

Among the Local Churches

The Swedish Methodist Church
Highwood Avenue and Everts Place
Rev. William W. Nelson, Pastor
Thursday, Dec. 28, 8:00 p.m.—Meeting of the Prayer group at the home of Mrs. Ida Carlson on Highwood avenue, Highwood.

Saturday, Dec. 20, 8:00 p.m.—Regular meeting of the Sewing circle at church. Mrs. Chas. E. Anderson will be the hostess.

Sunday, Dec. 21, 10:30 a.m.—Sunday school. This hour has been set aside as a special time to bring gifts for the needy. Food, clothing, toys—anything that may help to gladden the Christmas for an unfortunate friend will be appreciated. 6:00 p.m.

Afternoon meeting. 7:45 p.m.—Evening service (our Christmas Sunday service) in Swedish with Dr. C. G. Wallenius as the speaker. A special offering will be asked for charity.

Thursday, Dec. 25, 6:30 a.m.—Julotta service. The first part of the service will be conducted in Swedish with Mr. Hammerberg, a graduate of our school in Gotenburg, as the speaker; the latter part of the service will be in English with a sermon by the past. 7:30 p.m.—Sunday school program.

Trinity Episcopal Church
Rev. Christoph Keller, Rector
East Laurel Avenue

Services

Sunday, Dec. 21, the Fourth Sunday in Advent, 7:30 a.m.; Holy communion. 11 a.m.; Morning prayer and sermon. 4 p.m.; the Feast of Lights.

Monday, Dec. 22, S. Thomas. 9:30 a.m.; Holy communion.

The Christmas Services
Sunday, Dec. 21, the Fourth Sunday in Advent. 4 p.m.; the Church school Feast of Lights and Presentation of the Advent offering.

Wednesday, Dec. 24, Christmas Eve, 11 p.m.; the Midnight service. Choral communion.

Thursday, Dec. 25, Christmas day, 7:30 a.m.; Plain celebration of the Holy communion. 10:30 a.m.; Plain celebration of the Holy communion.

Friday, Dec. 26, S. Stephen, 9:30 a.m.; Holy communion.

Saturday, Dec. 27, S. John, 9:30 a.m.; Holy communion.

First Church of Christ, Scientist

First Church of Christ, Scientist, Highland Park, Ill., 381 Hazel Ave. a branch of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass., holds services every Sunday morning at 11:00 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 between the ages of four and twenty.

Subject for next Sunday's lesson "Is the Universe, Including Man, Evolved by Atomic Force."

You are cordially invited to make use of the reading room, 43 N. Sheridan rd., where the Bible and all authorized Christian Science literature may be read, borrowed or purchased. The reading room is open every weekday from nine in the morning until six in the evening, on Wednesday until 7:30 and on Sunday afternoon from 2:30 to 5:30.

The Bethany Evangelical Church
Rev. H. F. Siemsen, Pastor
The choir will meet Thursday evening at 7:30.

Sunday: We look forward to a record attendance at our Sunday school next Sunday morning. We urge that all children and adults be on time and gain the full benefit of the worship program that is carried out in each department. We begin at 9:45 a.m. The pastor will bring another message in the series on Christmas at the 11 a.m. worship service. The Sunday school will present its annual Christmas program on Sunday afternoon at 4:30 vesper service. This program will consist of a White Gift Pageant, which was written and arranged by our superintendent, Dr. E. D. Fritsch. This service will be very worthwhile and we invite the people of the community to come and enjoy it with our scholars and their parents. The White Gifts will go to the Flat Rock Orphanage at Flat Rock, Ohio.

Due to the vesper there will be no evening services at this church.

Instead of our regular Mid-week prayer service, next Wednesday, we will have an early Christmas morning hour of praise, Thursday at 8 a.m. This service will mean much to all who will come, do not fail to attend.

Our choir will present its Christmas cantata, Sunday afternoon, Dec. 28 at a 4:30 vesper.

A Watch Night service will be held on Wednesday evening Dec. 31.

Bethlehem Evangelical Church
Deerfield Ave. and Rosemary Terr.
Rev. A. P. Johnson, Pastor
Deerfield, Illinois.

9:45 a.m. Sunday school in charge of Mr. A. Merner. 11 a.m.; Worship and sermon. 7 p.m.; Christian Endeavor. 8; Evening service.

"The Nativity" to be given at the Bungalow church Tuesday evening Dec. 23 at 8 o'clock.

This Nativity service is composed entirely of selections from the Bible, arranged in dramatic form on the plan of a mystery play, picturing the incidents of the gospel story of the Nativity and accompanied by Christmas carols.

This pageant is presented in four scenes.

I
The Temple scene in which Zacharias performs his priestly duties.

II
The Annunciation in which the angel of God appears to the Virgin Mary.

III
The Shepherds in the fields.

IV
The Nativity.
This pageant has a threefold appeal—the Bible words, the Christmas music and the actual scenes of the Nativity story. Following are the characters:

Mary Mrs. John Vetter
Joseph Mr. Milton Frantz
Gabriel Lois Fehr
Zacharias Mr. Chester Wessling
Shepherds
Kenneth Wessling, Wesley Stryker, Harold Giss.

Angel Olive Frantz

Wise Men—
Don Easton, Arthur Cashmore, Harold Peterson.

The Heavenly Host—
Dorothy Vetter, Carol Frantz, Dorothy Wessling, Freda Boon, Genevieve Steiner, Helen Hoffman, Marie St. rhaus, Myrtle Lee, Lorraine Thompson, Mar. Cashmore, June Gunkel.

Organist Dorothy Fehr
Reader Prof. C. E. Bates
Chorus Choir

St. John's Evangelical Church
(Evangelical Synod of America)
Green Bay Road and Homewood Ave.

Rev. F. W. Fischer, Pastor
Phone 3343

Church Calendar

Sunday, 2 p.m.—Sunday school practice for program.

Sunday, 9:30—Sunday school. 10:30; Divine services. 7:30; Christmas program.

Christmas day—6 o'clock in the morning special services and Lord's Supper.

Tuesday, Jan. 6 at 6:30 in the evening annual business meeting of the congregation with fellowship supper preceding the meeting.

Please help the treasurer to straighten out his books.

Everybody is welcome to our church activities.

Redeemer Lutheran Church

West Central Avenue

Rev. W. F. Suhr, Pastor

At three services we shall celebrate this year's Christmas festival.

On Christmas Eve from 7 to 8 we shall have our usual Children's service, in which will be included a pageant featuring the idea of "White Gifts for the King."

According to an old Lutheran custom there will be an early morning service on Christmas day, beginning at 6:30.

The main service will be conducted on Christmas day at 10:30. Special musical numbers will be rendered.

This evening (Thursday) we have our final Advent service of this season at 8 o'clock.

The children of the Sunday school are to gather on Saturday morning at 9 for a rehearsal of their program.

On Sunday the Sunday school begins as usual at 9:30 and the regular morning service at 10:30.

Highland Park Presbyterian Church

Laurel and Linden Avenues

Rev. Frank Fitt, Minister

Church phones 683 and 46

Friday: 7:30—Boy Scout meeting in the junior room of the parish house. 7:30; Camp Fire meeting in the parish house.

Saturday: 7:30—A complete dress rehearsal for all members of the Christmas pageant in the main auditorium.

Sunday: 9:15—Chorus rehearsal in the church auditorium. 9:45; Church school. 10; Mothers' Bible class in the small lecture room. 11; Morning worship. 4; The members of the church school will gather in their departments to form the processional for the White Gift service. 4:30; Annual White Gift service in the main auditorium to which all members and friends of the church are cordially invited.

Monday: 8:00—There will be held in the main auditorium of the church a community farewell reception for Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fitt to which all members and friends of the congregation, and friends of Mr. and Mrs. Fitt, are invited.

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