



MAYOR BUYS FIRST POPPY—Mayor Donald F. Gage is pictured buying the first Buddy Poppy from little Miss Susan Eaton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Don Wefel. Buddy Poppies are being sold today and Saturday by the Veterans of Foreign Wars.

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Small Twister Strikes Albany Last Evening

United Press International
The Weather Bureau issued an advisory today saying "possibly locally severe" thunderstorms might occur throughout Indiana this afternoon and tonight.

The advisory came a few hours after storms Thursday night touched off a small twister near Albany and a lightning bolt which set off a fire that destroyed an Anderson industrial plant.

The shower activity was expected to end Saturday morning, with slightly cooler temperatures, and Sunday was scheduled to be "sunny and pleasant."

The storms spread rainfall ranging from one-fourth of an inch to an inch or more over most sections of the state.

At Albany, a Delaware County town near Muncie, \$5,000 damage was caused when a storm described as a small tornado whirled through the Leo Lowe farm, smashing a garage containing two cars and damaging a chicken house. It dipped again at the Meridith-Myers farm half a mile away where a farm building was damaged, and four trees were uprooted on a third farm nearby.

At Anderson, a bolt set fire to the Hoosier Sash and Door Co. plant and destroyed the structure with a loss unofficially estimated at \$100,000 to \$200,000.

Rainfall around the state included .25 of an inch at South Bend, .46 at Fort Wayne, .57 at Evansville, .61 at Indianapolis and .66 at Lafayette.

The atmosphere became quite humid Thursday as temperatures mounted to highs ranging from 68 at South Bend and Fort Wayne to 82 at Evansville, and a hot 90 at Louisville.

After highs ranging from 75 to 86 today, a cool-off was due tonight with the mercury dropping to a range of 53 to 63 and precipitation activity ending.

Saturday highs will range from 63 to 73. The outlook for Sunday was generally fair with moderate temperatures.

The five-day outlook called for temperatures to average near normal highs of 70 to 80 and normal lows of 50 to 62, and precipitation totaling around an inch in showers and thunderstorms tonight and in the south early Saturday, and showers and thunderstorms again about Monday or Tuesday.

Suzanne was rushed to Dominican Hospital here, where surgeons removed the leg during a four-hour operation. Hospital officials reported she was in fair condition, suffering from shock and loss of blood.

From the beginning of 1948 to the beginning of 1959, civilian hospital beds increased 30 per cent, while the population rose 20 per cent, according to Health Insurance Institute.

For the first time in many years, forests in the United States are growing more wood than is being removed by harvest or lost to fire, insects and disease.

The broad, shallow root systems of the saguaro cactus may absorb a ton of water after rain falls, according to the National Geographic Society. The moisture is stored in the plant's sponge-like tissue.

Business meeting Saturday evening, May 21, at 7:00 P. M.

ST. LUKE EVANGELICAL AND REFORMED CHURCH
Honduras
L. C. Minsterman, Minister
9:00 Church service, Rural Life Sunday, Sermon: "The Earth is the Lord's" with "Ceremony of Planting Seed."

10:00 Sunday School.
Friday 7:30 Review of Confirmation class, followed by fellowship hour.

ST. JOHN EVANGELICAL AND REFORMED CHURCH
Vera Cruz
L. C. Minsterman, Minister
9:30 Sunday School.
10:30 Church service, Rural Life Sunday, Sermon: "The Earth is the Lord's" with "Ceremony of Planting Seed."

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ST. PAUL MISSIONARY
2 mi. east and 2 mi. north Monroe
Robert R. Welch, pastor
9:15 a.m., morning worship.
10:15 a.m., Sunday school.
Wednesday, 7:15 p.m., choir practice; 7:30 p.m., prayer and Bible study; 7:30 p.m., M.Y.F. and children's Bible hour.

Thursday, the Ladies' Aid will meet in the home of Mrs. Dan Neireiter.

PLEASANT DALE
Church of the Brethren
John D. Mishler, pastor
9:30 a.m., morning worship with recognition given to seniors graduating from high school and college. The pastor's message will be "Shifting Gears."

10:30 a.m., Sunday school with Loren Liechty as superintendent and Mrs. Floyd Roth as children's director.

2:30 p.m., Baccalaureate services at Adams Central high school.
7:30 p.m., evening services with emphasis upon Soil Stewardship Week. The color film "The Earth is the Lord's" will be shown. This film is loaned by the Soil Conserv-

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Thursday 7:30, Review of Confirmation class, followed by fellowship hour.
Friday 8:30 First class of Bible school at Poplar Grove school for one hour.

PLEASANT MILLS BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. Allison Van Wormer, Pastor
9:45 a.m. Sunday School, Lowell Noll, S. S. Supt.
11:00 a.m. Morning Worship. Sermon by pastor: "The Choice is Yours."

7:00 p.m. B. Y. F.
7:30 p.m. Evening Worship. Subject: "Spiritual Temptation." Read II Samuel.

PLEASANT MILLS METHODIST
Leon Lacoss, pastor
9:30 a.m., Morning Worship.
10:15 a.m. Church School, Mr. Robert Light, superintendent.
Monday, 2:00 p.m. Meeting of the DVBS teachers and workers in the Methodist church. All workers should meet with us.

SALEM EVANGELICAL AND REFORMED CHURCH
H. E. Settlage, Minister
9:00 Sunday School. Classes for all age groups.
10:00 Worship Service, Sermon, "A Pattern for Life."
Saturday 10 to 10:45 Children's choir rehearsal.

MONROE METHODIST CHURCH
Willis Gierhart, Minister
9:30 a.m.—Morning Worship.
We honor our youth and graduating seniors.
10:30—Church School.
Wednesday
7:00 p.m.—Adult Choir.
7:45 p.m.—Midweek Service.

Friday
7:30 p.m.—There will be a meeting of all Daily Vacation leaders, teachers, bus drivers, etc. at the Adams Central school.
Our annual conference is being held at Grace church at Kokomo from May 25-29.

E.U.B. CHURCHES
WREN CIRCUIT
A. N. Straley, Pastor
BETHEL
9:30 a.m.—Sunday School.
Lesson: "Sincerity in Religious Practices."

10:30 a.m.—Prayer meeting.
7:30 p.m.—Evening Worship. Sermon: "Eye Hath Not Seen."
Thursday
8 p.m.—Prayer meeting.
WOOD CHAPEL
9:30 a.m.—Sunday School.
10:30 a.m.—Morning Worship. Sermon: "Eye Hath Not Seen."

Thursday
8 p.m.—Prayer meeting and Youth Fellowship.

RIVARRE CIRCUIT
Huber Baker, Pastor
Mt. Zion
9:30 a.m.—Sunday School.
10:30 a.m.—Class meeting.
7:00 p.m.—Christian Endeavor.
7:30 p.m.—Evangelistic Service.
7:30 p.m. Wednesday—Midweek prayer service.

Pleasant Grove
9:30 a.m.—Sunday School.
10:30 a.m.—Class meeting.
7:30 p.m. Wednesday—Midweek prayer service.

Mt. Victory
9:30 a.m.—Sunday School.
10:30 a.m.—Worship Service.
8:00 p.m. Wednesday—Midweek prayer service.

All are invited to any of these services.

MONROE FRIENDS CHURCH
Vernon Riley, Pastor
Sunday School—9:30 a.m. Vilas Bollinger, superintendent.
Morning Worship—10:30 a.m.
The pastor will speak on "Stewardship."

Evening Services—7:30 p.m.
Prayer meeting — Wednesday 7:30 p.m.

CALVARY EVANGELICAL UNITED BRETHREN
F. I. Willmet, supply pastor
Kay Miller, S. S. Supt.
Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.
Midweek prayer service Thursday, Mrs. Bernice Darr, class leader.

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Monday at 8 p.m., the commencement will be held at the Adams Central High School.
Wednesday, 7:30 p.m., Bible study and prayer service.
Adams Central DVBS, May 31-June 10.
Visitors are always welcome to worship with us.

THE BIBLE SPEAKS
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Devotional Reading: 2 Corinthians 5:1-15.

Sincere Religion
Lesson for May 22, 1960

THE Greeks had a word for it. One of their words which we translate by the word "sincere" meant looking the same in all lights. The old-fashioned crooked merchant did not keep his store well lighted. If you were buying cloth, or anything made of cloth, you had to take it to the store where you could get a good look at your purchase by daylight. And you wouldn't buy, unless what had looked good to you inside the store looked just as good on the outside.

A sincere man is likewise a man who looks the same in all lights. He is the same around the clock. You know what he is like and you know he will stay that way. He says what he thinks and hopes people will agree with him; but if they don't, he still says what he thinks.

The Romans had a name for it too, a word which is the direct ancestor of our word "sincere." It is said that the original word meant "without wax," and referred to fine porcelain or alabaster filled up with wax. A sincere person thus would be one who is what he seems to be. He is not synthetic, he is real. He is not fragile, he is solid.

Sincere Prayer
Of all human activities, you would think that religion would be the most free from insincerity. But everybody knows how hypocrites collect around churches, and every Christian knows how hard it is to be sincere all the time. Jesus never used the word "sincere," but he often referred to hypocrites, who are the opposite of sincere. As usual, Jesus expressed what he meant by illustrations, not by long words.

Let us define sincere religion in terms of a sincerely religious person. (There is not any such thing, of course, as "religion" by itself. It is always in people. Anything on paper, like this column for instance, or even the Bible, can only point you to religious persons.) According to Jesus, the person whose prayers are heard by God and whom God rewards in the end, is a person who really prays to God and not for a show-off. Hypocrites, he said, pray while thinking about how their prayers will impress other people. They want people to know they are praying. Now maybe many a Christian who doesn't pray to impress himself. He is extremely careful about his language, as if he were writing the prayer for a class in English. He is careful about how long it is, and so on. Many people are afraid to pray in public, not because God might not like it, but because some human being would smile at it. Isn't that ridiculous?

Sincere Generosity
A religious person prays, a religious person is generous. We all agree on that. But not every one who prays, and gives to the church, is religious in the way Jesus expects his followers to be. Insincerity spoils it all. If prayer is a form of self-advertising, then it is a worthless prayer. And if generosity is a form of self-advertising, then it is worthless too. The sure way to be certain you are really generous is to ask yourself: Would I be just as generous if no one knew about it? To want to get "credit" for the good actions you do shows that you are not sincere. What you really are after, in that case, is not to help others but to boost your own stock.

There are two kinds of people in particular who are perhaps more tempted to insincerity in religion than most people are: Preachers and parents. This is because they are supposed to set good examples, and because they live in plain view of the people (church members, or children) whom they are supposed to influence for good. The Pharisees of Jesus' time were also looked up to as religious leaders. But they fell for the temptation of "putting on a show." To be religious because people expect you to be; to be religious because you have to be; to be religious because you want your example to be seen far and wide; to be religious for any reason at all except first of all and above all to please God, is to be a religious fake.

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DO OTHERS SEE JESUS IN YOU?

Rev. J. R. Meadows
After Leonardo da Vinci had finished his great picture of the "Last Supper," he called his truest friend to see it before it was publicly exhibited. As that friend stood before the picture, his first exclamation was, "Oh, what a wonderful goblet in the hands of Christ!" With one stroke of the brush Leonardo da Vinci blotted out the goblet from the picture. "I would have you see nothing, he said, 'except the face of the Christ.'"

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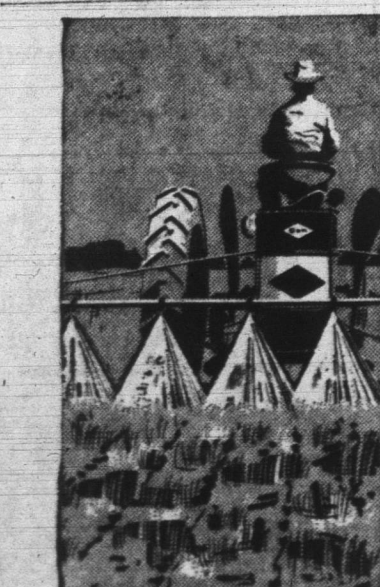
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