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MT. PISGAH

Congratulations are extended to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Minns who will be married for fifty-seven years on Saturday, March 28th.

The church circuit of Temperanceville, Wesley and Mt. Pisgah will combine and hold their Good Friday service at Temperanceville United Church. The three choirs will also take part.

Mrs. William Botham, Mrs. Bob Monkman, Mrs. R. C. Baycroft, Mrs. William Milne and Mr. Harold Botham attended the funeral of the late Mr. Frederick H. Leeder in Tonnawanda, U.S.A., on Wednesday, March 18th. Mr. Leeder was a brother of Mrs. Botham.

The Gormley W.I. ladies catered at the auction sale of Mrs. William Smith's on Thursday, March 19th, and are quite pleased with the receipts.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Constable and family of Vellore were Sunday supper guests with Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Baycroft and family.

Remember the croquinoie and euchre party in Vandorf Hall on Friday, March 27th, at 8:30 p.m. It is sponsored by the Gormley W.I. You are all cordially invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Harvey were guests of honour at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Barker in Toronto for Sunday supper. It was the wedding anniversary for Mr. and Mrs. Smith who have been married for thirty-five years on March 23rd and also for Mr. and Mrs. Harvey who have been married five years on that same date.

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STOUFFVILLE Youth for Christ

SATURDAY AT 7.45 P.M.

7.45 p.m. — Piano prelude by Marian Gostick.
 8.00 p.m. — Song service including special numbers by Second Markham Girls' Choir, the Male Quartette, and the Children's Choir. Contest this week directed by Ken Heron.
 8.30 — Broadcast Time.
 9.15 — Film, "The Power of Prayer."

TUNE IN SUNDAY:
 CKLB — 1240 KC — 9.05 a.m. Rally Echoes 9.20 featuring Marilyn Bone & Muriel Byer.
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GLEN MAJOR

Mrs. Wm. LaBriton of Toronto visited one day last week with Mr. and Mrs. E. Gates.

Mrs. J. A. Hingston spent a couple of days last week in Toronto.

Mr. Joe Johnson and Miss Eleanor Johnson called on Mr. and Mrs. Jim Jones on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Jones and Marvin of Brougham visited on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Fiss.

Mrs. Albert Lee and family of Islington are at the home of her parents due to the illness of her mother. Hope to hear she will soon be improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Johnson, George and Linda visited with Mrs. C. Johnson and Della of Pine Grove on Sunday.

Mrs. Gowan Ferguson and R. G. Ferguson spent the weekend at "Glen Gowan".

Mr. George Gibson and friend spent the weekend at his cottage here.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gates and Betty visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. Gates.

Miss Hazel Jones was at her home on Sunday.

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Monday, Mar. 30th at 8.15 p.m.

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RINGWOOD

Little Miss Ann and Master Donald Brown of Barrie spent last week with their grandparents. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Steckley.

The ladies of the Excelsior Sunday School Class and their husbands enjoyed a supper and program in the church basement on Thursday evening.

Sympathy is extended to Mr. Tom Cracknell in the death of his mother last week. Johnny Lawrenson is home on Easter leave from naval duties at the east coast.

Attendance and interest in Sunday School is steadily increasing. The Young Men's Class and teacher, Mr. Walter Phipper, had entire charge of the devotional exercise last Sunday; while this Sunday the Missionary Committee will conduct the worship service.

Mr. Claude Kerr is serving as a juror in Toronto court this week.

Mr. Ralph Tracy, uncle of Mrs. James Kennedy, is visiting relatives in Minesing.

Mr. James Kennedy, seriously ill at his home here, is somewhat improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Levi Munday of Stouffville were Sunday evening supper guests at the Forson home.

Don't forget the musical program in the Stouffville Christian Church on Friday night, under auspices of the Christian Endeavour Society.

GOODWOOD

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Spencley of Richmond Hill visited Mr. and Mrs. Don Spencley on Sunday.

Mr. Alf McDonald has returned home after spending the winter in Vancouver.

Goodwood and Siloam groups held a joint meeting in the Goodwood United Church on Monday evening. Slides on African mission work were shown by Mr. Hubert. Mrs. shown by Mr. Herbert. Mrs. Herbert read the commentary.

There was a fine attendance at the B.Y.P.U. on Friday evening. Mr. Laurie Wagg of Uxbridge showed coloured pictures of the Easter story. Special music was provided by Steven Aldred, David and Paul Evans on their flutes.

The men's trio contributed a very appropriate selection.

The churches of Goodwood Pastoral Charge observed communion and baptismal services last Sunday. At Fifth Line, Donna Evelyn Bryant, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd G. Bryant, was baptized. At Siloam, Bruce Wayne Matthews, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon E. Matthews, was baptized. At Goodwood the following were baptized: Ronald John and Walter Keith James, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Walter F. James; Raymond Neil Gibson, son of Mr. and Mrs. James R. Gibson; Nancy Grace Taylor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Allan E. Taylor; Betty-Jean Dowsell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earl G. Dowsell; Diane Blonge, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Blonge; Jack Morrey Bernard, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul J. Bernard; John Kyran Coombe, Robin Dean, William Dana, David Bryan, and Holly Faith; sons and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John K. Boland; Albert Wayne, Walter Eugene, Dennis Andrew, Dale Edward, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Willis S. Taylor. Rev. Ernest Clarke of Thornhill conducted the services throughout.

Mr. and Mrs. Periault, Bruce and Vicky were at the C. W. Watson home on Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Perc Baston and Gary were in Toronto on Sunday.

The Merry Mixers are planning a bowling party for Friday, March 27th, and will return to the home of Mr. and Mrs. MacDougall for coffee.

The W.A. will meet at the parsonage on Thursday afternoon, April 2nd.

GORMLEY

Visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Brillinger on Monday were Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Brillinger from Saskatchewan, also Mr. and Mrs. Russell Brillinger of Richmond Hill.

Deaths

WELLMAN, Ralph — At lot 12, con. 8, Pickering Twp., on Tuesday, March 24, 1953, Ralph Wellman, beloved husband of Annie May, and dear father of Paul, in his 75th year. Funeral service in Altona Union Church on Friday, March 27th, at 2:30 p.m. Interment Stouffville Cemetery.

SCOTT, Norine — At the Brierbush Hospital, Stouffville, on Tuesday, March 24, 1953, Norine Clendinning, beloved wife of Job Scott. Resting at the chapel of L. E. O'Neill for service on Thursday, March 26th, at 2 p.m. Interment 6th Line Baptist Cemetery.

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BETHESDA

The Bethesda W.M.S. will be held on Wednesday, April 1st, at 2:30 p.m., at the home of Mrs. Robins. The roll call is to be answered with an "Easter Scripture."

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Scott were recent supper guests with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Dobb and Gordon.

Mrs. Wamsley and baby daughter of Toronto were holidaying with her sister, Mrs. Shirley White, for a week.

We are glad to hear Miss Janey White has returned home after a week in the Sick Children's Hospital.

The croquinoie party held last Friday night at the Roy Smith home was a great success and a good time had by all. About 45 young people were present with 10 tables in progress. Prize winners were: girls, Dorothy Brillinger, Arlene Bolander, boys, Ronald Smith, Rae Atkinson.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Howard Wood (nee Margaret Wideman) of Toronto on the birth of a son on Mar. 22nd.

Rev. and Mrs. Robins were recent supper guests with Mrs. Eva Steckley.

BALLANTRAE

Mr. W. Cockerill visited in Ballantrae on Thursday, calling on a few neighbours. Mr. Cockerill is staying with his son at Leaskdale and will visit at Bolton and Oshawa before returning home in May.

The ladies sewing class was held at the home of Mrs. R. Radford. Mrs. James Radford was present with her baby boy, Bradley James. The ladies presented the baby with a silver engraved cup also a baby plate. A lovely lunch was served.

Mr. and Mrs. George Talbot are very busy these days getting their new home ready to move in soon.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Hood on the birth of a daughter.

The pie social at Ballantrae church was well attended. Mr. Jack Hill auctioned the pies and sold every one at a good price. The proceeds go towards a new heating system. The Young People's meeting will be held as usual on Friday at 8 p.m.

The Young People from Vivian Church held a box social on Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Stickwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gray and family of Plainville and Mr. John Gray of Toronto visited at the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Will Hood and Mr. and Mrs. David Gray.

Births

KENNEDY — Mr. and Mrs. Harold L. Kennedy, Markham, are happy to announce the birth of their daughter on Friday, March 20, 1953, at the Markham Nursing Home.

GEE — Douglas and Reva Gee, Victoria Square, are happy to announce the birth of a daughter on Friday, March 20th, 1953, at York County Hospital, Newmarket.

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PINE ORCHARD

Mrs. J. Lundy attended the wedding of her granddaughter, Glenna West, in Newmarket on Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Brammar and Lorraine and Mr. and Mrs. Howard McClure were also guests.

Sorry to report Mrs. O'Rourke is ill in bed.

Miss Miriam Boake entertained a number of her friends at a dinner party Saturday night.

A great many in our district have severe colds with some being in bed with flu.

Sorry to report Mrs. Mel McMillan is in York County Hospital. We wish her a speedy recovery.

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Donald McKillican, Minister
 Sunday, March 29
 10.00 a.m.—Morning Worship
 10.30 a.m.—Sunday School

REFORMED CHURCH OF CANADA DUTCH MEETING

Rev. A. A. Tinklenberg
 Sunday, March 29
 2.00 p.m.—Worship Service
 3.00 p.m.—Sunday School

BLOOMINGTON and RINGWOOD CHRISTIAN CHURCHES

Rev. G. W. Brown, Pastor
 Sunday, March 29
 BLOOMINGTON
 10.00 a.m.—Sunday School
 11.00 a.m.—Morning Worship
 RINGWOOD
 10.00 a.m.—Sunday School
 2.30 p.m.—Worship
 7.30 p.m.—Young People's Meeting
 Mon., Mar. 30, 8 p.m.—Missionary Meeting, Mr. Glenn Ratcliff will show pictures of Palestine.
 ALTONA
 10.30 a.m.—Sunday School
 7.30 p.m.—Evangelistic Service
 Special music at this service by the Stouffville Men's Choir.
 Wed., 8 p.m.—Prayer Meeting
 Musical Programme, sponsored by the Christian Endeavour Societies, Friday, 8 p.m., in Stouffville Christian Church. T.B.C. student will speak.
 All cordially invited to attend these services.

CHRIST CHURCH ANGLICAN

Rev. F. J. Bourne, Rector
 Sunday, March 29
 Palm Sunday
 1.45 p.m.—Sunday School
 2.30 p.m.—Evangelism
 Tues., 7.30 p.m.—J.G.G.
 Fri., 7.30 p.m.—Lenten Meeting
 Fri., 8 p.m.—Choir Practice
 "With his stripes we are healed"—Isa. 53:5.

UNITED MISSIONARY CHURCH

Gormley & Bethesda
 Rev. C. E. Hunking, Minister
 Sunday, March 29
 BETHESDA
 10.30 a.m.—Worship
 2.00 p.m.—Sunday School
 Wed. evening—Prayer Meeting
 GORMLEY
 1.45 p.m.—Sunday School
 2.45 p.m.—Preaching Service
 7.30 p.m.—Evangelistic
 Mrs. Wishart and a Ladies Trio from Emmanuel Bible College will conduct all services.

CHRISTIAN-CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Minister, Rev. F. Muir, B.A.
 Sunday, March 29
 10.00 a.m.—Sunday School
 11.00 a.m.—Worship
 7.30 p.m.—Fellowship
 8.30 p.m.—Choir
 Fri., 8.30 p.m.—The Helpers Club
 Fri., 8 p.m.—Christian Endeavour Musicals
 Tues., 8 p.m.—Prayer & Bible Study, Matthew 27, at Mr. and Mrs. Joe Winterstein's.
 Wed., 3.30 p.m.—Junior Choir Practice
 "It is not what we take up, but what we give up, that makes us rich."
 —Henry Ward Beecher
 "He that is not willing to take up his cross, and follow me is not worthy of me."
 —Jesus

MELVILLE, BETHESDA and PEACHES UNITED CHURCHES

Rev. Geo. E. Robins, B.A.
 Sunday, March 29
 Palm Sunday
 10.00 a.m.—Peach's
 11.30 a.m.—Melville
 3.00 p.m.—Bethesda
 Sacrament of the Lord's Supper at each service.
 Wed., April 1, 2.30 p.m.—Bethesda W.M.S. will meet at the home of Mrs. Geo. E. Robins.
 Fri., April 3, 11 a.m.—Peach's, Melville and Bethesda will hold a Good Friday Service in the Melville United Church.

BRETHREN IN CHRIST CHURCH (Helse Hill) Gormley

Pastor — Bishop A. L. Winger
 Sunday, March 29
 10.00 a.m.—Sunday School
 11.00 a.m.—Worship Hour and Ministry of God's Divine Word.
 8.00 p.m. — Evangelistic Service
 Wed., 7.30 p.m. — Mid-week Prayer Service.
 A cordial invitation is extended to all services.

UNITED MISSIONARY CHURCH

Rev. H. Shantz, Minister
 Telephone Markham 268J
 Sunday, March 29
 MOUNT JOY
 10.00 a.m.—Sunday School
 11.00 a.m.—Morning Worship
 Thurs., 8 p.m.—Prayer Meeting
 DICKSON HILL
 10.00 a.m.—Morning Worship
 11.00 a.m.—Sunday School
 7.30 p.m.—Evangelistic
 Tues., 8 p.m.—Prayer Meeting

GOODWOOD BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. Arthur E. England
 Tel. 328W — Uxbridge
 Sunday, March 29
 2.00 p.m.—Sunday School
 3.00 p.m.—Worship
 Thursday, 8.15 p.m. — Prayer Meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Baldwin.

STOUFFVILLE BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. H. F. Branton, Pastor
 Wed., 8 p.m.—Prayer and Bible Study Service.
 Fri., 7 p.m.—Jr. Young People
 Fri., 8 p.m.—Sr. Young People
 Sunday, March 29
 10.00 a.m.—Bible School
 11.00 a.m.—"Relatives of Jesus Christ"
 7.30 p.m.—"Our Enemies, and How We Should Treat Them." The Sermon on the Mount, continued.
 Our annual church supper and business meeting will be held on Wednesday, April 8.

STOUFFVILLE UNITED CHURCH

Rev. Douglas Davis, Minister
 Sunday, March 29
 10.00 a.m.—Sunday School
 11.00 a.m.—Morning Worship
 Holy Communion
 7.30 p.m.—Evening Worship
 8.30 p.m.—Young People's
 Tues., 7 p.m.—Cubs
 Wed., 8 p.m.—Lenten Service
 Thurs., 4 p.m.—Explorers
 Thurs., 8 p.m.—Choir
 Thurs., April 2—The W.M.S. meet in the parlors.
 Good Friday Evening — The Choir will present the Easter Cantata entitled, "Life Eternal."

SECOND MARKHAM AND BAKER HILL BAPTIST CHURCHES

Rev. Norman Rowan, Pastor
 Sunday, March 29
 SECOND MARKHAM
 10.00 a.m.—Sunday School
 11.00 a.m.—Church Service conducted by Emmanuel Bible College Quartette with Mr. George Peck as speaker.
 Tues., 8 p.m.—Prayer Meeting at the church.
 BAKER HILL
 1.30 p.m.—Sunday School
 2.30 p.m. Church Service in charge of Mr. George Peck and Emmanuel Bible College Quartette.
 Thurs., 8 p.m.—Prayer Meeting at the home of Merlyn Baker.
 The whole duty of man!
 To love God with all our heart and our neighbour as ourselves.

STOUFFVILLE UNITED MISSIONARY CHURCH

Rev. F. G. Huson, Minister

Thurs., 8 p.m.—Prayer Service
 Sunday, March 29
 10.00 a.m.—Sunday School
 "Contest now on."
 11.00 a.m.—Worship
 Subject: "Christ's Conflict with Popularity and Cruelty"
 7.30 p.m.—Evangelistic
 Subject: "The Seven Last Sayings of Christ on the Cross"
 Mon., 8 p.m.—Young People's Coming Events
 Thurs., April 2nd, 8.30 p.m.—The Fort Wayne A Cappella Choir. This service will be held in the United Church; doors open at 8 p.m.
 April 5th—Community Sunrise Service at 7 a.m.
 April 6th—Faith Worker's Regional Rally
 April 19th — Christian Education Sunday students from Emmanuel Bible College will have charge of service.
 April 22-26th—Great Missionary Convention.
 April 21st — Sunday School Teachers Rally. Rev. L. Miller of Allentown, Penn.
 ALTONA SERVICES
 10.30 a.m.—Sunday School
 7.30 p.m.—Evangelistic
 Wed., 8 p.m.—Prayer Service at the home of Mr. Isaac Lehman.
 Thought for To-day
 The emptiest and most unhappy occupation in the world is that of trying to act like a Christian when you are not one. Religion is a lift and not a drag.