

Church Announcements

Christian Church
Harry W. Thompson, Pastor

Dr. Burt Mangold, Bible School superintendent.

Unified service beginning at 9:30 a. m.

Communion and sermon at 10:30 a. m.

Subject of the morning sermon, "The Survival of the Fittest."

At the evening service beginning at 7 p. m., Attorney Wilson of the Third Christian church of Indianapolis will deliver the address.

Thought for tomorrow, God's thoughts are not our thoughts, nor are God's ways our ways. It is perfectly possible for one to be a millionaire here and a pauper in the Kingdom of God. It is also possible to be rich both here and in the hereafter. The method is the same in both instances. SAVING. Have you got anything to your credit in Heaven?

You are welcome to worship with us. Come.

Baptist Bulletin

Prayer meeting at 9:10, a splendid way to bring a blessing to all the day. This is especially for the teachers but for all who wish to begin the day in prayer.

Sunday school promptly at 9:30, C. E. Bell, superintendent. A fine spirit and classes for all who come.

Morning worship at 10:30, subject of message, "Fire on the Altar."

B. Y. P. U. at six o'clock, Don Miller, leader.

Evening service of evangelism at seven. Subject of message, "A story of two sons." Who can guess who they are?

In the Wednesday evening prayer meeting each one is asked to bring some truth about the Holy Spirit. Praying for the Holy Spirit will be the subject of the evening thought.

O. E. Miller, Pastor.

Zion Ev. Lutheran Church

The third Sunday in Advent. Gospel: Matt. 11, 2-10. Epistle: I. Cor. 4, 1-5.

German service at 9:30.

English service at 10:30.

The Lord's Supper will be celebrated in both the services next Sunday.

Bible class Wednesday at 7:30 p. m.

"The poor have the Gospel preached to them."—Matt. 11, 5.

United Brethren Church
Cecil R. Smith, Minister
Phone 365

Bible school at 9:15. We are pleased with the interest being shown in our classes. Your attendance will help us to grow and we will help you to grow too, in the knowledge of the Word of God.

Morning worship at 10:30. Mr. L. E. York, of Indianapolis, will bring the morning message. He comes to us recommended as an able and interesting speaker and his message will be of vital importance to all. We urge our folks to come to this service.

Christian Endeavor at 6 p. m.

Evening worship at 7 p. m. Sermon by the pastor. Special music at both morning and evening services.

Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:15. We begin a new study of Personal Work in the Prayer Meeting services and all who are anxious to help win others for Christ are urged to come and bring, Bible, pen-

cil and notebook. The pastor will conduct the same for three weeks. We hope many of our people will avail themselves of this study. It will help you to help others.

TONIGHT—The Radio Program at the church. The Otterbein Home, our orphanage, near Cincinnati, Ohio, will broadcast a special program with their band, from Station WLW, Cincinnati (wave length 422.3) tonight at 8 p. m., central time. The Decatur Auto and Top Co., have installed one of their best sets in the church today and at noon it was working fine. This service will enable us to hear our Home band and also to spend a pleasant evening together. We will tune in on another program at 7:30 o'clock. Come early. It will be worth while and we can also report a good time to the Tome.

Zion Reformed Church
A. R. Fiedlerpohann, Pastor.

Many seek God only in time of trouble but their hearts are not prepared. To really find Him means that we must seek and know Him in prosperity. Attend your services on Sunday.

Sunday school at 9:15 with lessons that add to the program of a better lived life.

Morning worship service at 10:30 with an appropriate message for this season on the subject, "Prepare His Way."

Senior and Junior C. E. societies meet at the usual hour of 6:15. Let all the young people attend.

Evening service at 7 o'clock. These services have a Gospel note and it is for you to receive the benefit. Make the Lord's Day worth while by attending the services. Zion Reformed extends a cordial welcome.

The choir will meet at the usual hour of 7:00 tonight.

St. Mary's Church

First Mass—5:00.
Low Mass—7:30.
High Mass—9:45.
Christian Doctrine—2:00.
Prayer Hour and Benediction—2:30.

Church of God
E. A. Ball, Pastor

Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.

Preaching service, 10:30 a. m. The pastor will bring the message. Subject: "The Four-Square Christian."

Young Peoples meeting, 6:30 p. m.

Preaching service, 7:30 p. m. Lewis Reynolds will bring the message.

Prayer meeting, Wednesday, 7:30.

The First Methodist Church
Somerville Light, Pastor

These are days of special preparation for the Simultaneous Revival Campaign. If this church meets its full responsibility every member must manifest an interest and function in such a way as to bring to bear the full weight of personality and influence. This is a debt owed to his own church, the other churches of the city and the entire community life. With this in mind, let each member of the church make special effort to be in all the services December 13th. Bring notification cards with you and hand them to the pastor so that he may know the homes of all who need his attention. Opportunity to unite with the church will be given at the close of the Preaching Services.

Sunday School at 9:30 a. m. All

teachers should strive for 100 per cent attendance in their classes.

In the 10:45 o'clock service the pastor will be assisted by Attorney J. E. Martin, of Indianapolis, who will represent the Anti-Saloon League.

Evening Preaching at 7 o'clock.

Topic—"What Pastors and Churches have in hand."

Let us see what our job really is. Junior League at 2 p. m. Send the boys and girls in large numbers.

Senior League Service at 6 p. m. This is a Booster Chapter. Come and help.

Church Night Prayer Meeting—Wednesday night. The pastor will lead.

First Evangelical Church
Ralph W. Loose, Pastor

9:15—Bible School session, with the devotional morning service at 10:15. This service is for the whole school and all friends as well. We shall have a representative of the Anti-Saloon League, Dr. C. E. Line, of Indianapolis, with us, who will speak on the subject of "Prohibition Progress in the United States." Everyone will want to hear him. The Junior League meets at the church at 2:00 p. m. and at 6:15 the Intermediate and Senior Leagues will

meet. The Intermediate League leader is Miss Cleora Baker and the leader for the Senior League is Juanita Knodle. The young people all are invited to these services. At 7:00 p. m., the Annual Woman's Missionary Society Thank Offering Day program will be rendered by the Society. A missionary play, entitled "Jewels Reset," will be given. A silver offering also will be taken. All are invited. The mid-week Church-ette service at 7:15 Wednesday evening. The Ladies Aid will meet Thursday afternoon for monthly meeting. This will be the time for the annual election of officers. The Annual Christmas Program of this Church will be given by the young people on week from Sunday evening.

The Church of Jesus Christ is the most important factor in the preservation of our marvelous modern civilization. Every member of the church should give the Church their most loyal support. Are you? Every citizen should help her. Are you?

Presbyterian Church
B. N. Covert, Minister.

The Sunday services begin with the convening of the Children's Department of the Sunday School at 9:00

o'clock. At 9:30 the opening exercises of the Adult Department begin with Mr. Chas. Teeple in charge.

Tomorrow will be known in Decatur as Field Day of the Anti-Saloon League. This day is important to all the friends of prohibition in view of the fact that our citizens are being openly and individually solicited by the exponents of "wet" legislation. Dr. H. W. Baldrige, chief of the Speakers Bureau of the Anti-Saloon League will speak at the morning worship service at 10:30. Be intelligent on this question.

Christian Endeavor Society at 6 p. m. A good meeting assured. Miss Dorothy Haley is the leader.

Evening worship service at 7 p. m. The pastor has some pertinent things to say about the subject, "Why Are The Churches of Decatur So Inefficient?"

Wednesday evening, 7:15 — Mid-week service. Topic: "Preparation For Our Special Services."

This church will co-operate with others in this city in the simultaneous meetings to begin January 10th. The Rev. Howard Morgan, pastor of the Auburn Presbyterian church will be the special preacher. Every member

and friend of the church is invited to these services.

PORTER WILL IS PROBATED

Famous Adams Co., Writer Leaves Property In Indiana Valued at \$50,000

Fort Wayne, Dec. 12—Gene Stratton-Porter, famous author who died in Los Angeles, Cal., December 6, 1924, owned property in Indiana, most of which was in Allen county, valued at more than \$50,000, according to her will admitted to probate in circuit court here yesterday by Judge Sol A. Wood. Because of the large property holdings of the author in this state, it was necessary that the documents be probated here as well as at Los Angeles.

The property here represents both personal property and real estate, and, like the remainder of the estate, is left by the terms of the will to

her daughter, Jeannette Porter Meenan, of Los Angeles. Charles Darwin Porter, of Los Angeles, her husband, and the only other heir-at-law, is not named in the will. The executors are the daughter and James Sweetser Lawshe, of Los Angeles, who have filed a petition asking Judge Wood to convey property at 2415 Forest Park avenue to Clifton H. Lines, who has been purchasing the property for a consideration of \$8,137.50.

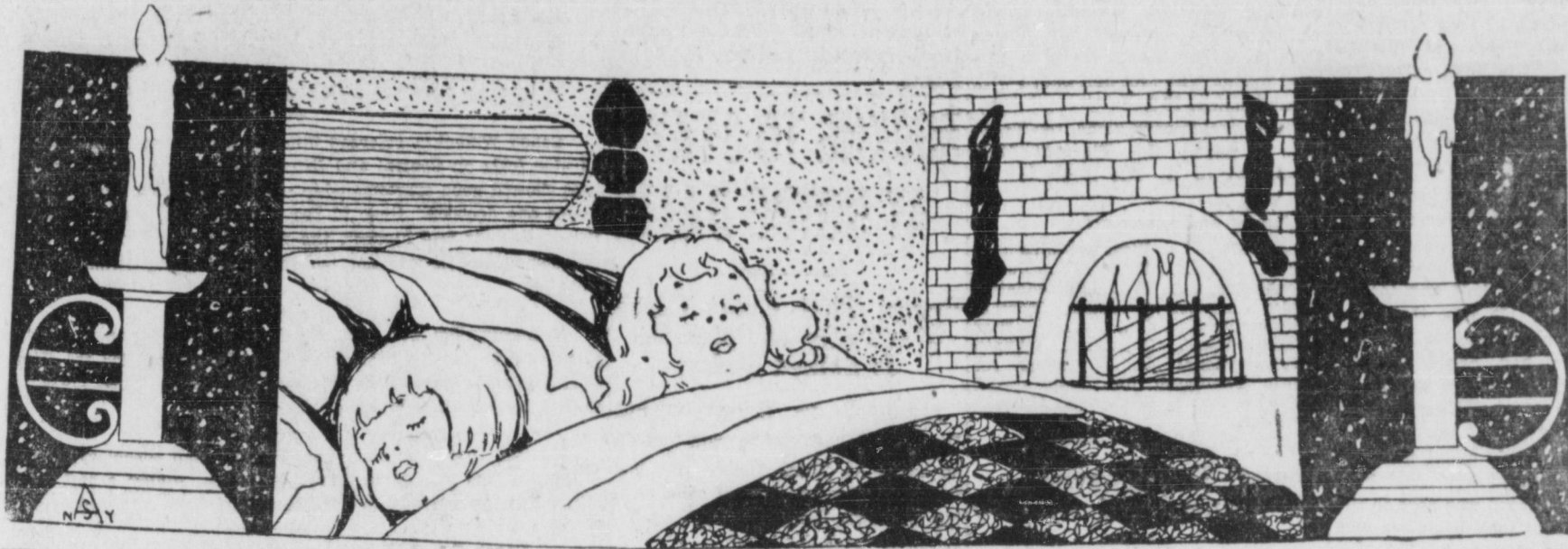
AMERICAN LEGION NOTICE

Adams Post of the American Legion will hold its annual election of officers next Monday evening. The meeting will be held in the Legion hall on Second street and all ex-service men are urged to attend.

S-M First Vice-commander.

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- Plan No. 4—Deposit \$1 Weekly for 50 Weeks, Receive \$50.00 plus int.
- Plan No. 5—Deposit \$2 Weekly for 50 Weeks, Receive \$100.00 plus int.
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