

CITY CHURCHES PREPARE FOR LENT SERVICES

Christ Church Will Hold Noonday Meetings for Weeks.

ENTEN noon-day services will be held in Christ church, Monument Circle, each week-day except Saturday from 12:05 to 12:35, beginning Feb. 18 and ending April 3.

Speakers have been selected by the committee in charge. For Ash Wednesday and the two days following, the Rt. Rev. Joseph M. Francis, D. D., bishop of Indianapolis; Feb. 24 to 27, inclusive, the Rt. Rev. James Wise, D. D., bishop of Kansas; March 3 to 6, inclusive, the Rev. Harold L. Rowen, rector of St. Mark's church, Evanston, Ill.; March 10 to 13, inclusive, the Rev. John Gass, D. D., rector of St. John's church, Charleston, W. Va.; March 18 to 20, inclusive, the Rt. Rev. Warren L. Rogers, D. D., bishop of Ohio; March 24 to 27, inclusive, the Rt. Rev. Thomas Casady, S. T. D., bishop of Oklahoma; Holy week, March 30 to April 3, inclusive, the Rt. Rev. Joseph M. Francis, D. D.

Speakers for the Monday services will be announced later. Each Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock in All Saints' cathedral, Sixteenth street and Central avenue, the visiting speaker will preach at the inter-parochial service.

DR. KISTLER TO TALK ON LENT

Dr. Edward Haines Kistler will note the beginning of Lent Wednesday by speaking in the Fairview Presbyterian church Sunday morning on "A Pre-Lenten Diagnosis." Time of the "Sunday Evening Family Hour" has been changed to 7 o'clock.

Annual election of officers of the Jane T. Hendricks Section of the W. M. S. will be held Monday at 6:30 in the church social-room. Hostesses in charge will be Mrs. Alexander W. Knox and Mrs. Hubert H. Kemp.

SERVICES ANNOUNCED AT MORAVIAN CHURCHES

In the First Moravian Episcopal church, Twenty-second street and Broadway, the pastor, the Rev. F. P. Stocker, will preach at 11 a. m. Sunday, on the topic, "Interrupted Religion," and at the vesper service at 4:30 on "Superstitions."

In the Second Moravian Episcopal church, Thirty-fourth and Hovey streets, the Rev. Millford Barrick will preach at 10:45 Sunday, and the Rev. F. P. Stocker, pastor of the First Moravian Episcopal church, will preach at 7:45 p. m.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE THEME ANNOUNCED

"Soul" is the subject of the lesson sermon in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, Sunday, Feb. 15. Among citations which comprise the lesson portion is the following from the Bible:

And as Jesus passed by, he saw a man which was blind from his birth. And his disciples asked him, saying, Master, who did sin, this man, or his parents, that he was born blind? Jesus answered, neither hath this man sinned, nor his parents: but that the works of God should be made manifest in him. Jesus said unto him, I am he that sent me: while it is day, the night cometh; when no man can work. (John 9:1-4)

The lesson-sermon also includes the following passages from the Christian Science text book, "Science and Health With Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy: "that soul and its attributes were forever separated from the body" and "the soul, which had been healed, saw right to the blind, hearing to the deaf, feet to the lame, thus bringing to light the scientific action of the divine mind on human minds and bodies and giving a better understanding of soul and salvation. Jesus had healed the blind and sin by one and the same metaphysical process.

CHORAL CLUB TO APPEAR AT CHURCH

A concert will mark the debut of the Little Choral Club of Indianapolis Thursday night, Feb. 26, at 8 o'clock in the auditorium of St. Paul's M. E. church, Rader and Euclid streets.

Frederick Sabins, who has had experience in choral work at Louisville, is director. The purpose of the club is to further interest in part-singing.

Members of this organization are Misses Eleanor Klutzy, Lois Lee, Marjorie Goldsborough, Margaret Taylor, Kathryn Cooper, Doris Gardner, Jane Scott, Margaret Todd, Dorothy Golden, Lillian Dyer, Ernestine Sutton, Frances Bratton, Frances Cox, Celina Cox, Messrs. Irvin Burdhardt, Charles Davis, Kenneth Hughes, Richard Davis, Ray Russell, George Russell, Alvin Holt and Clarence Hogue. Mrs. R. O. Runde, his accompanist.

RECITAL IS PLANNED AT CHURCH

Cheston L. Heath, M. A., presents the following pupils in organ and piano at the First church Monday night at 8:15: "Ave Maria" Cathedral Windows.

Toccata—Thou Art The Rock—Karl Mertl—Song—Onward Christian Soldiers—Song—The Day That Is Coming—Song—Henry M. Leibet—Song—Elizabeth Johnson.

Solo—O Divine Redeemer—Song—Charles Gounod—Maurice Fowler, boy soprano.

Minuet—Arr. by K. K. Bach—Song—K. P. E. Bach—Chorale—Gounod—James H. Rogers—Piano—R. E. Bach.

Solo—O Lord Be Merciful—Milton Dillie, boy soprano.

Fantasia and Fugue in G Minor—Carillon-Sonata—Song—Henry M. Leibet—Toccata in Concerto—Song—E. Lemare—Frederick Weber.

SPECIAL ASH WEDNESDAY SERVICES

Special services for Ash Wednesday will be held in Christ church.

Here Monday



Kochanski

On Monday night at Caleb Mills hall, Kochanski, violinist, will appear in recital under the direction of the Civic Music series.

Monument Circle, as follows, 7:15 a. m., Holy Communion; 10:30 a. m., Litany and Holy Communion; 12:05, noon service with address by Bishop Francis. The bishop will preach at the interparochial service in All Saints cathedral Wednesday night at 8 o'clock.

Thursday the services in Christ church will be at 12:05, with Bishop Francis as the speaker.

Friday there will be a celebration of the Holy Communion at 11 a. m., noonday service at 12:05, and a service and intercessions at 4 p. m.

Senator C. Oliver Holmes, Gary, will speak at morning worship at 10:40 at Riverside Park M. E. church, on "Christian Approach to the Crime Problem." Dr. David Kendall, Philadelphia, will speak at night services on "The Kingdom of God."

At the Broadway Evangelical church the Rev. Lloyd E. Smith will preach in the morning on "The Authority of Jesus." In the evening there will be a union service of the north group of churches, when Dr. E. N. Evans will preach. There will be no vesper service.

"Blind Eyes" will be the subject of the evening sermon of Holden M. Davis at the Hillside Christian church. Theme of the morning sermon will be "The Visible Church and the Invisible."

Central Christian church Bible school will give special recognition Sunday morning to all in the adult department who have attended the school for five years or less. A carnation will be presented to each member present who have been members of the adult department five years or less.

"The Stretched Out Hand" and "Under Grace" will be the themes of the Rev. C. H. Scheick of the Lynnhurst Baptist church.

"The Constraint of Love" and "The Glorious Calling of God" are the announced themes of the Rev. B. E. Shake at the Grace M. E. church. Night services will be held all next week by Evangelist E. R. Lewis.

Merle Siderer, before the Christian Men Builders at the Third Christian church, will speak in the morning on "The Durable Roof." A delegation from Haywood Barcos Post, 55, American Legion, will attend.

At St. Paul's Reformed church, the Rev. W. H. Klerin will speak in the morning on "Certain Success."

"Jesus and Home Life" will be the theme of the Rev. Wilbur D. Gross at the Fifty-First Street M. E. church. Baptismal service for children will be held.

"One Thing Needful" and "The Sinner's Only Hope" will be the themes of the Rev. E. T. Taylor at the East Park M. E. church.

At the Second Evangelical church, the Rev. J. H. Rilling speaks in the morning on "Lost Opportunities Restored" and at the vesper service on "Lincoln as a Christian."

Arrangements have been completed for the holding of a special church laymen's meeting at the Trinity M. E. church, 625 Division street, under the auspices of the men of this church, Monday evening, Feb. 16, at 7:30 p. m.

This meeting is called for the purpose of discussing with laymen from other churches the movement of organizing in this city an inter-denominational church laymen's brotherhood.

The object of this brotherhood will be to encourage the application of the Golden Rule in the everyday problems and relations of men.

The following program will be given:

Song—"Stand Up for Jesus" By Men's Chorus.

Song—"Onward Christian Soldiers."

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Social Music Selection.

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Mr. Hay was born in 1904 in Vir-

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Since his ordination to the Christian ministry, the Rev. Mr. Hay has been active in the field of religious education in the Reformed church in the United States, serving Trinity church, Detroit, Mich., and acting on the Detroit council of religious education. He was called from Detroit to become associate of Dr. George Laughlin, minister of the First Congregational church of Toledo, O., the largest church of the denomination in Ohio. The Rev. Mr. Hay has been especially interested in the First church school of that city, which is regarded as a model.

The First Congregational church is one of the oldest churches in Indianapolis and is located at Sixteenth and Delaware streets.

"Why Foreign Missions" will be the morning theme of the Rev. C. G. Hommerhausen at the Carrollton Avenue Reformed church. Union services will be held at night at the Broadway Evangelical church.

"Loyalty of Ruth to Naomi" will be the Sunday morning sermon topic of the Rev. George S. Southworth at the Church of the Advent, Episcopalian.

The Rev. Otto H. Nater of the Missionary Tabernacle will speak Sunday morning on "Beauty for Ashes" and at night, "The Price of Disobedience." At 2:30 p. m. the Rev. James Harper speaks on "Bible Prophecies Being Fulfilled."

"The Contagion of Faith" and "Seeking the Lost" are the announced themes of Dr. Frederick M. Burnham of the University Park Christian church.

"The Treatment for An Ailing World" and "Sacrificing Youth for the Sin of Adults" will be the themes of the Rev. Joseph G. Moore at the Capitol Avenue M. E. church.

"The Open Doors" and "The Man Inside" will be the Sunday themes of the Rev. Ambrose Aegeger of the Beville Avenue Evangelical church.

At the Indiana Central College United Brethren church, the Rev. George L. Stine will speak in the morning on "A Wounded Christ for a Wounded World." At night, "What Can We Know About God?"

The Rev. William Talbott Jones of the Edwin Ray M. E. church will speak at both services Sunday.

Dr. Frank S. C. Wicks of All Souls Unitarian church will speak at 11 a. m. and Penitential office and address at 8 p. m.

"Meeting God" and "Jesus and the Crowd" will be the themes of the Rev. B. R. Johnson at the Roberts Park M. E. church. At night, his theme will be "Fools." Mrs. Jane Johnson Burroughs directs the choir.

Hastings Banda, a boy from an East African mission, who is taking a pre-med course at the University of Chicago, will speak in the morning at the Irvington Presbyterian church. At night, his theme will be "The Visible Church and the Invisible."

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"The Duty to Live in Charity With All Men" will be the morning theme of Gannon Robert Alexander of All Saints' Cathedral, Episcopalian. On Ash Wednesday, holy communion will be observed at 7 a. m.; morning prayer and litany at 9 a. m., and Penitential office and address at 8 p. m.

At the First Reformed church on Sunday morning the Rev. C. J. G. Russom will speak on "An Altar to God." The evening speaker will be Dr. David M. Edwards, executive secretary of the Indiana Council of International Relations, whose subject will be "A Practical Religion for the Modern World."

Dr. Edwards was formerly president of Earlham college.

"ART DIRECTOR TO TALK AT CHURCH"

Wilbur Peat of the John Herron Art Institute will give an illustrated lecture on "Art's Contribution to Human Welfare," the third in the series of Human Welfare by various specialists being given at the popular Sunday evening services of the Sutherland Presbyterian church.

The Sutherland Drama school will attend this service because of its vital relation to the production of period and religious drama. Miss Martha Atherton, violinist, will play the voluntary.

At the morning service, the Rev. Florizel A. Pfleider will discuss the theme, "The Practice of Lent."

Sutherland Presbyterian church will observe the World Day of Prayer, Friday, Feb. 20, with three 30-minute services of meditation and prayer.

The hours of these services are 6 a. m., 2 p. m. and 7:30 p. m. The general theme of the day will be "The Church and the Expectant World."

DR. MORRIS TO SPEAK HERE

The Rev. S. S. Morris, D. D., general secretary of the Allen C. E. League of the A. M. E. church, with headquarters at Nashville, Tenn., arrived in the city this morning and will speak at Bethel A. M. E. church, located at Vermont and Toledo streets, at 11 Sunday morning and will deliver an address before a young people's mass meeting at 6:30 Sunday evening. On Monday evening a banquet will be given in his honor when he will speak on his experiences in Europe. He attended the international convention of Christian Endeavor held at Berlin, Germany, in August of last year, and his party took in a number of points of interest in other sections of Europe. He leaves Tuesday morning for Chicago, Ill., where he will be the guest of the Young People's Union of that city. The Rev. R. L. Pope is pastor of Bethel church.

The Rev. James Harper at the Christian and Missionary Alliance speaks in the morning on "Master, Where Dwellest Thou?" At night, "Is the Man of Sin to Be Revealed?"

The Rev. Edmund Kerlin at the New York Street Evangelical church speaks in the morning on "What Is Jesus Doing Now?" At night, "Thinking Things Over With Jesus."

At the Bethany Evangelical Lutheran church, the Rev. J. Luther Seng will speak Sunday on "How May We Keep Lent?" and "The First Offering."

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