

RURAL CHURCHES

Pleasant Valley
Westfyan Methodist Church
Noel H. Winterholter, pastor

Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.
Morning worship, 10:30 a. m.
Prayer meeting, 7:30 p. m.
Prayer meeting Wednesdays, 8 p. m.

We are pleased to announce that Dr. F. R. Eddy will be speaking here Sunday morning, October 15 at 10:30. Dr. Eddy is president of the Wesleyan Methodist denomination with headquarters in Syracuse, New York. He will be here for this one service only.

Go to church Sunday. The church is your friend.

Willshire Circuit
U. B. Church
L. A. Middaugh, pastor

Willshire
9:30 a. m.—Sunday school.
10:30 a. m.—Class meeting.
7:00 p. m.—Prayer service.
7:30 p. m. Wednesday—Prayer meeting.

St. Paul
9:15 a. m.—Prayer service.
10:15 a. m.—Sunday school.
8:00 p. m. Tuesday—Bible study and prayer meeting.

Winchester
9:30 a. m.—Sunday school.
10:30 a. m.—The Missionary Union Gospel team will be in charge of the service. Come and enjoy this service. This group of workers is from Berne, Ind.

8:00 p. m. Thursday—Prayer meeting.

Monroe Friends
Byron Leaser, pastor

October is rally month. Three Sundays to go.

9:30-10:30 a. m.—Sunday school. Wm. Zurcher, superintendent.

10:30-11:30 a. m.—Morning worship. Special speaker, George Murray, Bible secretary of the Gideon Association.

7:30 p. m.—Evening service. Theme: "The Power of Prevailing Prayer."

Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.—Bible study, prayer and praise.

Friday, Oct. 13th—Victory prayer band at the home of Eva Brewster.

Monroe Methodist Church
E. O. Kegerreis, minister

Morning worship, 9:30 a. m. Ralph Neuenschwander, representative of the Gideons International, guest speaker.

Church school, 10:30 a. m. Lesson.

on, "The Christian View of Man." Methodist Youth Fellowship, 6:45 p. m.

Evening service, 7:30 p. m. Sermon, "The Discipline of Life."

Tuesday evening, 7:30 p. m.—Midweek prayer and Bible study. Acts, chapter 13. Choir rehearsal following.

Calvary Evangelical Church
F. H. Willard, minister

Homecoming day.
Sunday school, 9:30 a. m. James Darr, superintendent.
Morning worship, 10:40 a. m. The pastor preaching. Basket dinner at noon.

Afternoon service, 2 p. m. Rev. Carey R. Moser, of the Baptist church of Decatur will speak.

Pleasant Grove
Sunday school, 9:30 a. m. Warren Harden, superintendent.

Class meeting, 10:30 a. m. Fred Bittner, leader.
Worship service, 8 p. m. Sermon by the pastor.

Prayer meeting Wednesday evening, 8 p. m. Gregg Knittle, leader.

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Mt. Zion
Sunday school, 9:30 a. m. Jim Beabout, superintendent.

Class meeting, 10:30 a. m. Louise Bunner, leader.
U. B. C. E. service, 7:30 p. m. Aldean Beabout, president.

Prayer meeting Wednesday evening, 7:30 p. m.

Union Chapel Church
of the
United Brethren in Christ
Rev. D. H. Pellett, pastor

Sunday school, 9:30 a. m. Thurman Drew, superintendent.
Morning worship, 10:15 a. m. Subject, "The Victory of Faith."

Christian Endeavor, 6:15 p. m. Miss Veda Williamson, president.
Evening worship, 7:30 p. m. Subject, "Greatness."

Prayer meeting Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.

LOCALS

Mrs. Herbert Stoner of Chicago and Mrs. James Edwards of Leipsic, Ohio are visiting their sister, Mrs. A. D. Sattler here this week.

Mrs. Eliza Green, 87, died at her home in Ossian yesterday after a long illness. Funeral services will be held Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Methodist church there.

Robert Bushee, of Ossian, Democratic candidate for congressman.

New Pastor



Rev. Erich B. Allwardt will be installed as pastor of the Immanuel Lutheran church, northeast of Decatur, at a special service Sunday evening at 7 o'clock.

Mrs. Allwardt is the former Miss Olga Grapatin, graduate of St. John's parish school and of Collingwood high school, in Cleveland.

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The family has resided in Fort Wayne.

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RED FORCES IN

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asia was reported in the border area east of Tilsit and jammed against the frontier at three other points to the north and south.

The Red armies of Gen. Ivan C. Bagration and Gen. Ivan D. Chelnakhovsky were hammering the border itself below Memel, west of Kaunas, and south of the Kaunas-Kolgsberg railroad.

Squads of 30 to 50 German tanks led the counterblows by three infantry and one Panzer divisions which failed to stem the Soviet advance. The Nazis finally threw 160 tanks and self-propelled guns into a climactic thrust, but lost 50 machines and then fell back to the frontier.

The government newspaper Izvestia said the Russians were nearing the border in the Tilsit sector along a broad front. The roads were jammed with Soviet supply columns carrying a tremendous supply of shells for the guns which

were bombarding Tilsit and other East Prussian strong points.

ARTILLERY AND
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had been broadened to four miles and had carried forward nearly a mile west of Venlo and southeast of Overloon.

The advance put the British forces within two miles of the strategic communications hub of Venrain. Opposition was described as "not too heavy" but the advance was slowed by forest tangles, soggy marshes and mine fields.

A front report said the Germans apparently had given up any thought of cutting off the tip of the Nijmegen salient and there was evidence of a movement southward toward Aachen.

The Canadian 1st army advanced more than a mile south of the Schelde estuary and reached Savoyardspaat.

TOKYO REPORTS
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many days by carrier planes of Admiral William F. Halsey's third fleet on the enemy's defenses guarding the southern approaches to Japan proper, and the deepest thrust yet toward the China coast.

Mitscher's carriers opened the series of raids Monday with a heavy assault on the Ryukyu islands, which form a chain from Japan's home island of Kyushu to near the northern tip of Formosa.

On Tuesday, "large" forces of carrier planes attacked Luzon, principal island of the Philippines, but Admiral Chester W. Nimitz, in announcing the Formosa raid this morning, still had no details of the Luzon attack.

Nimitz, in announcing the raid, merely mentioned that the carrier planes attacked enemy airbases and installations on Luzon, and explained that "detailed re-

ports of the damage inflicted not yet available."

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What It Does . .

Uniting in one drive the pleas of 19 relief and rehabilitation agencies plus OUR OWN HOME COMMUNITY CHEST, it is the most practical way of giving constructive and needed aid to those whom war has hit hardest.

Who Benefits . .

All U. S. servicemen, merchant marines, war prisoners, people in all Allied countries needing clothing, food, seeds, medicine and various other items. Our own Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts, Salvation Army, and other agencies.

Drive Opens Monday, October 16

★ GIVE GENEROUSLY ★

In order that the Citizens of Decatur and Adams County may have a clear picture of the budget, we submit the following figures necessary to be raised.

NATIONAL WAR FUND

ADAMS COUNTY WAR FUND	
Decatur	\$7,918.00
Berne	2,131.15
Geneva	966.00
Monroe	405.00
Pleasant Mills	75.00
Preble	100.00
TOTAL	\$11,595.15



DECATUR COMMUNITY FUND	
Share of War Fund	\$7,918.00
Boy Scouts	1,065.00
Girl Scouts	574.50
Salvation Army	1,000.00
Other Activities	1,500.00
Operating Expenses	500.00
Reserve for Contingencies	3,000.00
TOTAL	\$15,557.50

Be Ready With Your Donation When The Solicitor Calls

Decatur Community Fund, Inc.

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Edgewater
Park
Celina, O.

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Revival Meeting
Now Going On Through
Oct. 15th
RALLY — 9:30 Sunday Morning, Oct. 15th

FAMILY DAY—Each Family bring a family. We need you to Help us Reach the Goal.
Old Fashioned Revival Service.
Good Congregational Singing.
Special Music.

Church of the Nazarene
Marshall & North 7th St.
Decatur, Ind.
RALLY—OCTOBER—RALLY

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