

### Car Wash Saturday By D. C. H. S. Juniors

The junior class of the Decatur Catholic high school will hold a car wash from 9 a.m. until 5 p.m. Saturday at Zintmaster's garage, First and Jackson streets. Prices will be \$1.50 for washing a car, or \$2 for washing both the inside and outside of the car.

### Driver Is Arrested Following Accident

James Roy Walker, 18-year-old resident of route 2, Geneva, was arrested and charged with reckless driving following a two-car accident on U.S. 27, two miles north of Decatur, at 5:05 p.m. Thursday.

Walker was following an auto operated by David J. Brown, 25, route 1, Decatur, as both were northbound on 27. As Brown stopped to await the passing of oncoming traffic in order to turn onto county road 4, Walker was unable to stop in time and

crashed into the rear of the Brown vehicle. Deputy sheriff Harold August, who investigated, estimated the 1957 model Walker car as a total loss, and \$350 damage to the 1964 model Brown vehicle. Walker was cited into justice of the peace court.

### Decatur Calvary E. U. B. church Six miles East and One mile South of Decatur

Albert Swenson, Pastor  
9:30 Sunday School  
9:30 Preaching Service  
You are cordially invited to worship with us at these services.

### St. John United Church of Christ Vera Cruz

Robert R. Oleson Pastor  
9:30 a.m. Sunday school  
10:30 a.m. Morning Worship  
Thursday  
7:30 p.m. Choir Practice

Friday  
10:00 a.m. Women's Guild Sp. Service at Huntington, Ind.

### Salem United Church of Christ H. E. Settlage, Minister

9:00 Sunday school. Classes for all age groups.  
10:00 Worship Service. Sermon "Prayer for Others."  
7:30 Youth Fellowship Meeting.  
Tuesday 7:30, Women's Guild meeting.  
Saturday 10:00 Children's Choir rehearsal.

### Monroe Methodist Church Charles E. Elam, pastor

9:30 a.m. Morning Worship  
10:00 a.m. Children's Choirs  
10:30 a.m. Church school  
11:00 a.m. Youth Choir  
2:30 p.m. Ford Philpot Preparation Rally  
6:30 p.m. M. Y. F.  
Mon., 7:30 p.m. Commission on Fellowship

Tues., 7:00 p.m. Recorded speeches on Church and State by Monsignor Francis J. Lally and Methodist Bishop Fred P. Corson.

Wed., 7:30 p.m. Adult Choir 8:15 p.m. Mid-Week Service  
Thurs., 7:30 p.m. Quartet Conference  
Sat., 10:00 a.m. Membership Training Class

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Devotions for all age levels — 9:00 a.m.

Bible study — A Class for all — 9:15 a.m.

Theme — "This God's Universe"

Scriptures — Isaiah 40:21-26. Mission Classes for Children — 10:00 a.m.

Divine Worship for other ages — 10:30 a.m.

Anthem by the Mixed Choir. Scripture Lesson — John 17. Special Music by the Ladies Trio.

Sermon — "The Priority of Prayer." Pastor Angle.

Prayer Time at the church — 7:00 p.m.

Evangelistic Services — 7:30 p.m.

Special singing and music. Sermon by our Evangelist, Rev. Farris Miller.

This is Sunday School Night at the service. All teachers will be working hard for 100% class enrollment in attendance. Last Sunday, we lacked only two of having our enrollment present.

### Calendar Monday

9:30 a.m. — Decatur Ministerial Association will meet at the United Church of Christ Church.

7:00 p.m. — Prayer Time at the Church.

7:30 p.m. — Evangelistic Services. Rev. Miller will be preaching. Special in song and music.

### Tuesday

7:00 p.m. — Prayer Time at the Church.

7:30 p.m. — Evangelistic Services.

### Wednesday

3:00 p.m. — Pastor's Class at the parsonage.

7:00 p.m. — Prayer Time at the church.

7:30 p.m. — Evangelistic Services.

7:30 p.m. — Pastor's Parish Relations Committee meets at Decatur Trinity Church.

### Thursday

9:00 a.m. — Ladies Aid meets at the church.

7:00 p.m. — Prayer Time at the Church.

7:30 p.m. — Evangelistic Services.

### Friday

7:00 p.m. — Prayer Time at the church.

7:30 p.m. — Evangelistic Services.

### Saturday

1:00 p.m. — Pastor's Class at the church.

7:30 p.m. — Youth For Christ Teen Talent Contest at Decatur Community and Youth Center. (April 4.)

No Evangelistic services at our church this p.m.

### RIVARRE CIRCUIT United Brethren in Christ

John R. Goodwin, pastor  
Mt. Victory Church

9:30 Sunday school, assistant

Sunday  
10:30 Morning Worship  
7:30 Wednesday Prayer Meeting

### Mt. Zion Church

9:30 Sunday school, assistant

Sunday  
10:30 Class Meeting  
7:00 Christian Endeavor  
7:30 Evening Worship

7:30 Wed. Prayer Meeting

### ST. PAUL MISSIONARY CHURCH

Robert R. Welch, pastor  
9:15 — Morning Worship.  
10:15 — Sunday School.  
7:00 — Evening Service.  
8:00 — Choir practice.

Wednesday  
7:00 — Prayer meeting and Bible Study.

7:00 — M.Y.F. Service.  
7:00 — Children's Bible Hour.

St. Luke United Church of Christ  
Honduras

Robert R. Oleson Pastor  
9:00 a.m. Morning Worship  
10:00 a.m. Sunday school

Wednesday  
6:30 p.m. Junior Choir Practice  
7:00 p.m. Adult Choir Practice

Friday  
10:00 a.m. Women's Guild Spring Workshop at Huntington Ind.

Mt. Tabor Methodist Church  
Bobo

Albert Swenson, Pastor  
9:30 Sunday School  
10:30 Prayer and Praise service.

Wednesday 7:30 Prayer and Bible study.

We invite you to worship with us at these services.

Monroe Friends Church  
Vernon Riley, pastor

Sunday school 9:30 a.m. Vilas Bollinger, superintendent

Morning service 10:30 a.m. Evening service 7:30 p.m. Evangelistic service.

For the Sunday school hour, all assistant officers and teachers in charge for the day.

Prayer meeting Wednesday 7:30 p.m.

St. Paul Lutheran  
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Norman H. Kuck, pastor

Early service 8:15 a.m. Sunday school, Bible class 9:15 a.m.

Late service 10 a.m.

Pleasant Mills Baptist Church  
Joe Carter Interim Pastor

Lowell Noll — Superintendent  
Sunday school 9:30 a.m. Classes for all ages. Children's classes in McCoy Center.

Worship 10:30 a.m. Welcome Evening

Jr. B. Y. F. 7:00 Mrs. Ben McCullough

Worship 7:30 p.m. Welcome

Tuesday 7:30 p.m. Quarterly business meeting

Wednesday Women's Missionary meeting 7:30 p.m.

WREN CIRCUIT E. U. B.  
A. N. Straley, pastor

BETHEL  
9:30 a.m. Sunday School

10:30 a.m. Morning Worship

7:30 p.m. Closing Service of the Evangelistic Series with Rev. Lynn Harris, Evangelist.

WOOD CHAPEL  
9:30 a.m. Morning Worship

10:15 a.m. Sunday school

Wednesday  
Wood Chapel  
8:00 p.m. W. S. W. S.

Thursday  
8:00 p.m. Prayer Meeting and Youth Fellowship

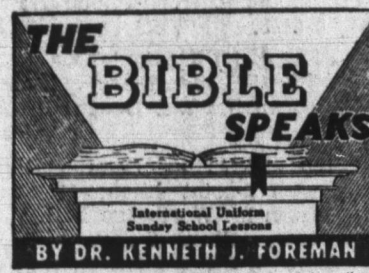
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### Monroe United Brethren in Christ

Carey Knittle, pastor  
Sunday school 9:30  
Worship Service 10:20  
Dedication Services 2:30

The evening service will be dismissed this week due to the dedication service revival April 8-19. Rev. Chester Hirsch



### God's Universe Lesson for April 5, 1964

Background Scriptures: Job 38:1-11; Isaiah 40:12-26; 42:1-12.  
Devotional Reading: Psalm 104:1-9.

THERE is a distinctively Christian way of life, and of looking at life. The very world in which the Christian lives, though it may look on the surface like the world of the non-Christian, seen in depth turns out to be quite different.

First of all, the Christian faces the world about him with open eyes. He sees literally more than meets the eye. Much of what he sees and knows is not peculiar to him.

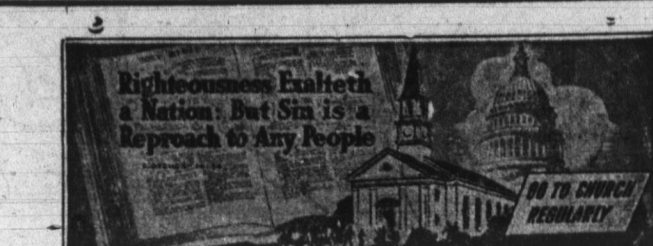
Dr. Foreman the Christian view, but he shares it with Jews also, just as we share with them our Bible. If it had not been for the Jews, most of the Bible would not have been written, but that's another story. The study for this week is taken from the Old Testament because there we find some of the most striking expressions of the truth: The universe around us does not owe itself, it is not ours; it is God's.

God's world is planned. What does it involve to say, God is Creator? That is more than a title, though title it is. We mean more than that God is creative, we mean that God created all that exists, known to us or unknown.

No space traveler ever will discover some region in unimaginable remoteness from this earth, so far away that God is not there. God is not only now everywhere in his universe, God is not only infinitely more than his universe, but there never would have been a spark of life, of existence, of anything whatever, visible or not, knowable or not, if God had not thought of it, intended it and planned it. The universe is not an accident, the universe has not existed through all eternities. It is here because God said, Let it be. How did God create the universe? When did he create it? Did it look as it now does when it was new? Did he have any help? What was his reason for making it? How is it all going to end? To only one of those questions is there any clear answer; the reader is invited to think which question it is. Perhaps true answers to such questions could not be understood because they could not be answered in human language. One thing stands clear: God is not surprised by the universe he has made, he is not frightened by it, and he will not be beaten down by it. It is his universe; it is marked, so to speak, by his fingerprints.

It is incomplete. A great American Christian thinker, Dr. C. S. Lewis, once pointed out that although we can read the handwriting of the Almighty on the universe, and while it shows God's infinitely wise planning, it does not yet appear in its fullness as he plans that it shall. This earth at all events is an unfinished earth. This alone is not, however, the whole story. The universe, or the corner of it in which we live, the part of it we can do something about—this we are invited by God to help him bring toward completeness. Think, if you will, of the innumerable products—dyes, paints, foods, fabrics—made from coal tar. The Creator left it to man to bring these into existence.

God's mirror. From the way the Bible writers present God as Creator, we can know something about God from the things he has made. Consider how the prophet Isaiah speaks to the discouraged exiles. He bids them remember the Creator. They thought God had forgotten them; but no, God the Creator does not create only to forget. A child making mud pies might do that; but certainly not God. The people thought that God was unable to help them. Isaiah the prophet reminds them that nothing is too great for God's power to achieve. The people thought that blind and cruel fate, or chance had torn them from their homes and thrown them out into the cruelities of Babylon. The prophet assures them that the Creator is not one who works without plans. God who planned this universe has a place in that plan for every man—for you.



### FRIENDS OF GOD

Rev. James R. Meadows

How beautiful it is to be called a friend! There is nothing too good for our friends. No sacrifice too great in their behalf. And it is well that we do cultivate and keep in good repair the friendships we've made in life, for they like the houses we live in will soon go to rack and ruin under constant neglect. We would be lonely without friends.

But it is even more beautiful to be called a "friend of God." God, too, would be lonely without friends and so He has lovingly sought us by sending His Son Jesus into the world to be our Saviour.

No sacrifice did God consider too great for His children. No sacrifice on our part should be considered too great in behalf of Him who has by His life and death made us friends of God.

Remember these comforting words of Jesus found in the 14th chapter of John: "If a man love Me, he will keep My words; and My Father will love him, and we

Zion Lutheran Church  
A. A. Fenner, pastor

9 and 10:30 a.m. Divine Services.

10:15 a.m. Sunday school and Bible class.

Tuesday  
Members of Walter League will meet at 8:00 p.m.

Wednesday  
All day quilting by Ladies of Adult Club.

Choirs will meet at 8 p.m.

Thursday  
Adult Bible class will meet at 8:00 p.m.

Saturday  
Adult Club variety show at 8:00 p.m.

Pleasant Dale Church of the Brethren. Dolar Ritchey, pastor

Sunday school 9:30 Oscar Geisel, superintendent.

Director of Children's Work, Ellen Leyse.

Morning Worship 10:30 Sermon subject, "What Must I do to be Saved?"

Evening services 7:30 Sermon subject, "What doest thou here?"

CBYF. Following evening services, at the Parish Hall.

Midweek services 7:30

The church World Service Truck will be at the Parish Hall April 13, to pick up Relief material.

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