

# City Church Women's Council Picks Mrs. Ernst A. Piepenbrock as Leader; Four Others Elected

Former Secretary of Group Assumes Duties as President;  
Mrs. Henry Ostrom, Mrs. John Towns Are Secre-  
taries; Two Auditors Selected.

Mrs. Ernst A. Piepenbrock, 902 Sanders-st., today assumed office as president of the Indianapolis Council of Federated Church Women. With four other new officers, Mrs. Piepenbrock, wife of the Rev. Piepenbrock, pastor of St. John's Evangelical Church, was elected yesterday at the annual council meeting held in North Methodist Church.

Mrs. Piepenbrock, until her election as president, was council secretary. Other new officers elected are Mrs. Henry E. Ostrom, recording secretary; Mrs. John A. Towns, corresponding secretary; Mrs. William A. Shullenger, and Mrs. R. J. Hudelson, auditor. Mrs. Hudelson is the retiring president of the State Council of Federated Church Women.

Holdover Officers Named

Holdover officers of the council are Mrs. W. C. Hartinger, Mrs. George A. Van Dyke and Mrs. C. D. Brackett, first, second and third vice presidents; Mrs. F. L. Warner, treasurer, and Mrs. S. M. Roes, parliamentarian.

Mrs. George Burkhardt, nominating committee chairman, was in charge of the election of officers which took place during the business session which was held in the morning.

Speakers in the morning were the Rev. H. E. Eberhardt, Wheeler Rescue Mission superintendent, who spoke on "Our Opportunities Here at Home"; Dean Kirk B. O'Farrell, of the Episcopal Cathedral of De-

## ASSUMES OFFICE



Mrs. Ernst A. Piepenbrock

## Palm Sunday Service Set

Broadway Methodists to  
Have Ceremonies Night  
and Morning.

Palm Sunday services are to be held tomorrow at Broadway Methodist Church, morning and evening. "Holy, Holy, Holy," is to be sung by Ralph Coble in the morning service.

The evening services are to be conducted by the Broadway College class under the direction of Mrs. George B. Cannon.

A quartet is to sing "The Prayer Hymn," an explanation of which is to be given by Virginia Carson. Edwin Arlington Robinson's poem, "Calvary," is to be given by Mary Lou Over. Violin and piano numbers are to be played by Georgiana Mercer and Mary Gottman.

A double quartet is to sing "Jesus Calls Us," and an organ and piano number, "The Palms," by Faure, played by Mary Ethel Sunthamer, pianist, and Mrs. John Enlist, organist, will conclude the program.

# Ancient Ritual to Be Pattern in Fund Drive

King Joash Method Adopted  
by Central Avenue  
M. E. Church.

Joash Day is to be observed by the congregation of Central Avenue Methodist Church tomorrow. The services are patterned after the Biblical temple service of King Joash.

Centuries ago King Joash of Jerusalem, facing financial difficulty in repairing the temple, placed outside the altar a wooden chest with a slot in it in which gifts were to be placed.

Now, centuries after, the method is used to raise funds with which to pay church debts, obliterate deficits and collect funds for new churches.

Plan Extensive Alterations

It is this plan that the Central Avenue Church hopes to use to raise a fund for repairing the church plant, redecorating its auditorium, complete the general budget, get audiphones for those who do not have good hearing, buy new hymnals, and purchase new lighting equipment for the stage.

Not less than \$4000 is expected to be obtained Sunday when the congregation brings its gifts for the chest.

The chest is of oak, aged by burning, and hand-wrought brass nails are used for fastenings and banding. A hand-made lock, key and chain is attached.

# SUTHERLAND PLAYERS PRESENT DRAMA TOMORROW NIGHT



## Protestant Churches Arrange Noon Hour Pre-Easter Services

Theater Meetings Next Week Planned for Convenience  
of Workers and Visitors in Business District.

Pre-Easter meetings are to be held daily next week in the English Theater by the Protestant churches of the city.

The first of these services is to be held Monday at 12. All are to begin daily at that time.

The Rev. Jean S. Milner, Second Presbyterian Church pastor, is to preach the first service. His sermon subject will be "Faith's Fragile Dream." The Rev. Ellis W. Hay, First Congregational Church pastor, is to conduct devotions. The presiding officer is to be the Rev. O. Hershel Folger, First Friends Church pastor.

The Second Presbyterian Church quartet is to sing during the first day's services, with William F. Kugel, director of music at North Methodist Church, leader. Song

## Oratorio to Be Song by Choirs

First Presbyterian Church  
to Present Music.

"The Crucifixion," an oratorio by Stainer, is to be presented at the First Presbyterian Church at 7:30 tomorrow evening by the church choir.

Miss Gertrude Free, graduate of New York University music department, is to be organist. Soloists are: The Tenors, Henry Frader, Carroll Sipt and Robert Virden; basses, Louis Egbert, Wallace Knapp and George Osborne.

The oratorio is to be conducted by George Frederick Holler. A former member of the Westminster choir, Mr. Holler is a graduate of Ithaca Conservatory of Music and is now doing post-graduate work at the Cincinnati Conservatory of Music.

The five choirs of the church Sunday morning are to join in singing two antiphonal anthems, "Hosanna," by Gregor, and "The Palms," by Faure.

## Services Arranged by Christian Church

Night services will be held at 7:45 daily next week at the Eighth Christian Church. Special music is being selected for each service.

The services are as follows: Monday, the Rev. John Ray Clark, pastor of Broad Ripple Christian Church, will preach on "The Victory of the Cross"; Tuesday, the Rev. R. Powell Mead, First Christian pastor, Danville; Wednesday, sermon, "The Victorious Christ," the Rev. Garry L. Cook, West Morris pastor; Thursday, light communion and sermon by the pastor, the Rev. Glen W. Mell, "The Fellowship of His Sufferings"; Friday, "The Cross of Heroism," the Rev. John Farr, West Park Christian pastor.

A sacrificial luncheon will be given at 2 Wednesday at the church by the Women's Missionary Society.

## Church to Receive Class of Children

An instruction class of boys and girls is to be received into the Third Christian Church Sunday morning. The class has been instructed by the pastor, the Rev. William F. Rothenberger.

"God of All Nature," by Tchaikowsky, is to be sung by the Youth choir, directed by Mrs. Grace Parris, with Miss Mildred Hume, pianist. The church choir, with A. W. Mason directing and Miss Grace Slack, organist, is to sing "Unfold Ye Portals," by Gounod.

A baptismal service will approximate 10 a.m. The baptism, "The Christian Ordinance," is to be at 7:30 p.m.

## Evangelist States Subjects for Week

For the second week of his evangelistic campaign, the Rev. Basil Holt, evangelist at Englewood Christian Church, announced his subjects as follows for next week: Monday, "The Conversion of a Cabinet Officer"; Tuesday, "The Great Ransom"; Wednesday, "The History of Sprinkling"; Thursday, "The Non-Conversion of Agrippa"; Friday, "Repentance: What Is It?"

Assisting Mr. Holt are Humphrey Knighon, director of music, and Miss Grace Creighton, pianist.

## Church Schedules Pre-Easter Rites

Pre-Easter services are to begin tomorrow at Fountain Square Christian Church. The acting pastor, the Rev. E. L. Day, is to speak in the morning on "The Triumphal Entry," and in the evening on "Can Human Government Bring the Abundant Life?"

Through the week the pastor will discuss "Great Questions in the Last Week's Life of Our Lord."

William Leroy Millet, song director, will be in charge of gospel singing.

## Oratorio to Be Week's Climax

Traub Memorial M. E. Choir  
to Sing.

Presentation of "The Crucifixion," by Stainer, and celebration of the "Lord's Supper" at 8 Thursday night is to climax Holy Week celebration at Traub Memorial Methodist Church.

The choir is to be conducted by Mrs. Eva Fleming. The Rev. Lenn L. Latham is to officiate at the communion ceremony.

Starting with "And They Came to a Place Named Gethsemane," and ending with "After This, Jesus Knowing That All Things Were Now Accomplished," there are 19 numbers comprising the oratorio.

Soloists are to be Robert Overton, Eugene Eitel, Paul Borders, William Tedrow, Mabel Fields, Lloyd Byrne, Leo Tattersall and Howard Armstrong. Mr. Eitel and Mr. Borders will sing a duet, "So Thine Lifted Thy Divine Petition."

## Services Scheduled

Two services are to be held in University Park Christian Church during Holy Week. The first, a women's prayer service, is to be held at 2:30 Wednesday, and the second, a candle light communion service, is at 7:30 Thursday night.

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## Bishop to Give Final Sermon

Catholic Churches Plan 'Tre Ore' Observance.

The last of the series of Lenten sermons at St. Peter and Paul Cathedral will be delivered at 8 Wednesday by the Most Rev. Joseph E. Ritter, bishop of Indianapolis.

"The Ore," or services in observance of the three hours of agony served by Jesus on the cross, will be observed from 12 to 3 on Good Friday in the following Catholic churches among others: St. John's, Holy Cross and St. Joan of Arc.

The Mass of the Presanctified will be held in all Catholic churches on Good Friday morning, in most cases at 8.

The solemn unveiling of the cross and the Mass of the Presanctified are to be held in the cathedral with the Right Rev. Raymond R. Knoll, celebrant.

The Rev. Romuald Mollan, O. F. M., Oldenburg Franciscan Monastery, will be the principal speaker at Holy Cross Church during the "Tre Ore." The Rev. Patrick Griffin, Assumption Church pastor, is to be the speaker at service in St. Joan of Arc Church.

## Named Leader of Peace Committee

The Rev. Bert R. Johnson, pastor of Downey Avenue Christian Church, has been named to succeed Dr. James S. A. Crain as chairman of the local Emergency Peace Committee of the United Christian Missionary Society.

Dr. Crain, an executive secretary of the society, has been chosen by the National Emergency Peace Campaign as one of the speakers to make a nation-wide tour in the interest of peace. Beginning April 26, Dr. Crain and Sherwood Eddy, nationally known lecturers, are to speak in Texas and West Coast cities. Their tour is to end May 18.

## Lutherans Arrange Holy Week Services

Services are to be held through Holy Week at St. Matthew's Lutheran Church.

Holy Communion is to be celebrated at Thursday's service, for which the sermon topic will be "For the Forgiveness of Sins." On Good Friday the topic is to be "He Is Dead."

The Church Council will meet Thursday evening.

# City Institute of International Relations Is to Be Held April 18

Sponsors for Meeting at Y. W. C. A. Announced by  
Executive Committee Head, Mrs. Florence Carpenter.

Mrs. Florence Y. Carpenter, chairman of the executive committee of the Indianapolis Institute of International Relations which is to be held Saturday, April 18, has announced the following sponsors for the meeting:

The Indianapolis meeting, to be held at the Y. W. C. A., is one of a number of one-day sessions to be held in Indiana, Illinois and Ohio. It is to be held under the auspices of the American Friends Service Committee in co-operation with the Congregational Council for Social Action, local college and community organizations.

Speakers are to include Dr. Garfield V. Cox, professor of finance at the University of Chicago; Dr. Warner Clyde Allee, biology department of the University of Chicago, and the Rev. Milton Hadley, pastor of the Indiana Avenue Friends Church, Chicago.

Local committees are being assisted by the faculty of the Midwest Institute of International Relations of Northwestern University.

## Theater Meetings Next Week Planned for Convenience of Workers and Visitors in Business District.

The following groups are to provide special music during the week: Tuesday—Joint choir of the North and Capitol Avenue Methodist churches. William F. Kugel and Herbert E. Reinhard, directors; Wednesday—Englewood Christian Church choir, H. Knighton, director; Thursday—St. Mark's Lutheran Church girls' choral club, Mrs. O. C. C. Fetta, director; Good Friday—First hour, director, second hour, First Congregational quartet, A. D. Hitz, director; third hour, Central Avenue

The Indianapolis Church Federation has termed the meetings an outstanding gesture revealing the fine co-operative spirit of the people of the city.

For 25 years the Protestant churches of the city have united in these meetings, and in former years noted preachers from other cities have been brought in, but for the past five years local preachers have been speakers.

# IN INDIANAPOLIS CHURCHES TOMORROW

- BAPTIST**  
Tabernacle—The Rev. S. W. Harstock, pastor. Morning, "The Challenge of the Cross," evening, "The Challenge of the Cross."  
Memorial—The Rev. George G. Kinsley, pastor. Morning, "They Cast Out Four Devils," evening, "Concerning the Peace."  
Lyndhurst—The Rev. C. H. Scheick, pastor. Morning, "The Peace of God," evening, "Progressive Endless Life."  
Woodruff Place—The Rev. L. C. Trent, pastor. Morning, "The Peace of God," evening, "Himself He Can Not."  
First Baptist—The Rev. Carleton W. A. Water, pastor. Morning, "Increasing Triumph of Christ," evening, "The Cross."  
Broadway—The Rev. R. M. Doolittle, pastor. Morning, "The Peace of God," evening, "The Peace of God."  
Friedman—The Rev. Robert C. Kuebler, pastor. Morning, "The Peace of God," evening, "The Peace of God."  
Zion—The Rev. Frederick R. Darles, pastor. Morning, "The Peace of God," evening, "The Peace of God."  
Bremen Avenue—The Rev. Norman McWorkman, pastor. Morning, "The Peace of God," evening, "The Peace of God."
- EPISCOPAL**  
Christ Church—The Rev. E. Ainger, pastor. Morning, "The Peace of God," evening, "The Peace of God."  
Advent—The Rev. George S. Southworth, pastor. Morning, "The Peace of God," evening, "The Peace of God."  
St. Matthew—The Rev. L. C. Fackler, pastor. Morning, "The Peace of God," evening, "The Peace of God."  
St. Mark's—The Rev. R. H. Keating, pastor. Morning, "The Peace of God," evening, "The Peace of God."  
Bethany—The Rev. J. L. Seng, pastor. Morning, "The Peace of God," evening, "The Peace of God."  
St. Paul's—The Rev. J. S. Albert, pastor. Morning, "The Peace of God," evening, "The Peace of God."  
St. Andrew's—The Rev. R. H. Keating, pastor. Morning, "The Peace of God," evening, "The Peace of God."  
St. George's—The Rev. R. H. Keating, pastor. Morning, "The Peace of God," evening, "The Peace of God."  
St. James—The Rev. R. H. Keating, pastor. Morning, "The Peace of God," evening, "The Peace of God."  
St. John's—The Rev. R. H. Keating, pastor. Morning, "The Peace of God," evening, "The Peace of God."  
St. Luke's—The Rev. R. H. Keating, pastor. Morning, "The Peace of God," evening, "The Peace of God."  
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St. Peter's—The Rev. R. H. Keating, pastor. Morning, "The Peace of God," evening, "The Peace of God."  
St. Thomas—The Rev. R. H. Keating, pastor. Morning, "The Peace of God," evening, "The Peace of God."
- METHODIST**  
Broadway—The Rev. Richard M. Millard, pastor. Morning, "The Peace of God," evening, "The Peace of God."  
Bellevue—The Rev. E. Earl Jones, pastor. Morning, "The Peace of God," evening, "The Peace of God."  
Capitol Avenue—The Rev. E. Arnold Clegg, pastor. Morning, "The Peace of God," evening, "The Peace of God."  
First—The Rev. W. W. Conrad, pastor. Morning, "The Peace of God," evening, "The Peace of God."  
Riverside Park—The Rev. H. J. Kaser, pastor. Morning, "The Peace of God," evening, "The Peace of God."  
Second—The Rev. George C. Woodard, pastor. Morning, "The Peace of God," evening, "The Peace of God."  
Third—The Rev. W. W. Conrad, pastor. Morning, "The Peace of God," evening, "The Peace of God."  
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Ninth—The Rev. W. W. Conrad, pastor. Morning, "The Peace of God," evening, "The Peace of God."  
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- UNITARIAN**  
All Souls—The Rev. E. C. Wicks, pastor. Morning, "The Peace of God," evening, "The Peace of God."  
Trumb Memorial—The Rev. Lenn L. Latham, pastor. Morning, "The Peace of God," evening, "The Peace of God."
- UNITED BRETHREN**  
Calvary—The Rev. L. A. Huddleston, pastor. Morning, "The Peace of God," evening, "The Peace of God."
- UNIVERSALIST**  
Central—The Rev. F. Vogt, pastor. Morning, "The Peace of God," evening, "The Peace of God."

# Church Duty World-Wide, Says Pastor

Nation's Problems Are Con-  
cern of All, Is Rev.  
Koch View.

BY THE REV. C. FRANKLIN KOCH  
Pastor of St. Paul's Lutheran Church,  
Richmond, Ind., and Chairman of the  
International Commission of the In-  
diana State Pastors' Convention.

The past few years have witnessed a growing concern on the part of many of our citizens, among them Christian pastors and leaders, over the vexing international problems, which becloud the horizon.

Many things have contributed to break down the isolation of the past century. More and more men are being convinced that the majority of the problems which face nations are in the ultimate international scope.

A disease break-  
ing out in the Orient, a famine in southeastern Europe, a clash of borders along a European frontier, the bombing of an African city, the invention of a labor-saving machine in America, are no longer local. They have in the past and they may again, threaten the peace and economic security of the world. Because of these, and other reasons, the churches are taking an ever increasing interest in international conditions.

But there is a more fundamental reason why Christian people in America are taking greater interest in what happens beyond the borders of their own nation. That reason is the teachings of Jesus about the universal fatherhood of God, and the world brotherhood of men.

No one can pray sincerely "Our Father," and be unmindful of his brother across the sea. No one can study deeply the meaning of that matchless story of the Good Samaritan without realizing that many opportunities which challenge not only himself but his nation to be a "good neighbor" to the distressed victims through the medium of unjust and often vicious conditions.

No one can follow Jesus in his mission to win pagans, outcasts, samaritan villagers to new ways of life without searching his own heart as to whether or not he is guilty of building barriers which divide men into classes, races, nationalities, and what not, instead of uniting them in one fellowship of justice and love, bent on learning to live the one way which spells life.

So the church fosters study and discussion groups which provide an insight into international questions. It brings in lecturers and preachers who know the world situations and sympathetically present the matter of world friendship based on understanding. It encourages the staging of dramas and pageants which reveal the life of other peoples. It maintains shelves and tables of books and magazines which show the life, manners, customs, as well as the problems of other nations.

It arranges exchange of students and preachers between nations. It advocates the passage of such legislation as will increase international goodwill, and opposes that which would foster strife, jealousy or hatred.

Remembering that the Christian Church started on that first day of Pentecost, 1900 years ago, as an international fellowship of converts from all corners of the ancient world, the church today seeks to renew that fellowship, at its own expense, and to show the world the gospel of universal peace and love as exemplified in the heart of its great leader, Jesus Christ.

## Cadle Choir on Radio Program

Songs Included in Nation's  
Family Prayer Period.

The Cadle Tabernacle Choir is to sing for the Nation's Family Prayer Period to be broadcast from the Tabernacle at 11 tomorrow morning over the Mutual network and WLW. Floyd Jones, president of Minnesota Bible University, is guest conductor.

The choir also is to be heard during the Sunday evening evangelistic service, E. Howard Cadle is to preach at both services.

The Rev. Thomas Whitford is to be in charge of the senior prayer group which is to meet at 6 tomorrow. The young people's prayer group is to meet at 6:30 under leadership of Mrs. Jones.

## Reader to Deliver Series of Programs

An Easter tribute is to be paid at 9:30 tomorrow morning by Miss Mary Beatrice Whiteman, reader, before the National Class of Tabernacle Presbyterian Church.

She will also give readings at 6:30 Monday at a dinner meeting of the North Methodist Episcopal Church Young Women's Missionary Society at the home of Miss Mary Ellen Clark, 332 Guilford-av. She is to give another at 8 at Spruven Heights Presbyterian Kings Daughters' combined city-wide meeting in the church auditorium.

Miss Whiteman is a graduate reader of the Arthur Jordan Conservatory of Music.

## Dubois Cantata Is to Be Presented

A cantata, "The Seven Last Words," by Dubois is to be given tomorrow night at 7:30 in the First Evangelical Church, under the direction of Prof. John M. White.

Soloists are to include Miss Mary Krch, soprano, Lowell B. Springer, tenor, and Dewitt S. Talbert, bass; Chas. Mosiman, baritone.

The Rev. R. H. Mueller, pastor, is to interpret; Mrs. Roy L. Burtsch, organist. The vested choir will take part.

A special program of Palm Sunday music has been arranged for the morning services. Miss Mary Koch will sing "Open the Gates of the Temple," by Knapp.

## Girls' Federation to Hear Tenor Soloist

John Baker, tenor soloist, is to sing at the Girls' Federation Class meeting at the Third Christian Church tomorrow morning. He is to be accompanied by Louise Baker.

Mrs. Lella Rothenberger is to speak on "Jesus Invites All People," and Eunice Lloyd is to read the Scriptures. The class has an Easter attendance goal of 500.

## Revival to Open

Special revival meeting is to begin tomorrow at First Manor Methodist Church and continue until Easter. The Rev. and Mrs. Arthur A. Johnson are to conduct the services.