

CHURCH LEADER TO DELIVER TWO SERMONS SUNDAY

Dr. Lovejoy Speaks at
Roberts Park and East
Tenth St. Churches.

The Rev. Luther E. Lovejoy, D. D., of Chicago, stewardship secretary of the world service commission of the Methodist Episcopal Church, and author of a new interdenominational text book, "Stewardship for All of Life," will speak at the Roberts Park M. E. Church Sunday morning and at the East Tenth Street M. E. Church in the evening.

Dr. Lovejoy has held important pastorates in New England, in Grand Rapids and Detroit, Mich., and has been director of stewardship activities in New York and Boston. He is now in charge of the entire stewardship program of the Methodist denomination, caring for the various features of the work throughout the United States.

Dr. Lovejoy's personal experiences in stewardship promotion have provided unusual qualifications for his work. The first important church of which he was pastor was burdened with the largest debt in the Methodist conference, and threatened with foreclosure and bankruptcy.

Under his leadership, and through the application of stewardship principles, which he proposed, the debt was entirely canceled within six months. In his next pastorate the missionary offerings of the church increased, in four years, more than 1,000 per cent.

Out of these experiences has grown the demand for his new volume, "Stewardship for All of Life," which was written at the request of the editors of Sunday school publications, and of the world service commission, has since been adopted as an official standard by the leading evangelical denominations of the United States and Canada, and has been introduced into the study program of several institutes, seminaries and colleges.

BRIGHTWOOD CHURCH TO BE DEDICATED

About the first of last year, B. L. Allen began holding regular Lord's meetings in the Red Men's Hall, corner of E. Twenty-Eighth St. and N. Sherman Drive, with a view toward establishing a Church of Christ.

A Bible school was started, and weekly communion and preaching was held. Mr. Allen doing most of the preaching, but others also assisting. Then on April 1, 1923, the church was organized, and has maintained regular Lord's day meetings ever since.

Many of the original members have moved away and some have

Union Services Thanksgiving

The following churches, Broadway Methodist Episcopal, First United Presbyterian, Sutherland Presbyterian, First Moravian Episcopal and the Second Moravian Episcopal, will unite in a union Thanksgiving service to be held Thanksgiving day at 10 a. m., at the First Moravian Episcopal Church, E. Twenty-Fifth St. and College Ave. The Rev. Vernon Couillard of the Second Moravian Episcopal Church, will deliver the address.

"Jeremiah's Message for Today," will be the theme for the morning sermon at the First Moravian Episcopal Church. The sermon theme for the evening service will be "Ye Are Christ's Friends, II." The Rev. C. O. Weber, will preach morning and evening.

ded and this has greatly reduced the number of active members, but the few that are left bought a lot on Denny St., about halfway between Twenty-Eighth and Thirtieth, paying for it and getting the deed and abstract the last of February.

Upon this lot a building was commenced the first of October, which is to be dedicated Nov. 23, the fourth Lord's day in this month. The following will be the program for Sunday:

8:30 A. M.—Bible School: Adam Lari, president. Voted at last week 100 present.
9:30 A. M.—Praise by B. L. Allen; subject, "Christ and His Church."
10:00 P. M.—Song and Praise Service.
10:30 P. M.—Fellowship meeting, in which the following preachers are expected to take part: D. A. Trinkle, minister of the Englewood Church; J. E. Pritchett, minister of West Park Church; Homer Dale, minister of Hillside Church; and possibly others. The members of these and other Christian congregations, as well as other people are invited and expected to be present at this afternoon meeting.

7:00 P. M.—Song and Praise Meeting.
7:30 P. M.—Sermon by B. L. Allen; subject, "The Restoration of Primitive Christianity."
8:30 P. M.—Dedication exercises.

A series of Gospel readings will immediately follow the dedication of the new church building in Brightwood at 2842 North Denny St., being conducted by the minister, B. L. Allen. Unless otherwise changed, he will speak on the following subjects each evening at 7:30:

Nov. 24—"Our Sins and Our Savior."
Nov. 25—"The Word of God."
Nov. 26—"The Power of the Gospel."
Nov. 27—"Thanksgiving and Thanks."
Nov. 28—"The Purpose of the Bible."

DR. LEWIS BROWN of St. Paul's Episcopal Church will speak Sunday morning on "The Coming of the End" and at night on "Canal: The Transformed Wedding Feast," as the second sermon of a series.

DR. EDWIN CUNNINGHAM of the Central Universalist Church speaks at 10:35 a. m. Sunday on "Salvation From Evil."

THE REV. GUY V. HARTMAN of the Hall Place M. E. Church announces his subjects Sunday as "The Best Way to Give Thanks" and "The Sacredness of Property," another

sermon of a series on "The Ten Commandments."

DR. FRANK S. C. WICKS of All Souls Unitarian Church announces the following order of service at 11 a. m. Sunday:

"Northern Song".....Schumann
"Good Bye".....Tosti
Hymn 338
Four Service.
Covenant.
Anthem—"Words of Aspiration"
Responsive Reading, 23rd Selection.
Scriptures.
Hymn 456
Notice and Offerings.
"Angels Serenade".....Beza
Address—"Code of Hammurabi."
Hymn 402 (Coronation).
Benediction.
Postlude.
"Grand Processional".....Gounod

THE REV. CHARLES H. GUN-SOLUS will preach at the Spiritualist Church of Truth Sunday on "Where Are The Nine?" This will be a special Thanksgiving service.

R. E. DUNLAP, who is attending the National Stewardship Conference, will speak Sunday morning at the St. Paul M. E. Church. The Rev. M. E. Marvel will speak at night on "Church Location."

THE REV. L. C. E. PACKLER of St. Matthew Evangelical Lutheran Church, will speak Sunday morning on "Christ and the Sadducees on the Doctrine of the Resurrection," and at night on "The Word the Spirit Spoke to Symna." The annual Thanksgiving service will be held at 8 o'clock, Wednesday night.

"TEMPTATIONS," is the sermon subject of Rev. J. H. Billing at the Second Evangelical Church Sunday morning. At 7:45 p. m. Rev. J. W. Heininger, executive secretary of the Forward Movement of Cleveland, Ohio, will speak on "Stewardship."

THE ANNUAL UNION Thanksgiving service of the Temple, the Universalist and All Souls Churches will be held Thursday, Nov. 27, at 11 o'clock at the Universalist Church. Mr. Joseph Myers, literary editor of the Indianapolis News, will make the address.

AT HILLSIDE CHRISTIAN Church Sunday morning the pastor, Homer Dale, will have for his theme "In Everything Give Thanks." At the evening service his topic will be "On the Road to Damascus." "A Soldier's Kit Bag" will be the subject of the sermon at children's church.

DR. M. B. HYDES communion theme will be "The Divine Estimate of Human Devotion." At 10:45 at Grace M. E. Church. At 7:30 his theme will be, "Influence."

FAIRVIEW PRESBYTERIAN Church will observe Sunday as Thanksgiving Sunday. At 11 a. m. Dr. Edward Haines Kistler will speak on "Saying Amen" to Thanksgiving. At 7:45 p. m. a Thanksgiving musical hour of worship will be given under the direction of Mrs. P. T. Eshenhar, organist and choirmaster. The program follows: Prelude, "Minuet" (Scharwenka); anthem, "Exalted Be Thy Name" (Gaston Borch); violin solo, "The Lament of a Rose" (Burlington); Octave Green; duet, "The Lord Is My Light" (Matthews); Mrs. Hepp-

ner, Mr. Talbot; quartette, "The Day Is Ended" (Bartlett); solo, "I Praise The Lord" (Spence); Mrs. Heppner; "The Festival Te Deum" (Dudley Buck); postlude, "Toccata" (Dulcino).

REV. C. C. BONNELL of the Garfield Ave. M. E. Church will preach Sunday morning on "Divine Heartburn" and at night on "Glorifying Common Things."

THANKSGIVING SERVICE ANNOUNCED HERE

The Emerson Avenue Baptist Church has established an annual custom of holding a Thanksgiving service every Thanksgiving day from 10 to 11 a. m. The speaker this year will be the Rev. William T. Dorward, D. D., of Milwaukee, Wis., father-in-law of the pastor, Dr. Dorward is a lecturer of wide note. For eleven years he was pastor of the Tabernacle Baptist Church of Milwaukee, and has gained an influence in that city held by few men. Judge Baccus and Judge Geiger are both very personal friends of "the Dominie." Dr. and Mrs. Dorward will spend the weekend with their daughter, Mrs. Anne Dorward Morris, and her husband.

REV. G. L. THOMAS of the Victory Memorial Methodist Protestant Church will speak Sunday morning on "Cast Off Because" and at night on "Affirmation." A sunrise prayer meeting will be held Thursday morning at 6:30 and a service will be held at 10 a. m. Thursday.

AT CENTRAL AVENUE METHODIST CHURCH, Dr. O. W. Fifer, pastor, will speak Sunday morning on "Thanksgiving of Grace," and at night on "The Scorch Team Players."

AT EMERSON AVENUE BAPTIST CHURCH Sunday morning, Mrs. H. E. Goodman, president of the Women's American Baptist Foreign Mission Society, will speak on "Stewardship." At the evening service the pastor, Paul Judson Morris, will speak on "Religious Scrupulousity."

FAHY WILL TAKE STAND

CHICAGO, Nov. 22.—William J. Fahy, former postal inspector of the Chicago region, was to take the witness stand in his own defense in Federal Court here today. Fahy, with two Chicago politicians, is on trial charged with engineering the \$200,000 mail robbery at Rendou, Ill., June 12.

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Talbot Booking



GERALDINE FARRAR

The next Ona B. Talbot attraction will be Geraldine Farrar at the Murit on Sunday afternoon, Dec. 7 in "Carmen."

VERDICT BEING PREPARED

Death of Crawfordville Boy to Be Declared Accidental.

By United Press
CRAWFORDVILLE, Ind., Nov. 22.—Coroner Griffith today was preparing to return a verdict of accidental shooting in the death of Jesse Roach, 12, whose bullet-pierced body was found in a field near here Thursday.

Police had failed to solve the mystery surrounding the case after working on it for two days. Coroner Griffith said, however, that the weight of evidence indicated the killing was accidental.

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Story of the Transfiguration of Jesus Christ

By WM. E. GILROY, D. D., Editor of The Congregationalist.

This remarkable story bears upon the surface its great suggestions and teachings. It reminds us of the profound need of visions that lift us above the day's tasks and the humdrum and commonplace round of life and give us faith and strength to go on. Few men attain to great service without some ennobling, uplifting experience in life. Even the Master must be transfigured before us to give us conviction in the hour of temptation, trial and doubt.

Peter had already acknowledged his Lord. When he made the great confession he had meant it with all his heart, but even after this experience on the Mount of Transfiguration he denied his Lord.

But in that very moment of denial he must have realized the glory on the Mount. That is the quality and purpose of these unusual experiences—to prepare us for the hours when there is no vision, to supply for us the reserves of faith.

Why did not all the disciples have this experience? Why was it for only Peter, James and John. We cannot know. Possibly the vision came only to those who had the power to see. Possibly the safety and strength of the others depended upon the example of fidelity and sureness in these three, who seemed to be the natural leaders among the twelve.

What happened on the Mount? Was the Transfiguration a waking experience or something seen in a trance? We do not know, and what does it matter? The disciples saw their Lord in glorified vision, and they came down from the Mount with a new sense of nearness to their Lord, because of this intimate experience that they had shared with Him, and with an indelible impression of His divine mission and His divine approval.

In this vision the three disciples saw Jesus conversing with Moses and Elijah. What was the significance of this? It must have been to remove from their minds all doubts and fears. Moses and Elijah represented the law and the prophets, the historic religion of Israel.

Would it be unnatural that in the minds of these who had left all and followed Jesus that at times there might arise some doubt or questioning?

Were they right, after all, in leaving home and friends? Was not the old religion, the religion of those round about them, all that was necessary? Might not this new prophet be no prophet after all?

Here was the answer. Jesus was the true successor of Moses and Elijah. And then came also that voice of authority, "This is my beloved Son; hear Him."

And then, how sudden was the transition! The voice was past, and they were alone with Jesus.

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the disciples at the time. But with what clearness when the trying hour came, or at least when light was emerging out of darkness, would they recall the scene and the words spoken concerning the decease of Jesus!

What strengthening of faith, and consciousness of fellowship, would that memory bring!

The Mount of Transfiguration has its place, but it is not the normal place. The disciples came down from the unusual experience to take up regular tasks. Life's transfiguration experiences are tested by the "aspiration they impart for daily life and service."

Hoot Gibson Is Well Again

Hoot Gibson, who has been ill of the flu since coming back from the Penetration Round-Up, where two pictures, "The Saddle Hawk" and "Let 'Er Buck," were filmed, has recovered and started production on "Taming the West," under the direction of Arthur Rosson.

ONE OF THE THINGS
INDIANAPOLIS
HAS CAUSE TO BE THANKFUL FOR
ANOTHER WEEK

Harold Lloyd in
"HOT WATER"
at the
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"FAST COMPANY"
Fox News Weekly
Emil Seidel and His Orchestra
Earl Gordon, Organ Selections

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