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**THE FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**  
221 South Fourth Street  
Stuart H. Brightwell, pastor  
9:15 a. m. Sunday School Hour.  
Waldo Salway, Supt. We have a  
graded school with consecrated  
teachers. There is a class for  
every age.  
10:30 a. m. Morning Worship  
Service. "Keep Religion Spiritual"  
is the sermon topic. The church  
choir will sing, "Lord, with Glor-  
ious Heart" (Peery). Mrs. Stuart  
Brightwell is choir director. Mrs.  
Eugene Lehman is organist.  
2:00 p. m. Service at the Adams  
County Home.  
6:30 p. m. Baptist Youth Fellow-  
ship. John Bedwell, president.  
7:30 p. m. Evening Gospel Hour.  
The sermon is entitled, "Without  
Fruit."  
8:30 p. m. BYF Singspiration at  
the parsonage.

**Church Calendar**  
Monday, 7:30 p. m. Men's Bro-  
therhood will meet at the church.  
Tuesday, 7:30 p. m. Leadership  
Education school will open for our  
teachers and assistant teachers.  
Wednesday —  
6:15 p. m. Junior choir rehearsal.  
7:00 p. m. Midweek Hour of  
Prayer.  
8:00 p. m. Church choir will  
practice.  
The services of our church are  
open to the public. You are in-  
vited to visit our worship services.



**Aids to Successful Living**  
If you are criticized, you must  
have done something worthwhile;  
keep on!  
If your neighbor drives a better  
car than you do, that makes your  
old car no worse, and who knows  
... maybe he has a bigger  
mortgage than you do, too!  
If somebody calls you a fool, go  
into a huddle with yourself ... he  
may have something there!  
If your competitor gets business  
by unfair means, don't worry; he  
can't keep it that way.  
If the newspapers misquote you,  
think how much worse it would  
have been had they quoted correct-  
ly.  
If you don't get everything you  
want, think of how many things  
you didn't get that you didn't  
want! That's all good ... it con-  
serves space.  
If the world laughs at you, laugh  
back ... they're as funny as you  
are.  
If you have tried something and  
failed, just think how much better  
it is than not to have tried and  
succeeded.  
So ... keep your chin up and  
your eyes on the stars; they're al-  
ways shining somewhere.

**Discussion on**  
**Questions & S.S.**  
**Lesson**

1. How would you define conver-  
sion? Does it come about by way  
of the mind or by the way of the  
heart?  
2. How do you account for the  
fact that Paul and Silas sang  
hymns while shackled in their  
prison cells?  
3. What kind of salvation was  
the Philippian jailer seeking and  
what sort of salvation did Paul  
offer?  
4. What were Lydia's outstand-  
ing characteristics?  
5. What examples can you cite of  
the power of the Christian gospel  
to change lives today?

**FIRST CHRISTIAN**  
2nd and Jefferson Streets  
Edward Facha, minister  
Morning worship and commun-  
ion, 9:30 a. m.  
Church school, 10:30 a. m.  
Lydia-Ruth and Priscilla circles,  
Wednesday evening.

Last week, someone asked me  
why did we preachers feel that it  
was so important for people to go  
to church. He pointed out that a  
well-to-do business man, he knew  
had not set his foot inside a church  
at any time in his life and yet he  
was doing well in business and had  
not been sick to any great degree.  
Now to say that the sun shines  
on the just and the unjust alike  
would have been fine, but let's  
try this on for size. When I was  
just a little tot, I had to go to bed  
no later than 8 p. m. Some times  
I would miss out on a lot of fun,  
and it gave me cause to wonder.  
You see, I knew that John, my  
friend next door, was staying up  
as late as he liked. I had to eat  
what my folks thought was best  
for me, while John ate what he  
liked. Now, I often felt that John  
was doing much better than I and  
I wondered why my folks felt that  
it was best that I go to bed early  
and eat a balanced diet. John never  
did and he got along fine, I  
would tell my folks.  
When John was 17 years old he  
contracted T.B. and died. The doc-  
tors said that his body was worn  
down from lack of rest and im-  
proper food that he could not fight  
the T.B. germs.  
God Bless You.

**CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
12th and Washington Streets  
William C. Dunshee, minister  
"Let the word of Christ dwell in  
you richly in all wisdom; teaching  
and admonishing one another in  
psalms and hymns and spiritual  
songs, singing with grace in your  
hearts to the Lord." (Colossians  
3:16)  
9:30 a. m., hour of worship. Do  
you want to be a success in life?  
Then come and hear: "Paul's Key  
to Success."  
10:30 a. m., Bible school. Well-  
taught classes for all ages.  
7 p. m., Open Bible hour. The  
minister is beginning a series of  
messages called, "Timeless Prob-  
lems of the Church," based upon  
1 Corinthians. Bring your friends  
and your Bibles for this study.  
Monday, 7:30 p. m., area men's  
meeting to be held at Markle. Let's  
take a large delegation from our  
church!  
Wednesday, 7 p. m., mid-week  
Bible study. Next week we will  
complete our study of the book of  
Hebrews.

**ASSEMBLY OF GOD**  
1210 Elm Street  
George Varian, pastor  
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. Sunday  
school is an important factor in the  
teaching of the Word of God in  
your life, do not neglect it. Sunday  
has been abused by staying away  
from church, don't let this happen  
to you. Plan now to be present with  
your whole family tomorrow morn-  
ing.  
Morning worship, 10:30 a. m. Ser-  
mon by the pastor, "The End  
Time."  
Evening service, 7:45 p. m., ser-  
mon by the pastor.  
Wednesday, 7:45 p. m., prayer  
and Bible study.  
Choir rehearsal Saturday, 1  
a. m.  
Saturday, 7-8 p. m., prayer meet-  
ing for the praying people.  
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denominations can come together  
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7:15 a. m.  
8:30 a. m.  
9:45 a. m. (High mass)  
11:00 a. m.  
**Weekday Masses**  
School days: 6 a. m., 8:15 a. m.  
and 11 a. m.  
Non-school days: 6 a. m., 7  
a. m. and 8:15 a. m.

**TRINITY EVANGELICAL**  
**UNITED BRETHREN CHURCH**  
J. O. Fenrod, Minister  
J. Lord's Day activities will  
begin at 9 o'clock with the meet-  
ing of the Sunday Church School.  
Max Gilpin is superintendent.

Morning Worship will begin at 10  
o'clock. The pastor's message will  
be "God's Message to His People."  
The Chancel choir under the direc-  
tion of Mr. Walter Henkel will  
sing, "Pray When the Morn Is  
Breaking," by Price. Organist Kay  
Wynn has chosen the following  
selections: "Marche Religioso" by  
Gounod; "Root and Leaves" by  
Williams; and "Postlude" by De-  
Monte. Recognition will be given  
to the Primary department boys  
and girls and their teachers who  
will be sitting together for the  
Morning Worship.

The nominating committee will  
meet immediately following the  
Morning Worship service.  
The Memorial Service for Mrs.  
Fannie Hitchcock will be held in  
the church sanctuary on Sunday  
afternoon at 1:30 p. m.  
The Decatur Group youth rally  
will be held at Berne Sunday after-  
noon at 3 o'clock. Trinity youth  
will meet at the church at 2:30  
p. m. to pick up their transporta-  
tion.

The Sunday evening worship  
service will be held at 7 o'clock  
in the fellowship hall. In this ser-  
vice, Rev. Marshall Chambers,  
conference superintendent, will  
lead the parish analysis and hold  
a local conference.

The boys and girls fellowship  
will meet Sunday evening at 7 o'clock  
in their departments.  
The music committee of Bd of  
Christian Education will meet  
Sunday at 8:30 p. m.

The Senior-Hi Fellowship com-  
mission will hold a meeting Mon-  
day afternoon in the fellowship  
hall at 3:30 p. m.  
The Boy Scout troop 65 will meet  
Monday evening at 6:30 p. m.  
The sixth grade catechetical  
class will meet Wednesday eve-  
ning at 4 p. m.  
The seventh grade catechetical  
class will meet Wednesday eve-  
ning at 6 p. m.  
Mid-week worship service will  
be held Wednesday evening at 7  
p. m.  
Boys and Girls Fellowship will  
meet Wednesday at 7 p. m.  
The youth and junior choir re-  
hearsal will be Wednesday eve-  
ning at 7 p. m.

The chancel choir rehearsal will  
be Wednesday evening at 8 p. m.

**CHURCH OF GOD**  
628 Cleveland Street  
Huston Bever, Jr., pastor  
8:30 a. m., "The Christian Broth-  
erhood Hour," over WKJG. Dr.  
Dale Oldham will again challenge  
us by his message.  
9:30 a. m., morning worship. We  
are enjoying a wonderful spirit of  
enthusiasm that has been gaining  
momentum since the beginning of  
our building campaign. We are  
anxious to share this spirit and  
blessing with you, our friends. Be  
with us as we come to worship  
this Sunday.  
10:40 a. m., Sunday school. This  
is a part of the church's program  
that every one can actively partic-  
ipate, not only taking something  
but giving something.  
7:30 p. m., rally — We want all  
our friends to be sure to attend  
this service at the church. We will  
be challenged and inspired by our  
campaign director, Mr. Ralph  
Phile. This will be the first time  
for most of the church to meet  
Phile who will remain through the  
rest of the campaign.  
Wednesday, 7:30 p. m., Phile will  
be in charge of this service.  
Saturday, 6 p. m., fellowship din-  
ner to be held in the Community  
Center. Our members and friends  
will be our guests.

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F. Hazen Sparks, minister  
9:30 a. m., church school. Fred  
Soldner, superintendent, will be in  
charge of our church school, where  
classes are provided for each  
member of your family. Supervised  
nursery and kindergarten classes  
are available for the pre-school  
children and a Lullaby room for  
infants. Bring your family and  
come to the church school where  
you will find a warm welcome.  
10:20 a. m., divine worship. Rev.  
Sparks will preach this Sunday  
morning on the subject: "Christian  
Experience." The senior choir un-  
der the direction of Don Gerig will  
sing, "Blessed Is the Man" by  
Jones. Mrs. Edgar Gerber will  
play the following organ selections:  
"Lyons" by Ashford; "Evening  
Song" by Schumann and "Post-  
lude" by Calver.

Sunday afternoon at 2 p. m., the  
program "Talk Back" will be pre-  
sented over WANE, Channel 15.  
You will enjoy this program.

Sunday, 5:30 p. m., the senior  
youth fellowship will meet in the  
lecture room. A film strip will be  
shown titled "The meaning of En-  
gagement." Mrs. Robert Rice will  
be the leader for the evening. Miss  
Jackie Chew will lead in the Pray-  
er Time. Donna Dedolph and Le-  
Mar Taylor will be in charge of  
the recreation and Suetta Johnson  
and Sidney Beery will take care  
of the refreshments. Guides of the  
Way are Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Az-  
bell.

Also at 5:30 p. m., the Intermedi-  
ate youth fellowship will meet in  
the recreation room with their  
sponsors, Mr. and Mrs. Charles  
Stonestreet.

At 7:30 p. m., in the chapel, the  
third in the school of missions will  
be held and the topic for this Sun-  
day evening is "The Church at  
Work in the Congo." This will be  
both an inspirational and informa-  
tive program and you are urged to  
be present.

Monday, 7 p. m., the members of  
the nominating committee will  
meet in the church office.

Wednesday, 7 p. m., the prayer  
service will be held in the chapel  
and at the same hour the senior  
choir will rehearse in the sanctu-  
ary. All members of the choir are  
urged to be present and to be  
prompt. Rehearsals have begun for  
our Palm Sunday program.

At 8 p. m., Wednesday, in the  
lounge, an important meeting of  
the Guides of the Way will be held.  
All are urged to be present.

**UNITED BRETHREN IN CHRIST**  
Nuttman Ave.

Wayne A. Smith, Minister  
Sunday School—9:30 a. m. Law-  
rence Michels, Supt. Sunday  
school for all ages, including a  
nursery. The lesson for this Sun-  
day: "The Gospel vs. Legalism."  
A man is not justified by the  
works of the law but by the faith  
of Jesus Christ. Gal. 2:16.

The Fort Wayne Bible College  
quartet will be with us for the en-  
tire day of services.  
Morning Worship—10:30 a. m. The  
College Quartet will be bring-  
ing special music along with the  
rest of the Worship service, which  
will be followed by the pastor's  
message.

Christian Endeavor—7:00 p. m.  
Topic: "Gifts—Use Them or Lose  
Them."

Evening Evangelistic service—  
7:30 p. m. Inspirational song ser-  
vice led by our song evangelist  
Mrs. Harriet Dellinger, also, spe-  
cial music by the Fort Wayne  
Bible College Quartet. Evange-  
listic message by the pastor.

There will be a pot-luck dinner  
served in the basement of the  
parsonage Sunday at noon. This  
will be for the purpose of enter-  
taining our guests: the College  
Quartet.

Sat. eve., Jan. 16th. We have  
planned a Singspiration with spe-  
cial music from the surrounding  
United Brethren churches in the  
conference. Mel Early from Day-  
ton, Ohio and his piano accompan-  
ist, Duane Seiple, of Rockrod, O.,  
will have charge of this service.  
Everyone is welcome.

Wed. Eve. The "Hour of Power"  
our mid-week prayer service, at  
7:30.

Thurs. Eve., 7:30, the WMA will  
meet at the home of Mrs. Clara  
Dague.

"Seek the Lord while he may be  
found, call upon him while he is  
near." Isa. 55:6.

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throw your tongue into high gear  
before you get your brain going.

**ZION**  
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Church school at 9 a. m. Lauree  
Meyer, assistant superintendent,  
will be in charge. We invite you  
to bring your entire family for the  
study of interesting lessons based  
on God's Word. There are classes  
for all ages.

Divine worship at 10 a. m. Ser-  
mon by the pastor: "Our Hope  
of Security." The youth choir will  
sing, "Lord, I want to be a Chris-  
tian," a spiritual. We invite to this  
service all members and friends  
of the church, and especially ex-  
tend an invitation to those without  
a church home in this community  
to worship with us. Visitors are  
always welcome.

Youth fellowship at 5:30 p. m. Dr.  
Arthur Gird will tell something  
of his experiences on Okinawa.  
Devotions will be given by Joyce  
Daniels. The supper will be spon-  
sored by Mrs. Ray Fager and Mrs.  
Wm. Feller.

Youth choir rehearsal Wednes-  
day, 6:30 p. m.

Senior choir rehearsal, Wednes-  
day, 7:15 p. m.  
Catechetical classes Saturday  
morning: seniors at 9, juniors at  
10 a. m.

Come and worship with us.

**ZION LUTHERAN**  
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R. C. Ludwig, pastor

8 a. m., the early worship hour.  
9:15 a. m., Sunday Bible school  
for all ages.

10:30 a. m., the late worship hour.  
The sermon will be entitled,  
"The Home at Cana." In the se-  
cond service, the men's choir will  
sing, "When I, Lord, Thy Might  
Behold."

Monday, the Circuit "A" pasto-  
ral conference will meet at Fried-  
heim at 1:30 p. m.

Wednesday, the school devotion-  
al will begin at 8:20 a. m., the choir  
will practice at 7 p. m., and the  
Emmaus guild will meet at 8 p. m.

The Needle club will meet Thurs-  
day, beginning at 10 a. m. In the  
evening, at 7:30 o'clock, the Cub  
Scout committee will have a meet-  
ing. The Cub Scout pack meeting  
has been postponed until Jan. 29th.

Saturday school will begin at 9:15  
a. m.

Next Sunday, the Walther league  
will come together at 6 p. m.

Next Monday, Jan. 25, will bring  
the chapel choir of Valparaiso uni-  
versity to Zion for a sacred con-  
cert, beginning at 8 p. m. The choir  
is under the direction of Dr. M.  
Alfred Biehse.

**BETHANY**  
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Benj. G. Thomas, minister  
9 a. m., Sunday school. Maurice  
Teepie, superintendent. Extended  
session for children.

10 a. m., divine worship. The an-  
them: "The Garden of Prayer."  
The sermon: "The Tempered  
Wind."

3:5 p. m., E.U.B. youth rally at  
Berne. Meet at the church at 2:30  
p. m. for going down together. Open  
to both senior and junior high  
youth.

Tuesday, 7:30 p. m., the Kum  
Join Us class at the church. 7:30  
p. m., the Loyal Daughters at home  
of Mrs. George Hamma.

Wednesday, 7 p. m., youth choir  
for grades 6, 7, 8, 8 p. m., adult  
choir rehearsal. 7 p. m., prayer and  
Bible study.

Thursday, 10 a. m., annual study  
book day by the W.S.W.S. Lunch  
will be served by Unit 3 and the  
devotions are in charge of Unit 4.  
Mrs. Benj. G. Thomas will review  
"The Bible and Our Social Respon-  
sibility."

Saturday, 9 a. m., Catechetical  
class.

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filled with a sense of mystery and  
fear. Governments may waver and  
eventually fall; kingdoms may tot-  
ter and crowns fall from the heads  
of monarchs, but the Word of God  
liveth and abideth forever. The  
children of God may rest securely  
on the eternal verities of the Bible  
because, in this hour of shifting  
political situations, the only found-

ation upon which to stand is the

Word of God. In a day of restless-

ness, the Word of God is like a be-

acon set by a Divine hand to guide

the storm-tossed into the haven of

rest. The only enduring way to

have peace is upon the Rock of God.

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God, and, in the house of God, we

can find an antidote to our restless-

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