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Episcopal Church
Slates Meeting
Of Congregation

Annual congregational meeting for St. Paul's Episcopal church is scheduled Sunday, Dec. 17, in the church basement immediately following the 11 a.m. worship service, it has been announced by the Rev. Armand Larive.

At this meeting the congregation will elect a treasurer for the church and new members to fill expired posts on the Bishops' committee. The meeting will also provide an opportunity for the congregation to hear reports and assess the work of the church during the past year.

Specific attention will be given to the guild organization, Christian education at all levels, financial matters, baptized and communicant status in the church, as well as to hearing any suggestions on policies for the forthcoming year.

The meeting will last no longer than 45 minutes and baby sitting services will be provided in the church during the morning worship service and meeting.

All laymen of St. Paul's church are urged to be present.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Chard of Boise were Thursday dinner guests at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Farr.

WCS Women Have
Christmas Program
At General Meeting

Assisted by several members of the Evelyn DeVries circle, Mrs. Duane Holcomb presented the program at the Dec. 7 general meeting of the Methodist Women's Society of Christian Service. Program topic was "A Christmas Card."

Mrs. Bud Sappe sang Christmas solos, accompanied by Mrs. Norville Robbins, and Mrs. Cecil Evans played organ music.

Mrs. Kinsey Kevenen conducted the business session, at which time it was reported that 22 persons were enrolled in the recent study class.

Barbara Firl circle meets today in the church parlor. This group served dinner at the Methodist Men's meeting held Monday evening.

Mrs. Clifford Fox and Mrs. Kevenen were hostesses to the 22 members and one guest in attendance.

NAZARENE YOUNG PEOPLE
TO STAGE CHRISTMAS PLAY

Church of the Nazarene young people will present a Christmas play, "The Star Still Shines," Sunday evening at 7:30 in the church. Directed by Mrs. Omar Barnhouse and Mrs. Bill Fitzsimmons, the play has a cast of 28 members.

Methodist Men Hear
Civil Defense Topic

Vern Weible and Dr. D. S. Daniels of Vale discussed ways and means of civil defense at the regular dinner meeting of Methodist Men Monday evening at the local church.

A film strip presented facts and figures on fallout and told of protection to self and family in case of nuclear attack. Practical means of this protection are utilization of basement rooms and cellars and the building of an additional room to be used for family living.

Weible pointed out that such rooms should be provisioned with food, water and first aid supplies. The speakers noted that the county civil defense team is prepared to move into any disaster area created by war, fire, storm or flood in order to save lives and reduce panic.

Elaine Kurtz sang two Christmas solos as part of the program which also included group singing. The meeting was presided over by Gene Chester, president of Methodist Men's organization.

Cliff Fox, program chairman, announced that the next meeting will be a father-son banquet on Feb. 12.

NAZARENE GROUP HOLDS
CHRISTMAS PARTY DEC. 5

A Christmas party was held Dec. 5 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Don Wilson for Nazarene church Golden Hour Missionary society members and their husbands.

Mrs. Bill Fitzsimmons was in charge of the program which consisted of a talk by the Rev. Omar Barnhouse and a Christmas reading by Mrs. Fitzsimmons. Christmas games were played by the group.

A gift exchange was held and secret pals were revealed.

Refreshments were served to the 44 in attendance by Mrs. Roger Tucker and her committee.

Lutheran Churches
Of Nyssa and Vale
Plan Joint Service

It was announced this week by Pastor John Briehl that there will be no services at Faith Lutheran church this coming Sunday.

Members of the congregation will worship jointly with Grace Lutheran congregation in Vale. Morning service will begin at 10 o'clock.

Following the service, the combined congregations will leave on their annual Christmas tree hunt. The group will secure a tree for each of the churches and one for each individual family.

Those planning to go on the hunt are advised to wear warm clothing and to take along coasting equipment as snow will be very plentiful for sledding.

Owhee Community
Church News

We-Two group attended a Chinese dinner Friday evening at East Side cafe in Ontario. Elver and Betty Nielsen were chosen leaders of the group for the coming year.

The young people will have their meeting at 7 o'clock Sunday evening, Dec. 17, and the Christmas program will begin at 8 o'clock. After the program there will be treats for all.

There will be a rehearsal of the program Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Classifieds Get Quick Results!

Loyalty Meeting
To Be Held Monday
In Lutheran Church

A loyalty meeting for confirmed members of Faith Lutheran congregation will be held at 8 o'clock Monday evening in the church. The general committee of the Every Members Visitation program will present the 1962 church program to the congregation.

A film, "Split Level Family," will be shown and dessert and coffee will be furnished by the ALCW of Grace Lutheran in Vale.

Church Youth Groups
To Join for Caroling

Methodist youth fellowship group plans a Christmas caroling party beginning at 7 o'clock Sunday evening, Dec. 17.

An invitation to accompany them has been issued to high school youth of St. Paul's Episcopal and Christian churches.

The group will visit at the homes of shut-ins and will also sing for patients at Malheur Memorial hospital.

Following the carol-sing, the serenaders will return to the Methodist church where a party will be given in their honor.

HAPPY HELPERS 4-H CLUB
SHOWN FOOD PREPARATION

Happy Helpers 4-H club members met Tuesday after school at the Elvin Ballou home. The business session was presided over by Lissa Nishitani, vice president. Members answered roll call by naming a "dish" to be made from macaroni, spaghetti or noodles.

Food preparation demonstrations were given by Carol Greig, cooking frozen corn; Nancy Bock, making apple salad and Linda Ballou, making muffins.

There were nine members and one visitor, Kathy Perdue, in attendance at the Tuesday afternoon meeting.

—Carol Greig, Reporter

TROOP 80 MAKES GIFTS

Girl Scout troop 80 met Dec. 1 with Cindy Tracy, president, presiding. Meeting time was spent working on Christmas gifts.

—Cindy Tracy, Reporter

Nyssa Chapel Rites
Conducted Monday
For Fred W. Fisher

Funeral services for Fred W. Fisher were conducted Monday afternoon, Dec. 11, 1961, at Lienkaemper chapel. He succumbed Thursday, Dec. 7, in Ontario following an extended illness.

Mr. Fisher was born Nov. 16, 1888, in McCook, Neb., a son of John and Carrie Fisher. He had resided in the Apple Valley community for 40 years and moved about a month ago to Ontario.

Survivors include his widow, Pauline of the home; two sons, Herbert of Nyssa and Don of Washington state; two daughters, Mrs. N. Thorburn of San Jose, Calif., and Miss Mildred Fisher of Idaho.

Other survivors include three brothers, Henry Fisher of Kirkwood, Mo., John Fisher and Sam Duborko of New Plymouth; one sister, Mrs. William Martins of Seattle; three grandchildren and one great-grandson.

Interment was made at Parma under direction of Lienkaemper funeral home.

Jehovah's Witnesses
Invited to Participate
In Training Program

Jehovah's Witnesses from Nyssa have been invited to participate in a three-day Bible training program to be held Jan. 12-14 in Ontario, it has been announced by Ronald Franklin, local presiding minister.

The Nyssa group will join with ministers from 18 other congregations from north and central Idaho and eastern Washington, Franklin said.

Theme of the three-day program will be "Assist One Another to Do God's Will." Purpose of the meeting, Franklin pointed out, is to train the Witnesses to be more efficient in performing their public ministry. This is beneficial not only to the Witnesses but to the community as well in helping to combat the rising tide of communism and other atheistic beliefs, the minister added.

Chairman of the convention and principal speaker will be Peter D'Mura of Brooklyn, N.Y. He will be assisted by W. C. Baxter, circuit supervisor. The meeting will be held in Airport Community hall.

St. Paul's Episcopal
Guild Elects Officers

Ladies of St. Paul's Episcopal guild met Dec. 6 at the home of Mrs. Wesley Browne with 20 members in attendance. Mrs. A. C. Sallee, president, presided during the business portion of the meeting, at which time new officers were elected.

Mrs. Douglas Wilkerson was chosen president. Other officers selected were Mrs. Grant Rinehart, vice president; Mrs. Lucinda Daniels, treasurer; Miss Eva Boydell, secretary.

New officers will assume their duties at the January meeting.

Does This Time
Usage Fit You?

A recent analysis states, "If you have reached your 70th birthday, this may startle you: if you are not yet 70, perhaps these figures will encourage you to make some changes."

"Statistics show the average person of 70 has spent: three years in education; eight years in amusement; six years in eating; 11 years in working; 24 years in sleeping; 5½ years in washing and dressing; six years in walking; three years in conversation; three years in reading; and six months in worshipping God!"

—Dr. Henry Edward Russell

METHODIST GROUPS REPORT
BAZAAR WELL ATTENDED

The annual Methodist bazaar held last Saturday and sponsored by WCS and Wesleyan Service guild members was well attended, according to officers of the groups.

Committee chairmen wish to express thanks to merchants who displayed posters in their places of business, KSRV radio station and those who attended the event.

FAITH LUTHERAN GROUP
SLATES TRAINING SESSION

The Commitments committee of Faith Lutheran church will hold its second visitors training session Tuesday evening, Dec. 19, at 8 o'clock in the Ron Schoen home.

In the following days members will be visiting in the individual home of those members who were unable to attend the loyalty meeting.

Journal Classifieds Get Results!

Make
Your Sabbath
COMPLETE
CHURCH
SUNDAY
NIGHT

Group Services at 7 p.m.
Song and Evangelism, 7:45

Nazarene Church

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Pastor

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