

## ST. MATTHEW PLANS SACRED SONG SERVICE

'The Symbol of the Cross' Is Lenten Sermon Theme of Mr. Fackler.

The Rev. L. C. E. Fackler, pastor of St. Matthew Lutheran Church, announces that he will deliver his first Lenten service Sunday morning, using "The Symbol of the Cross" as the theme. In the evening there is to be a sacred song service as follows:

Prelude—"Chapel Chimes"..... Miss Margaret Elbert.

Hymn 422—"I Will Lift Up to Thee," Congregation.

Liturgical Service.....

The Rev. L. C. E. Fackler.

"The Value of Music in Church Service," The Rev. L. C. E. Fackler.

Hymn 144—"A Tower of Strength," Congregation.

Anthem—"My Soul Doth Sing,"..... Franklin E. Hathaway.

A History of the Cross "Just as I Am,"..... Miss Lawanda Engel.

Anthem—"Just as I Am,"..... Chester Wiedeman and Clayton Little.

Anthem—"Sing Alleluia,"..... Fred W. Peace.

St. Matthew's Choir.

History of the Cross "With Me,"..... Miss Einice Taborro.

Anthem—"Abide With Me,".....

Duet—"Come Unto Me,"..... Ralph Cox.

Soloised Dorothy and Kathleen Somers.

Antiphony—"The Lamb of God,"..... Von Berg-Holton.

Announcements.....

The Rev. L. C. E. Fackler.

Offertory—"Love Grows,"..... J. Messina.

Hymn 501—"Savior Like a Shepherd Lead Us,"..... Congregation.

Doxology.

Sunday closes the week of Chautauqua at the Hillsdale Christian Church. The pastor, Homer Dale, will preach on "If Thou Canst." At the evening hour E. R. Moon, a returned missionary from Africa, will speak on "An Evening in the Jungles of Africa."

The next regular meeting, at 6 p.m., of the Men's Brotherhood of Beech Grove Christian Church, will be in the nature of a "Fellowship Dinner." The Rev. Homer Bobbitt, pastor Linwood Christian Church, will be the principal speaker. Rev. Bobbitt has a world-wide experience as a platform orator, as well as a prominent pastor among the Disciples Church of the city. The dinner is open to all men of the community 17 years of age and over. This is not a money-making affair, but a nominal fee is charged merely to cover the cost of the occasion. Good singing and special music will be provided.

Bethlehem Lutheran Church, Fifty-Second St. and Central Ave., Allen K. Trout, pastor, has prepared a full Lenten program. There will be preaching services every Wednesday evening starting Feb. 22 and continuing until Easter. A special song service has been arranged and the choir will take active part in this work. The object is to give the people the true Gospel and leave them to see the higher ways of life and allow them to form their own opinions regarding their own soul's salvation.

At the Second Moravian Episcopal Church, corner Thirty-Fourth and Hovey Sts., the pastor, the Rev. Vernon W. Couillard, will preach at the morning service on "The Divine Dynamics." His evening theme will be "Is Evangelism Worth While?" The Lord's Supper will be served in connection with the evening service.

"While We Are Busy Here and There" will be the subject of the morning sermon of the Rev. Christian O. Weber, pastor of the First Moravian Episcopal Church. The

## To Appear at Lyric Next Week



Two radio stars from Station WLW, Cincinnati, who will be seen at the Lyric next week in a song presentation. They are billed as "just plain Charlotte and Mary."

evening subject will be "If It Be of God, We Cannot Overthrow It."

The Rev. Ambrose Aegeer, pastor of the Beville Avenue Evangelical Church, announces that "The Christian Vision Translated Into Life," will be the theme of the morning sermon. In the evening he will use "Four Certainties of Christianity."

At 7:30 p.m. the Rev. H. B. Hazen announces there is to be shown a full set of stereopticon pictures of the "Passion Play." The sermon for the morning at the Emmanuel Baptist Church is to be "Jesus Own Defense."

The Rev. Forest A. Reed, pastor of the Brookside United Brethren Church announces as the morning theme "Gods Work and Prayer" and in the evening the pastor will speak on "What Do We See and Hear?"

The following is the program of services of the First Congregational Church announced by the Rev. William I. Caughran.

Voluntary..... St. Clair Schumann

String Ensemble and Organ.

Antiphony—"I Will Look to Thee,"..... Bassford Staff

Offertory—"Cavalcade,".....

Evangelical and Organ.

Sermon—"Religion and Health,"..... Mr. Caughran.

Antiphony—"Evening Prayer,"..... John Warren

Postlude—Mrs. Bertie Miller Buck.

Ensemble—John Brown, Budner, violin.

Glen Colvin, viola; Marcella Campbell, cello; Ruth Miller, piano.

Quartet—Mrs. Florence Parkin Welch, soprano; Miss Mildred Johns, centralo; Raymond Edie, tenor; Mr. A. D. Hite, baritone.

The topic for the morning sermon as announced by the Rev. W. B. Gmire, pastor of the Bellaire M. E. Church, will be "Remember the Sabbath Day to Keep it Holy." In the evening the pastor will use "Why Halt Ye Between Two Opinions" as his sermon.

The Rev. L. C. Howe, pastor of the Broad Ripple Christian Church, announces "Pentecost and the Disciples of Christ" as the morning sermon subject. In the evening he

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the Rev. O. A. Trinkle, pastor of the Englewood Christian Church. In the evening the sermon will be "The Challenge to Modern Youth."

The Rev. G. L. Farrow, pastor of the Victory Memorial Church, will preach in the morning on "Jesus as a Personal Worker." In the evening the Rev. Frank Niles, general secretary of the Lords Day Alliance of Ohio will be the speaker.

The following is the program of music of the North M. E. Church beginning at 10:45 a.m.:

Organ Prelude—"Cavalcade,"..... J. Ray

Antiphony—"Fair Looks Up to Thee,"..... Lachner

Offertory—"Amen,"..... C. W. von Gluck

Postlude—"Fanfare,"..... Th. Dubois

In the evening the program will be as follows:

Organ Prelude—"Serenade,"..... Charles M. Wides

Antiphony—"O Be Joyful in God,"..... R. Spence

Offertory—"Air from 'Rinaldo,'"..... G. F. Handel

Duet—Nester, M. Gott, 12. The Handel

Postlude—"Marche Aux Flambeaux,"..... Clark

Soloists—Mrs. Walter E. Wallace, soprano; Frank H. Nelson, contralto; Fred Hummel, tenor; W. C. Gray, baritone. Vestry choir of thirty voices.

The Luther League of the Ebenezer Lutheran Church will have the pleasure of hearing a noted missionary Sunday.

Mrs. Grover C. Leonard who for ten years was a missionary to Liberia, Africa, will address the Luther League. Mrs. Leonard has had a great deal of experience in mission work and while in Africa, she and her husband were head of all the mission work carried on by the Lutheran Church in that great continent (at the present time Mrs. Leonard's husband is synodical superintendent of the Indiana Synod of the Lutheran Church).

An effort is being made to secure a large attendance to hear Mrs. Leonard. This missionary is a forceful speaker and comes to present a topic of vital interest.

Everyone is most cordially invited to hear this speaker who has been of the leading missionaries of the Lutheran Church. The service will begin at 7 o'clock.

"The Key to the Upper Room" will be the sermon subject for the 11 a.m. worship service at the Speedway Boulevard Methodist Episcopal Church.

"Salvation of Your House" will be the subject at the 7:30 p.m. service.

The pastor will conduct both services.

The Rev. Fred A. Line will preach at Central Universalist Church, Fifteenth and N. New Jersey Sts., at 11 a.m., his subject being "The Honest Christian." There will be good music. Sunday school convenes at 9:30. A cordial welcome for all at these services.

The following is the program of the services of the Unitarian Church as announced by the pastor, Dr. F. S. C. Wicks, to begin at 11 o'clock:

Fantaisie ("Tourne," Melody (Grieg); Hymn 326; Fourth Service; Covenant, them; Words of Aspiration; Responsive Reading, Selection; Scripture Reading, No. 109; notice of other scenes that are Brightest (Wallace); Address, "Creators and Imitators"; Hymn No. 518; Benediction; Grand March (Verdi).

The Young Ladies Vester Choir will sing and Miss Vivian Campbell will play a violin solo as offertory.

In the evening the sermon subject will be "The Man Who Ran Past the Signal." R. C. Hiller and Rev. Seelig will sing a duet.

The morning service of the Rev. W. H. Harrison, pastor of the Tempe Baptist Church will be "Latent Power." In the evening the theme of the sermon will be "Drawing Power." The revival services will continue throughout the week. The pastor has charge of the meetings.

The Rev. Floyd Van Keuren, rector of Christ Episcopal Church, will have a celebration of the Holy Communion at 8 o'clock. Morning prayer service will be at 10:45 and the sermon topic will be "Am I Snubbing Christ?"

At the evening song service the rector will preach on the subject, "But What Will People Say?"

Bishop Rogers of Cleveland, Ohio, will be the noonday Lenten preacher Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. On Friday noon the rector of Christ Church will be the preacher.

Confirmation classes are held each Friday, for children, from 4

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## Sunday School Lesson

The International Uniform Sunday School Lesson for Feb. 26. Other Sunday Works of Jesus, Mark 5:22-27, 32-34, 41, 42.

BY WILLIAM E. GILROY, D. D.

Editor of *The Congregationalist*

**T**HE lesson deals with two stories of the miraculous power of Jesus.

It is worth while to remind the reader that the value of the stories of the miraculous for ourselves is found in their spiritual effect upon us. The important thing is not so much what they tell concerning what has happened long ago, but what is going to happen to us as we read and meditate upon these records in the present.

The more strongly we believe in the power of God, and in its remarkable manifestations, the more easily we may assume that that power is with us to bless our lives as deeply as the lives of others were blessed in the past. The New Testament reveals the power of God at its highest and deepest, not primarily with the healing of the body, but first of all with the salvation of the soul. The miracles of life-giving and healing are incidental in the deeper ministry of Christ as the giver of eternal life.

**Faith of Jairus**

Let us contemplate these miraculous stories of our lesson in the light of this general thought of God's power and God's purpose as emphasized in the New Testament story of the mission of the Christ. First of all, we have the profound trust of this ruler of the synagogue, Jairus, who believes that Jesus can restore to life the daughter who is at the point of death. He beseeches Jesus to come and heal his daughter.

But while this incident has been transpiring there hurry those from the house of Jairus to assure him that there is no need longer to trouble the Master, that his daughter is dead. Was she really dead, or was she sleeping in a trance, almost indistinguishable from death?

The light of modern scientific facts in relation to such experiences as this border line of life and death might give point to the inquiry, and those who seem to regard it as necessary to rationalize all the stories of the miraculous might lay great stress upon the assumption that the damsel was not really dead, but only in a trance.

But such questionings, so far as we are concerned, are wide of the mark. Why should we think it less wonderful that Jesus should raise from the dead than that we should restore to wholeness those who are broken and afflicted in body?

Faith knows no secrets and no limiting circumstance of position or lawfulness. God honors alike the faith of the great and the lowly, of the learned and of the unlearned.

**Former Lawmaker Dies**

By Times Special

PERU, Ind., Feb. 25—Funeral services will be held Monday for William Hart, 71, former Representative in the State Legislature from Miami County, who died Thursday night of pneumonia.

**Mayor's Office Looted**

By United Press

HARTFORD CITY, Ind., Feb. 25.—A burglar working in the office of Mayor D. H. Hollingshead obtained \$194.25 in money and checks from a safe.

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reveals both the defects and the glories of faith—and the glories of faith that so often are very real even when they are associated with the defects of faith and with some elements of superstition!

**Power in Personality**

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