

For The Time Of Your Life

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Perhaps it is because our church, Immanuel Lutheran, is approaching its 10th anniversary, that I find myself thinking in terms of history. There are really two anniversaries in which we are involved. The first marks the beginning of our work and first services held in the Howard Wigglesworth school in September, 1963, and the second, the actual organizing of our congregation in January, 1964. These are not long histories as time goes, but still, they are significant for our people, and we plan to observe them, thankful for the blessings of God during this time.

This leads me also to reflect that of greater importance than a date in time for a church, in a collective sense, is the individual marking of time and events in a person's life. The sum total of the life history of all the people together in a congregation, or in a country, as in Canada's centennial, make the anniversary of importance and give it worth.

What of the history of your life? Do you count it worthwhile and important? Or, does the past not matter a bit? Surely, we all have experiences we would like to have omitted from our life history, if it were possible. But, would you not want to say, no matter what your years, that there are some good and special things there which you will always want to remember?

IMPORTANT FOR US
Furthermore, God regards history and time important for us. At a point in time, He made a promise to man of a special person who would come to deliver and save from sin. Centuries after having given it, as the bible records it, God fulfilled that promise at Bethlehem with the birth of Jesus Christ: "But when the fulness of the time was come, God sent forth his Son, made of a woman, made under the law, to redeem them that were under the law, that we might receive the adoption of sons." (Galatians 4:4)

Now I find that my life and years are marked not just by certain human happenings as birth, school, vocation, travel, marriage, and family, but rather that in the structure of these human experiences, God has acted significantly, importantly, wonderfully. He has given me faith-special, in the sense that it comes only from Him, and simple, in the sense that even a child can believe Him. God has done this for me, and for countless others, in the course of our human lives.

HISTORY GIVES IDENTITY
The history of a Christian's life includes this fact that he or she knows and believes that Jesus Christ came into the world, suffered and died for their sins, rose from the dead, and lives and reigns in victory and glory, for them. The Christian believes that his or her sins are forgiven and covered over by the sacrifice and the righteousness of Jesus Christ, simply, but only, through believing in Him. I value this history, past, present, and future, in my life.

A knowledge of its history gives a country an identity and a sense of direction and purpose for the future. The knowledge of our life history, the joys and sorrows, the good and the bad experiences, joined together with faith in God's promises, can give a purposeful direction to life. The promise God holds forth in Jesus Christ, opens up a life of joy and victory for the time of this life, and for an eternal life.

Only one life.
Twill soon be past,
Only what's done for Christ
Will last.



PRESERVING RURAL BEAUTY

This peaceful rural road in Norval, part of the Esqueving-Chinguacousy town line, will be left this way, since Halton county council, abandoned a plan to widen it and cut trees. The bridge in the background will be repaired and strengthened as a safety measure. A new road will cut across the valley to link Norval, south of Highway 7, with Norval, north of the highway. (Herald Photo)

Georgetown Fair Month's Highlight

Plans are well under way for Georgetown's outstanding fall attraction, the annual fall fair on Friday and Saturday, Sept. 28 and 29.

There will be the usual attractions of a super horse show, including jumpers, ponies, quarter horses and fancy classes; livestock exhibit, and junior commercial classes for dairy and beef cattle. Imperial Canadian Bank of Commerce and Boughton Jewellers are again awarding watches for this event. The Royal Bank trophy will go to the prize herd of Guernseys.

The classes in the hall for the ladies should be well-filled in domestic science, ladies' handwork and flowers. The vegetable section should also be filled due to the fine growing season.

A fine midway will be on hand to delight young and old, and there will be plenty of refreshment booths operated by local groups, i.e. Eastern Star, Kinamen Club, Air Cadets, Opti-Mrs., St. Paul's Ladies, Glen Girls Softball Club, YMCA.

Commercial firms are also lining up space for new cars, snowmobiles, etc.

Special for boys and girls will be the decorated bicycles, tricycles and doll carriages. A special school children's prize list is available, and the younger set is encouraged to show their paintings, sculpture, stamp collecting, and hobbies. These entries must be in the hall by 6 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 27.

Get in the fall fair fever and call the secretary for a prize list and enjoy the thrill of showing at the fair.

GAS RATE MAY RISE

Halton MP Terry O'Connor has termed the federal government's policy of asking major oil companies to freeze prices a "farce."

He said this week that a 10-cent-per-gallon jump by a major gasoline chain's outlets in Halton is an example of the policy's failure.

Mr. O'Connor said information on the price increases came from riding residents. He said he checked the information and found it to be true.

"I pointed out these hikes to energy minister Donald Macdonald in the Commons this week to show the price freeze could be easily circumvented," Mr. O'Connor said. He also claimed the price jump had been ordered by the head office of the gasoline chain.

"Unless the government has a concrete agreement with the oil companies there is no way the freeze will work," Mr. O'Connor said.

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EAST-WEST
1. J. Hardy and John Coates; 2. Mark Loeb and R. Norwood; 3. Enid Ashworth and Sandy Dawson; 4. Richard Charlebois and R. Raymond; 5. Bert Flaher and Don Reynolds; 6. George and Nancy Beecroft.

Rehearsing For Musical
Two Georgetown residents are involved in a big way in the Brampton Musical Society's production of the Cole Porter hit *Anything Goes*.
Mrs. Marg Eggleton is the president and Ralph Ursel is the musical director.
Rehearsal and casting sessions got under way this week at St. Paul's United Church in Brampton.

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