

ON EASTER MORN



Isn't it true that in the seeming hustle, bustle and striving of business life we all sometimes lose sight of the true meanings of events, occasions, days or seasons? Isn't this true, more or less, in regard to Easter? Are we permitting self glory, desires, ambitions, commercialism to overshadow the day and rob us of inspirations which should mean for us happiness, peace, plenty?

These few words are not aimed to preach creed nor form. Instead they are grouped in a new form of a sincere invitation to every person in Downers Grove to visit his or her church on Easter. To let it be a day of inspirations.—Inspirations to all that is best in them.

Easter Commemorates the resurrection of the Christ. An occasion which was the living proof of the victory of Life over Death. And if that be so, then frail human fears, worries, jealousies, despairs are all useless. It is to us to look to the source of our being—and we are at least striving to do this when we attempt to live the Christianity that we all know. Each in his own way.

So visit YOUR church Easter Sunday. It will give you the inspirations to strive anew in meeting your work-a-day problems. Dealing with fellowman—as you would be dealt with.
IT'S WELL WORTH THE EFFORT!

METHODIST-EPISCOPAL CHURCH

GILBERT H. NEWLAND, MINISTER
 6:30 a. m. SUNRISE PRAYER MEETING
 The Epworth League led by Norman Anderson
 7:45 a. m. SUNDAY SCHOOL
 Decision Day will be observed
 11:00 a. m. MORNING WORSHIP
 Easter Sermon
 7:30 p. m. LENTEN CANTATA
 The Seven Last Words of Christ
INTRODUCTION—All Ye People
 Soprano Solo
FIRST WORD—Father Forgive Them
 Baritone and Tenor Solos with Chorus
SECOND WORD—Today Thou Shalt Be
 Duet, Tenor and Baritone
THIRD WORD—Woman Behold Thy Son
 Soprano, Tenor and Baritone with Chorus
FOURTH WORD—My God, My God,
 Why Hast Thou Forsaken Me?
 Baritone Solo
FIFTH WORD—I Thirst
 Tenor and Baritone Solos with Chorus
SIXTH WORD—Father, Into Thy Hands
 I Commend My Spirit
 Tenor Solo with Chorus
SEVENTH WORD—It Is Finished.
 Soprano, Tenor, Baritone Solos with Chorus
 Solos will be sung by Mrs. Michel, Soprano, Mr. Kuechel, Tenor and Mr. Norman Anderson, Baritone.

ST. JOSEPH'S CHURCH

THE REV. E. B. GOODWIN, PASTOR
MOZART'S 12th MASS
 KYRIE Choir
 GLORIA Instrumental Choir
 VENI CREATOR Chorus
 SERMON .. Prof. from St. Ignatius College
 CREDO, Et Incarnatus Est. E. Bradley, Sr.
 OFFERTORY, Regina Coeli. Miss Riedy
 SANCTUS ... Violins and Organ, Chorus
 BENEDICTUS Miss Antkowiak
 Mrs. Bunning
 AGNUS DEI Instrumental Chorus
 BENEDICTION The Holy City
 Robert Dickson
 Holy God We Praise Thy Name
 Congregational Chorus
 Soprano—Miss Henrietta Riedy, Mrs. LeRoy Bunning.
 Contralto—Miss Angela Antkowiak, Miss M. Smith.
 Tenor—Mr. Edward Bradley, Sr., Mr. Hubert Schumacher.
 Bass—Mr. Robert Dickson, Mr. George Wimmer.
 Choir of sixteen voices.
 Organist—Miss Mayne Engelschall.
 Director—Miss Henrietta Riedy.

SAINT ANDREW'S CHURCH

THE REV. HUGH M. MacWHORTER
PRIEST-IN-CHARGE
 Corner Forest and Franklin
 8:00 a. m. Holy Eucharist. Corporate Communion for all Communicants
 11:00 a. m. Choral Eucharist Sermon
 Easter Anthem — The Trumpet Shall Sound
 12:00 m. Holy Baptism
 5:00 p. m. Mystery Play by the Church School — "Lady Catechism and the Child"
 Presentation of Lenten Missionary Offering.
 "We welcome and greet you this Eastertide. May pure and holy memories fill our hearts as we recall that Jesus Christ hath conquered death and brought life and immortality to light through the Gospel. May our lives be given in fuller devotion to Him, that our souls may grow more glorious in the light of His resurrection."
 Mr. M. E. Coleman, Mrs. G. S. Bateman
 Choirmaster Organist

ST. PAUL'S EVANGELICAL GROVE STREET CHURCH

THE REV. WM. GROTEFELD, PASTOR
 Miss Esther Klein, Organist
 Mrs. Earl Whidden, Choir Leader
 9:30 a. m. Sunday School
 10:30 a. m. Easter Service and Communion
 Easter Anthem by Choir
 7:30 p. m. Easter Song Service
 Choir and Sunday School
EVERYBODY WELCOME
 Let us keep the feast, not with old leaven, neither with the leaven of malice and wickedness; but with the unleavened bread of sincerity and truth. I. Cor. 5:8
 Glad Easter unto Easter
 Its own blest radiance gives,
 And shining ranks of festivals
 Repeat the cry, He lives.

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

ARTHUR S. PHELPS, MINISTER
 9:45 a. m. BIBLE SCHOOL
 11:00 a. m. MORNING DEVOTIONAL SERVICE
 PRELUDE—SPRING SONG
 DOXOLOGY
 INVOCATION
 GLORIA
 HYMN—All Hail the Power of Jesus Name
 RESPONSIVE READINGS—Selected
 SCRIPTURE—Luke 24:1-12
 PRAYER
 ANTHEM—The Strain Upraise, Alleluia
 Dudley Buck
 ANNOUNCEMENTS
 OFFERTORY—Nareissus
 HYMN—Beneath the Cross
 SERMON—The Easter Tidings
 HYMN—The Holy Cross
 BENEDICTION
 POSTLUDE—Triumphal March
 7:30 p. m. POPULAR EVENING SERVICE
 PRELUDE—Andantino
 SONG SERVICE—Congregation
 ANTHEM—Christ is Eternal
 PRAYER
 ANTHEM—At the Rising of the Sun
 SCRIPTURE
 ANTHEM—King of Kings
 ANNOUNCEMENTS
 OFFERTORY—Rustle of Spring
 HYMN
 ANTHEM—Oh, Death, Where is thy Sting
 SERMON—The Evening of the First Easter.
 BENEDICTION
 POSTLUDE—Crucifixion Processional

IMMANUEL EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH

OTTO F. ARNDT, PASTOR
 The Only Lutheran Church in Downers Grove
Have You a Church Home?
 Perhaps you have just recently moved to Downers Grove. Perhaps you are an old resident, but have never connected with any church. In either case a hearty invitation is extended you to attend the services here.
 Services, for the present, held in the Congregational Church every Sunday afternoon at 2:45 p. m.
 Are your children attending a Sunday School? If not, we draw your attention to our School. We have a graded system of Bible story lessons and give thorough instruction in Christian Doctrine.
 Sunday School sessions at 2:00 p. m.

1st EVANGELICAL CHURCH The Friendly Church

THE REV. J. A. NANSEN, PASTOR
 6:30 a. m. Sunrise Prayer Service
 9:45 a. m. Church School.
 Easter Lesson and the Easter Story in a Cycle of Verse entitled "From Dark to Dawn," by Junior Children.
 11:00 a. m. Morning Worship
 Annual Easter Sermon
 Holy Communion Service
 Reception of New Members
 7:30 p. m. Sacred Musical Concert
 Beautiful Choral Anthems and selections by the Male Chorus, quartets and various soloists
 A very cordial invitation is extended to those who are not in the habit of attending services to worship with us on Easter Sunday—may it be a joyous Easter for all.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

THE REV. A. H. KEHRL, MINISTER
 9:45 a. m. Bible School
 11:00 a. m. Morning Worship
 Theme: "The Logic of the Resurrection"
 6:30 p. m. B. Y. P. U.
 7:30 p. m. Prayer and Praise Service
There is nothing which Must be done Sundays, that cannot be done either before or after Church.