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Dr. F. B. Meyer says: "This question was answered for me once, in a very dark night we were entering Holyhead harbor. I asked the captain how he went about finding the narrow entrance to the harbor at night. He said to me, See yonder three lights? When these are in line, I am in the right channel. So it is with the will of God. When the Word of God, the impulse of the Holy Spirit in my heart, and the outward circumstances are in harmony, then I am convinced that I am acting in accordance with the will of God."

#### Lesson Prayer

Lesson prayer: "We are grateful that when a slave to sin and selfishness, in Christ we have been delivered and given a real freedom, a freedom to give expression to every Christian duty, a freedom that lifts the soul above the bickerings and dissensions of this world. Grant that every step we may be in the walk with Christ."

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# COME TO CHURCH

## Creamed Comments On The Sunday School Lesson

### CHURCHES

Creamed Comments on the Sunday School Lesson, Paul Champions Freedom and Brotherhood, Acts 15:1-35; Galatians 5:13-18, for Sunday, November 3.

The transition from Judaism to Christianity means changes in loyalties; emphasis from salvation by rites and ceremonies was to be transferred to simple faith in Christ. Paul had to champion this new emphasis which was sanctioned by the Jerusalem church.

V.13. "For, brethren, ye have been called unto liberty; but use not liberty for an occasion to the flesh, but by love serve one another." True Christian liberty is a freedom from all the burdensome rites and ceremonies of the Mosaic law; but this liberty is not to be used as a license to do as one pleases. For one may use freedom for an occasion of the flesh and work selfishness and sins as enumerated in verses 19-21.

V.14. "For all the law is fulfilled in one word, even in this: Thou shalt love thy neighbor as thyself." The Old Testament law of rites and ceremonies is superseded by the New Testament law of love.

V.15. "But if ye bite and devour one another, take heed that ye be not consumed by one another." Lives that are not under the control of the Christian spirit are likely to indulge in disputes. True love produces tolerance.

V.16. "This I say, Walk in the Spirit, and ye shall not fulfill the lust of the flesh." To be fully engaged in expressing the Christian spirit eliminates evil; a life well lived does not lose its energy in fighting evils so much as to make prominent the better way of living.

V.17. "For the flesh lusteth against the Spirit, and the Spirit against the flesh; and these are contrary the one to the other: so that ye can do the things that you would." When one's time and energy is taken by mental and moral combats, there is less time for positive living.

V.18. "But if ye led of the Spirit, ye are not under the law." Keeping close company with God by his Spirit releases one from the bondage of the law.

V.28. "For it seemed good to the Holy Ghost, and to us, to lay upon

#### St. Mary's Church

Very Rev. Msgr. Selmetz, pastor

6:00 ..... Low Mass

7:30 ..... Low Mass

9:00 ..... Children's Mass

10:15 ..... High Mass

2:30 to 3:30 Holy Hour, Sunday

Afternoon.

Communion Sunday for St. Agnes

Sodality.

Wednesday, 4:15 p.m. Westminster choir.

7:30 p.m. mid-week worship.

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Friday, 8:00 p.m. parent's study club. Meets in the manse. Study book: "Opening the Door for God" by Herman J. Sweet.

Midweek service Wednesday 7:00 p.m.

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Choir rehearsal Wednesday 8:00 p.m.

Church of God

Cleveland St.,

Dwight R. McCurdy, pastor

Bernice A. McCurdy, pastora

Building Fund Sunday

9:00 a.m. morning worship, sermon "Choose Ye Christ."

10:30 a.m. Sunday school, Glenn Smith and Emery A. Hawkins, superintendents.

Church school at 9:30 o'clock.

Classes and competent teachers for all. Very spirited and helpful discussions take place in the adult classes.

Mrs. G. L. Brayton with her assistants conduct the Junior church. Mrs. Brayton is most capable leader. Children are well cared for and taught while parents are in the public worship service.

There will be no evening service.

The sermon subject Sunday morning will be, "The Task Golden." This is a service seeking to honor our leaders of church progress through the ages. We have a great indebtedness to the daring lives of our exponents of Christian truth.

First Baptist Church

Carey R. Moser, pastor

9:25 a.m. Sunday school. C. E. Bell, supl.

You are welcome to enjoy the blessings of God's Word with the many others in our growing school.

7:30 p.m. evangelistic service, sermon by Rev. Thelma F. Quinn, of New Albany, Ind.

7:30 p.m. Wednesday, mid-week prayer meeting.

7:30 p.m. Thursday, youth fellowship, at Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Mitchell.

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For the truth which makes men free.

For the bond of Unity which makes God's children one.

For the love which shines in deeds.

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Zion Lutheran Church

Monroe and Eleventh Sts.

Paul W. Schultz, pastor

Sunday school and Bible class,

9:00 a.m.

Divine services, 10:00 a.m.

The Lutheran hour, 11:30 a.m.

Circuit meeting, Trinity, 2:00 p.m.

Church choir, Monday, 8:00 p.m.

Adult class, postponed.

Saturday catechism school, 8:45 a.m.

Hard to Get By

A fellow has to be a contortionist to get by these days. First he has to keep his back to the wall and his ear to the ground. Then he must put his shoulder to the wheel, his nose to the grindstone, keep a level head and have both feet on the ground.

What are the changes to be expected in a Christian convert?

What are the best ways of fighting evils?

What way does the freedom of one not a Christian?

Cleric says: "Freedom is not the right to do whatever one wants to do. Freedom in its true sense means freedom from selfishness and sin which keeps us from doing the things we ought to do. Duty is not destroyed by liberty. Christianity causes freedom to do everything that is right."

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dent. Mrs. W. A. Lower, superintendent of children's department.

10:30 a.m. morning worship. Sermon: "The Spirit of the Lord." Mrs. David Downs will be in charge of the Toddler's Room.

6:15 a.m. Sunday school, Curtis Hill, supt. Classes with separate rooms and capable teachers for all ages. Urge your friends, guests and neighbors to attend. All are welcome.

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