

Norval Christmas had twin services

By KAY WILSON
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Two services at Norval United Church made for a beautiful Christmas Sunday. Special choir selections for the morning service from the Senior Ladies choir, and the Youth choir "Forever one" added to the service.

Sunday School pupils assisted in lighting the Advent candles and Rev. Walter Ridley took as his text "Let us go to Bethlehem". A thankful letter was read from St. Luke's

Church in Toronto for gifts received from the White Gift Service.

Tery Laidlaw led in the singing of Christmas carols prior to the service.

The Candlelight service was held that evening with all four choirs taking part, including the senior mens choir. They sang "We Three Kings."

The Junior choir sang several selections, among them were "Gentle Donkey" and "Away in a Manger". Mark Campbell sang a solo

"Silent Night" and his sister sang the "Little Donkey" song. Kathy Kerby sang "Gentle Mary."

The Youth choir sang the "Praise Song," and "As we Gather." Senior Ladies sang several numbers including "Sheep fast Asleep" and combined with the Senior Mens choir to sing the "Christmas Roundelay." Interspersed with their selections were scriptural readings by Phyllis Mofatt, Deanna Cleave and Ruth Anne Wilson.

Following the service, cocktails and coffee were enjoyed for a social hour. Bill Laidlaw presented gifts to all three choir leaders, Marg Ridley, Rosie Laidlaw and Terry Laidlaw, for their time and effort spent, not only at Christmas, but all during the year.

"BOTSWANA HERE WE COME." Gary Johnson and his aunt "Jean" Hartley Robertson left Sunday for a four-week visit with his sister Janet, who is on a teaching mission there for two years.

Leaving Toronto International Airport Sunday noon, they flew to Miami for a short stop, then on to Rio De Janeiro where they landed Monday for a nine-hour stopover, and were hoping to take a tour of the area. Then on to Johannesburg, South Africa, which was a 13-hour flight, before catching a plane to Gaborone which is the capital of Botswana, and hopefully if all flights connect will be there Tuesday evening.

Margaret Anne Thurlbeck enjoyed a week's cruise with her friend Susan Coomber to Mexico. The trip was arranged through Sheridan College when they flew to Clearwater and then by bus to Tampa for a couple of days taking in the Busch Gardens. The cruise left there Monday and Cozumel was the first port of call where they enjoyed the beach, and an Mexican dinner.

The S.S. Vera Cruz had 700 passengers, featuring night shows, dancing and dinners

including a captains cocktail party, and farewell party. They flew home early Saturday morning after enjoying good weather except in Florida where it was very cool.

Sympathy to the family members of Ward Brown of R. I. Norval who passed away Friday at Peel Memorial Hospital in Brampton. He is survived by his sister, Mae Gillip, and several nieces and nephews.

Happy Birthday to Kate

Laidlaw who celebrates on the 23rd; Gord and Rosie Laidlaw had her family to dinner Sunday noon. Also to Agnes Miller who celebrated her birthday Sunday.

The funeral services were held for the late Rev. Robert Duncanson former minister of Norval, Union Presbyterian Churches at Knox Presbyterian Church in Woodstock Tuesday (Dec. 15). The community extends sympathy to Mrs. Duncanson and family.

Get well wishes to Eunice Wilson and Graydon Chester, who are spending some time in the hospital.

Norval Teen Choir conducted the Christmas Eve service in Norval United Church. Communion was served by the Rev. Walter Ridley, Norval and Union Presbyterian Churches combined to hold their candlelight services in Union Church on Christmas Eve. A good congregation attended both services

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Limehouse Steunenburg-Ryan wedding was Dec. 19

By MRS. A. W. BENTON
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Congratulations to Mr. Bert Steunenburg and Gayle Debra Ryan who were married by Rev. Peter Barrow in Limehouse Presbyterian Church Saturday (Dec. 19). Mrs. Frank Holtman has her mother from Germany visiting her.

Carol services at Limehouse Presbyterian Church Christmas eve were well attended. Rev. Barrow had a Christmas message and the choir directed by organist Mrs. A. J. Benton sang three anthems.

Branch funds first for our Lorne Scots

To all our comrades and ladies auxiliary members who are shut-ins, in Hospital or at home recuperating, we extend a very happy new year and may all of you look forward to a good and prosperous 1982.

It is with deep regret we announce that comrade Jim Dickinson has passed away. Our sincere condolences to his family.

Carclub draw winners were Doug Norton, Keith Tracy, Ron Copland, Doreen Robinson, Frank King and Dennis Thorogood.

There will be no entertainment in the Lounge this coming Saturday.

Do not forget to make an appointment by either B. Hale or L. Boyd to see the provincial service officer who will be visiting the branch Jan. 4.

There are very few days left for those who wish to pay their dues before the end of the year. The new key lock will be changed Jan. 3. Anyone not paid up will have to ring for the steward. Members have been receiving their cards and keys as they have arrived, some have been mailed out to some and there are some behind the bar waiting to be picked up.

Winners of the turkey shoot were Joyce Markham, Irv Lewis, Harold Badham, Bruce McCartney and Woody Hamilton.

Winners of the Christmas draw was Hopper, Vera Stapleton, Richard Gridland, O. Shenton, J. H. Kemshead, B. Hale and J. Wempes.

A Saturday afternoon sports ticket, number 742467 blue, has not been claimed. The Dec. 19 draw winners were Truttel P. Eitel King, Joe McClure and Carman Copeland.

Ballinafad Congregation hears wife of its minister

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Rev. Lynne Bandy was the guest speaker at the church Sunday. She delighted the congregation with her inspiring message.

The Junior Choir gave an added touch to the service with their anthem. The Martin Lewis family lit the candles for the fourth Sunday in Advent.

In the news recently, it stated that Mrs. West became a member of the Ballinafad United Church. It neglected to say which Mrs. West. It was Mrs. K. West, who resides with her husband and family on the Ninth line. Sorry, if it caused any inconvenience or embarrassment to any one.

There was a capacity crowd out to church for the Christmas Eve Service.

The three choirs all favored with musical selections which were very much enjoyed. All the familiar Christmas hymns were sung.

Both Rev. T. Bandy and Rev. Lynne Bandy had a Christmas message, during the service.

Many families also shared in the Leadership at this special service on the eve of the most wonderful day of the year. Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Marshall spent Christmas with daughter Ruth and family at Rockwood. Mr. and Mrs. Leo Jamieson had their family all home for Christmas Day.

The weather was perfect for Christmas day and the days following, so winter sports like skiing and tobogganing could be enjoyed by the holiday makers.

A happy and peaceful New Year to all.

TIMELY SIGN!

Motorists exiting or entering Georgetown's east end along Highway 7 will never be left wondering what time it is or what the temperature is like thanks to this digital clock-thermometer located in the Knokcrest business centre parking lot at the southwest corner of the highway and Delrex Boulevard intersection. As readers can see by the signs surrounding the digital read-out, several business have moved into the recently constructed complex. The digital clock gives the temperatures in Celsius and Fahrenheit.

(Herald photo)

LEGION LINES

By Tom Elliott

There are quite a number of early bird membership cards which may be picked up from the bar stewards. Next time you are in the branch just check to see if yours are amongst them.

The Provincial service officer will be at the Branch Jan. 4. For an appointment, contact Lloyd Boyd or Bus Hale.

Most of you are aware of the Lorne Scots Association needing funds for equipment, uniforms etc. Various service clubs, councils, Legion branches have been approached. We can be very proud of Branch 120 being the first to answer the call with a \$500 check. No doubt our ex-Lorne Scot members will feel as proud as all of the rest of us who were not members of the Lorne Scots.

The children's Christmas party was a huge success. Thanks to Santa Claus and everyone who helped him.

The Branch President, Imperial president, Ladies Auxiliary President and all the various executive members wish everyone a very happy and prosperous new year.

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New Year's services a good 'alternative'

New Year's has been a time of superstition to people of the world for centuries. Some of these fears have been transferred to the "new" Christian religion, and are sometimes observed as religious festivities, most designed to please the tribes or native people who leaned heavily on these superstitions in order to draw them into Christianity.

These have developed into festivals of the church, and are so much a part of some denominations that they are essentially rites of the church.

Some religious leaders, recognizing this, have attempted to supplant these superstitions with other activities that are more Christ-centered.

New Year's is a time when some of these activities can be used to draw people to Christ who otherwise would turn away from the church-based superstitions. The "Watch Night" service is one of these and in its various forms can be entertaining, and very worshipful. A few of our local churches have planned watch night activities and the ones listed are the only ones I have on record.

Haltom Hills Pentecostal on Highway 7 Dec. 31 at 10:30 p.m. to 12:05 a.m. Family dinner with a film at about 2 a.m. and dessert at 3 a.m.

Acton Evangel, 8 p.m. program with family, film with lunch at 10:30 p.m. and Watch Night service following. Sacre Coeur, Dec. 31, 7 p.m. mass. Jan. 1, 11 a.m. mass.

Christian Reformed, Georgetown, Dec. 31, 8 p.m. New Year's Eve service. Jan. 1, 10 a.m. New Year's Day service.

The world is in an uproar still, and we as Christians must pray our way through these times. Poland is under martial law, and of course the Bible is a restricted book. There are over 400 Baptist pastors in jail in Russia alone and the holy book is banned there also.

A recent report out of Poland tells us that a visitor gave ONE Bible to the people of a village in eastern Poland, and on a subsequent visit, found that 200

Monthly draw for Cubs

The Second Georgetown Cubs are planning to send a delegation to history's first World Cuboree next year in Cuba, and shoppers around town are helping them raise funds by buying tickets on a monthly \$100 draw. Sandy Capperault of McGillivray Crescent won herself \$100 worth of food at the IGA Dec. 22 when fellow shopper Mrs. J. L. Henderson drew her name. Watch The Herald for further details on the monthly draw, for which only 300 tickets are distributed.

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About the Hills Train damaged by snowmen

Two snowmen built with rocks and pebbles as well as snow on train tracks crossing the Sixth Line damaged the front end of a VIA passenger train leaving Georgetown last Wednesday afternoon. Unable to stop after the engineer spotted the obstacles, the train struck the snowmen. Disabled, the 4:15 p.m. train backed into Georgetown, leaving the injured snowmen to fend for themselves.

Snow country!

Terra Cotta Conservation Area is back in business, the Credit Valley Authority reports. The area north of Georgetown is open this week, Wednesday and Thursday, and on weekends through the winter from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Cross country skiing and snowshoeing is available for rent and a snack bar is doling out home-made goodies. Admission to the park is \$3.50; season passes are available.

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