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Christmas Program To Be Staged Sunday By Lutheran Women

Faith Lutheran Sunday school will present its annual Christmas program at 7:30 p.m. Sunday, Dec. 18, in the church sanctuary.

The program, entitled "The Child We Honor," evolves around symbols from Christian history which will adorn the Christmas tree. Jerry Wright and Miss Leak Henigson will explain the symbols which answer these questions: "Who Is This Child?" "What Is He to Do?" and "What Does He Give?"

Two choirs will participate. The children's choir, pre-school age through sixth grade, will sing "Oh, Come Little Children," "Away in a Manger," "Silent Night," "Joy to the World" and "I Am So Glad."

Confirmation students, comprising a junior choir, will sing "Hark the Herald Angels Sing" and "What Child Is This?" Robin Kassman and Sharlene Kido will sing "Lo, How a Rose E'er Blooming," and Barbara Fangen will be the organist.

Everyone in the community is cordially invited to attend.

Sunday Christmas Programs Planned At Nazarene Church

A Sunday school program, directed by Mmes. Dan Martin and Hal Poe, at 10 o'clock Sunday morning, Dec. 18, will be a Christmas feature at Nyssa Church of the Nazarene. Treats will be distributed following the service.

The teen department, under direction of Mmes. Joe Hobson and Dwight Seward, will present a pageant at 7 p.m., to be followed by the sanctuary choir cantata, "Night of Miracles," under direction of Hal Poe.

CHILDREN'S PROGRAM SET SUNDAY AT ADRIAN CHURCH

The children's Christmas program at Adrian Community church will be presented at 7:30 p.m. Sunday, Dec. 18 at the church. Members of Sunday school classes, both children and adults, are preparing the Yuletide program.

Women Clean Church

Women's association meeting was held last Thursday afternoon at the church. Following a brief business meeting, the 11 women present cleaned the church basement in preparation for the God's Acre Sale and dinner held Saturday.

COUPLE ANNOUNCES BIRTH OF FORTIETH GRANDCHILD

Former Nyssans Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Poulsen of Ontario recently returned home after spending two weeks with their son-in-law and daughter, Stephen and Vela Dee Talbot and family in Bellevue, Wash.

On Nov. 21, 1966, one day before Poulsen's 80th birthday anniversary, a son was born to the Talbot couple. He was named Mark Amos, and is the Poulsen couple's 40th grandchild.

The infant joins a brother, Ricky; two sisters, GayLyn and Shawna. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Waynard Talbot of Nyssa.

The Pouslens and Talbot family were Thanksgiving dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Wuest in Seattle. Mrs. Wuest is the former Jolene Hunter, daughter of former Nyssans Mr. and Mrs. Rosel Hunter.

Journal Classifieds Bring Results!

Tell Your Friend This . . . 'Food Is Your Best Buy and We Offer The Following Points to Prove It'

(Editor's Note—Food prices are high and housewives have started a movement to try to do something about them. If they object to trading stamps, trips to Hawaii and foreign countries financed by the grocers in their gimmicks, that is well and good—but when they blame the farmer for what they consider excessive prices they are getting out of line. The following was written by John Strohm and Cliff Ganschow for the winter edition of Ford Farming, and we believe shows the farmers' plight.)

Farmers we've visited with across the country are puzzled over all the talk about "high food prices."

"What's the matter with people?" an Iowa corn-hog farmer asked us. "This country has the greatest food bargain in history, yet shoppers criticize us every chance they get."

No question farmers are under fire. And housewives we talked with in recent weeks weren't bashful about telling us why. "I've paid more for pork the past few months than I've paid in 20 years," said one New York mother of two. "My total food bill has never been this high. Farmers must be making a fat killing."

Here's her picture: Farmers master-mind food output, so they must hold the keys to her cupboard. Therefore, when she pays more for food, farmers make more.

Agreed, she doesn't understand farming. But can you expect her to? Any more than farmers know the cost and profit picture of the local jeweler? Or the economics of producing a pair of shoes?

Farmers are among the most important men on earth today—in terms of responsibility for heading off world-wide mass starvation. But along with that distinction goes the hard fact that only 7 of every 100 people in the U. S. now live on the farm.

It's inevitable that many of these other 93 people misunderstand the complicated economics of agri-business. The following will help explain America's great

Pastor of Christian Church Announces Christmas Activities

A Christmas program will be presented at 7 o'clock Sunday evening, Dec. 18, at the First Christian church in Nyssa.

Children in the nursery and primary classes will recite Christmas verses, with second and third year primary pupils presenting a pantomime telling the Christmas story.

Assisting with music will be members of the junior department, with high school pupils comprising a verse-speaking choir. There will also be special music by adults.

According to Pastor Wallace Prowell, there will be no Sunday school classes on Christmas day. Morning worship services will begin at 10:45 a.m. instead of the usual hour.

food bargain—the No. 1 success story of all time!

Five Points Listed

(1) Your pay check buys more food than ever before—an industrial worker now earns enough in 37 hours to buy a month's food supply for his family—in 1950 it took him 60 hours.

(2) You eat higher off the hog—from a third to a half of your total food dollar goes for costlier meat cuts, fresh fruits and vegetables, and other items that once were "luxuries."

(3) You buy more built-in maid services—about one-fourth of your total food dollar goes for what economists call "convenience" foods—cakes already mixed, meat already trimmed, juice already squeezed—some food pre-cooked and some pre-flavored.

(4) All grocery store bills are not for food—almost one-fifth of the money spent at super-market checkout counters goes for items that are not food.

(5) Food prices are higher but so is practically everything else—from 1947 to 1965 food increased less than 30 percent, rent raised about 50 percent, personal care items (laundry, barbering, etc.) rose about 40 percent and medical care over 75 percent.

Summary Presented

While grocery costs have gone up the farmers' share of the food dollar has decreased—he only receives about 40 cents out of every dollar actually spent for food. The costs of what he has to buy to operate a farm today has risen 50 percent faster than the prices he has received for his products since 1957.

If it were not for the efficiency of the modern farmer, along with the allied industries furnishing him better equipment and know-how the American people would be in a sad plight.

One hour of U. S. farm labor today produces double what it did 15 years ago, and triple what it did in 1940. The average American farmer now grows enough to feed himself and over 30 others. And the top farmer is capable of feeding 200 or more. Contrast this with Russia where one farm worker struggles to feed only six.

On the average, only 18 percent of U. S. income is spent for food. In Russia it takes 50 percent—in Italy 40 percent and in many African countries over 70 percent.

Don't blame the farmer—thank him for his versatility and know-how that gives such a wonderful food bargain!



WILLIS G. HIATT . . . Army Staff Sergeant

Skill, Ability Earn Army Commendation Medal for W. Hiatt

Staff Sergeant Willis G. Hiatt was recently awarded an Army commendation medal for meritorious service from Jan. 16, 1964, to Oct. 15, 1966.

During this nearly two-year period he served as supply sergeant for the instructor group, Senior Reserve Officers Training Corps at the University of Washington in Seattle.

Hiatt's initiative, professional competence and tireless efforts were invaluable assets as he successfully managed supply activities during an increase in enrollment from 250 to 750 cadets.

According to Army officials, Hiatt's outstanding abilities greatly enhanced the image of the ROTC and won respect from cadets, cadre and faculty.

His devotion to duty was in keeping with the highest military traditions and reflects great credit upon himself and the U. S. Army.

Hiatt arrived in Germany on Thanksgiving day, but due to his wife, the former Evelyn Young, being scheduled for surgery yesterday, Dec. 14, he is now home on a 30-day emergency leave. She

PROGRESSIVE DINNER HELD

Twenty-nine young marrieds of the Nyssa LDS First ward held a progressive dinner on Dec. 3. The various courses were served in the homes of Messrs. and Mmes. Gary Clawson, Farrell Jones and Ted Olsen.

is a patient in Caldwell Memorial hospital.

Mrs. Hiatt and the couple's two children, Debbie, 13, and Tommy, 11, reside in Parma.

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