

SPECIAL SERVICES TO MARK GENERAL EASTER OBSERVANCE HERE

Annual Sunrise Rite at Circle Again to Be Among Features in Celebration of Resurrection

Similar Early Morning Ceremony Arranged by Irvington Methodists; Choirs Augmented to Sing Praises of Risen Christ.

The universal memorial to the resurrected Christ will be observed in all Indianapolis churches tomorrow with special musical programs, prayer, masses and messages by the clergy. The celebration of Easter marks the close of the 40-day solemn observance of Lent, climaxed by Good Friday's commemoration of Christ's hours upon the cross.

Thousands are to greet the day in sunrise meetings in all parts of the city. Among these is the fourteenth annual Easter Sunrise Service on the Circle, with the Ogden Junior Chorus, massed choirs of hundreds of children and soloists participating.

A similar service at the Irvington Methodist Church is to present a chorus of more than 300 children and adults, while the usual morning Easter service is to be held at Fort Benjamin Harrison from 8 to 9.

Scientist Text Is From Luke

Lesson Questions Reality of Sin, Disease.

"Are Sin, Disease, and Death Real?" is the subject of the lesson-sermon in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, in Indianapolis tomorrow.

The Golden Text is: "All flesh shall see the salvation of God" (Luke iii, 6). Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "Is any among you afflicted? let him pray. And the prayer of faith shall save the sick, and the Lord shall raise him up; and if he have committed sins, they shall be forgiven him. Confess your faults one to another, and pray one for another, that ye may be healed. The effectual fervent prayer of a righteous man availeth much" (James v, 13, 15, 16).

The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passages from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy: "The prayer that reforms the sinner and heals the sick is an absolute faith that all things are possible to God—a spiritual understanding of Him, an unselfed love. Regardless of what another may say or think on this subject, I speak from experience. Prayer, watching, and working, combined with self-immolation, are God's gracious means for accomplishing whatever has been successfully done for the Christianization and health of mankind.

"If we say to God as a corporeal person, this will prevent us from relinquishing the human doubts and fears which attend such a belief, and so we can not grasp the wonders wrought by infinite, incorporeal Love, to whom all things are possible."

Good Friday Observance

Seminars, conferences and prayer and study groups, attended by the clergy and laity supplemented evening church meetings during the pre-Easter period.

The Good Friday celebration was carried out with municipal officials and business and industrial executives co-operating with church committees. Keith's and English's Theaters, in which noonday services had been held during Holy Week, were the scenes of three-hour devotional services between noon and 3.

Most downtown business places were closed during the period, with many employees attending. Other similar meetings were held in neighborhood churches.

Fort Harrison Church of God Will Plans Service

11th Infantry Band Is to Provide Music.

The 11th Infantry band, accustomed to playing martial music, is to change its tempo tomorrow morning at Easter services at Fort Benjamin Harrison.

With uniforms pressed and equipment shining, 1500 men are to answer the bugle's call, assembling on the golf course. From there they are to march to a small lake just east of post headquarters.

Open at 8:30. Following a prayer and the playing of "Palm" and "Holy City" by the band. Capt. Frederick R. Davies, chaplain, is to deliver the sermon. His subject is "The Day of Days."

Soldiers then are to join in singing "Hallelujah Chorus." Following the benediction, they are to return to their quarters.

Mass is to be read by the Rev. Dennis Spaulding at 8 a. m. The liturgy, preserved since ancient times, is to be repeated. The public is invited to attend services, post authorities said.

Temple to Hold 5 Rites Tomorrow

Five services are scheduled by the Greater Phillips C. M. E. Temple for tomorrow. The Rev. Arthur W. Womack, pastor, is to talk on "Woman's Part in the Resurrection" at the morning worship at 10:45.

Children's exercises are to be held at 11, followed by an Epworth League meeting at 6. A cantata is to be presented at 7:45 by the United Chorus.

A spring fashion show is to be held at the temple Thursday night. On Friday night, April 24, the Girls' Glee Club of Lane College, Jackson, Tenn., is to present a concert.

Baptists Will Hold Dinner on Monday

The annual family dinner meeting of the First Baptist Church service class is to be held Friday under direction of Mesdames Carey Shipley, J. E. Rice, P. B. McCarty, William O. Cheeseman, M. G. Reed, Herbert Kimbrell, A. J. Weber and Miss Elsie Schertz.

The program is to include community singing arranged by Mesdames Charles E. Yarbrough and William Leonard. Fred L. Warner is director and Mrs. Warner pianist. Pasquale Montani is to provide harp music. Henry Dowling is to be guest speaker.

Baptismal Font to Be Presented

A baptismal font from Mrs. Carrie Fuller in memory of her deceased son, Lewis Fuller, is to be presented to the Blaine Avenue Methodist Church by Mrs. E. H. Baker at tomorrow's service.

GOLGOTHA + + + An Easter Poem + + + By Bruce Catton



"And when they were come unto a place called Golgotha, that is to say, a place of the skull . . . And they crucified him . . ."—St. Matthew, 27:33, 35

PORTRAYED in what is believed the world's largest painting, one of Christianity's most tragic moments—Jesus, in patient, suppliant mien, heeding neither the loud lament of the women nor the taunts of the high priests, while the crosses were being erected upon which

He and the guarded thieves behind Him were to die—is on exhibition in Chicago. Titled "Golgotha," the 195x44-foot masterpiece of Jan Styka recently was resurrected from a South Side storage house in which it had reposed since it last was shown in 1911. Painted in Rome and

Palestine over a period of several years at an estimated cost of more than \$100,000, "Golgotha" was brought to Chicago in 1933 for the Columbian Fair. Proceeds from exhibition of the huge painting, owned by Frank Master-son, Chicago, will go to charity.

CAESAR of mighty Rome, whose legions tramp

The dusty roads from Gaul to Galilee,
From eastern cities to the farthest camp
Of lonely sentries by the northern sea;
What do you do, upon this barren slope,
With sullen, stupid hatred at your side?
For all your power, do you dare to hope
That what you have here can be—crucified?

YOU are betrayed. For all you have and prize—

Death, which you rule by; fear, which is your aid—
Are from this moment helpless. In the skies
The hosts of all mankind march unafraid,
Singing, triumphant, freed eternally
From loneliness, defeat, and barren loss—
Because your blindness stood on Calvary
And raised eternal life upon a cross!

City Epworth League Alumni to Banquet Wednesday Night

Memorial Service, Business Session, Social Hour to Comprise Program of Annual Affair.

The Indianapolis district Epworth League Alumni Association is to have its annual banquet at 6:30 Wednesday at the Roberts Park M. E. Church, it has been announced by Joe Scott, association president.

A brief memorial service is to be held followed by a business session and social hour.

The program for the evening is to include vocal numbers by Mr. and Mrs. Carl Moore; a reading by Mrs. George B. Cannon; and violin numbers by Miss Alice Earle. A 15-piece orchestra from the Grace M. E. Church is to provide music during the dinner hour.

Other association officers are Mrs. Maybelle Jones Ellis, vice president; Miss Gladys Lasler, secretary; George E. Tomlinson, treasurer; Miss Thelma Hawthorne, permanent financial secretary; Mrs. Ruth Croft Holman, permanent secretary, and D. V. Griffith, building fund treasurer.

Catholicism Gains in China Provinces

Times Special

NEW YORK, April 11.—One hundred thousand persons were converted to the Catholic Church last year in China, according to a report received today at the national office of the Society for the Propagation of the Faith.

This is the largest increase in the last 22 years, and brings the Catholic population in China to 2,818,839.

Each convert must have a preparation of from one to three years study before being admitted into the church. An additional 495,000 Chinese now are receiving the training necessary before baptism.

A marked increase also is noted in the work entrusted to native clergy. Chinese priests number nearly half the 4309 laboring there. Also 4935 Chinese students are preparing for the priesthood. Of the 5415 sisters in China, 3309 are Chinese. Twenty-two ecclesiastical territories—equivalent to dioceses in our country—are staffed entirely by Chinese clergy, presided over by a Chinese bishop or prefect apostolic.

Young People Have Active Part in Wheeler Mission Observance

Services, Opening with Sunrise Prayer Meeting, Are to Continue Throughout Tomorrow.

Young people of the Wheeler City Rescue Mission are to play a major part in the mission's Easter activities tomorrow.

A group of young people is to conduct a sunrise prayer meeting, opening the day's observance. Children of the mission Sunday school are to present a program at 2:30. From 4 to 6:30 young people are to be in charge of an Easter vesper service, "The Resurrection, Our Hope of Eternal Life."

The vesper service is to open with song and prayer conducted by R. L. McGaughey and Charles R. Sutton. Musical numbers are to include piano and violin duet by Jane Eberhardt and Grace Knuckles; vocal duets by Mary Louise McGaughey and Ida Marie Baker and Mr. and Mrs. Lester Gayler; a piano solo by Frank H. Cox and vocal solo by George Hefflin.

Mission Head to Speak

Messages on "The Resurrection" are to be delivered by the Rev. Herbert Eberhardt, mission superintendent; Mrs. Charles A. Mueller, Mr. McGaughey, Miss Irene Duncan, Mr. Gayler, Mrs. W. P. Knode and Verdie Allen.

The Sunday Morning Breakfast Club is to meet at 8 following the

IN INDIANAPOLIS CHURCHES TOMORROW

BAPTIST

Calvary—The Rev. William O. Breidove, pastor. Morning, "Resurrection of Christ"; night, "Nason, the Blind Dilemma."

Memorial—The Rev. George G. Kimsey, pastor. Morning, "Why I Believe in Eternity"; night, "The Day of Opportunity."

Lyndhurst—The Rev. C. H. Scheick, pastor. Morning, "A Living or Dead Christ"; night, "Christ Returns."

River Avenue—The Rev. George D. Bilezikian, pastor. Morning, "The Resurrection"; night, "Flinching From Surrender."

Tabernacle—The Rev. S. W. Hartsock, pastor. Morning, "The Resurrection"; night, "The Resurrection."

Tuxedo Park—The Rev. U. S. Clutton, pastor. Morning, "What Have We Done With My Lord?"; night, "Easter Pageant."

First—The Rev. Carlton W. Atwater, pastor. Morning, "The Easter Light"; night, "Putting Easter Into Practice."

CHRISTIAN

Linwood—The Rev. E. E. Moorman, pastor. Morning, "The Dawn of Easter"; night, "The Dawn of Easter."

Eight—The Rev. Glen W. Moll, pastor. Morning, "Risen With Christ"; night, "The Dawn of Easter."

Central—The Rev. W. A. Shullenger, pastor. Morning, "The Resurrection"; night, "The Dawn of Easter."

Fairfax—The Rev. J. J. Kerrick, pastor. Morning, "The Resurrection"; night, "The Dawn of Easter."

University Park—The Rev. S. Grundy, pastor. Morning, "The Resurrection"; night, "The Dawn of Easter."

Garden City—The Rev. Grover Lee Hardison, pastor. Morning, "The Resurrection"; night, "The Dawn of Easter."

Seventh—The Rev. Aubrey H. Moore, pastor. Morning, "The Resurrection"; night, "The Dawn of Easter."

Northwood—The Rev. M. Melvin Thompson, pastor. Morning, "The Resurrection"; night, "The Dawn of Easter."

Hillside—The Rev. Herbert J. Wilson, pastor. Morning, "The Resurrection"; night, "The Dawn of Easter."

Golden Rule—The Rev. William Marshall, pastor. Morning, "The Resurrection"; night, "The Dawn of Easter."

University Heights—The Rev. Jonas E. Collins, pastor. Morning, "The Resurrection"; night, "The Dawn of Easter."

Beech Grove—The Rev. E. E. Russell, pastor. Morning, "The Resurrection"; night, "The Dawn of Easter."

Christian and Missionary Alliance—The Rev. J. J. Martin, pastor. Morning, "The Resurrection"; night, "The Dawn of Easter."

Church of God—The Rev. P. B. Turner, pastor. Morning, "The Resurrection"; night, "The Dawn of Easter."

South—The Rev. H. A. Sherwood, pastor. Morning, "The Resurrection"; night, "The Dawn of Easter."

First—The Rev. Ellis W. Hay, pastor. Morning, "The Resurrection"; night, "The Dawn of Easter."

Second—The Rev. George S. Baldwin, pastor. Morning, "The Resurrection"; night, "The Dawn of Easter."

Third—The Rev. Francis Tetu, pastor. Morning, "The Resurrection"; night, "The Dawn of Easter."

Fourth—The Rev. George S. Southworth, pastor. Morning, "The Resurrection"; night, "The Dawn of Easter."

Fifth—The Rev. P. G. Kuebler, pastor. Morning, "The Resurrection"; night, "The Dawn of Easter."

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METHODIST

Sunshine Garden—The Rev. Jesse J. Gettlinger, pastor. Morning, "Communion Service"; night, "The Resurrection."

Cumberland—The Rev. Jesse J. Gettlinger, pastor. Night, "What Think Ye of Christ?"; morning, "The Resurrection."

Trinity—The Rev. J. R. Flanagan, pastor. Morning, "The Resurrection"; night, "The Resurrection."

Madison Avenue—The Rev. Charles A. McCullough, pastor. Morning, "The Resurrection"; night, "The Resurrection."

Broadway—The Rev. Richard M. Millard, pastor. Morning, "The Resurrection"; night, "The Resurrection."

Central Avenue—The Rev. Charles Drake, pastor. Morning, "The Resurrection"; night, "The Resurrection."

Brightwood—The Rev. P. T. Taylor, pastor. Morning, "The Resurrection"; night, "The Resurrection."

Edwin Ray—The Rev. R. O. McRae, pastor. Morning, "The Resurrection"; night, "The Resurrection."

Barth Place—The Rev. R. R. Cross, pastor. Morning, "The Resurrection"; night, "The Resurrection."

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NON-DENOMINATIONAL

West New York Gospel Mission—The Rev. Maud Hunter Ilges, pastor. Afternoon and evening, the Rev. Elsie Jones, evangelist.

Self-Realization Fellowship Temple—Sri Ramesh Kumar Basu, leader. Morning, "The Resurrection"; night, "The Resurrection."

Natural Science of Life—Mrs. Lida Bishop, minister. Night, Easter all spirit message service; music by soloists and choir.

Volunteers of America—Night, "The Other Side of Life." Col. Earle F. Hites, speaker; special music.

East Miami Street Pilgrim Holiness Mission—The Rev. L. N. Trotter, pastor. Afternoon and evening, Easter services on the theme, "A Real Resurrection From the Dead," sermon by the pastor.

Unity Truth Center—The Rev. Murrell C. Powell, pastor. Morning, "The Resurrection"; night, "The Resurrection."

Church of Positive Christianity—Dr. Austin L. Love, leader. Morning, "Arise, Thou That Sleepest"; night, "The Prophecy of Christ Fulfilled."

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Institute Is to Study Crisis in World Affairs

International Relations Parley Will Be Held April 18.

Seven authorities on world affairs are to address the all-day meeting of the Indianapolis Institute of International Relations April 18 at the Y. W. C. A. Twenty-five local organizations, including colleges, churches and clubs are co-operating in arrangements for the institute, which is to conduct a "factual study of international problems looking toward world peace through better understanding, good will and co-operation."

Addresses are to include "Historical Background of the Present World Crisis," Prof. W. Perry Kissick of Earlham College; "Dictatorship or Non-Violence," Dr. Milton H. Hadley, pastor of Friends Church in Chicago; "Economic Foundations in W. C. Allee, professor of biology in University of Chicago; "The United States in the World Crisis," President W. C. Dennis, Earlham College, and "Is Neutrality Possible?" by Mrs. Quincy Wright, professor of international law at the Chicago University and an active member of the National League of Women Voters.

Discussions Are Scheduled The meeting is to open at 9:45 through the evening session set for 7:30.

The speakers are to conduct a panel discussion at 11 with members of the audience asking questions on the crisis in the Orient, Europe, imperialism and Ethiopia.

Alfred H. Cope is to show charts to demonstrate visual aid for adult peace education. A noon luncheon is to be served in the Y. W. C. A. dining hall.

The afternoon program is to include talks and seminar discussion. Mr. Allee and Mr. Cope are to lead discussion for a group interested in the field of education, meeting and presenting facts in international relations to other people. Mr. Kissick and Mr. Cox are to conduct a discussion for business, professional and civic leaders not in the educational field.

Religious and cultural leaders are to attend a seminar discussion led by Mr. Root and Mr. Hadley.

Discussion is to follow the evening talks by Mr. Dennis and Mrs. Wright.

Missions Group Meets Tuesday

Methodist Women's Society to Hear Workers.

Spring meeting of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society, Indianapolis District, is to be held Tuesday at the East Tenth Street Methodist Church.

Miss Cora Rahe, recently returned from China, and Dr. Rebecca Parish, who spent 27 years in the Philippines, are to address the morning session scheduled to open at 9:30 with a devotional period, followed by Dr. J. N. Greene, church pastor.

Afternoon speakers are to be Mrs. E. P. Jones, special work secretary; Mrs. C. E. Asbury, conference secretary, and Miss Willia Caffray, world evangelist and missionary.

Miss Addie Robbins, children's missionary in India, is to be introduced to the group. District officers in costumes are to present "News From Our South American Sisters."

News of friendship week, congressional singing and a registration committee report are to conclude activities.

Soprano Is to Sing for Baptist Class

The Brotherhood Class of First Baptist Church is to be entertained by Florence Free MacDonald, soprano, at the Easter morning meeting tomorrow. Earl Howe Jones is to be the accompanist.

Speedway Christian Church 14th and Winston

Howard Anderson Minister

Sunrise Service 6:30
Church School 8:30
Morning Worship 10:45
Evening Worship 7:45

Sutherland Presbyterian Church 28th St. and Guilford Ave.

Rev. Florio A. Pfeiderer, minister.
11 A. M.—"The Triumph of Personality."
7 P. M.—Easter music by the choir.

Victory Memorial M. P. Church

Rev. Wm. Lee Spratt, Pastor
6:30 a. m. Sunrise Communion Service
9:30 a. m. Sunday School
10:45 a. m. Easter Worship Service
7:30 p. m. "Easter Victory" 6:30 Sermon: "The Joy of Easter"

2:15 p. m. Baptismal Service at the Hillcrest Baptist Church.
7:30 p. m. Young People's Meeting and an Easter Pageant "The King Triumphant."

German Services Will Start at 10

German worship and Holy Communion is to be held at Friedens Evangelical Church at 10 tomorrow morning. The English Easter service is to begin at 6:30.

The Rev. Robert C. Kuebler, pastor, is to preach on "The Crowned Christ" at the English service. Following conclusion of this service, the