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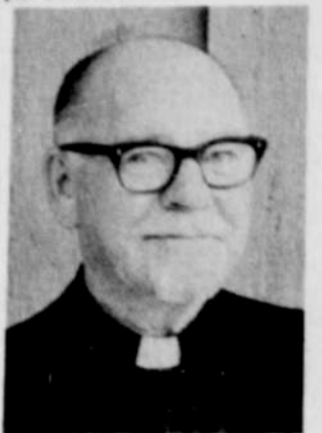
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### Reverend Bob's Column

This is another of the biographical sketches of the ministers and churches of Nyssa and Adrian.

This week's minister is the Reverend John Worrall. He is the vicar of St. Paul's Episcopal Church. He is also the vicar of the Holy Trinity Episcopal Church in Vale.



PASTOR JOHN WORRALL

Pastor Worrall has a rich and varied background. He was born in Brooklyn, New York, of American parents with an American heritage dating back to the 1600's. His mother is Baptist and John has had many relatives who are Baptist ministers. His father was Presbyterian. He has an uncle who is a Presbyterian minister. His father's father was the Dean of the Presbyterian Seminary at Louisville, Kentucky. Though reared in the shadow of the church, John chose to devote his talents to other fields. He is a graduate of The State University of Rutgers and has a B.A. from that school. He also has a B.S. and a M.S. from John Hopkins.

For a while he acted in musical comedy and drama as a professional actor but felt the pull toward the business world. As a business man, John succeeded beyond one's imagination. At different times he was the Associate Chief Auditor for Banker's Trust, liquidator of real estate trust for Union Trust Company of Maryland; Administrative Assistant to the Treasurer for Bethlehem Steel Corporation; Sales Manager for Standard Register Company and many others. He has also been active as president, vice president and chairman of many of our nation's finest business organizations. He has lectured in several colleges on business administration.

Even though, at first, John did not choose to be a minister, he still, during his career in business, served in many capacities in whatever church he was attending. During his earlier years, he was a Methodist layman, active in many areas of lay service but later began attending and serving in the Episcopal Church. In the Episcopal Church he has been active as a Sunday school teacher, choir member, lay reader, adult acolyte, served on the Bishop's Committee, in youth work, youth camping and many other activities. In addition to church activities he has served on the Mayor's Advisory Committee in San Diego and has been a long-time member of The Boy Scouts of America.

I asked Pastor Worrall what led to his decision to enter the ministry. In response to my question he said, "I lost my son and after losing him, I had no one to build a business empire for." After this, his attention turned more and more to the calling which his grandfather, uncles and other relatives had. Soon he entered Boy House Theological Training School, then graduated from Church Divinity School of the Pacific at Berkeley in 1966 with a Bachelor of Divinity. The following year he received The

### Church Directory

#### St. Bridger's News

**MASS SCHEDULE:** Saturday-7:00 p.m.  
 Sunday 8:00 and 11:00 a.m.  
 Adrian

The Sunday School program began this past week. This year it will not be during the week but on Sunday from 9:45 a.m. to 10:45 a.m. This is for the grade school students.

High school program is Wednesday night at 7:30 p.m.

The Adult program will be this coming Sunday, October 14. The film showing is Parent-Child Relationship.

The Advisory Board meeting is scheduled for Monday, October 15.

The Confirmation preparation begins in November.

The First Confession program begins October 15.

#### NAZARENE CHURCH NOTES

**FRIDAY** - Women's Prayer Time at the parsonage, 10 a.m.  
**FRIDAY & SATURDAY** - District Conference for Sunday School Superintendents and Pastors in Nampa.

**SUNDAY** - Early morning prayer at the church, 7 a.m.  
 Bible study classes for every age group, 9:45 a.m.  
 Morning Worship, 11 a.m.  
 Jr. Missionary group, 6 p.m.  
 Choir practice, 6 p.m.  
 Evening Gospel Hour, 7 o.m.  
**WEDNESDAY** - Caravans for children beginning at 7 p.m.

Teen activities and adult Bible study, 7:30 p.m.  
 Church Board meeting, 8:30 p.m.

"Salvation is not a spectator thing. It has no meaning, no reality, no effectiveness for you unless you participate." You are invited to worship in our services and let God's Presence be effective in your life.

-Rev. Robert Manley, pastor

#### FAITH LUTHERAN CHURCH NOTES

**SUNDAY, October 14** - Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.  
 Worship, 11 a.m. (preaching text-Galatians 5: 1-14)  
 Pre-Congress Rally at Immanuel Lutheran Church, 707 Fort Street, 7:30 p.m.

**Wednesday, October 17** - Bible Study, 9 a.m. (parsonage)  
 Confirmation 6:30 p.m.  
 Youth Bible Study, 8 p.m.

You're always welcome at Faith, 5th and Park. This Sunday we welcome Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Keck and Mrs. Robert Ure to our membership.

Thought for the week: "We have been the recipients of the choicest blessings of heaven; we have grown in numbers, wealth, and power as no other nation has ever grown. But we have forgotten God. We have forgotten the gracious hand that preserved us in peace... and strengthened us, and we have vainly imagined...that all these blessings are produced by some superior wisdom and virtue of our own."  
 Abraham Lincoln

Show by your life and worship your faith in God through Jesus Christ.

Master of Divinity and in 1972 was granted an Honorary Doctor of Divinity Degree from Universal Theological School.

John has pastored Saint James, The Apostle's Church in Oakland, Saint Andrews in Burns and has been the vicar of Saint Paul's since October of 1970.

He and his wife, Lorina, reside at 523 King Avenue. I and the other ministers of Nyssa and Adrian count it a privilege to work with a pastor with such a rich and varied background.

Next week I will tell you of the Reverend Fred Moxam and The Owyhee Community Church.

#### BOYS' HOME FILM SLATED, OCT. 15

There will be a film and presentation on the St. Francis Boy's Homes this Monday, October 15, at 7:30 p.m. at St. Matthew's Episcopal Church in Ontario.

Mr. Ed Buell who is the Associate-Director of the development of these homes will be here from Seattle. There are two boys' homes and they now have one girl's home. Mr. Buell will be able to tell of the fine work being done to rebuild the shattered lives of these young people. These homes are for all races and creeds.

A reception for Mr. and Mrs. Buell will follow the presentation. All interested persons are invited to come and join in this community event.

#### OWYHEE COMMUNITY CHURCH

The Owyhee Community Church will feature the Kings Witnesses on Sunday, October 14, at 8 p.m. There will be a free will offering. This will be an evening filled with singing and fellowship.

Everyone is invited to attend.

#### Christian Church

**SUNDAY** - 9:45 a.m. - Sunday School Classes for all ages.  
 11 a.m. - Morning Worship  
 6:30 p.m. - Youth groups meet at the Church-grades 4 through High School.  
 7 p.m. - Evening services for the whole family  
**WEDNESDAY** - 7 p.m. - Choir Practice.  
 -Eridene Johnson, Pastor

#### Journal Classifieds Bring Results!



TWO PAINTINGS BY VIRGINIA BRANDT are shown, with two other paintings on display this month at the Nyssa City Library. The theme Mrs. Brandt has chosen for the display is "Up the Owyhee River with Virginia Brandt and her paint brush." Individually they are titled "Looking south on Elva Nielson's Ranch," "First Siphon,"

"One half mile up the river from Sniveley's," and "Around the bend two miles." Mrs. Brandt is a member of the Oregon Society of Artists, and is founder of the "Artist of the Month" displays at the local library. She has exhibited at the Boise Art Gallery, and at the Oregon State Fair in Salem, and her paintings have been on display at Meier & Frank's Salem store.

#### WITNESSES HOLD 2-DAY CONVENTION

Inadequate fuel supplies, food shortages and pollution of the environment - testify man cannot continue indefinitely in his present course, a Watchtower Society representative said Sunday.

Speaking at the conclusion of the two-day circuit convention of Jehovah's Witnesses at Meridian High School, chairman W. H. Green of Brooklyn, New York said, "For solutions to today's problems, are we going to turn to and rely on men-or God? Have scientists and technicians solved the problems-or have they helped to bring on crises? Because God is going to bring this system to an end and establish a new order of peace and prosperity, is he not the one to whom to look?"

Green stressed the need to "act wisely" in these critical days. He said this would include developing Godly wisdom from the heart, cultivating a Christian personality and being "vigilant" in prayer.

Green said the Bible always stresses the superiority of spiritual blessings over temporary material prosperity.

#### UNITED METHODIST CHURCH NEWS

The United Methodist Church women will hold a clearance rummage sale, Friday and Saturday, October 12 and 13 from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Everything in the rummage room will sell for 5¢ to 25¢. There will be many good bargains so come early to 308 Emison Avenue, Nyssa, Oregon.

#### The Nancy White Circle will meet Thursday, October 18 at the United Methodist Church, at 2 p.m.

Hostess for the meeting will be Verna Martin.

#### Pentecostal Church Of Jesus Christ

There will be a Valley Fellowship Meeting Friday evening at 8 p.m. at the Pentecostal Church in Nyssa. Everyone is welcome to attend.

Witnesses from Nyssa, who associate with the Payette congregation, were among delegates attending the Oregon circuit 5A convention, it was reported by Jerry Woodruff, current presiding overseer.

### American Security Jeopardized

A recent letter from the American Security Council points out some facts which are rather alarming, and facts that all of us should give some serious thinking about.

America is no longer the world's first military power. We are now second to Russia--and the Communists are widening their lead every week.

These are the facts:

- \* Admiral Thomas H. Moorer, Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, reports that the U.S.S.R. "Now has surpassed us" in "total numbers of strategic offensive delivery vehicles" and "already far surpasses the U.S. in total strategic offensive megatons."
- \* U.S. General Andrew J. Goodpaster, Supreme Allied Commander of NATO, reports "we face growing Soviet forces -- THE STRONGEST MILITARY POWER THE WORLD HAS EVER SEEN -- and a Soviet leadership ready and willing to use that power."
- \* Secretary of Defense Schlesinger reports that the Soviets have just successfully tested MIRV warheads and three new ICBMs!
- \* JANE'S FIGHTING SHIPS reports that the Soviet Navy has made "staggering advances" in the past year and is "now the most powerful Navy in the world."
- \* Although the SALT agreements gave the Soviets a 3 to 2 strategic missile superiority, they are actually STEPPING UP their spending for nuclear weapons. Meanwhile, our effective military spending has been CUT by over 30% by Congress, by military pay increases and by inflation.

How could this have happened to our nation? Not long ago we were the greatest military power the world has ever seen.

Up until recently the defense of our country was kept largely outside of politics, as it should be. Now it has become a political football. More than 133 Senators and Congressmen have banded together, according to the letter, to work, in their own words, for "general and complete disarmament." Men like Senators McGovern, Kennedy, Javits, Proxmire and Fulbright. No doubt they mean well, but their policies are suicide.

The American Security Council says that our leaders must contend with military secrets. Day after day, our officers and enlisted men are faced with indifference--sometimes even contempt.

Worse, the disarmers and pacifists and radicals try to convince us that they alone care about peace. The truth is just the opposite; only by regaining military superiority can we have peace. American strength is our only guarantee against war, and our only chance for peace.

For too long, the Security Council claims, the majority has sat idle while well-financed anti-defense groups and revolutionary activists have influenced decisions in Washington far out of proportion to their size.

Perhaps, as they suggest, it is time that national security decisions be based on the will of the people instead of pressure from anti-defense groups. Maybe it's time that all of us did some real serious thinking on which way we want our military strength to go, and then let our representatives in Congress know how we feel.

### Sixth Grade Go To Succor Creek

Friday, October 4, the Nyssa sixth grades went to Succor Creek on a science field trip. We were given a task sheet to fill out. Some of the things we looked for on the way were different careers, land use, types of erosion, and wild life.

The first stop was at Succor Creek State Park. We hiked up the hills looking for thundereggs and other kinds of rocks. Mr. Munn spoke to us about different kinds of plants. The three main plants that grow up there are rabbit brush, sage brush, and cheat grass. We also noted helpful and harmful things that man has done in the area.

After lunch we went to a fossil bed. Here, in shale rock, we found fossil prints of leaves and plants.

### CLUB NEWS

The G-G 4-H Club met at the home of Mrs. Jane Ballou. She broiled some hamburger patties and then we had hamburgers and some lettuce with Thousand Island dressing that she made. Then we sat down and ate and after we had eaten, Kaylene Robbins called the meeting to order and we sang songs, after which we went home.

-Tara Madrid, reporter.

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