

COME TO CHURCH SUNDAY

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Rt. Rev. Msgr. Simeon Schmitt

Sunday Masses

6:00 a.m.
7:15 a.m.
8:30 a.m.
9:45 a.m.
11:00 a.m. High mass.

Weekly Masses

8:00, 8:30 and 11:00 a.m.
Non School Days
8:00, 7:00 and 8:00 a.m.
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DECATUR EVANGELICAL UNITED BRETHREN CHURCH

TRINITY

J. O. PENROD, Minister

Worship services at 8 & 10 A. M. 8:00 A. M. First Worship service. The Pastor's message is, "Worship At Its Best." Miss Kay Wynn will preside at the organ and her selections are: prelude, "Supplication" by Clarke; offertory, "Jesus Keeps Me Near the Cross," by MacDonald; postlude, "Recessional March" by Bell. There will be a vocal duet by Mr. and Mrs. Jan Elzey. The lesson, Proverbs 4:4-15, will be read by Neil Butcher and the morning prayer will be by David C. Wynn.

9:00 A. M. Sunday Church school. Mr. Doyle Gehres is superintendent. The adult lesson is, "When We Wonder Why." Background scripture is from Genesis 37-50 and the Golden Text is, "O the depth of the riches and wisdom and knowledge of God! How unsearchable are His judgments and how inscrutable His ways." Romans 11:33 (RSV).

10:00 A. M. Second Worship service. The order of worship is the same as the 8:00 A. M. service. 12:00 Noon Planning Retreat at Bluffton State Park; basket dinner for entire family; all program agencies will present program proposals for 1964. Mr. and Mrs. William Christen, program chairmen are in charge.

7:30 P. M. Missions Rally at Oakwood Center. Evening Worship, 7:00 P. M. The Pastor's sermon will be: "A Drama In Four Acts." Miss Claudia Haggerty will sing a vocal solo. Mrs. John Kelley will give a report on Migrant work.

7:00 P. M. Boys and Girls Fellowship.

MONDAY

10:00 A. M. Staff meeting.

12:30 P. M. Adams County Ministerial meeting at Berne.

6:30 P. M. Men's Club Chicken Bar-B-Q at the Boy Scout Shelter House, Hanna Park. Tickets \$1.50 for adults; children in grade school \$1.00. See David Wynn or Sephus Jackson for tickets. Please bring your own table service.

6:30 P. M. Boy Scout meeting.

7:30 P. M. Naomi Circle will meet at the home of Mrs. Herald Hitchcock. Mrs. Jim Johnson is leader.

TUESDAY

9:30 A. M. Decatur Ministerial meeting.

1:00 P. M. Sarah Circle will meet at the home of Mrs. Sephus Jackson. Mrs. Frank Bohnke is leader. Mrs. Hubert Cochran is hostess.

WEDNESDAY

7:00 P. M. Mid-week Worship; Cultivation team training at Trinity for the Bible Depth Study for adults and youth.

7:00 P. M. Boys and Girls Fellowship.

THURSDAY

7:30 P. M. Bible class meeting in Fellowship hall.

7:30 P. M. Worship and Preaching Commission at Bethany.

8:00 P. M. Rachael Circle will meet at the home of Mrs. Leo Seltentright. Mrs. Stan Kling is leader.

FRIDAY

5:30 P. M. Senior High leave for Retreat at Lakewood. Retreat closes on Sunday morning.

SATURDAY

9:00 A. M. - 12:00 Noon. Children's Workers Coaching Workshop at Fort Wayne church.

Acolytes for the services are: Martha Hitchcock, Joyce Williamson, Janice Kelley and Eunice Wynn.

Important Events Coming:

Senior High Retreat, Sept. 13, 14, 15.

Junior High Retreat, Sept. 20 & 21.

Men's Congress, Sept. 27, 28, 29.

Rally Day, Sept. 29.

WSWS Institute, Sept. 29.



DECATUR EVANGELICAL UNITED BRETHREN CHURCH

BETHANY

F. P. MILLER, Minister

Worship services at 8 & 10 A. M. 8:00 A. M. First Worship service. Mrs. Jerold Lobsgier will preside at the organ for this service. Her selections are: prelude, "Largo" by Handel; offertory, "Give of Your Best to the Master," by Barnard, and postlude, "Postlude in G," by Sergison. The Pastor's message will be, "Why Doesn't It Happen To Me?"

9:00 A. M. Sunday Church school. Mr. Arthur Beeler is superintendent. The adult lesson is, "When We Wonder Why." The background scripture is from Genesis 37-50. The Golden Text: "O the depth of the riches and wisdom and knowledge of God. How unsearchable are His judgments and how inscrutable His ways." Romans 11:33 (RSV).

10:00 A. M. Second Worship service. Miss Eleanor Miller will preside at the organ. Her selections are: prelude, "Duet," by Mendelssohn; offertory, "Adagio" by Beethoven, and postlude, "March," by Sticks. The Pastor's message will be, "Why Doesn't It Happen To Me?" Acolytes for this service are Lynette Reynolds and Sonya Teeple.

12:00 Noon-Program Planning Retreat at the Bluffton State Park (Oubache). Basket Dinner for the entire family. Each agency of the church will present program proposals for the coming year 1964.

7:30 P. M. "Missions Night" at Oakwood Park. This program is conducted by the Conference Board of Missions.

MONDAY

6:30 P. M. EUB Men's Chicken Bar-B-Q at the Boy Scout Shelter House at Hanna Park. See Norman Koons for tickets. Please bring your own table service.

7:30 P. M. Naomi Circle will meet at the home of Mrs. Herald Hitchcock. Mrs. Jim Johnson is leader.

TUESDAY

1:00 P. M. Sarah Circle will meet at the home of Mrs. Sephus Jackson. Mrs. Frank Bohnke is leader. Hostess is Mrs. Hubert Cochran.

WEDNESDAY

7:00 P. M. Cultivation Teams will meet at Trinity for the First Training meeting.

10:00 P. M. CBS Network. This is a film on the East Harlem Protestant Parish.

THURSDAY

7:30 P. M. Commission on Worship & Preaching at Bethany.

FRIDAY

5:30 P. M. The Sr-Hi Youth will leave for their Retreat at Camp Lakewood and will stay through Sunday morning.

SATURDAY

9:00 to 10:00 A. M. Workshop for Children's Workers at the Fort Wayne First Church.

NEXT SUNDAY EVENING

7:00 P. M. The first in a series of 5 Bible Depth Studies, "Jesus Christ Renews His Church Through Spiritual Rebirth."

Tuesday, September 17:

6:00 P. M. The Kum-Join-Us class will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Meritt Alger. Carry-in dinner. Meat, potatoes, coffee and rolls furnished. Please bring an article for the auction.

Wednesday, September 18:

7:00 P. M. Chancel Choir rehearsal.

Sept. 27 - 29-EUB Men's Congress at Fort Wayne. Plan to attend some of these sessions.

ZION LUTHERAN CHURCH

11th and Monroe

Richard C. Ludwig, pastor

Sunday

Divine Worship Services begin at 8:00 and 10:30 a.m.

Sunday School and Bible Classes are held at 9:15 a.m.

The pastor's sermon topic will be "The New Commandment."

The Mixed choir will sing "Jesus Exalted" in the 10:30 service.

Our new day school teacher, Mrs. David Ebeling, will be inducted into the 10:30 service.

Zion's Baseball team will play at Immanuel, Union twp. at 1:30 p.m.

The Parent-Teacher League will have a carry-in supper in honor of our new teacher. All members are invited.

Monday

Church Council will meet in the Parish Hall at 8:00 p.m.

Tuesday

The Children's Religious Instruction Classes will meet at 4:00 p.m. The sixth and seventh grades will meet with Mrs. Vera Doty while the eighth grades will meet with Pastor.

Wednesday

School Devotion in the church at 8:00 a.m.

Missionary Society will meet in the Parish Hall Basement at 1:30 p.m. Mrs. Herman Krueckberg will have the topic on India-Ceylon.

Choir Rehearsal will be held in the Parish Hall at 7:00 p.m.

Thursday

Adult Instruction Class will be held in the Parish Hall at 7:30 p.m.

Friday

Boy Scouts of Zion will leave at 4:30 p.m. for Camp Lutherhaven Retreat which will be held Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

SATURDAY

First Baptist Church

221 So. 4th Street

Robert E. McQuaid, pastor

9:30 a.m. - Worship - Miss Becky Soldner will be at the organ. Mrs. Robert Miller will sing. The pastor's message will be "You Have A Soul to be Saved, to be Lost."

10:30 a.m. - Classes - This study time together is vital. You and your children will benefit from regular attendance. Donald Sliger, superintendent.

6:30 p.m. - Junior and Senior B. Y. F.

7:30 p.m. - Evening Service - Baptism of two young people will begin the service. This will be "Camp Round-up Night" and all young people who went to camp this summer should be present. The Pastor's message will be "Strong Minds, Great Hearts, True Faith, Ready Hands."

Calendar

Tuesday

7:00 p.m. - Fall Salamonia Association meeting at Dunkirk church.

Wednesday

7:00 p.m. - Prayer Service.

Thursday

7:30 p.m. - Youth For Christ Rally here.

Future Events

September 17: Missionary Society.

September 20 - Skating Party.

September 22-29-Revival meetings.

MISSIONARY CHURCH

Tenth and Dayton Streets

Gerald I. Gerig, Minister

9:00 a.m. - SUNDAY SCHOOL

HOUR - We invite your family to worship with us tomorrow.

10:00 a.m. - MORNING WORSHIP HOUR - Rev. William Panell, our evangelist, will be bringing the morning message. Come and hear this outstanding speaker.

6:15 p.m. - Pre-service prayer.

6:15 p.m. - Children's Gospel Hour.

6:15 p.m. - Junior MYF.

6:15 p.m. - Senior MYF.

7:00 p.m. - EVANGELISTIC SERVICE - Congregational singing special music, and a message by Rev. Fannell.

Monday thru Friday

7:30 p.m. - Our revival will continue all of next week. You are missing a real blessing if you are not attending the revival services. Friday night our evangelist will have a special time with the children. Parents, be sure the children are present for this service.

Saturday

7:30 p.m. - Youth for Christ with Rev. Fannell as the speaker. This service will be held at the Church of the Nazarene.

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FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

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A. C. Underwood, Pastor

8:30 and 10:30 A. M. Worship.

Rev. Underwood will preach this Sunday on the subject: "Create In Me." Miss Patricia Collins will play for our first worship service "Sabbath Reverie," Martin; "Quiet Meditation," Loucks, and "In Grateful Praise," Kern.

The Chancel Choir will sing "Go Not Far From Me," Zingarelli for the second worship service. Mrs. Gerber will play "Come, Gentle Spirit," Devin; "Elegie," Massenet and "Postlude on Conqueror" by James.

If you are not worshipping elsewhere we cordially invite you to come and worship with us in the service of your choice.

Our Church School begins at 9:30 with Mr. Hubert Zerkel, Jr., in charge. We have classes for all age groups with supervised Nursery and Kindergarten classes for pre-school children and a Lullaby room for infants.

This Sunday afternoon the Senior MYF members will meet at the church at 3:00 p.m. to go to the Bluffton state park for the annual Fall Rally. Each one is to bring a sack lunch. The meeting will begin at 3:30 p.m.

Tuesday at 7:00 the Commission Chairmen will meet and the Commissions will meet at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday the Dulcet Choir will meet at 3:00 for their rehearsal. The Chancel Choir rehearses at 7:00 and the Prayer service will be at 8:00 p.m. The Official Board will hold their meeting the same evening.

Thursday at 11:00 the Women's Society Circles will meet; at 12:00 noon the noon luncheon will be served 35c per person. The general meeting will be held in the Chapel at 1:00 p.m.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Second and Jefferson Sts.

Charles M. Hill, pastor

Morning Worship - 9:30 a.m.

Church School - 10:30 a.m.

Sermon topic - "Meaning of Prayer."

Sunday evening - The Elders, Deacons, and Jr. Deacons will meet at the church for the purpose of electing a chairman of each group and also for the clarification of duties.

Mary Stucky will be in charge of our Migrant program for this Sunday evening.

Monday Evening

The church board meeting will be held this Monday evening. Gerald Strickler, your chairman requests your faithful attendance.

Wednesday Evening

The Corinthian Class will hold their first fall meeting this Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. Clara Drum.

Thursday Evening

The senior choir will meet this Thursday evening at 7:00 p.m. Mr. Jim Anderson will be assisting in the pulpit this Sunday morning.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Cor. 12th & Wash. Sts.

Larry Morrison, Minister

9:15 a.m. - Pre-service Prayer.

9:30 a.m. Morning Worship. We invite you to come and worship with us this coming Lord's Day. Let's put forth a special effort to be present this Sunday for "Easter in September."

10:30 a.m. Bible study: Eugene Schindler, Supt. Lesson: "Rejected by His Brothers." Scripture: Genesis 37-50.

Daily Bible readings for this week: Psalms 129 - 135.

Classes for all ages.

7:00 p.m. Evening service. There will be a film entitled "Second Missionary Journey." Let's plan to attend.

Remember:

Workers' Conference, Sept. 15, 6:00 p.m.

Also Rally Day, Oct. 6.

UNITED BRETHREN IN CHRIST

NUTTMAN AVENUE

Sylvester Martin, Pastor

9:30 Sunday School. Classes for all ages. James Smith Supt.

10:30 Morning Worship. Message by the Pastor, Special Music.

7:00 Christian Endeavor Services. Adult Leader Irene Lyons. Topic: "Fringe Benefits." Youth Topic: "I'll get by."

7:45 Evening Worship Service. 7:30 Prayer meeting and Bible Study, Wednesday.

6:30 Harvesters meeting, Friday.

7:30 Saturday Youth for Christ meeting.

Sept. 16 7:30 Teachers' and workers' meeting.

Sept. 30 Promotion Day in the Sunday School.

Oct. 6 Rally Day, Mariners Quarter from Dayton Ohio.

ZION UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST

(Evangelical & Reformed)

Third and Jackson

William C. Feller, Pastor

Church School at 9:00 a.m.