

Telling Story Of Nativity

"And it came to pass, as the angels were gone away from them into heaven, the shepherds said one to another, let us now go even unto Bethlehem, and see this thing which we have come to pass, which the Lord hath made known unto us. And they came with haste, and found Mary, and Joseph and the babe lying in a manger." Luke 2:15-16.

As even little children know, the words of St. Luke tell the story of the Miracle in a manger. Shepherds watching in the fields, herald angels singing—these things Christians can picture today because of St. Luke, the physician who became Christ's disciple.

Traditionally, St. Luke did still more to preserve the spiritual treasures of the Christmas story. He literally pictured the Madonna.

According to this tradition, St. Luke was an iconographer as well as a physician, and as such he created the first image of the Madonna, a painting that became the guide for many icons in later centuries.

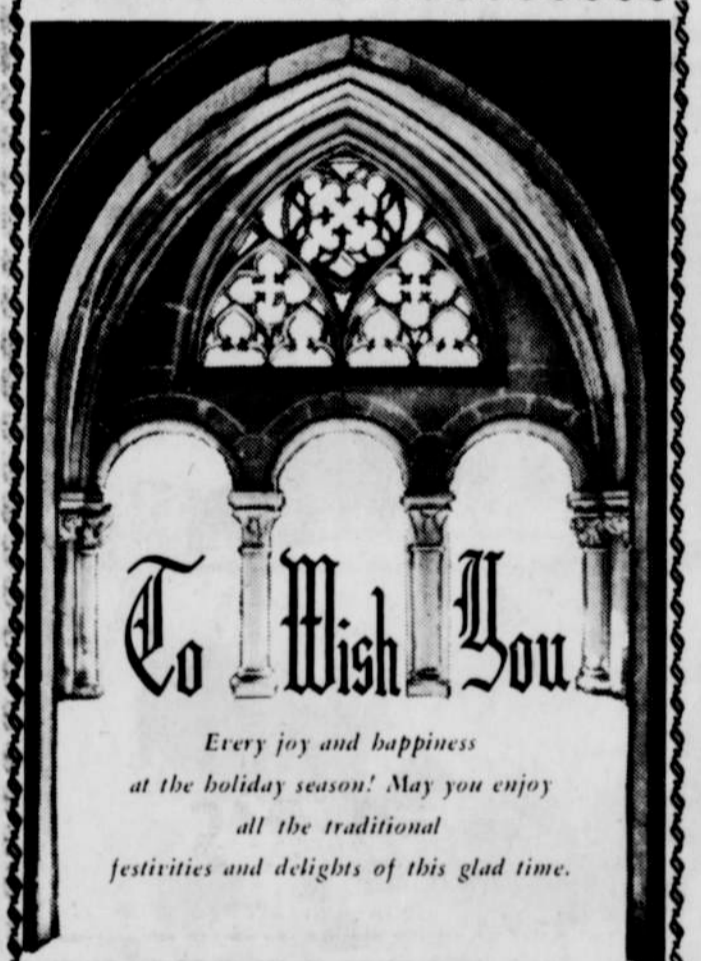
As legend has it, St. Luke's icon of the Madonna and his other paintings were the forerunners of the style of artistic expression known as Byzantine art.

Oppressed and suppressed in some eras, Byzantine religious art has so original and distinctive a style that it returned again and again, to thrive throughout 12 centuries. Today, it is enjoying a rebirth, through the efforts of dedicated iconographers.



Santa's switched to wheels as he brings sunny greetings to our good friends. "Merry Christmas, All... and Thank You."

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News About Servicemen

Sgt. E-4 Roy Carroll

Sgt. Roy Carroll arrived home December 19 to spend the holidays visiting relatives and friends. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Carroll Nyssa. Roy is a 1968 graduate of Nyssa High School. He is a Jet Mechanic and has been stationed at Williams Air Force Base, Chandler, Arizona. When Sgt. Carroll reports back to duty January 6, he will be stationed at McConnell Air Force Base in Wichita, Kansas.



RDSN Bruce Jackson

RDSN Bruce Jackson arrived home December 17 while on leave from the Treasure Island Naval Base in San Francisco, and will spend the holidays in Nyssa at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wilton Jackson. Jackson has just completed his radar training course at the Treasure Island base having been there since August. He will leave Nyssa January 1 to report to duty in San Diego where he will be stationed aboard the guided missile frigate USS King.

Sp/4 Wm. Conway

Army Specialist Four William R. Conway, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray H. Conway of Ontario, recently received his second award of the Army commendation medal while serving with the 118th Assault Helicopter Company near Bien Hoa, Vietnam.

Spec. 4 Conway earned the award for meritorious service as a helicopter crew chief in the company. He entered the Army in April, 1969, completed basic training at Ft. Ord, Calif., and was stationed at Ft. Rucker, Ala., before arriving overseas. He also holds the air medal for heroism.

AQF Terry Tallman

AQF 2 Terry Tallman is enroute to Vietnam aboard the U.S.S. Kitty Hawk, an aircraft carrier. He is serving with the VF 213 air squadron which is known as the "Black Lions". Recently Terry was chosen as the "Black Lion" of the month which is a real honor among the crewmen.

Terry is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Keith Tallman of rural Homedale. Terry attended the Adrian schools prior to joining the Navy.

Sp/4 James Savage

Army Specialist Four James A. Savage, 28, son of Mr. and Mrs. James A. Savage, 601 Ennis Ave., Nyssa, was trainer of the "Celtics", a football team representing the U.S. Army, Europe, and 7th Troops, during this past season of play.

Made up of personnel from Army units in the Heidelberg-Munich area in Germany, the team is one of ten in the U.S. Army, Europe, Football League. The Celtics had a very good season, winning six of their nine games and tying one. In the final game for the league championship, the team lost to the "Spearheaders" of the 3rd Armored Division, 38-24.

Spec. Savage is regularly assigned as a radio carrier attendant in Company A, 16th Signal Battalion, 7th Signal Brigade. He entered the Army in March of this year and was stationed at Ft. Gordon, Ga., before arriving overseas.

The Specialist is a 1970 graduate of Nyssa High School. He received his B.S. Degree in 1969 from Eastern Oregon College, La Grande.

Bus Drivers Hold Annual Potluck

Mr. and Mrs. Merildean Robbins hosted the annual school bus drivers Christmas party at their home December 19. The group enjoyed a delicious pot-luck supper, games, and visiting. Those attending were: Mr. and Mrs. Bud Sappe; Mr. and Mrs. Don Bowers; Mr. and Mrs. Jim Chamberlain; Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Lowe; The Rev. and Mrs. J.W. Dotson.

PO3c Terry Thompson

Navy Petty Officer Third Class Terry J. Thompson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert F. Thompson of Rt. 1, Nyssa, is serving in the Western Pacific aboard the guided missile frigate USS Gridley.

Departing its homeport of Long Beach, Calif., in November, the Gridley visited Pearl Harbor, Hawaii; Subic Bay, Philippines and Guam during its transit to the coast of Vietnam.

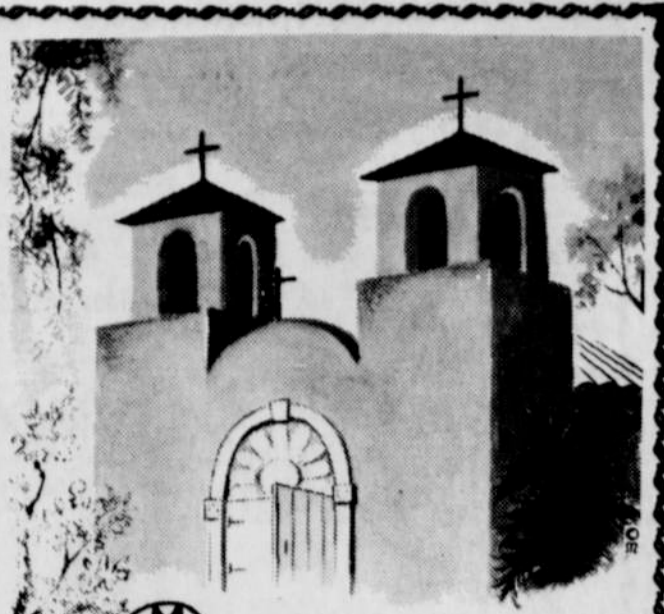
Couples Club Stages Progressive Dinner

Returning to an old tradition of an annual pre-Christmas progressive dinner party, the Couples Club of the United Methodist Church, served a progressive dinner, Monday, December 21.

The dinner started with the 35 guests having shrimp cocktails at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Wilson with co-hostesses Mrs. Don Oldemeyer and Mrs. Ernie Metcalf.

They then proceeded to the church for the main course, a ham dinner. Mrs. Dale Adams and Mrs. Dick Miller were co-hostesses in charge.

After the main course, the group enjoyed dessert and games at the Merildean Robbins home. Mrs. Arthur Cartwright was co-hostess.



Greetings

As you rejoice on Christmas, may you gather many blessings and gain deep spiritual contentment.

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DEC. 19 - Mr. and Mrs. Robert Quinn, Ontario, a boy.

DEC. 21 - Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Reynolds, Vale, a girl.

HOLY ROSARY HOSPITAL

DEC. 16 - Mr. and Mrs. Gary Thompson, Nyssa, a boy.

DEC. 18 - Mr. and Mrs. Augustin Lumbreras, Nyssa, a girl.

Sending Greetings

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