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Klamath Churches Host Baptists In Three Different Conventions

Fourteenth annual meeting of the Baptist General Convention of Oregon-Washington will open Wednesday with 9 a.m. opening sessions in Calvary Baptist Church, 2101 Garden Avenue. Evening sessions will be held at First Baptist Church, North Eighth and Washington.

Texas Woman Takes Post

Being introduced as the "height of wisdom" brought a laugh and a compliment from Sara Martha Wisdom, 6' 2", newly appointed secretary and youth director at First Baptist Church.



SARA WISDOM

Peace Festival Plans Progress

ALTURAS—Bishop's Company, which performed Thursday in Klamath Falls, will present Rumer Godden's "An Episode of Sparrows" at 8 p.m. Friday in the Alturas Federated Community Church.

Duties Noted

"The Christian and Responsible Citizenship" will be topic of the first fall study class of the First Methodist Church Women's Society of Christian Service at 10 a.m. Tuesday, Oct. 17.

PUPIL OPENINGS

Mrs. Robert A. Johnson, director of the First Baptist Church kindergarten, announced that there are still six openings for children in the five-day morning session school. Children must be five years old by Nov. 15.

GARDEN OF MEMORY

DAYTON, Ohio (AP)—Shloh Congregational Church has its "Garden of Memory" next to its sanctuary.

STUDY LAUNCHED

NEW YORK (AP)—The United Lutheran Church Board of Social Missions has launched a major study of "church and state relations in a pluralistic society."

On campus she edited the annual and served on the newspaper for three years. She was also elected to "Spinning Wheels," campus leadership honorary, for two years.

Long accustomed to "height jokes," friendly Miss Wisdom is now adjusting to jokes about "people from Texas" and her soft drawl which perfectly fits her romantic sounding name.

"I never thought I had an accent," crowned the former Petrola, Tex., young woman, who is already organizing an extensive youth program for the Klamath Falls church.

Fretting about teasing, however, obviously hasn't taken up very much of Miss Wisdom's 21 years. Graduated in May from Wayland Baptist College in Plainview, Tex., with a major in religious education and a journalism minor, she already has stacked up a host of accomplishments.

Serving as an officer for three years in the campus—Baptist Student Union, she also worked as

Active as an officer in the speech club and a member of the campus drama fraternity, she enjoyed appearing in plays—"usually character roles like old women," she laughed.

She is particularly fond of making decorations for parties and banquets and admits that she's gone "way out" trying for original effects. She'd like to employ some of her ideas, decoration and otherwise in the program she is organizing at the Klamath church.

First, she thinks a good youth program calls for a fine blending of both social and spiritual activities slanted at ages 13-24. She likes youth aimed devotional programs, supplemented with lots of informal song and games sessions at after-church fellowships.

She also thinks that a strong recreation program adds a lot of interest to a youth program. In the past she has used informal tournaments in ping pong, volleyball and miniature golf—"simple, but lots of fun."

At the same time she likes "big calendar events" such as the upcoming Halloween party and Thanksgiving breakfast. Future plans call for an all-church Valentine's banquet and Youth Week in April.

Interspersed with the many secretarial duties and youth planning meetings with her boss and pastor, Rev. Mack P. Jones, Miss Wisdom has found some time for sightseeing.

"I like Klamath Falls fine," she said. "But I must say it was quite a surprise. I thought all of Oregon looked like Crater Lake—deep blue water and tall, green pines."

WIDOW JOINS DAUGHTER

CANTON, Ohio (AP)—A widow who retired recently after 20 years with the city water department will begin training in January to become a nun in the same order as her daughter.

Mrs. Mae Francis, 62, will enter Our Lady of the Angels Monastery, Birmingham, Ala. It was founded by her daughter, Mother Mary Angelica, who has been a nun 17 years.

LEPERS CONTRIBUTE

NEW YORK (AP)—Two leper colonies in the Ryukyu Islands were among the first contributors to a fund for a new Episcopal Church headquarters building in New York City. Nine congregations, including the two leper colonies, sent \$133.

CHURCH SELLS CALVES

MALIN—Four calves have been sold at auction, and 14 are still pastured. Ancient Mariners of Malin Presbyterian Church learned this week.

The special project report was made at a Kentucky Pumpkin Harvest party in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carlo Cornett. Ten couples attended the event.



NAZARENES — Rev. B. Maurice Hall, teacher and missionary to Nyassaland, South Africa, will speak at 10:50 a.m. Sunday at First Church of the Nazarene, Garden at Martin. He is in charge of the Nazarene Bible School at Limbe.

Laki Church Needs Told

While the Men's Club of Mt. Laki Community Presbyterian Church is making plans for their annual auction on Oct. 28, Rev. Andrew A. Jarvis is outlining the church educational space needs.

The auction, slated for 10 a.m. Oct. 28 in the fairgrounds will benefit the Mt. Laki educational building fund. Last year the men raised more than \$8,000.

Rev. Jarvis, who pointed out the church school's average attendance is now running 150 per cent, said this is a 25 per cent increase over the 1960 figures.

In pointing out the need for the proposed building, he noted that the church "by using every nook and cranny" has only 1,900 square feet of Sunday School space. That is about 16 square feet per child, or four by four feet.

Rev. Jarvis cited the "Building and Equipping for Christian Education" as setting the minimum space at 30 square feet per pupil, with 32 to 36 more desirable.

Because of Mt. Laki's situation, Rev. Jarvis pointed out that classes have overflowed into the balcony and other sanctuary areas, making it impossible to hold two worship services.

In the meantime the church laymen are collecting merchandise for the auction which will range from farm equipment, stock and hay to canned foods and household goods, according to Joe Wright, Men's Club president.

DATE CHANGED

MERRILL — Altar and Rosary Society of St. Augustine's Catholic Church changed the date of their buffet dinner to Sunday, Nov. 12, in the parish hall at their October meeting.

Mrs. Dan Barry and Mrs. Robert Petrik are co-chairmen of the dinner. Mrs. Ellis Wilson is ticket chairman. Tickets will be available at the door, with special rates for families.

All members were asked to continue saving coffee bands to apply toward the coffee maker.

YOUTH MEETING

LAKEVIEW—Eight high school members of Westminster Fellowship represented First Presbyterian Church in Lakeview at the United Presbyterian Training Session Oct. 7 in Grants Pass.

WORLD DISCUSSION

Boyd Lorraine, Watchtower representative, will speak on "A United World Through God's Kingdom" at 6:30 p.m. Sunday at Kingdom Hall, 833 North Ninth Street. A study period will follow at 7:45 p.m.

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A Church Should Look Like One, Fink Says

Churches must take on something more than the appearance of the supermarket, the post office or the bowling alley, declares A. Hensel Fink, consulting architect for the Division of National Missions of the Methodist Church.

Writing in the November issue of Methodism's family magazine, "Together," he says, "Churches need not look like religious factories. A modern-style church can be beautiful, fresh and winsome—uncluttered with furbelows which have no meaning for our day."

"Of course, the various units must be capable of serving specific purposes—worship, fellowship, education—but it should not be necessary to put up a sign to inform the public that a new structure is a church. Nor does a cross attached superficially to the outside make a building into a house of God."

Architect Fink believes that a man who designs churches cannot do his job effectively unless he clearly understands the true workings of the church and the beliefs of its people. Modern materials and contemporary design alone will not create a church that is either beautiful or functional.

The plan, he says, must always take into consideration the liturgy of the denomination. Roman Catholics, Episcopalians, and Lutherans, for instance, emphasize the altar or Communion table; the Baptists and Disciples of Christ give significant place to the baptism.

"The dignity, integrity, and beauty of the contemporary church is in such simple basic qualities as light, space, color, texture," claims Fink. "It makes use of native materials in the Frank Lloyd Wright tradition that beautiful buildings conform to the surroundings and blend with nature's shades and contours."

There was a time, he points out, when it was thought the only correct mode of entry into heaven was through a Gothic arch. "But we forget that Gothic churches were the modern buildings of the 12th century, and the style was not widely accepted for years. Certainly no 20th-century Christian should look askance at the classic beauties of Gothic, Romanesque, or Byzantine forms. But they speak of other days."

India Editor Speaks Here

A Christian missionary who publishes a Hindu language monthly publication in India will speak at 7:30 p.m. Oct. 18 at Suburban Christian Church in the third annual missions school series.

Fran Remple, who works in the field of Christian publications at Kanpur, U.P., India, is secretary of the New Testament Publications Association.

He began his work in India in 1949 with the Church of Christ Mission at Kulpahar, which operates a Bible College and several other institutions. He was in charge of India Bible College for seven years before joining the literature operation in 1958.

Remple will illustrate his talk entitled "The Potential of Missions—the World."



FRANK REMPLE



CONCERT CHOIR — Music lovers of all faiths and creeds comprise fans of the talented Boys Town Choir scheduled to sing in Klamath Falls Monday. The 8 p.m. concert at Mills School Auditorium is sponsored by Mt. McLoughlin Council, Knights of Columbus.

Dunsmuir Lutherans Celebrate 25th Year

DUNSMUIR — Rev. Henry Rische and his brother, Rev. John Rische, will participate in the 25th anniversary celebration of the First Lutheran Church of Dunsmuir this weekend.

Anniversary plans, underway for months, will culminate with special programs Oct. 14-15. Events are slated for 7:30 p.m. Saturday and 11 a.m. and 4 p.m. Sunday.

Rev. Henry Rische arrived in Dunsmuir 25 years ago to establish a mission in a plumbing shop which he later converted into the Rustic Chapel, the present Lutheran Church. He left to become editor of "This Day," Lutheran publication, and is now a minister in Grand Junction, Colo.

His brother, Rev. John Rische, succeeded him, according to Rev. Martin Schabacker, the present minister.

Pictures of the past and present will be shown by Rev. Henry Rische on Saturday night. He will also conduct the special anniversary worship service Sunday. At 4 p.m. a dinner will be held

Church Drama Set

YREKA—Mrs. Pearl Steinhaus used Psalm 19 as scripture background at the Hawaiian themed annual friendship tea of the Women's Missionary Society, First Baptist Church in Yreka. Mrs. Steinhaus described Hawaiian scenes to illustrate her devotional.

The WMS theme song opened the event which was attended by 21 persons. Mrs. Evelyn Aiken led in prayer. The program included a trio number by Mrs. Ruby Levulett, Mrs. Anne Peterson and Mrs. Mildred Steinhaus. Decorations were by Barbara Gores, Mrs. Emily Atchely and Mrs. Dorothy Stewart.

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