

Among the Local Churches

First Church of Christ, Scientist

First Church of Christ, Scientist, Highland Park, Ill., 381 Hazel avenue, a branch of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass., holds services every Sunday morning at 10:45 and on Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock, when testimonies of Christian Science healings are given. Sunday School meets at 9:30 a.m., and is open to pupils under the age of twenty. Subject for next Sunday's lesson-sermon "Reality."

You are cordially invited to make use of the reading room, 361 Central avenue, which is open every week day from nine in the morning until six in the evening and on Wednesdays until 7:30. The reading room is also open on Sunday afternoon from 2:30 to 5:30.

Bethany Evangelical Church

H. F. Siemsen, pastor

Rev. A. J. Byas, presiding elder of the Chicago district of the Evangelical church was with us on Wednesday evening. He brought a very helpful message to an appreciative audience. Following the devotional hour, the second quarterly conference of the year was conducted. The reports of the various departments of the church showed a fine increase and a good spirit in all of the activities of the local congregation.

On Thursday of this week all officers and teachers have a very cordial invitation to attend the annual Lake County Sunday School convention at Libertyville.

The E. L. C. E. will have a social hour and party at the home of Miss Esther Montgomery, 614 Vine avenue, Thursday evening at 8 p. m.

The choir will rehearse at 8 p. m. Thursday evening.

On Friday evening we are invited to attend the Oratorical contest which will be held at the Prairie View Evangelical church.

Our services on Sunday will be of special significance, in the fact that we will observe Holy Communion. Rev. Byas, our P. E., will be with us in the morning service and will bring the message. In the evening our choir will begin one of their sacred musical services. The last Sunday of each month hereafter will be known as choir Sunday, at which time the choir will put on either a vesper service, or they will take over the evening service, presenting the "Message" in song. Those who are lovers of sacred music will greatly welcome this feature. Since it is our custom to offer communion at both the morning and evening service on Communion Sunday, an opportunity will be given at the close of this Sunday evening service, to all who wish, to partake of the emblems.

The officers and teachers of the Sunday school are planning to make Sunday, Oct. 6 a big day, this will be the annual Rally Day Sunday, and it is hoped that all previous records can be broken. The entire month of October will be known as Loyalty month in all of the Evangelical churches throughout Illinois. It indeed will be inspiring to know that about 20,000 people in the same state, will be working, doing and thinking



REVIEW: SIGNIFICANCE OF THE EXILE AND RESTORATION

Golden Text Psalm 103:17
Rev. Samuel D. Price, D.D.

The review lesson is like clinching the nail. A careful study of this quarterly lesson will help to hold the facts in memory, and especially as you are putting the truths into practice in your life. Something over 150 years in time are covered in the past twelve lessons. The title gives the two subdivisions from the historical standpoint: Exile and Restoration.

Those who are seeking to get all out of this course that is possible will read the entire books from which these lessons are taken, and they are Ezekiel, Daniel, Ezra, Nehemiah and Malachi. You should read at least the selected portions that were studied in connection with each lesson. Very little success comes without genuinely hard work.

Since history is usually centered about the lives of individual leaders you can get much by giving special attention to the biography of the men whose books are named above. Then look up Esther as she is contemporary, though no lesson was given this quarter to her life. Also look up the secular history of that century and a half. You will observe the rise and fall of vast empires; Babylonia, Persia and

The horizon of Israel was greatly broadened during the years of Exile. They began to realize that there were other nations that were playing a great part in the life of the world. They had been largely an agricultural nation, but the contacts in Babylon thrust them into the commercial activities that they have ever since maintained. Their culture development was increased as they became students in the schools of other nations.

A purpose from Jehovah's angle was to stamp out idolatry which in Palestine was polluting them physically and enervating them spiritually. They went back to Jerusalem to live according to the Law of God. To be sure there were lapses; there always are. They rebuilt the Temple and then protected it by placing a good wall around the city. The rolls of the Law were studied that they might follow the teachings both as they applied to sacrifice and to the manner of their daily living.

Individual relationship and responsibility unto God was understood. This aroused personal conscience and no one could hide behind a people's sacrifice. Each must live rightly and justly before both God and man. They had experienced both the mercy and forgiveness of their loving Jehovah. Through prophecy they could look for their greatest blessings in the future when the Messiah should come.

in the same terms each Sunday during the same month.

Beginning with the service of Sunday evening, all of our evening services hereafter throughout the winter months will begin at 7:45.

On Tuesday evening, Oct. 1st an interesting lecture on health and natural foods will be given in the church dining hall. This lecture will not only prove interesting, but will be of great value to all who hear the same.

The Swedish Methodist Church

Highwood Avenue and Everts Place
Rev. William W. Nelson, Pastor
Telephone Highwood 2161

Saturday, Sept. 28: 8:00 p.m. — Epworth League Christmas Party for our boys school in Nagpur, India. Miss Carlson, our 2nd vice-president, has arranged a special program for this occasion. Everybody is expected to bring some contribution for the Christmas box. Such gifts as various kinds of small toys are not very expensive but will be greatly appreciated by the boys in the Borgman school.

Sunday, Sept. 29: 10:30 a.m. — Sunday school. (Remember the change in time); 6:00 p.m. — Epworth League meeting; 7:45 p.m. —

Evening service in Swedish. Rev. E. P. Swan, our district superintendent, will preach. The Lord's Supper will be administered at the close of the service.

Wednesday, Oct. 2: 7:00 p.m. — Special language class at church. This class is open to all of our Swedish friends who desire to learn English.

Trinity Episcopal Church

Rev. Christoph Keller, Rector
East Laurel Avenue

Sunday, September 29th, Eighteenth Sunday after Trinity: 7:30 a.m. — Holy communion; 9:30 a.m. — The church school; 11:00 a.m. — Morning prayer and sermon by the rector.

The sessions of the church school will be resumed on Sunday, Sept. 29th. The opening service will be in the church at 9:30 o'clock.

A thrift sale will be given in the parish house on October 11. This sale is under the direction of the Service League. Members of the parish are asked to send their donations to the parish house on October 10th. If it is inconvenient to send them, arrangements may be made to have them called for either through Mrs. Mayo (H. P. 2090) or Mrs. E. D. Brigham (H. P. 2088.)

St. Paul's Evangelical Church

F. G. Piepenbrok, pastor

Church school, 9:15 a. m.

Services, 10:30 a. m.

Choir Friday, 7:30 p. m.

The teachers and officers of the church school will meet Tuesday evening October 1st, at the Sunday school room.

Thursday, Oct. 3, the Ladies' Aid will meet at the home of Mrs. Henry Neargarder. This is to be a rally meeting and it is hoped that all members will be present.

Sunday, Oct. 6, is Rally Day at the St. Paul's Sunday school. A special program will be rendered by the various departments of the school. Detailed announcements will be given next week.

Confirmation instruction will begin the first Saturday in October, 9 o'clock in the morning.

You are cordially invited to the services and other activities of the St. Paul's church.

Deerfield Presbyterian Church

Mark J. Andrews, pastor

This Sunday will be observed as the annual Promotion Sunday. The church school and the

will meet in a joint service beginning at 10:30 a. m. (Note the change of time.) The program will consist of appropriate exercises marking the advancement of Church school pupils to higher grades. A short address by the pastor will take the place of the sermon. All church school scholars, parents and friends of the church should be present.

In the evening at 7:30 a six week's School of Missions will be inaugurated. There is a place for all. We invite you to come and see what it is all about. Successful mission study groups rejuvenate the church.

Board of trustees — Tuesday evening, Oct. 1.

Choir rehearsal — Wednesday, 7:45 p. m.

Dorcas meeting — Thursday afternoon, Oct. 3.

Troop 52, Boy Scouts — Friday, 7:15 p. m.

A graduation cradle roll party will be held at the church next Wednesday afternoon, Oct. 2, to which all members of the Cradle Roll are invited as well as their mothers and grandmothers. Something special for all.

A cordial invitation to all the services and activities of this church.

Redeemer Lutheran Church

Rev. W. F. Suhr, Pastor

West Central and McGovern

Sunday school, 9:30.

German service, 10:30.

English service, 11:00.

This evening (Thursday) the Lutheran league will have a joint meeting with the Glencoe Young People's society at our church.

The Dorcas circle will hold its next meeting out of town, namely at the home of Mrs. Henry Weise, 1471 Florence avenue, Evanston, next Tuesday evening. All intending to go to this meeting are to assemble by 8 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Otto Lawrentz, 113 N. Green Bay road. The Ladies Aid meets next week Thursday at the home of Mrs. Fred Grossmann.

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