among members is delaying efforts in the drive now and preventing full reports on progress.

It is doubtful, Robinson stated, if building will be started during 1946, due to labor problems and material shortages. However, the Presbyterians are reversing the usual procedure in such ventures, planning to raise the full subscription before work is started, so that there will be no mortgage-burning ceremonies for this church.

No Location
No location has been decided upon for the new structure to date and it may be that the site of the present building will be used.

A beautiful new stained glass window illustrating the resurrection of Christ has been set in the Pine street wall of the brick building at 6th and Pine. The window is a memorial for Marjorie Smith Sisemore, late daughter of the former pastor and wife of the First Presbyterian church, Rev. and Mrs. A. Theodore Smith.

All the memorial windows will be used in the new church building.

Episcopal Calendar For Week

Calendar for the week:
Sunday, 23rd, 8 a. m.—Holy communion, 11 a. m., morning prayer and pageant of the holy nativity, by the children of the church school, 3:00 p. m., evening prayer and Sunday school pageant, St. Barnabas, Langell Valley.
Monday, 24th — The midnight service will begin promptly at 11 p. m.
Tuesday, 25th — Christmas Day, Celebration of the holy communion, 10 a. m.
Wednesday, 26th — Holy communion and sermon, St. Luke's church, Lakeview, 7:30 p. m.
Thursday, 27th — The St. Paul's guild Christmas party, potluck, 1 p. m., parish hall.
Friday, 28th — Holy Innocents Day, celebration of the holy communion, 10 a. m., 12 noon, G. F. S. Christmas party in the parish hall.

Peace Memorial Church To Begin Christmas Services

Peace Memorial Presbyterian church, holding meetings in the Altamont junior high school, 5th and Summers lane, begins the celebration of Christmas in the first of a series of services this Friday at 8 p. m.

The church choir will sing Christmas anthems and the Sunday school orchestra will play a number of selections. Violins, Marilee Crawford, Mary Lou Bates, Morris Weakley, Stanley McClellan, Dick Weakley, Cello, Neil Olson.

Clarinets, Ruth Peyton, Donald Rocquemore, Eugene Ross, Baritone horn, John McClellan, Bass horn, Bruce Crawford, Piano, Joanne Robinette, A. C. Olson.

Margaret McClellan, home for the holidays from Whitman college, will play the cello and Harold Peyton from Oregon State college will play the flute. Mrs. Hugh Mitchellmore will direct the orchestra.

Nativity Play
A nativity play in one act, "Silver Star of Christmas," will

Other numbers by the choir will include, "Christmas Bells are Ringing," "The Lord Is Born Today," "On Earth Peace," and "Gloria to God in the Highest."

Little folk of the cradle roll department will offer recitations and songs directed by Mrs. Guy Munsel following the cantata.

Youngsters of the beginners department, with Mrs. Ralph Clapp, directing, will present recitations and drills. Primary and junior departments will also take part with songs and recitations.

"The Christmas Story," a pageant, will be given by intermediate girls under the direction of Mrs. Lillie Kendall and Mrs. Jessie Tullis. The same group will give a playlet, "The Christmas Cake."

The high school and young people of the church are in charge of the decorating, lighting and stage arrangements.

Ladies of the church are planning the Christmas treat to follow the evening program.

Zion Lutheran Church Advent Services Set

The last series in Advent services will be held Sunday at 11 a. m. at Zion Lutheran church, 1025 High, when Victor A. Schulze, pastor, will speak on "The Threshold of Christmas."

All children are requested to be at Sunday school at 9:45 to practice for the Christmas Eve program.

Zion Fellowship will meet at 7:30 for its annual social. Community carol singing will be held around the tree. Members, friends and service personnel are cordially invited to attend.

Monday at 7:30 the children will present their pageant, Peace on Earth, assisted by the church choir. On Christmas Day festive services will be held at 11 a. m. with Pastor Schulze offering a message, "Our Christmas Hopes Fulfilled." The choir will furnish special music, directed by M. Bendin.

Following the evening concert the brotherhood will serve refreshments in the church parlors at the regular fireside hour.

On Christmas Day the traditional candlelight service will be held with the choir and congregation uniting in singing carols at 6 a. m. Sermon by the pastor will be, "God Keeps His Promise."

Carol Service
At 10:45 the choir will present a carol service from the church balcony. The worship service will follow at 11 a. m. with the regular theme, "Let Us Forget." Anthems and solos appropriate for the occasion will be offered by the choir at this service.

The Sunday school will hold its Christmas party Wednesday, December 26 at 7:30 p. m. with songs and recitations by the young children and juniors. The seniors will present a pageant. There will be gifts for the children.

Methodists To Hear Quartet

Special Christmas music will be presented at morning service, Sunday 11 a. m. at the First Methodist church. A quartet including Connie Hunt, soprano; Francis Gilchrist, alto; C. H. Harville, tenor; Charles Heilbrunner, bass.

Wendell B. Smith, baritone soloist will sing several numbers.

A short Christmas message will be given by Rev. Victor Phillips, minister, using as his theme, "The Star of Hope." Mrs. Robert P. Craig will direct the choir and Mrs. John A. O'Connor will be at the organ console.

Children of the Sunday school will present a special program in the lower auditorium at 9:30 a. m. Mrs. Lillian Hagman and her staff of teachers will direct the numbers.

Bly Methodist church will present their Christmas program at Sunday school 7:30 p. m.

will be presented by the high school class, directed by A. C. Olson. Parts will be taken by Joanne Robinette, Carol Reeves, Ruth and Shirley Peugh, Lois Landrum, Mary Lou Bates, Bruce Crawford, David Patterson, John McClellan, Ruth Patterson will act as prompter; Morris Weakley, stage manager; costumes, Dorothy Peugh; properties, Ruth Peyton.

Two services are scheduled for Sunday morning with the junior high department presenting a pageant at 9:45 a. m., under direction of Mrs. A. C. Olson. There will be four scenes, the annunciation, shepherds, the manger, and the church. Junior and primary departments will have parts in this service.

At the 11 a. m. service, Rev. Hugh T. Mitchellmore, pastor, will speak on "The Christmas Songs." At 5:30, the high school CE will have a Christmas meeting at the manse followed by caroling with members of the First Presbyterian.

Warcup Will Direct Choir In Cantata

Klamath Lutheran church senior choir will present a sacred concert at 5 p. m. Sunday presenting the Christmas cantata, "O Little Town of Bethlehem," directed by O. K. Warcup.

Soloists will be Alyce Wells, soprano; Mrs. A. W. Westover, alto; Mel Erickson, tenor; Dewey Braaten, baritone. Mrs. A. H. Denison will be accompanist. Assisting the choir will be an instrumental trio with Mrs. Lewis Hornby playing the violin; Mr. and Mrs. John Best, cello and piano. Following is the program:

Program
Prelude, "Twilight Devotion," Pease, Mrs. A. H. Denison, organist.
"O Little Town," chorus.
"O Prophet Voices," tenor recitative and chorus, Mel Erickson, soloist.
"I See a Shepherd," tenor recitative and aria, Mel Erickson.
"Gloria to God in the Highest," chorus.
"No Room," baritone solo, Dewey Braaten.
"Shepherds Ye Heard Them," chorus and soprano solo, Alyce Wells.
"Mary of Nazareth," trio of women's voices.
Instrumental trio, "Adagio from D Minor Trio," Mendelssohn, Mrs. Lewis Hornby, violin; John Best, cello; Mrs. John Best, piano.
Offertory, "Andante in G," Baliste.
"Rest Thee, My Son," contralto solo, Mrs. A. W. Westover.
"We Have Found the Lord," chorus and quartet.
"Thou Art Not Far," soprano solo, Alyce Wells.
"O Call Us Back to Bethlehem," chorus.
The Rev. S. M. Topness will speak at 11 a. m. service on the theme, "The Church Lifts Up Her Voice."

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Klamath Lutheran church wishes everyone a Happy Christmas and extends a cordial invitation to attend Christmas services with its congregation.

Pioneer Community

Mrs. and Mr. Carl Bringle and daughter, Diane, have moved to Weyerhaeuser Camp 6 at Bly. Bringle has just been discharged from the service.

Reuben Talbot accompanied by his mother Mrs. Fannie Talbot returned from Roseville, Calif., where they visited Mrs. Talbot's brother Lyle Gordon and family.

Cpl. Robert W. Sage, recently discharged from the armed forces, visited the W. L. Trains. Before entering the service he worked for them. Sage spent over three years in the South Pacific and has now returned to his home near Butte, Mont.

Cpl. Joseph Godard returned to his home here this week. He has been discharged from service in the South Pacific.

Joe Randall is helping Earl Kern move cattle to Red Bluff, Calif., for winter pasture. They shipped by train loading the cattle at Worden.

There is scarlet fever reported in the House family. The R. E. Huribut family has been ill with flu the past week.

Mrs. Robert and Mrs. Donald Colwell were shoppers in Klamath Falls this week.

Mrs. Jack Bewer is very ill and is in the hospital in Klamath Falls.

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Choir Leader



O. K. Warcup will direct the choir for special Sunday music at Klamath Lutheran church.

New Church Nearly Ready

The new \$110,000 Latter Day Saints church building, Home and Martin, is nearing completion with a steeple, copper-covered from top to bottom, standing 100 feet from the ground.

An auditorium which will comfortably accommodate 275 persons with an overflow capacity of 500, will be part of the construction. There will be a large dance floor and a big stage for church plays, a Boy Scout room and numerous class rooms. The outside of the building will be of brick.

It is expected that services may be held in the new building in four months if material is available to complete the job. Finishing materials are being somewhat delayed at present.

Jesus Name Calvary To Hold Services

Jesus Name Calvary, 1442 Oregon, will hold special services Sunday with two guest speakers. The Rev. Hayden Kelso of Springfield and the Rev. Harry Johnson of Corvallis will speak at both services. There will be appropriate music for the season, Ray Bixseth, pastor announced.

Christmas Carols To Be Heard On Street

A festive touch will be added to the downtown area from now until Christmas, as Major W. Roswell of the Salvation Army announced the city has given him permission to operate a sound truck playing Christmas carols on the streets.

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Baptists Will Hold Cantata

The First Baptist church, N. 8th and Washington, will present a Christmas cantata, "Yuletide Memories," at 7:30 Sunday, directed by H. G. Shirey. Accompanist will be Mrs. E. E. Hambrick at the piano and Mrs. Dale Welch at the organ.

Program:
"Praise and Glory," girls' chorus and choir.
"Bethlehem," choir, alto solo, girls' chorus.
"The Shepherd's Vision," quartet and choir.
"The Midnight Choir," alto solo, choir with alto obligato, Patricia Hambrick, soloist.
"The Wise Men," men's voices and girls' chorus.
"The Guiding Star," soprano solo, Esther Robinson.
"Room for Thee," choir.
"Hallelujah," choir.

The Christmas message will be delivered by the pastor, Cecil C. Brown, at the morning worship service, 11 a. m. Also, the theme of the Youth Jubilee service, scheduled for Saturday, December 22, at 8:15 p. m., will center about the Christmas story. The program will be composed of Christmas carols and several special numbers.

The public is cordially invited to attend all of these services.

Church Choir Sings Carols

Christmas services at the Community Congregational church, Garden and Martin, will open Sunday with the children's program at 9:45 a. m., followed by morning prayer service at 11 o'clock when a joyous celebration of praise is planned.

The choir directed by Mrs. H. W. Moore will sing ancient and modern carols and anthems. Mrs. Sam Ackerman will sing a soprano solo, after which the Rev. Godfrey Matthews will preach on "Joy To The World."

At 7:30 p. m., a play-pageant will be presented by children and young people of the church entitled, "O Holy Night," directed by Mary E. Eckstein. The choir of 21 voices will sing, directed by Mrs. R. B. Elliott. Ewart S. Edwards has arranged special lighting effects for the program. Comrades of the Way will hold their regular weekly meeting at 6 p. m., and join other church groups in caroling afterward.

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Klamath Churches To Offer Musical Pageants Christmas

A feast of sacred music is offered the public on Sunday in Klamath Falls churches, together with the hallowed Christmas story presented in pageant and song.

The ancient Christmas message, forever new, will be presented from the many pulpits throughout the city, and each church group has gone all out in arranging special cantatas and musicals.

Invitations
Cordial invitations are extended to everyone to attend church services this Sunday and renew spiritual acquaintances.

The First Christian church is presenting their special musical cantata, "Chimes on a Holy Night," at 7 p. m. Sunday; at 7:30 p. m. Sunday, the First Baptist church will present its cantata, "Yuletide Memories," 5 p. m. Sunday, Klamath Lutheran will present, "O Little Town of Bethlehem," a cantata; the Salvation Army's sing program will be held at 7:30 p. m. Sunday; the First Methodist church will have special singing at the regular morning worship 11 a. m. Sunday, and Bly Methodist church children and young people will give a program at 7:30.

Special Services
This Friday at 8 p. m. Peace Memorial Presbyterian church will present a musical program in the Altamont junior high school gymnasium. Two special services will be held Sunday morning at 9:45 and at 11 by this church.

Zion Lutheran church will hold its annual Christmas Eve service, Monday night, when the children will present a program, "Peace on Earth." On Sunday evening the traditional Christmas tree and annual social with community carol singing will be held.

Vesper Services
The First Presbyterian church will present, "The Christmas Story," with pictures, song and

scripture at vesper services 8 p. m. Sunday.

Sacred Heart church is also observing Christmas with its usual special Christmas masses. The message at the Church of the Nazarene at 11 o'clock will be "A Child Born a Son Given." The program of the Sunday school will be presented Sunday evening at 7:30 when the pageant "Let Us Adore Him" by Dollefeld and Fisher will be given. The musical background will be arrangements by the junior choir.

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