

COME TO CHURCH SUNDAY

ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

At. Rev. Magr. Simeon Schmitt
Madison at Fourth Street

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

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FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

West Monroe at Fifth Street
A. G. Underwood, Pastor

8:30 and 10:30 Divine Worship.
Rev. Underwood will preach this Sunday morning on the subject: "The Church in Your Home."
Miss Patricia Collins will play "The Son of God Goes Forth," Lorenz; "Berceuse," Higgins; and "Heroic Piece," Crowder.
Mrs. Gerber will play for the second worship service: "Are Ye Able," Mason; "Sheep May Safely Graze," Bach, and "Postludium," Trussell. The Chancel choir will sing "A Legend," Tschalkovsky.

9:30 a.m. Sunday School with Mr. Hubert Zerkel, Jr., superintendent, presiding. We have classes for each member of your family with supervised Nursery and Kindergarten classes and a Lullaby Room for infants.
If you are not worshipping elsewhere we cordially invite you to come and worship with us in the service of your choice.

4:30 p.m. Sunday Girl's Choir rehearsal.

5:15 p.m. The Senior Hi M. Y. F. group will meet here at the church to go to the Presbyterian church where they will be guests of their youth.

5:00 p.m. Junior Hi M. Y. F. at the church.

6:30 p.m. the final meeting of the Study Group will be held in the Chapel. Rev. Underwood will lead the study of the book "Our Mission Today." A fine program is planned with special music.

Monday, 6:30, Boy Scouts meet at the church.

Tuesday evening, 7:00, Communion chairmen meet in the church office.

7:30, Commission members meet with their chairmen.

Wednesday 3:00 p.m., Dulcet choir.

6:45 - 7:45 Ash Wednesday Communion service in the Chapel.

7:00 p.m. Chancel choir rehearsal.

7:45 - 9:00 p.m. Fourth quarterly conference in the Chapel. All members are urged to be present for this congregational meeting.

Thursday, 5:00 p.m., Junior choir rehearsal.

Friday, 7:30 p.m. First Christian Church, World Day of Prayer. All ladies of the church are invited.

DECATUR CHURCH OF GOD
1129 Mercer Avenue
Huston Bever, Jr., Pastor

8:30 a.m. "The Christian Brotherhood Hour" over WKJG.

9:30 a.m., Morning Worship.

10:40 a.m., Sunday School hour with a class for everyone.

We invite you to worship with us this Sunday, if you do not have a church home, we cordially welcome you to make this your church home.

1:30 p.m. The Junior Choir members will meet in the Chapel to go to the County Home.

6:30 p.m., Junior and Senior High Y. F.

7:30 p.m., Evening service.

Monday, 7:30 p.m., The Builders' class will hold a party in the Fellowship Hall.

Tuesday, Our Pastor will attend the Northern Indiana Ministerial Assembly in Akron, Indiana.

Wednesday, 7:30 p.m., Mid-week service.

Thursday, Youth Fellowship Party in the Fellowship Hall.

Friday, 8:15 p.m., The Friendship Circle, husbands and guests, will meet at the Palmer House, Berne, Indiana.

NEW LIGHT CHRISTIAN CHURCH
Rev. Ople Mounsey, pastor
Preaching service Sunday - 2:30 p.m.

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DECATUR EVANGELICAL UNITED BRETHREN CHURCH

Rev. J. O. Penrod, pastor
Divine Worship Services at 8:30 a.m. and 10:30 a.m.
Race Relations Sunday.
8:30 a.m. - First Worship Service. The pastor's message will be, "A Soldier's Faith." Miss Kay Wynn will preside at the organ. Her selections will be as follows: prelude, "Steps of the Righteous" by Clarke, offertory, "Contentment" by Overholt and postlude, "Alla Marcia" by Otis. Mrs. Sephus Jaackson will sing a solo entitled, "Room At The Cross For You."

9:30 a.m. - Sunday Church School. Mr. Doyle Gehres is superintendent. The adult lesson is, Peter, James and John. Background scripture is from: Mal-4:18-22; 17:1-13; Mark 3:16-17; 14:32-42; Luke 8:49-56; Acts 4:13; 12:1-3. Golden text: We cannot but speak of what we have seen and heard.

10:30 a.m. - Second Worship Service. The order of worship is the same as the 8:30 a.m. service except the chancel choir will sing the anthem, "Let There Be Peace On Earth" directed by Mrs. Lex Dormire.

5:00 a.m. - Senior-Hi Outreach Commission meets at Bethany.

6:00 p.m. - Senior - Hi Y-Hour at Trinity.

6:00 p.m. - Junior - Hi Y-Hour at Trinity.

7:00 p.m. - Boys and girls fellowship and evening worship at Trinity. The pastor's message for this service will be, "The Conditions of Service." Scripture is from St. Luke 8:22-27.

Monday
6:30 p.m. - Boy Scout meeting.

7:30 p.m. - Building Committee meets at Trinity.

7:30 p.m. - Naomi Circle will meet at the home of Mrs. Vernon Ginter, leader is Mrs. Shackley.

Tuesday
1:00 p.m. - Sarah Circle will meet at the home of Mrs. Charles Kent. Leader is Mrs. Gerald Cole.

3:00 p.m. - Girl Scout meeting.

7:00 p.m. - Athletic program at Lincoln gym. Family night.

Wednesday
Ash Wednesday - The Beginning of Lent.

3:45 p.m. - 7th and 8th grade catechetical classes at Bethany.

4:30 p.m. - 6th grade catechetical class at Trinity.

7:00 p.m. - Boys and girls fellowship; mid-week worship.

8:10 p.m. - Chancel choir rehearsal.

Thursday
7:00 - 9:00 p.m. - Leadership training, last session.

7:30 p.m. - Rachael Circle will meet at the home of Mrs. Vestal Kling. Leader is Mrs. Wilbur Tinkham.

Friday
7:00 p.m. - Eagle Scout honor court at Trinity. All members of Troop No. 65 and parents, prospects and parents are cordially invited to attend.

7:30 p.m. - World Day of Prayer Service at First Christian Church. The primary purpose of this service is to lead the participants in the active experience of prayer both personally and world wide, crossing denominational, racial, national and cultural boundaries.

Church membership class will begin next Sunday. The class will meet at 9:00 a.m. at Bethany parsonage. Those interested in becoming members of Decatur E.U.B. Church will plan to attend.

Men's Sweetheart banquet will be held Tuesday, February 25, at the Community Center. The program will be the Purdue Center Glee Club. Tickets can be secured from Norman Koons, Vernon Custer, David Wynn or Chalmers Bollenbacher.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD
1210 Elm St.
M. H. Nolin, Pastor
Sunday School, 9:30 a.m. - Bernard Lehman, superintendent.
Morning Worship, 10:30 a.m. C. A. S. - 6:15 p.m. Evangelistic service - 7 p.m. Wednesday, Prayer service and Bible study - 7:30 p.m.

Rev. William Thornton, a former pastor in the Indiana district, but who has also been a missionary to Hong Kong, will be a Missionary Convention speaker at the Assembly of God in Fort Wayne, Feb. 13-16, 7:30 p.m.

Bro. Garlock, a veteran missionary and author of the book, "Our World Witness," also director of Foreign Missions Promotions will be speaker and teacher of the book Feb. 17-21, also at the Assembly of God in Fort Wayne, 7:30 p.m. each evening.

Our W. M. C. were happy to have had Mrs. G. Beck of Auburn, sectional president, and Mrs. Davies as guest speakers at our local W. M. C. Thursday, Feb. 5th.

DECATUR EVANGELICAL UNITED BRETHREN CHURCH

Rev. F. F. Miller, pastor
Worship services at 8:00 a.m. and 10:00 a.m.
8:00 a.m. - First Worship Service. The pastor's message will be, "The Time Is Now." Mrs. Jerold Lobsiger will preside at the organ. Her selections are: prelude, "Consolation" by Demorest, offertory, "A Morning Song" by Sheppard and postlude "Postlude In E Flat" by D'Aubel.

9:00 a.m. - Sunday Church School. Mr. Leo Fassel is superintendent. The adult lesson is, Peter, James, and John. Background scripture is from: Mal-4:18-22; 17:1-13; Mark 3:16-17; 14:32-42; Luke 8:49-56; Acts 4:13; 12:1-3.

10:00 a.m. - Second Worship Service. The order of worship is the same as the 8 o'clock service except the chancel choir will sing the anthem entitled, "Let There Be Peace On Earth" directed by Mrs. Lex Dormire.

Scout Troop No. 61 will be guests at this service as we observe Boy Scout Sunday. Gary Teeple who is a member of this Troop will be receiving the God and Country Award.

Acolytes will be Kelley Burnett and Linda Nicodemus.

6:00 p.m. - Sr-Hi Y-Hour at Bethany.

6:00 p.m. - Jr-Hi Y-Hour at Trinity.

Monday
7:30 p.m. - Building Committee will meet at Trinity.

7:30 p.m. - Naomi Circle will meet at the home of Mrs. Vernon Ginter. Leader is Mrs. James Shackley.

Tuesday
1:00 p.m. - Sarah Circle will meet at the home of Mrs. Charles Kent. Leader is Mrs. Gerald Cole.

7:00 - 8:30 p.m. - Athletic program at Lincoln gym. Family night.

Wednesday
3:45-5:15 p.m. - 7th and 8th grade Catechism classes at Bethany.

4:30 p.m. - 6th grade Catechism class at Trinity.

7:00 p.m. - Choir rehearsal.

Thursday
7:00 p.m. - Leadership Training school at Trinity.

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First Sunday in Lent is next Sunday. We will join together with the Methodist Church for Special Lenten Services. The first of these will be held next Sunday evening at the Methodist church. The Reverend J. O. Penrod will bring the evening message. Plan to attend!

Men's Sweetheart banquet - Tuesday, February 25 at the Community Center, the program will be the Purdue Center Glee Club. Tickets can be secured from Norman Koons, Vernon Custer, David Wynn or Chalmers Bollenbacher.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
Cor. 12th and Wash. Sts.
Larry Morrison, minister

9:15 a.m. - Pre-service prayer: 9:30 a.m. - Morning Worship: Songs, Prayer and Communion. The title of the morning message from God's Holy Word will be, "Christ Paid the Wages of Sin." Plan to worship this coming Lord's Day.

10:30 a.m. - Bible Study: Eugene Schindler, supt. Classes for all ages.

General topic - Peter, James and John.

Golden text - For we cannot but speak the things which we have seen and heard. Acts 4:20.

Daily Bible reading for this week: Jeremiah 17 through 23.

6:00 p.m. - Workers conference: Plan to attend. There will be a film entitled "The Pupil" shown for the benefit for each and every teacher.

6:50 p.m. - Youth For Christ: Dorothy Morrison, leader.

7:00 p.m. - Evening worship. You are invited.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

221 So. 4th Street
Robert E. McQuaid, Pastor

9:30 a.m. Worship.
Miss Becky Soldner will preside at the organ. Her selections will be "Battle Hymn of the Republic" for the prelude, "Moment by Moment" for the offertory, and "Egyptian March" for the postlude. Under direction of Mrs. Edward Lobsiger the choir will sing "Steal Away to Jesus." The Pastor's message will be "When Desire and Opportunity Meet."

10:30 a.m. Classes.
There's a class for you. Come and help us make this a big Sunday.

6:30 p.m. Junior & Senior BYF groups.

7:30 p.m. Evening Service. School of Missions session II. Topic: "Pioneers in Southern Asia." A filmstrip on William Carey will be presented during the audio-visual period. Classes will be held for primaries, juniors high school and adults.

Monday: 7:00 p.m. Christian Ed. Board meeting.

Tuesday: 7:00 p.m. Salomonie Association winter meeting at Bluffton.

Wednesday: 7:00 p.m. Prayer service.

8:00 p.m. Choir practice.

Friday: World Day of Prayer service at Christian church.

Saturday: 6:30 a.m. Men's Prayer breakfast.

Future - Feb. 16: Building Fund Sunday.

Feb. 16: BYF Association meeting.

Feb. 17 - Boy Scout committee meeting.

Feb. 18 - Missionary Society.

ZION LUTHERAN CHURCH
11th & Monroe
Richard C. Ludwig, Pastor

Divine Worship services are held at 8:00 and 10:30 a.m.

Sunday School and Bible classes begin at 9:15 a.m.

The Pastor's sermon topic will be "You Take the High Road, I'll Take the Low Road."

The Men's choir will sing "How Great, Almighty, Is Thy Kindness" in the 8:00 service.

The Boy Scouts and Cub Scouts of Zion will observe the 54th anniversary of the founding of the Boy Scouts of America by being together in the 8:00 service.

Monday
The Elders will meet in the Parish Hall at 7:30 p.m.

Tuesday
The Children's Religious Instruction classes will meet at 4:00 p.m.

The Emmaus Guild will meet in the Parish Hall basement at 8:00 p.m. The Brownies and Junior Girl Scouts of Zion will present the program for the evening.

The Valparaiso Guild will meet at Bethlehem, Ossian, at 8:00 p.m. Mrs. Scherer of Sandpoint Florists will present a demonstration of floral arrangements.

Wednesday
School devotions will be held in church at 8:00 a.m.

A Prayer service will be held in church at 1:30 p.m., followed by dessert and the meeting of the Missionary Society in the Parish Hall basement. All the ladies of Zion are invited to attend.

Ash Wednesday Communion services will be held at 6:30 and 8:00 p.m. Announcements should be made by Wednesday afternoon.

The choir will rehearse after the 6:30 Vesper service, in the Parish Hall.

Thursday: The Adult Basketball team will play at the Pleasant Mills gym at 8:45 p.m.

UNITED BRETHREN IN CHRIST

Sylvester Martha, Pastor
Nuttman Ave.

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

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

6:00 Bible Quiz practice.

7:00 Christian Endeavor services.

7:45 Evening Worship service.

7:30 Wednesday Evening Bible Study and Prayer meeting.

6:30 Thursday evening Y.P.M. B. meeting. Chinese supper and meeting following.

7:00 Friday evening Harvesters Mission meeting.

6:30 Saturday Morning Men's Prayer breakfast.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE
Seventh & Marshall Sts.
W. R. Watson, Pastor

"Showers of Blessing" on WGL at 8:45 a.m.

Sunday School: 9:00 a.m.

Worship Service: 10:00 a.m.

Youth Service: 6:30 p.m.

Evening Service: 7:00 p.m.

Wednesday: Mid-week Prayer service, 7:00 p.m.

S. S. Staff meeting, 8:00 p.m.

Thursday: Kum-joy-nus S. S. Class Fellowship.

Friday: World Day of Prayer. Service at Christian Church, 7:30 p.m. (We will also have a prayer and fasting service at our church at 12:00 noon.)

Saturday: Men's Prayer Breakfast, 6:30 a.m. at Country Charm Restaurant.

Primary department party.

Wedding shower for Marvia & Linda Fosnaugh: 7:30 p.m. at I & M building.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
Charles M. Hill, Minister

Morning Worship at 9:30 a.m. The sermon topic will be "We are one in Him."

Church School at 10:30 a.m.

Announcements of activities of the week:

Monday evening the Official Church Board will meet to transact the business of the church. Plan to share your interest in Christ and the Church with others by being present. Time: 7 p.m.

Wednesday: Corinthian Class will meet with Mrs. Harmon Kraft. Mrs. James Anderson will give the lesson for the evening. 7:30 p.m.

Thursday: Junior and Adult choirs will meet at 7:00 p.m. All choir members and anyone interested are urged to come and sing with us.

Friday: World Day of Prayer will be observed this year in our church. Several of our ladies will be taking part in the service. This is a project of the United Council of Church Women and every lady in Decatur is invited to attend. 7:30 p.m.

February 16 - 23 Week of Compassion.

Each year during the month of February we are asked to share with others through the Week of Compassion. This is one method which has been adopted by our Brotherhood to reach out to every Church and to every Christian and provide for them an opportunity to share their faith with others. Our Missionary offering will be taken February 23, or before if you are not able to be present on that Sunday. Envelopes will be provided for this special time of sharing.

Men: Please reserve the date: February 24. A Christian Men's Fellowship Banquet will be held in Huntington that evening. Tickets have been received and we would like for every man in our congregation to plan to attend.

MISSIONARY CHURCH

Tenth and Dayton Streets
Gerald I. Gerig, minister

9:00 a.m. - SUNDAY SCHOOL HOUR - Come and enjoy the study of God's Word. 267 attended last week.

10:00 a.m. - MORNING WORSHIP HOUR - Special music, junior church for the children, a nurse for the two and three year olds and a message from the Word by our Pastor.

5:15 p.m. - Band rehearsal.

6:15 p.m. - Adult Christian Education Class.