

NEWS • OF • THE • CHURCHES

First Presbyterian

Ninth street at Greenleaf avenue.
James T. Veneklasen, minister.

We invite you to our worship service at 11 o'clock Sunday morning. The minister will preach on the theme, "Water From the Old Homestead Well." This service will be of special interest to men, and the men are urged to be present.

The musical program arranged by Miss Erma Rounds, director, is as follows: Prelude, "In a Boat," Ceckwer; anthem, "The Vast Unnumbered Throng," Grieg, Edward Otis and the choir; Offertory solo, "Today If Ye Will Hear His Voice," Rogers, Mr. Otis; Postlude, "Arabesque" (G major), Debussy.

The pastor's class for those who wish to prepare for church membership will meet at 9:30 o'clock at the church.

The Bible school meets at 9:30 in all classes and departments.

The Adult Bible class meets at 9:45 o'clock. A contest is on between the men and the women of the class. We are studying the great messages from the prophets, led by the pastor.

The Christian Endeavor society will meet at 5:30 o'clock in the chapel. The topic for discussion will be, "Real Americanism."

The Sunday Evening club at the Congregational church will present Ellery Walter, traveler, in an address on "Experiences in the Far East."

Monday evening at 8 o'clock there will be a Union communion service of the Presbyterian churches of the north shore at the Second Presbyterian church of Evanston, Hinman and Main streets. Dr. Paul A. Wolfe of the First Church of Evanston will bring the message.

Boy Scout troop No. 5 will meet at the church at 7:30 o'clock Monday evening.

The Woman's society will hold its annual National Praise Service Tuesday afternoon. Tea will be served at the meeting by Spoke No. 11, Mrs. Fred Simmons, chairman. The women are cordially invited.

Another Church Night will be held Wednesday evening. Supper will be served at 6:30 o'clock. The devotional service will follow. Two discussion groups will meet after the devotionals, one studying "Eastern Women," and the other, "Christianity and Industry in America." Reservations must be made by Monday evening.

The chorus choir meets for rehearsal Friday evening at 7 o'clock.

This Saturday evening, February 10, the Christian Endeavor basketball team will play the Deerfield church team at Stolp school gymnasium. Admission is free. The game is at 7:30 o'clock.

St. John's Lutheran

Wilmette and Park avenues, Wilmette
Rev. J. H. Gockel, pastor.
Church telephone: Wilmette 5379.

SERVICES

9:15 a. m.—First service and sermon.
9:30 a. m.—Sunday school and Bible classes.
11 a. m.—Second service and sermon.

LENTEN SERVICE

Wednesday evening, February 14, at 8 o'clock. Sermon: "Strengthened by an Angel."

MEETINGS

Monday at 7:45 p. m.—Choir rehearsal.
Tuesday at 8 p. m.—Meeting of voting members.
Thursday at 7:45 p. m.—Senior Walther league.
Friday at 7:45 p. m.—Junior Walther league.

Classes for the Christian education of children meet every Tuesday at 4 p. m. and Saturday at 9:30 a. m.

The pastor will preach the first in a series of sermons on "Fundamental Christian Doctrines," the subject for Sunday being, "Your Bible—Good Book or God's Book." You are cordially invited to hear the entire series.

The first of the Lenten season services will be held Wednesday evening, Feb-

ruary 14, at 8 o'clock. The general theme is "Jesus in His Passion" and the subject for Wednesday is "Strengthened by an Angel."

The Holy season of Lent was observed by the ancient Christians as a period of devotion and prayer, and was spent in special meditation upon the sufferings of Jesus. This is the way the season is still observed by all true children of God and St. John's welcomes you to its Lenten services.

At the next monthly meeting of all voters Tuesday evening three new members will be formally accepted as voting members. Kindly be present.

The Junior Young People's society has spent considerable time in arranging a special program for its meeting Friday evening to make the meeting interesting for all the members.

We welcome you to our Sunday morning and Wednesday evening services.

English Lutheran

Seventh street at Greenleaf
Wilmette

"A House of Worship"

The Rev. David R. Kabele, pastor.

SUNDAY SERVICES

Bible school 9:45 a. m.
Morning worship 11 a. m.
Luther league 5:30 p. m.

The Junior Luther league will meet on Sunday evening at 5:30 o'clock. Munroe Munson will be the speaker.

Catechetical classes will meet Monday at 4 o'clock and Tuesday at 3:30 o'clock.

The Senior Luther league is having a "Pot Luck" Supper on Monday evening, February 12, at 6:30 o'clock. Make your reservations by phoning Wilmette 1234.

Ash Wednesday service, Wednesday evening, February 14, at 8 o'clock.

The Woman's society will hold their work meeting at the home of Mrs. Frank Staab, 124 Fifth street, Wilmette, on Thursday afternoon, February 15, at 2 o'clock.

On Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock the women will join with the other churches in the community at St. Augustine's Episcopal church, in the World Day of Prayer service.

Choir rehearsal Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Week of Prayer, February 19 to 23, will be observed by the women of the Missionary society with individual prayer services on Monday and Tuesday and joint prayer services on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday at the parsonage at 2 o'clock.

Chaplain W. H. Ruth, of Camp Skokie Valley, will deliver the sermon at the service of worship Sunday morning, February 11, at 11 o'clock. The Rev. Mr. Ruth is a Lutheran pastor.

Baptist Church

Wilmette and Forest avenues
Rev. George D. Allison, pastor.

February is Loyalty month and there is a friendly rivalry in all branches of the church to build attendance and participation. Tomorrow, Friday, the Woman's society holds the regular meeting, with Link F as hostesses. The devotional play, "The Way," will be presented under the direction of Mrs. C. H. Jones. The theme, "Adventuring with New Americans" will be presented by Mrs. Harry Burnside. The luncheon will be served at 12:30, preceding this program. "Current Events" will be presented by Rev. George D. Allison.

Friday evening the Gilderoy Scott choir presents Gilbert and Sullivan's "Trial by Jury," with a large and well-trained cast, as follows: Plaintiff (Angelina) Joan Guthridge
Defendant (Edwin) Alfred Heerenz
Judge Arthur Scott
Counsel for Plaintiff George E. Haas
Foreman of Jury Ben Richards
Bailiff Walter O. Haas
Bridesmaids Anna Gertrude Orvis,
Janice Guthridge, Ruth Phelps, Ora Phelps, Jane Blaylock, Shirley Leason.

Jurymen: Z. A. Parkhurst, Lee Blaylock, David Haas, B. W. Shearer, Dick Johnson, Bob Johnson, George Wil-

liams, Frank Guthridge, Sidney Diller, Truman Richards.
Spectators: Hazel Green, Helen Hausen, Vernetta Phelps, Helen Benkowski, Geraldine Seipp, Cythera Guthridge, Marian Allison.
Produced and directed by
Mme. Gilderoy Scott
Pianist: Lydia Koch.
Stage Manager: Frank Guthridge.

Sunday is "Young People's Day of Responsibility." There will be special items in church school, under the leadership of the department superintendents. At the morning worship, 11 o'clock, young members of the church will invite parents and friends to be present. Appropriate music and a message on "What the Church Expects of Youth" will be features. In the young people's meetings, visitors will be sought. The B. Y. P. U. meets in the Guild room at 6 o'clock. The Sunset club meets with Ardis Reid at 601 Lake avenue.

"Around the Library Table" will be the setting for the midweek meeting next Wednesday at 8. Several members will comment on books read, with an emphasis on understanding the spiritual problems of our day.

The men of the congregation are urged to save Friday evening, February 16 for an old-fashioned "get-together" at the church. An able committee consisting of Joseph Dingle, Alfred Heerenz, Earl Carlson and Frank Guthridge is at work on plans.

Methodist Church

Rex. Oscar Thos. Olson, D. D., minister

Bishop Ernest Lynn Waldorf, D. D., LL. D., our own Chicago area bishop, will preach at the 11 o'clock worship service next Sunday morning, February 11. All members and friends of the church will be happy to welcome him to the pulpit.

The minister of this church will be the guest preacher at the Wesley foundation, University of Illinois, Sunday, February 11.

The music for the 11 o'clock worship service on Sunday morning will be as follows:

Organ Prelude: Rogers
"Allegro" Rogers
"Andante" Rogers
Introit: "O Taste and See" Goss
Anthem: "Lord, for Thy Tender Mercies' Sake" Farrant
Offertory Anthem: "Cast Thy Burden upon the Lord" Mendelssohn
Organ Postlude: "Finale" Rogers

The Chicago Bach Singers will present a Bach program at the 5 o'clock Vesper service this Sunday evening, February 11. This chorus is composed of twelve young women under the direction of Elsa Harthan Arendt, who are devoting themselves to the singing of Bach. Edwin Stanley Seder is the organist. The Bach Singers are highly trained, and all who attend this Vesper service will greatly enjoy the splendid music. Invite your neighbors and friends to attend with you.

The program will be as follows:
Organ Prelude—Pastorale in F

I
Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow
Lord God, My Father, Holy One
O Praise the Lord
They Peep in Each Nest

II
Come Thou, O Come
Duet—Et in Unum
Thus Then, the Law of the Spirit
All Breathing Life, Sing and Praise Ye the Lord
Offertory—To God Alone on High Be Praise

III
To God the Father of All Love
Solo: Mme. Arendt (by request)
O Rejoice, Ye Christians, Loudly

IV
Excerpts from Christmas Oratorio, Part II
Within Yon Gloomy Manger Lies the Lord
Glory to God in the Highest
With All Thy Hosts, O Lord, We Sing
Organ Postlude—Fugue in C Major

The Young People's chapter of the Epworth league will meet Sunday evening at 6 o'clock. Dr. Harris Franklin Hall of Garrett Biblical institute will be the speaker.

The High School chapter of the Epworth league will meet Sunday evening at 6:30 o'clock. Mr. N. C. McPherson will be the speaker.

The Woman's Home Missionary society will meet Thursday, February 15, at 2 o'clock in the Woman's room. Devotions: Mrs. L. W. Jones. Mrs. Thomas H. West will give a monologue, "Children of the Way." The topic of the day is "Roads of Industry." Dr. M. H. Bickham will be the special speaker. Book review by Mrs. R. M. Campbell and Mrs. J. C. Martin.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary society will meet today, Thursday, February 8, at 2 o'clock. Topic: "The World Peace Situation."

The "Church Night" program this Thursday night and next Thursday night promises to be of unusual interest to everyone. Dinner will be served at 6:30. There will be a service of worship from 7:30 to 8 under the direction of the minister. From 8 to 9 the following four specific interest groups will meet:

Group I—"Studies in Religious Development." Leader: Dr. Leslie L. Fuller of Garrett Biblical institute. February 8—"The Problem of Suffering." February 15—"Outside Nations: a Growing World Outlook."

Group II—"Contemporary Literature and Current Events." February 8—"Out of My Life and Thought" by Albert Schweitzer will be reviewed by Dr. William D. Schermerhorn. February 15—"Russia: Bolshevism." Dr. Dan Brummitt, editor of the Northwestern Christian Advocate, is the speaker. Dr. Brummitt recently spent a summer in Russia. He is a keen observer with a sure instinct for interpreting what he observes. He brought out the finest collection of Russian propaganda posters now in America.

Group III—"The Meaning of God for Young People." Leader: Reverend M. S. Harvey. February 8—"God and Human Suffering" (book by E. Stanley Jones). February 15—"The God of Jesus."

Group IV—The choir, under the direction of Miss Marie Briel.

The World Day of Prayer is February 16. The Wilmette service will be held at 2 o'clock in St. Augustine's Episcopal church.

Mrs. E. Stanley Jones will be the speaker at the afternoon and evening sessions of the World Day of Prayer program at the Chicago temple Friday, February 16. The afternoon program will be at 1:30 and the evening program at 7:30. There will be an outstanding speaker covering home fields at the morning session from 10:30 to 12:30.

There will be Red Cross sewing at 9:30 on Tuesday at the church. All women are invited to help with this work. Please bring your own sandwiches.

The first annual Father and Son banquet will be held at the church February 16, Friday. All fathers and sons are asked to keep this date in mind. Isaac Greyearth of Flandreau, S. D., is to be the speakers, the high school league players will present a one-act play, and the New Trier octet will sing.

The Friendly Indians will take a special hike at this week's meeting, under the leadership of Howard Decker, and Stanley Cochran. Boys are to meet at the church at 4 p. m.

The High School league will hold an old-fashioned box social and treasure hunt at the church Friday, February 23, meeting at the church at 7 p. m. Jane Horsting is in charge of this event.

First Congregational

John G. Hindley, minister

Beginning next Sunday, Mr. Hindley will preach a series of pre-Easter sermons which will cover the whole field of religion's usefulness. The sermon at the 11 o'clock service next Sunday morning will be, "The Absurdity of Atheism." Others in the series are:

February 18—The Paralysis of Cynicism.
February 25—The Futility of Materialism.
March 4—The Stupidity of Sin.
March 11—Our Actual World of Spirit and Life.
March 18—The Necessary Function of Religion.
March 25—The Real Character of Jesus.

The musical program for next Sunday's service is as follows:
Prelude: "Andante Seraphique." Ponson
Anthem: "I sought the Lord" Stevenson
Offertory: "Prayer" Alkan-Franck
Quartet: "By the Waters of"