



The Sunday School Times marked its 100th anniversary with the January number.

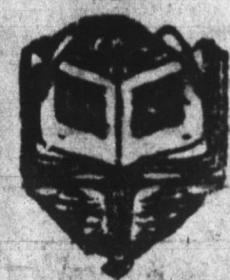
The number of establishments in the United States licensed to sell beer, wine, or liquor, exceed by more than 131,000 the total of all churches, synagogues, and other places of religious worship.

A postage stamp issued in Greenland honors the Christian missionary from whom the country's entire modern history is dated. Bishop Hans Egede of Norway led the settlement of Greenland starting in 1721.

Bishop Gerald H. Kennedy of Los Angeles went to Africa recently looking into farm machinery used there. He is one of five incorporators of "Agricultural Aids Foundation" organized by Methodist layman, Keith Smith. Long Beach, Calif., to buy and ship new types of simple farm machinery to underprivileged countries.

James D. Kellbach, United States ambassador to Italy, was given the World Brotherhood Gold Award of the National Conference of Christians and Jews for "promoting good will and understanding among all the peoples of the world."

According to Dr. Isidore Margolis of New York, executive director of the National Council of Torah Education, enrollment in the Jewish Day-school systems in the



COME TO CHURCH



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Discussion on Questions S.S. Lesson

1. What seemed to be Pilate's purpose in having the people choose between Jesus and Barabbas?
2. When is silence the best answer?
3. What was Pilate's basic weakness?
4. What constitutes the power and danger of a crowd?
5. In what ways do we seek to evade our responsibilities today?

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

221 South Fourth Street

Stuart H. Brightwell, Pastor

9:15 a.m. Sunday School Hour. John Mays, Supt. We have a graded school with a class for every age.

10:30 a.m. Morning Worship Service. The pastor's message is entitled, "The Stewardship of Prayer." The church choir will sing "A Song of Praise" (arranged by Rasley). Mrs. Stuart Brightwell is choir director. Mrs. Eugene Lehman is organist.

6:30 p.m. Baptist Youth Fellowship.

7:30 p.m. Evening Gospel Hour. "The Faltering Heart" is the sermon topic. Miss Jane Bedford is organist.

— Church Calendar —

6:15 p.m. Junior Choir rehearsal.

7:00 p.m. Midweek Hour of Prayer.

8:00 p.m. Church choir rehearsal.

Thursday —

4:00 p.m. Church Membership class in the pastor's study.

7:30 p.m. Women's Missionary Society will meet in the church.

Friday —

6:30 p.m. Men's meeting for all Presbyterians. Robert Chappius will be the speaker.

8:00 p.m. The trustees will meet.

Wednesday —

6:00 p.m. The Westminster choir will meet.

7:00 p.m. The Chancel choir will meet.

8:00 p.m. The Ruth Circle will meet with Mrs. Bert Townsend Jr.

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Thursday —

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Mercer Avenue at Five Points
Harold J. Bond, Minister
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10:30 a.m. Morning Worship. The pastor will speak on the theme, "Give us Daily Bread" in the series of sermons on the Lord's Prayer. Organ selections played by Mrs. Haubold include, "Christ Weeps over Jerusalem" by Sergisson, "A Lenten Song" by Demorest and "March from Athalie" by Mendelssohn. The chancel choir will sing under the direction of Mrs. Cline Reed.

An offering for the One Great Hour of Sharing for the refugees of the world will be received.

4:30 p.m. The Junior Youth Fellowship will meet. Mrs. Wayne Schnepp is the leader.

6:00 p.m. Family Night Lenten supper and service.

6:05 We Eat.
6:40 We Sing.
6:45 Devotional service by the Westminster Youth Fellowship.

7:00 p.m. The Session committee, on Social Education and Action will report. Robert Flora is chairman.

7:20 p.m. "What We Believe" The Pastor:

— As Christians
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