

WELCOME TO CHURCH

HIGHLAND PARK PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Laurel, Linden and Prospect
Church phone H. P. 263
Rev. Louis W. Sherwin, D.D.,
Minister

Sunday, Dec. 16—
9:30 a.m. Sunday school. Beginners, Primary and Junior departments.
11:00 a.m. Morning worship. Dr. Sherwin will preach.
11:00 a.m. Church school. The Intermediate department (7th and 8th grades) and the High School groups.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST

387 Hazel Avenue
This Church is a branch of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass.

The Sunday morning service is held at 11 o'clock and the Wednesday evening meeting, which includes testimonies of Christian healing, is at 8 o'clock.

Subject of next Sunday's Lesson Sermon, "God the Preserver of Man."

Small children are cared for during Sunday church service.

Sunday school is open to pupils up to the age of 20 years, and is held Sunday morning at 9:30.

A free public reading room is maintained by this church at 43 N. Sheridan road which is open daily from 9:30 o'clock in the morning to 5:30 in the afternoon, and on Saturdays until 9 o'clock. On Sunday the reading room is open from 2:30 to 5:30. Here the Bible, and all authorized Christian Science literature, may be read, borrowed or purchased.

ST. JOHN'S EVANG. & REF. CHURCH

Green Bay road and Homewood
G. A. Pahl, Jr., Pastor

Sunday, Dec. 16—
9:30 a.m. Sunday school.
10:45 a.m. Morning worship.
2:00 p.m. Rehearsal for Christmas program. All children of the Sunday school should be in attendance.

Sunday, Dec. 23—
9:30 a.m. Sunday school.
10:45 a.m. Morning worship.

Christmas Eve, Dec. 24—
Sunday school Christmas program, beginning at approximately 7:15 p.m.

Christmas Day, Dec. 25—
9:00 a.m. Christmas worship service and celebration of Holy Communion.

You are cordially invited to attend all these services. Christmas will mean more to you if you attend worship services.

TRINITY EPISCOPAL CHURCH

East Laurel Avenue
The Rev. Christoph Keller, Rector

Sundays—
7:30 a.m. Holy Communion.
9:30 a.m. Church school service and class instruction.

11:00 a.m. Morning prayer and sermon (First Sunday in the month, Holy Communion and sermon).

Wednesdays—
9:30 a.m. Holy Communion and Litany for the Nations.
Saints' Days—
9:30 a.m. Holy Communion.

REDEEMER EVANG. LUTH. CHURCH

587 Central Avenue
H. K. Platzler, pastor

Friday, Dec. 14—
Voters' meeting in assembly hall. Annual election of church officers.

Saturday, Dec. 15—
10 a.m. Young People's Bible class.

Sunday, Dec. 16—
9:30 a.m. Sunday school.
9:40 a.m. Bible discussion group.
10:45 a.m. Morning worship.

Young children cared for in the assembly hall.

Sunday, Dec. 23—
3:30 p.m. Christmas program for the older department of the Sunday school.

Monday, Dec. 24—
7:30 p.m. Tiny Tots Christmas Eve program. Parents and friends are welcome.

FIRST UNITED EVANGELICAL CHURCH

"A Community Gospel Church"
S. Green Bay at Laurel
R. S. Wilson, pastor. Tel. 1731

Friday, Dec. 14—
8:00 p.m. The young ladies' class taught by Pastor R. S. Wilson, will meet at the home of Miss Romayne Gunsteen, 708 S. St. Johns. All young ladies in their twenties and early thirties are welcome.

Sunday, Dec. 16—
9:30 a.m. Sunday school for all ages.
10:45 a.m. Morning worship. The pastor will bring a message on the Christmas Story, using the theme, "The Wise Men."

7:45 p.m. The augmented choir

will sing portions of Handel's oratorio, "The Messiah." Corp. Wm. Phillips of Fort Sheridan is directing. An instrumental ensemble will play the instrumental parts of the oratorio.

Wednesday, Dec. 19—
8:00 p.m. Mid-week service of prayer and praise.

Friday, Dec. 21—
7:30 p.m. Annual Junior Christmas party, for the members of the junior department of the Sunday school.

Saturday, Dec. 22—
2:00 p.m. Annual Christmas party for the cradle roll and primary departments of the Sunday school, and their parents.

Sunday, Dec. 23—
7:30 p.m. The annual children's Christmas program.

BETHANY EVANGELICAL CHURCH

Laurel Avenue and McGovern St.
Lester H. Laubenstein, Minister

Sunday, Dec. 16—
9:30 a.m. Sunday school in all departments.

11 a.m. Divine worship. Sermon by the Rev. Lester H. Laubenstein, minister.

Tuesday, Dec. 18—
Monthly meeting of the Philathea class.

Wednesday, Dec. 19—
7:45 p.m. Midweek Church Fellowship service. Missionary night and the monthly offering. There will be no service on Wednesday night, Dec. 26.

Thursday, Dec. 20—
4:00 p.m. Adv. class in Christian education.

7:45 p.m. Senior choir rehearsal.

Saturday, Dec. 22—
1:30 p.m. Bethany choristers rehearsal.

Special Christmas programs will be featured as follows: Sunday school presents its annual program at 4:00 p.m. Dec. 23. On Christmas Eve, beginning at 10:55, the choir and pastor will serve in the annual carol and candlelight service.

"Reform Judaism in Retrospect and Prospect," Rabbi Wax' Friday Topic

This Friday evening at the No. Shore Congregation Israel in Glen-coe, Rabbi James A. Wax will discuss the religious pattern of American Jewry in his sermon, "Reform Judaism in Retrospect and Prospect."

Since religion has a special new value to us today, the lecture should prove to be of particular interest to all.

Regular services are held every Friday night at 8:15, at the temple at Lincoln and Vernon Sts., Glen-coe. Visitors are always cordially welcome.

"The Messiah" To Be Given at U. E. Church Next Sunday Evening

Musicians from Fort Sheridan will provide the instrumental background for the presentation of the oratorio, "The Messiah," next Sunday evening at the First United Evangelical church of Highland Park. Seven former symphony orchestra musicians have been asked to play the instrumental numbers of the oratorio.

The church choir, augmented by singers from Fort Sheridan, will sing three of the famous choral numbers of the oratorio, including "The Hallelujah Chorus." Corp. William Phillips of Fort Sheridan and Minneapolis is directing the choir and orchestra. He will also sing several of the tenor solos. His wife, Ingrid Phillips, will be the alto soloist, and Lt. Wm. C. Miller Jr. of New York City will sing the bass solo numbers. The soprano soloist will be announced later in the week.

The church is located on South Green Bay road, at Laurel avenue, and the singing of this famous Christmas oratorio will be a part of the service beginning at 7:45 p.m., according to announcement by the pastor, Rev. R. S. Wilson.

The words used are from the King James version of the Bible, and were selected by an English clergyman named Charles Jennens and his secretary, a man named Pooley. The music was written by George Friederick Handel in 1741 while living in England, and the first presentation took place in Dublin, Ireland, in 1742.

The presentation of parts of the oratorio in Highland Park will be free to the public, and will be one of several of the Christmas services provided in the United Evangelical church. The children's Christmas program will be given, Sunday evening, Dec. 23, and the pastor is bringing a series of Christmas messages at the Sunday morning services.

The choir and instrumental ensemble will also present the Messiah portions at the Fort Sheridan Chapel two on Tuesday evening, Dec. 18.

Lake Co. Third in Purchase of Seals;

Latest report from the Illinois Tuberculosis association lists Peoria county as ranking first in the sale of Christmas seals and Christmas seal bonds, exclusive of Cook county, according to Orpha L. White.

Winnebago county is running second and Lake County Tuberculosis association is third with more than \$1,700 short of first place. For the last two years Lake county has ranked first place in the final totals and won a silver trophy. If Lake county ranks first this year, the association will retain the trophy permanently.

There are still over 27,000 Christmas seal letters unanswered and from that source it will still be possible to win first place in the state in the seal sale. The association hopes that its many contributors, realizing that the sale started one week earlier, are merely waiting to make their contributions at the same time as in previous years.

Dean of Piano Builders Is Laid to Rest

Private funeral services were held on Saturday, at his home on 723 Central, for Wallace W. Lufkin, president of the W. W. Kimball Co., Chicago, manufacturers of musical instruments. He passed away on Thursday, Dec. 6, at the age of 86.

Known in this vicinity as the "dean of the nation's piano builders," Mr. Lufkin was born in Oxford county, Maine, and came to Chicago in 1883, where he became associated with the Kimball company. In 1936 he became its president.

He was a member of the Chicago Art Institute, the Chicago Natural History museum, the Chi-

cago Historical society and the Union League club.

He is survived by his daughter, Mrs. Juliette L. Tenant, and three grandchildren, all of Highland Park.

Mrs. Kate Wood Passes Away at Age of 86

Mrs. Kate Wood, mother of Miss Lucille Wood, instructor of art in Highland Park high school, passed away on Thursday of last week at the age of 86, at her home on 133 S. Green Pkwy.

A former resident of Chicago, Mrs. Wood had made her home with her daughter in Highland Park for the past 14 years.

Services were held on Saturday, Dec. 8, at the Kelly chapel.

Mrs. Henry Boyd, Long Time Resident, Taken By Death

Funeral rites were held at Kelly chapel on Tuesday for Olive Jacoby Boyd, 235 Prospect, who passed away in her home on Sunday at the age of 65. She had been a resident of Highland Park for over 27 years.

She is survived by her husband, Henry W. Boyd, vice-president of the Armour Leather company, Chicago, a daughter, Mrs. Gordon T. Beaham Jr., of Kansas City, Mo., and a son, Henry W. Jr., of Nashville, Tenn.

New Officers Installed In Local Chapter of Women of the Moose

At an open meeting of Women of the Moose in Witten hall, last Wednesday evening, Julieta Smith, past graduate regent, installed the following officers: Dirce Picchetti, sentinel; Madeline Nearing, assistant guide, and Lela Rollman, Argus.

At Lockport, Ill., recently, Selman Anderson, Louise Carani, Catherine Menoni, Bee Rubenstein, Marie Sacco and Rose Stillwell received the final friendship degree. Graduate Regent Virginia Carino, Past Graduate Regent Alice Coleman and Chaplain Trini Zimmer of the local chapter, assisted in the rituals.

In recent rites conducted at the Mooseheart, Ill., chapter, Past Graduate Regent Smith acted as honorary escort for Grand Chancellor Katherine Smith of Washington, D.C. Among the honored guests of the occasion were Fern Stover, grand national home-making chairman; Grand Dame Mistress Mary York, Women of the Moose, and Agnes O'Hara, grand ritualist emeritus of Greater Chicago chapter 129.

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Clothing Collection of War Relief Control Board January 7-31

The President's War Relief control board has called upon all overseas war relief agencies in America to support the Victory Clothing Collection on behalf of UNRRA in one united nation-wide endeavor to collect clothing that is desperately needed in bombed-out lands, it was announced today by Henry J. Kaiser, national chairman of the Victory Clothing Collection, scheduled for Jan. 7-31.

Mr. Kaiser reported that 7,797 communities throughout America are already organizing local clothing drives under the direction of the 3,514 men and women who have so far accepted appointment as local chairmen.

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