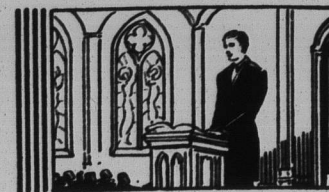




NEWS OF THE CHURCHES



St. John's Lutheran

Wilmette and Park avenues
J. H. Gockel, pastor

SERVICES

8 p.m., today—Ascension Day service.
9:15 a.m., Sunday—First service.
9:30 a.m.—Sunday school and Bible classes.

11 a.m.—Second service.
4 p.m.—Second concert by children's chorus of St. Stephen's school, Chicago.

MEETINGS

Ladies' Aid and Missionary society, today, 2 p.m.

Junior Walther league, Friday, 8 p.m.
Rally of Walther League societies of North Shore zone, Sunday, 3 p.m., in Immanuel church, W. Lake road, Glenview.

Voting members, Tuesday, 8 p.m.
Young Mothers circle, Monday, 8 p.m., with Mrs. J. H. McLean, 1522 Central ave.

Evening circle, Tuesday, 8 p.m., with Mrs. H. E. Meierhoff, 1714 Wilmette ave.
Mothers and Daughters banquet, next Thursday, 6:30 p.m. Make reservations by Monday with Mrs. P. Bleser, Wilmette 1833.

This evening the Ascension Day festival will be observed in a service beginning at 8 o'clock. Sermon subject: "Descended Into Hell—Ascended Into Heaven."

The order of service at 11 o'clock Sunday morning will include the following:
Prelude—Allegro con fuoco, from Sonata No. 1 Borowski
Introit—"Hear, O Lord, When I Cry With My Voice" Schmauck
Offertory—Andante Borowski
The Sermon—"I Believe In the Holy Ghost" John 16:7 and 13
Postlude—"Grand Choeur" Faulkes

At 4 o'clock on Sunday afternoon the children's chorus of St. Stephen's school in Chicago will present a program of sacred music. Further details regarding this remarkable group of fifty voices will be found in another column. No tickets required. All welcome.

Methodist Church

Wilmette avenue at Lake avenue
Rev. Amos Thornburg, minister

The minister will be in the pulpit at the 11 o'clock worship service next Sunday morning, May 9. The service begins with the organ prelude at 10:45 o'clock, and the Introit is sung just before 11. You are invited to share in the entire service.

The special music for next Sunday morning will be as follows:
Organ (10:45): Liszt
"Hymnus" Liszt
"Little Bells of our Lady of Lourdes and Vesper Processional" Gaul
Marie Briel
Introit: "Sanctus" Briel
Anthem: "Seek ye the Seven Stars and Orion" Rogers
Offertory Solo: Organ Postlude: "Toccata" Dubois

There is a nursery where parents may leave small children during the worship service. The ushers will be happy to direct anyone interested.

The Church school will meet Sunday morning at 9:30 o'clock. New enrollments may be made at any time. Thomas H. West is the general superintendent.

The Intermediate Epworth league meets Sunday evening at 5:15 o'clock. Members of the seventh and eighth grade classes are invited.

The High School Epworth league will meet Sunday evening at 6 o'clock.

The Senior Young People (those above high school age) will meet Sunday at 5:30 o'clock in the Woman's room.

The Chorus choir meets for rehearsal this evening (Thursday) at 8 o'clock in the Junior room, under the able leadership of Miss Marie Briel. It is important that everyone be present and on time at each rehearsal and each Sunday morning between now and the close of the choir season.

The annual Spring luncheon for all women is being held today (Thursday) at 1 o'clock at the Georgian hotel in Evanston.

The Church Membership classes for Juniors and Intermediates meet Fridays at 3:45 o'clock at the church. The Juniors meet with Charles Lord and the Intermediates with George Riggan. These boys and girls will be received into the full membership of the church on Pentecost Sunday, May 16.

New members will be received on Pentecost Sunday, May 16, by transfer or on confession of faith. If you have a church letter elsewhere that should be transferred to this church, please notify the minister, and he will be happy to send for it. The Church membership classes will also be received at this time.

The Woman's Missionary society will meet Thursday, May 13, at 1:30 o'clock at the church. Mrs. S. E. Leeman will lead the devotions. There will be a business meeting and election of officers. Mite-box opening. Special speaker.

The Goodwill Truck comes to Wilmette on Fridays. Phone the church office, Wilmette 2348, if you wish to have it stop at your home.

The annual summer session of Illinois Wesleyan university will be held at the Methodist Camp Grounds, Des Plaines, from June 21 to July 30. Courses in English, Psychology, Religion, Sociology, etc. are offered. Further information may be obtained from the bulletin board in the educational unit of this church.

The following Scout troops for boys and girls are sponsored by this church:
Girl Scout Troop 1 — Thursdays at 7:15 p.m.
Girl Scout Troop 2 — Thursdays at 3:45 p.m.
Girl Scout Troop 4 — Tuesdays at 3:45 p.m.
Brownie Pack 1 — Wednesdays at 3:30 p.m.
Boy Scout Troop 3 — Thursdays at 7:30 p.m.

Wilmette Baptist

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

Many Wilmette Baptists are planning to attend the Chicago Baptist association which meets next Tuesday, May 11, at Second Baptist church, 11 a. m. and 1:30 p. m. and at Orchestra hall in the evening. Speakers during the day include George A. Chritton, A. M. McDonald and Dr. Gordon Seagrave, surgeon from Burma.

In the evening a great pageant of Christian service in Chicago will be presented by a cast of more than a hundred, after a musical service of the West Side United choir, the Chorus of Negro choirs and the Russian Baptist Male chorus. While the service is set for 8 o'clock, it is advised to come early. Dr. Luther Wesley Smith of Syracuse, New York, will be the orator of the evening.

Sunday morning will be observed by Mother's Day songs and flowers, both in school and church worship. Classes will meet at 10 o'clock, proceeding to the sanctuary at 11. Dr. Allison gives a Mother's Day message, and the Junior choir will sing for their parents and the congregation. A general invitation is extended to the public.

The Woman's society holds the annual election of officers and review of the year on Friday, May 14, preceded by a special luncheon. Mrs. H. J. Dernehl will preside, the program being given over to the Nominating committee. Links E and N are to be the hostesses. A year of substantial achievement will be surveyed, and future plans mapped out.

In view of the associational meetings on Tuesday, our usual midweek meeting will be omitted. On Wednesday, May 19, the annual dinner and anniversary of the church will be celebrated. A program of enjoyable home talent, an hour of fellowship, and the brief, concise transactions of necessary elections and decisions will follow. This is always a happy occasion for all the members of the church. The committee, C. V. Clark, H. A. Bush, Benjamin Jacobsen, Mrs. H. J. Dernehl, Mrs. G. N. Lamb, Mrs. A. C. Youngberg, will have charge.

The Northern Baptist convention meets in Philadelphia, May 20 to 25, inclusive. This church is honored in the selection of its minister to give the morning devotional addresses at 11 o'clock. It is

hoped that several of our members will attend as delegates.

Chairmen and secretaries of boards and societies of the church are asked to send in reports at once. These will be summarized and printed for distribution at the annual meeting, May 11.

First Congregational

Lake avenue at Wilmette avenue
The Rev. John G. Hindley, minister

"Triumphant Religion" will be the minister's sermon theme at the 11 o'clock church service next Sunday morning.

The musical program for the service will be as follows:

Prelude—Fantasy on Tune Melcombe ("New Every Morning Is the Love") McKinley
Anthem—"As Torrents in Summer" Elgar
Offertory Solo—"Sheep and Lambs" Homer

Ethel H. Wishover
Postlude—A Song of Gratitude Rossetter Cole
Miss Emily Roberts—Organist director

Next Sunday is Mother's Day. The mothers of our Church school members are invited guests of the various departments. Our school convenes at 9:30.

The World Friendship group is making flags representing the different countries in which The American Church board is conducting missionary work. Primary and Junior boys and girls are invited to attend at the dismissal of of Junior church.

An "Hour of Religious Drama and Music" will be given by our High-schoolers next Sunday evening at 5:30 in the church auditorium. A brief one-act play "Let's Go," written and enacted by our young people, and Mr. Blossom's original dramatization of "Jonah" will be produced. Miss Shirley Hauseman and Jack Randall will conduct the service. Miss Nancy Pierson will be at the organ, Miss Winnifred Hoffman will play the cello and Miss Peggy Pierson the violin. An offering will be received for the Kappa Pi Phi project. Parents and children of the parish will enjoy this hour with the young people.

The participants in the first play are as follows: William Bartlett, Dale Chronic, Jack Chronic, Albert Carpenter, Norman Fifer, Virginia Goodrich, Janet Hill, Mary Macalister, Edith Mendun, George Putnam, and Elsie VonderLippen.

Those participating in the second play, "Jonah," are: Jack Chronic, George Putnam, Jack Randall and George Redding.

The Cozy Corner circle will be entertained at the home of Mrs. R. H. Anderson, 1132 Lake avenue, Thursday, May 6. It will be an afternoon meeting with a short business meeting and sewing.

Central circle will be entertained at the home of Mrs. C. A. Carpenter, 601 Washington avenue, Friday, May 7. Mrs. E. P. Patch will assist.

The Woman's Guild will hold its Spring Luncheon at the Illinois Country club, Friday, May 14, at 1 o'clock. Harriet Allyn, talented dramatic artist and impersonator, of Chicago, will be the reader. Reservations may be secured by phoning Mrs. Howard Miller, social chairman, Wilmette 4148.

Abracadabra will be entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Grinnell, 245 Kenilworth avenue, Friday, May 7. Mr. and Mrs. Howard Miller will assist.

Congregational International Night will be observed at the Annual Church School dinner which will be served by the Cozy Corner circle, Thursday, May 20. Exhibits and projects from all departments will be on display for the public at 5:30. Dinner will be served at 6:30 p. m. Members of the church, parents, church school members and friends of the parish are invited. This will be family night.

Our regular announcements are as follows:

Tuesday—
7:30 P. M.—Boy Scout Troop No. 1.
Wednesday—
3:30 P. M.—Brownies.
7:30 P. M.—Camp Fire Girls at the home of Dr. Hazel W. Hodges, 901 Forest avenue.
7:30 P. M.—Boy Scout Troop No. 2.
Thursday—
3:30 P. M.—Girls' choir rehearsal.
4:00 P. M.—Boys' choir rehearsal.
7:15 P. M.—Senior choir rehearsal.

English Lutheran

Seventh street at Greenleaf
"A House of Worship"
The Rev. David R. Kabele, pastor

SUNDAY SERVICES

Church school 9:45 a. m.
Morning worship 11 a. m.
Junior Luther league 3 p. m.

The music for the service of worship next Sunday morning is as follows:
Organ Prelude—"Art Thou with Me" Bach

Anthem—"Peace I Leave with You" Roberts

The Senior Choir
Solo—"O Divine Redeemer" Gounod

Eugenia Derendal
Postlude—"In Thee is Gladness" Bach
Victoria McLeod—Ministry of Music

The Woman's society will meet on Thursday afternoon of this week at the church at 2 o'clock. This will be a joint meeting with the members of the home department. Mrs. Edward Phillips of Winnetka will give a dramatic reading from Dr. Phillips book, "John to Kate, on The Life Magnificent."

The Senior choir will rehearse on Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

On Friday evening of this week the Woman's society is sponsoring a "Get-Together" for the members and friends of the church. A very fine program has been arranged and an hour of fellowship will follow.

The Junior choir will rehearse on Saturday morning 10 o'clock.

The Church school convenes each Sunday morning at 9:45 o'clock. There are classes for all ages. "The Christian Life" course of study is used. We invite you to enroll in our Church school next Sunday morning.

At the service of worship next Sunday morning, Mother's Day, the sermon topic will be "A Mother's Wages." We invite you to worship with us.

The Junior Luther league will meet on Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

The Brownie Pack will meet on Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

The Senior Luther league will meet on Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock.

SPRING FELLOWSHIP DINNER—Friday, May 14, at 6:30. Reservations are to be made before Monday, May 10. Phone Wilmette 4279.

Honor your Mother by attending church on Mother's Day.

St. Augustine

Dr. Hubert Carleton, rector

Next Sunday, May 9, will be the Sunday after the Ascension. There will be Holy Communion at 8 a. m., Church school and Bible classes at 9:45, and Morning Prayer with sermon at 11 a. m.

The Boys' Vested choir will practice tomorrow night, (Friday), at 7 p. m. instead of Tuesday. This change in dates is for this week only, and the regular practices will be held as usual on Tuesday nights.

The Women's Guild is holding an all-day Rummage sale today, (Thursday), in the Parish House.

Kenilworth Union

Dr. Herbert L. Willett, minister

Dr. Willett's subject for Sunday, May 9, will be "Mother and Son." The church service is at 11 o'clock.

The music for the church service will be as follows:

Prelude—Solemn Prelude Faulkes
Opening Sentences
Anthem—"The Shadow of Thy Wings" Mark Andrews
Offertory—Andante from the Sixth Sonata Mendelssohn
Solo—"If With All Your Hearts" Mendelssohn
Mr. Rigler

Response

The Sunday school will meet at 9:45, and will have a joint service with the school of the Church of the Holy Com-